

P. O. BUSINESS BREAKS RECORD

South Manchester Office Has Biggest Business In Its History in '28.

Postal receipts for 1928 at the South Manchester post office showed the biggest increase in the history of the department.

The total receipts for 1928 were \$60,786.03 as compared to \$53,250.98 for 1927.

The increase has been steady through the year, being at least a thousand dollars in each quarter.

Postmaster Oliver F. Toop, who has during the past year in charge of the local office, said there had been a big increase in general mailing but that Cheney Brothers accounted for a major portion of the increase.

In regard to Cheney Brothers, Mr. Toop stated that during the last six months of the year, especially, Cheney Brothers had done an enormous amount of parcel post shipping.

Postmaster Toop supplied The Herald with the total receipts figures for the past ten years to show the increase. They follow:

Table with 3 columns: Quarters, 1927, 1928. Rows for Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., May, June, July, Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec., and Totals.

BEETHOVENS' ANNUAL CONCERT SET FOR APRIL

Will Be Held on 30th—Joint Concert With G. Clef Has New Date, Feb. 26.

The Beethoven Glee Club will hold its annual concert at High School Hall Wednesday, April 20.

For various reason it has been deemed necessary to postpone the combined concert of the G. Clef and Beethoven Glee Clubs to February 26 instead of Feb. 12, as was previously announced.

AMARANTH INSTALLS

Chapman Court, Order of Amaranth, at its regular meeting, tonight in the Masonic Temple installed its newly elected and appointed officers.

The new officers are as follows: Royal matron, Mrs. Adelaide Shelton; royal patron, Harry Armstrong; associate matron, Miss Olive Chapman; associate patron, Russell Tryon; secretary, Mrs. Esther Pickles; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Keyes; conductress, Mrs. Nellie Packard; associate conductress, Mrs. Anne Tryon; trustee for three years, Mrs. Pauline Grant.

The appointive officers: Ruth, Miss Jessamine Smith; Faith, Mrs. Georgia Lettney; Wisdom, Mrs. Anna Robb; Charity, Mrs. Florence Horton; Marshal in the East, Mrs. Lida Richmond; Marshal in the West, Mrs. Edith Dowd; Historian, Mrs. Florence Thornton; prelate, Mrs. Rachel Thilde; warder, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson; standard bearer, Mrs. Adelaide Pickett; sentinel, William Bray.

The uncrowning of the retiring royal matron, Mrs. Pauline Grant was performed by Mrs. Adelaide Shelton and the crowning of the newly elected royal matron by Past Matron Finis Grant.

ABOUT TOWN

A son, William, was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ogren of 30 Lilley street.

Twelve tables were filled with whist players at the Good Will club's whist last night at City View Dance hall.

Walter Bradley, local saxophone player, left today for Miami, Fla., where he will play in the orchestra at the Hotel Nautilus.

The annual meeting of the Dorcas Society has been held at the home of Rev. P. J. O. Cornell on Church street.

The following officers were elected at a meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday school teachers held at the home of Alfred C. Anderson of Hartford Road.

The amusement committee of the Sons of Italy will hold a meeting at the home of Paul Correnti of Birch street tomorrow afternoon at 8 o'clock.

At the Chamber of Commerce committee on aviation meeting held yesterday afternoon at five o'clock, Benjamin Von Pilski, manager of the State theater, was admitted as a member.

Buckland Parent-Teacher association members will postpone their regular monthly business meeting which would ordinarily take place Monday evening of next week, until Monday evening, January 21.

Officers and a few members of Manchester Camp Royal Neighbors went over to the home of Mrs. Mary Frederickson in Highland Park last evening and gave her a complete and pleasant surprise.

There was good skating at the Center Springs Rink last night, the ice being in perfect condition.

HIT-AND-RUN VICTIM GOES ON TO HER WORK

Sent Home, Mrs. Thompson Faints on Way, But Won't Wait for Doctor.

Miss Mary Thompson of Birch street, employed at the Buckland tobacco warehouse, was struck and knocked down by a hit-and-run automobile at the Center shortly before 7 o'clock this morning as she was waiting to take a car to Buckland.

She followed the advice and started for home. She got as far as the Center, then went into the Center restaurant, where she fainted.

She would not wait there for a doctor, however, when revived, but took a trolley to Birch street. Dr. T. H. Weldon was called to attend her at her home.

OBITUARY

DEATHS

Miss Margaret J. Metcalf, Miss Margaret J. Metcalf, 39, died at her home at 17 Brainard place at 3 o'clock this morning following a five year's illness with a complication of diseases.

Miss Metcalf was born in Ireland and came to this country when a child. She had made her home here ever since. Miss Metcalf is survived by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Metcalf, Sr., of 17 Brainard place, two sisters, Mrs. William Taggart of Mystic and Mrs. Hamilton Jones of Brainard place, and two brothers, Hamilton Metcalf, Jr., of 89 Pleasant street and Robert Metcalf of Boston.

The funeral will be held Monday afternoon with prayer at the home at 2 o'clock and a service at St. Mary's Episcopal church at 2:30. Rev. J. S. Neill will officiate. Burial will be in the East cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah A. Loomis, Mrs. Sarah A. Loomis, widow of Charles Loomis, died at the home of Mrs. Ida Skinner, of 7 Nelson place, at 8 o'clock this morning after a three months illness. She was 88 years old. There are no near relatives. Charles and Harry Loomis, of Wapping, are step-sons. The funeral will probably be held Monday afternoon.

FUNERALS

Mrs. Anna Bratsnyder, The funeral of Mrs. Anna Bratsnyder, wife of Julius Bratsnyder, of Wapping, will be held at her home at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Rev. L. F. R. Stechholz will officiate. Burial will be in the Wapping cemetery.

Mrs. Leonora E. Palmer, Funeral services for Mrs. Leonora E. Palmer will be held this afternoon at 2:30 at the home, Rev. F. C. Allen, pastor of the Second Congregational church, will officiate. The bearers are, Ralph Norton, George Harris, Samuel Ball, A. F. Howes, Scott Simon and R. E. Morton. Burial will be in the family plot at Buckland cemetery.

POLISH CHURCH HERE MEETS WITH DISFAVOR

Misunderstanding Among Local Residents Existed at First Proposal.

The possibility of the formation of a Polish congregation and the erection of a church here at the present time seems meager because of the misunderstanding that exists between the larger number of the Polish residents of Manchester who were being solicited for such a feature.

Most of the Polish people in town are Roman Catholics, but the church for which the preliminary steps are being taken in Manchester is not a Roman Catholic church, but is known as the Polish Independent Catholic church, Eastern Diocese. It is not in any way connected with the Roman Catholic church, as many were led to believe. Some of those who first were in favor of the plan and who were to join the new church learning that it was not a church of their religion, will not become connected with the new proposition.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Thomas Flavell of Holl street was honored by a surprise party last evening, given by her friends in Helen Davidson lodge, Daughters of Scotia in which she is a member and a part officer.

Efforts are being made to form such churches in different parts of the state, the entire matter as to the legal requirements are in the hands of a Hartford lawyer. The first work of incorporation is being taken care of by lawyers in the different towns where efforts are being made to form such organizations.

MAIN STREET HOME TRANSFERRED TODAY

Arrangements have been completed for the sale of a two-family house at 97-99 Main street owned by Charles E. Hale to Walter C. and Mary Smith of Woodhill street. Mr. and Mrs. Fayette B. Clarke and family who had been living in this house removed today to their new brick Colonial home at Porter street and Lancaster Road. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will move into their new home shortly and will rent the other tenement.

Next Monday - Tuesday and Wednesday PARSONS BEGIN MONDAY 3 Nights. Pop. Matinee Wednesday—50c to \$1.50.

Advertisement for 'The Trial of Mary Dugan' featuring a picture of a woman and text about the play's performance at the High School Auditorium.

STOP BAD BLAZE AT NORTH END AT \$35,000 LOSS

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fire it was under control. The east building had been gutted, however, and the basement was full of water to the depth of a foot.

Thousands imperiled It was thought that the necessary flooding of the basement could not fail to result in the total destruction of some \$35,000 worth of nursery stock, consisting largely of seedlings, as a freeze-up would kill the entire lot, and to pump the basement dry in time to save the stock looked like a hopeless task.

The damage to the building was estimated at about \$15,000. Daniel B. Lunt, of Boston, president of the Lunt-Jillson Company, this morning placed the loss to his concern at between \$15,000 and \$20,000, after salvage. The loss to the Wilson nurseries is almost entirely in the building, as it was declared this morning that the damage to the nursery stock would be very little.

One of the specially fortunate circumstances in connection with the fire was the almost complete absence of wind. The wooden buildings of the W. G. Cleary Co. and many thousand dollars worth of nursery lumber are close at hand and there were present many of the elements for a conflagration.

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PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits A permit has been granted for the erection of a single building on Lot No. 92, Pinehurst street.

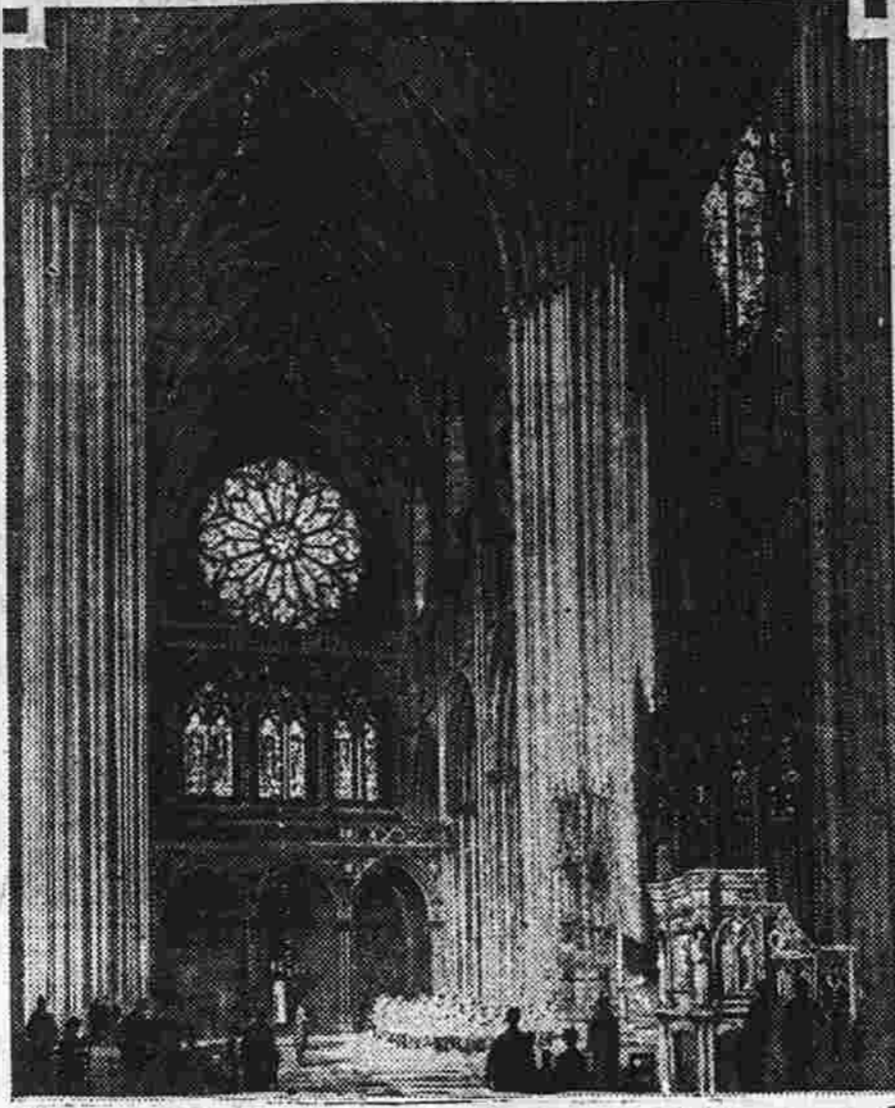
Warrantee Deeds Cheney Brothers to Joseph Lyttle and Elizabeth Lyttle, land and buildings on Eldridge street.

Bill of Sale Olin Gerrich to Olin A. Gerrich, Belle Webb to Olin A. Gerrich, the land and buildings located on the north side of North Main street in the Buckland section, for use as a gasoline station.

Lease Herman Gordon to Harry Lebeschewsky doing business as the Libby Oil Co., the kerosene business done in the town of Manchester, Buckland and East Windsor.

Warrantee Deeds E. J. Holl to Charles H. Jones and wife, land and buildings located No. 36 of the Bluefield tract.

VIEW OF GREAT CATHEDRAL



INTERIOR OF WASHINGTON CATHEDRAL Architects' Drawing Showing Massive Piers Now Under Construction.

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When completed Washington Cathedral will rank with the great religious structures of the world, affording standing room at great services for more than 27,000 persons. The plan is in the form of a cross, the most conspicuous exterior feature being the central tower which will rise 107 feet higher above the Potomac river than the Washington Monument.

The idea of a cathedral in the capital was conceived by George Washington when the capital city was planned. At that time it was recommended that a great church be erected for "national purposes, such as public prayer, thanksgiving, etc."

The present building is being carried on under the leadership of Gen. John J. Pershing, former Senator George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia and the Secretary of the Treasury, Andrew W. Mellon.

Police said they found an empty brandy bottle in Williamsons' five room suite, a partially filled bottle of Vermont and several glasses. Appearances of the dining room table pointed to dinner having been served.

Two pearl shirt studs tossed on a table indicated the millionaire had been preparing for bed when he decided to open the window and lost his balance.

Williamson, a widower and member of the New York Athletic Club, was said to have only one surviving relative, Charles Wilson, a nephew of Lancaster, Pa.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 5.—Orrin H. Hoover, 17, a quiet, mannerly high school boy, shot and killed Joseph Sklabiankas, 38, because he had sold the boy's father liquor but young Hoover could not have shot himself afterwards, Coroner H. Wolfe declared today.

Advertisement for 'STATE STREET SADIE' featuring a picture of a woman and text about the play's performance at the High School Auditorium.

Advertisement for 'The Dragon' featuring a picture of a dragon and text about the play's performance at the High School Auditorium.

SAYS BRAVES RAISED BIG SLUSH FUND

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President Emil Fuchs of the Braves organized the Recreational League in his own office and that the league was simply a pretext for spending \$30,000 in influencing public sentiment in favor of Sunday sports.

Secretary Cunningham had testified that the league was organized to promote daylight saving. Cunningham declared in answer to a question, that he did not know that the league had been fixed up in Fuchs' office between President Claude Davidson of the New England baseball League and Assistant Secretary George P. Hunt of the Braves.

Cunningham admitted that when he solicited contributions for the league he asked for cash not checks. During the grilling Cunningham was accused by Chairman John C. L. Dowling of the finance commission of trying to conceal something and Cunningham finally replied:

"At the time the Lord's Day League was investigating everything connected with Sunday baseball and I didn't want them to trace any money I solicited." The other attempt by Attorney Walsh to show an alleged second violation of the law was in the defeat of ex-Senator Bilodeau, opponent of Sunday sports. Cunningham admitted that the Braves management had given from 5,000 to 7,000 tickets to the third base bleachers to Walter "Stonewall" Jackson, an announcer at Braves field, the latter distributing them among voters in Bilodeau's district. On the back of the tickets was printed "vote for Jackson."

The most dramatic incident during the Cunningham testimony came when Councilman Robert Gardner Wilson, Jr., of Dorchester, interrupted and demanded that he be allowed to cross examine the witness.

The finance commission granted the request. Wilson, who was believed to have been the leader of the so-called "Bloc" at City Hall, through his questioning brought out that, although Wilson and Cunningham had discussed the Sunday sports measure, no mention had been made of any hold-up nor had any money been involved in the conversation. When Councilman Wilson concluded his questioning a wave of applause was accorded him by the hundreds of spectators in the hearing room at the State House.

ARCTIC AVIATORS REACH THEIR GOAL

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had become lost in the northern part of the province, and a giant relief plane had been scheduled to start from Edmonton today to search for them. These plans were abandoned following the arrival of the aviators here yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

The plane left Fort Vermillion at 12:45 and the journey here was made in exactly three hours. Preparations for the departure of the plane for Edmonton have been made, but it has not been decided upon when the take-off will be made. The sky is clear and the thermometer is lowering.

A THOUGHT

And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.—I Cor. 13:13.

Shakespeare. OLD ACTOR DIES. Glendale, Cal., Jan. 5.—Mac Dermott, one of the earliest leading men of the movies, died in a hospital here today. He had been suffering from a liver ailment for the last six months and had been in the hospital four months. Only his 80-year-old mother Annie M. Mac Dermott and a sister, Mary Mac Dermott, were with him at the end. Mac Dermott's home was in New York.

Large advertisement for 'ON TRIAL' featuring a picture of a man and woman, text about the play's performance at the High School Auditorium, and a 'SEE EVERY CHARACTER HEAR' slogan.

INTERESTING INTERVIEWS WITH LOCAL FOLKS

Intimate Word Pictures of Manchester Business and Professional Men and Women You See Daily. A Sort of Miniature Good Will Trip That Forms a Contact With Their Public.



Autos had but three wheels and one cylinder and always needed water when

JOHN KEMP

started in business. He tells a most interesting story about it this week.

EDITOR'S NOTE—This is the twenty-first of a series of local Saturday features. An attempt will be made to visit folks each week in all parts of the town, especially those in business and professions.

It's rather paradoxical, but the subject of this week's sketch although he has been here only since September has known the town intimately for 33 years so he cannot be much of a stranger. Neither is elaborate introduction needed in his case. For John Kemp knows almost everybody hereabouts and they know him.

Mr. Kemp came to town a few months ago and bought the Tinker place on Center street. Here autos are sold. The highlights of the little sketch, however, is the fact that Mr. Kemp has been so long connected with the auto motive business. Let him tell of the first car he sold and see if you can remember it.

His First Car "The first car I sold was the Grout, made in Orange, Mass. Here was a car de luxe. It was a steamer, if you please, and was all right except that if there were no watering trough nearby you would get out of luck. It was always out of water and a steam boiler without water is nothing to brag about when you're trying to get anywhere. This was the day before condensers had been invented. "But otherwise there was some class to this bus. It looked exactly like the old Concord buggies you have heard about. The engine was under the seat, not a pleasant place to be if the contraption blew up. You steered with a sort of tiller and stopped the car with a ratchet footbrake. The wheels were wire with oversized single tube bicycle tires. Only two could sit in it.

"However, I must give it credit for one thing. It had dandy upholstery. Genuine leather, if you please, because leather was cheap in those days. The dashboard was of patent leather. Think of that!"

If you have not guessed the date when such contraptions were popular it might be well to end the suspense and confess that it was away back in 1900.

Goes to Hartford After selling these cars for a while Mr. Kemp handled the Pope-Hartford and Pope-Tole in Rockville and he went to Hartford to handle the old St. Louis cars. These were gasoline autos. They were all right, he said, except that "one had to spend about three hours under the cars so as to get them in fit shape to run one hour."

Later he began to handle a sort of freak auto and to appreciate it one must step into his office and see the Kelsey Motorette and had three wheels, two big ones in front and a small one in the rear. It looked nothing like the present motorcycle. It was a real auto with seats for two and the driver steered with a wheel as one does today. By nursing it along you could make about 35 miles an hour.

After describing this freak machine Mr. Kemp was induced to talk about the first real autos he sold.

HIS FIRST AUTO HAD ONE CYLINDER

The first real car I handled," said Mr. Kemp, "was the Pope-Hartford. This was a one cylinder affair and it would carry persons." Here the speaker's eye twinkled merrily as he continued: "You know there were only two things that one entered by the rear door those days. One was the Pope car and the other—"

It appears that these cars sold for \$1,200. Next the Pope people put out a more expensive car which they priced at \$1,600 but, remember, this was only for the bare auto.

Top and windshield and even the lamps were classed as extras and you paid for them. Following this Mr. Kemp sold the Chalmers and the Stutz in Hartford and some years later went into the wholesale auto business. Then came the war and afterwards he sold White cars. His health was not of the best at this time and for the next few years he remained in the south. Then with his two brothers, Charles and Alexander they looked about for a new business and located in Manchester. Here they sell the Oakland, Pontiac and G. M. C. trucks.

Born in Scotland Speaking of his early life he said that he was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and came to this country when he was 20 years of age.

He first located in Springfield, Mass., and later went to Rockville, where he went into the dry goods business. It was there that he first took up the sale of autos as a side line to keep him out in the air, as his health was not robust. In 1906 he sold his dry goods business to J. W. Hale, the founder of the big department store in this town. He likes the town and, as explained before, he has known the residents for many years. Asked about his business policy he answered:

"We stress service. That constitutes 90 per cent of the auto trade. We give a customer what he wants, when he wants it and at a proper price."

Mr. Kemp was asked when the saturation point would be reached in the auto business. He laughed as he answered: "Never. It has been figured that in seven years a car must be replaced. It is either smashed, worn out or the owner wants another kind or a new model in this state. For instance, with all the new cars you see the sales do not vary more than one per cent. In the United States they don't vary five per cent. So you see that we will never catch up, no matter how many more cars are made."

WELSH VOICE IMPOSSIBLE ON RADIO OR TELEPHONE SAYS CARADOC EVANS

London.—Caradoc Evans, novelist, says that Welsh people are almost unintelligible on the telephone, that they nearly always mispronounce words, that they talk too quickly, that there is very little music in their voices, and that there has never been a first class Welsh solo singer.

Evans was commenting on an announcement in the House of Commons that telephone operators from Wales were unsuitable for work in London on account of their marked accent.

"Welsh is too guttural a language to be suitable for the telephone or radio," says Evans. "Their voices are sing-song and they have no idea of the English language. A Welshman prefers to spend 25 cents on a telegram rather than four cents on the telephone call. And how can a man explain on the telephone that he is speaking from Cardiff or Wigan?"

OPEN FORUM "ON TRIAL" IS DRAMATIC PICTURE AGAINST SUNDAY LAWS

Editor, The Herald:—The Seventh-day Adventists at their church in Hebron recently passed a resolution against legislation, compelling all sects to observe the Sunday laws. This resolution is aimed at religious legislation that dictates how people shall act in a religious manner on Sunday and is a protest against any form of religion by law. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, There is a strong tendency in church assemblies and in legislative halls, as well as in judicial courts, today to intermingle religious obligations with civil duties and thus to give legal sanction and support to religious customs, usages and observances, in the hope that the kingdom of God may be ushered more speedily into the world through the gateway of politics by means of reform legislation and religious enactments, and

"Whereas, The civil government and the church occupy two separate and distinct spheres and functions of operation and administration, under an ideal form of government, and since Sunday observance is a religious tenet peculiar to certain sects and should not be propagated by force of law under the penal code, and whereas all religious dogmas as well as religious duties should always be voluntary, and never should the church make an appeal to the civil magistrate for legal aid in a matter that should be strictly settled by the conscience of the individual, and since God made the conscience free in the realm of religion and never intended that it should be enslaved by the civil authorities, or that it should ever be coerced by the majority of any class of religionists, and that the state should maintain an attitude of absolute neutrality in religious controversies and never intermeddle with religion, therefore,

"Resolved, That we, members of the Seventh-day Adventist church assembled Dec. 29, 1928, do look with disfavor upon any attempt to establish the Christian religion, or any of its institutions, dogmas, customs and usages, or any doctrine of one or more sects by civil law or judicial authority, thus denying the equality of all citizens before the law, and the principle of separation of church and state, as well as freedom of conscience in religious matters, and be it further

"Resolved, that we protest against the enactment of compulsory Sunday observance legislation and the enforcement of this religious custom by the civil magistrate under civil penalties, and we do here and now declare ourselves in favor of the absolute separation of church and state and of religious freedom as conceived by the Author of Christianity, to the end that both the church and the state may prosper and dwell in peace and harmony which is impossible under church and state alliances and religious establishments by law.

PAUL C. COATES Amston, Conn. Jan. 5, 1929.

PRICELESS LETTERS OF FAMED MUSICIANS HIDDEN IN LONDON

London.—Locked away in the cellar of a London bank, and hidden from prying or adulating eyes, are scores of valuable letters written by Wagner, Mendelssohn, Joachim, Spohr and many other great musical masters.

Some of the letters would undoubtedly bring staggering prices if they were offered in public sale, but they are the valued property of the Royal Philharmonic Society of London, which would not part with them for love or money.

But lack of space in the society's headquarters prevents their being enjoyed by musical students or laymen.

"These priceless letters," declared by J. Mewburn Levison, secretary of the society, "are locked away in the cellar because we have no place in which to keep them, and no money to rent a suitable place where they could be on view."

"Equally rare musical relics are stored away in this bank cellar," he continued, "while other treasured possessions of the Royal Philharmonic, including Beethoven's Ninth Symphony, composed especially for the society, are in the British Museum."

In the society's cramped quarters in Berners street here, are scores of dusty volumes, many of them of priceless value to musicians. A rare copy of Dvorak's "Stabat Mater" inscribed by the composer himself, a volume of "The Flying Dutchman" of Wagner of a type of which there are few in existence, are but two examples of the valuable relics which the society has on its shelves.

"The pitiful thing is that we are not able to give the collection the care it deserves," Levison said. "If these treasures were lost or destroyed, then the greatest musical association in history would be broken."

TIDAL WAVES IN JAPAN. London, Jan. 4.—Tidal waves sweeping many coastal villages and towns in the Prefecture of Nigata, Japan, have taken a toll of 150 dead and many injured, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Tokio stated today.

The tidal waves followed severe storms at sea off the Japanese coast. Hundreds of houses were inundated making thousands homeless.

GOT THE HABIT YOUNG. London.—Lauderdale Duncan, of Hove, when six months old, made his first trip across the Atlantic to America. At 77, his present age, he has crossed the Atlantic 140 times.

CHRYSLER LOWERS PLYMOUTH PRICES

Economies in Manufacture, Big Public Demand, Make Action Possible.

Prices on all Plymouth closed cars were reduced, effective December 21, by the Plymouth Motor Corporation, division of the Chrysler Corporation. The savings are from \$25 for the two-door sedan, and \$30 for the coupe with rumble seat, to \$40 for the four-door sedan and de luxe coupe.

New economies in manufacture, almost revolutionary even to the building of motor cars, together with the big public demand for the Plymouth has created ever since for that car such a demand that it is now making this action possible, said J. W. Frazer, Plymouth sales manager.

"The economy in buying and operating a Plymouth, its full size and quality features, have created for that car such a demand that we can pass the savings on to every potential buyer in the field of lowest priced cars," said Mr. Frazer. "In all Chrysler history, no product it has ever built offers so large a proportion of the public the opportunity for ownership of a Chrysler-built car as does the Plymouth at the new price—a full sized car with weather-proof hydraulic four wheel brakes, established economy of operation and modern engineering."

The new price range, which now extends from \$555 for the coupe with rumble seat to \$695 for the four-door sedan and de luxe coupe, is the lowest at which any Chrysler-built car has ever been sold.

There will be no changes in the quality, large size or economy in ownership of the car. Mr. Frazer continued. Enlargement of manufacturing facilities for the Plymouth to meet the extraordinary demand it has created have been under way practically since the day it was announced and are now nearing completion. This will permit an output, by April 1, of more than twice what it has yet attained, Mr. Frazer said.

Complete new Plymouth factory prices, effective throughout the United States, are: Coupe with rumble seat, \$555; two-door sedan, \$675; roadster with rumble seat, \$675; four-door sedan deluxe coupe and touring, each \$895.

Officials of the Chrysler Corporation state that no price reductions on any other Chrysler products are contemplated.

FRENCH, BRITISH PILOTS BATTLE FOR AIR TRADE

Le Bourget.—Marlaine and John Bull are now indulging in a friendly game of bridge—for supremacy of the air bridge connecting France and England. "Aces" are trumps, time records score slams, and jostling means tricks for either side.

Wilcoxon and Rogers, British Imperial Airways pilots, and Delage, French Air Union "ace", are making most of the bids in the new game. The bulk of the passenger business on the Paris-London line goes to the top hand.

The time table calls for 2 1-2 hours to negotiate the 230 miles separating Le Bourget and Crocquenot. But pilots would report at the back door if they required more than two hours for the trip.

Only recently, Delage of the Air Union declared and scored grand slam by making the course in 1 hour, 29 minutes, with 25 passengers and freight.

The record may stand for some time, although the Airways pilots are shooting at it with a persevering worthy of the lofty objective. They are, in fact, within distance of the record. Twice Wilcoxon and Rogers have done less than 1 hour, 40 minutes.

Fog is known to be the aviator's worst enemy. As an obstacle it means nothing in this tussle to "get there and get there first." Visibility reduced to thirty feet does not reduce the pilots on the London-Paris line.

To Delage goes the credit of playing the stronger hand. To achieve strength, he cuts corners. Usually, the pilots flying from Paris to London, turn at Abbeville and follow the French coast to Cape Gris Nez, made famous by Channel swimmers. From there they make for Dover. This is done to reduce the sea hop.

When Delage set his record, he did not turn at Abbeville. He flew straight on over the Channel and crossed the English coast at Dungeness, an oversea distance of 80 miles.

This method, at first labeled cheating, has since been adopted by Delage's fellow aviators in their efforts to better his record. Paris-London in 58 hour may be commonplace before long.

Baseball games and stock exchange sessions may soon be subjects of mighty symphonic works, since Arthur Honegger is packing his trunks America-bound. The French modern composer, who writes symphonies on anything from a football match to a dog fight, will make a three months tour of America, during which he conducts his own works from coast to coast.

"There is music in everything," says Arthur Honegger in an interview, "if you can but interpret it. That is what I have tried to do." Many critics say he has succeeded. "Do you expect to obtain inspiration in America for new works?" he was asked.

"Why not? There is wonderful material in America. Baseball matches and sessions of the great stock exchange in New York, for instance."

Among the symphonies of Honegger which have attracted attention for their peculiarity are "Rusby" and "Pacific 211."

ACTION LAGS ON MEMORIAL PARK TO MARK TWAIN

Macon, Mo.—Officers of the Mark Twain Memorial Park association who raised the money and purchased more than 100 acres on the lowlands near Florida, Mo., and who did much improving before turning the park over to the state, are hoping that something will be done by the legislature to make the park what it was at first intended for—a worthy memorial for Missouri's greatest writer if not one of the greatest in U.S. world.

The little house where Clements was born at Florida is, it is said, threatening to go to decay.

Keeper Is Aged "Dad" Violet, one of the originators of the park idea, has done all he can, but new his sight is failing and he cannot look after the little structure the way that he would like to.

If the state will remove the house to the park and provide a proper setting, Mr. Violet will be glad to have that done, and will ask nothing of Missouri for the house, although it is said that he has been offered large sums for it, by people of other states.

Newspaper Attacks Missouri sits idly by while the attacking state of Missouri for the way it is looking after this project. One of the editors of a certain newspaper made the following statement:

Missouri sits idly by while the birthplace of Mark Twain, most illustrious of all American literary geniuses, goes to ruin. This 100, with a state park only a quarter of a mile away and each of money in the state's park department's treasury from which to draw the small sum needed for moving the house and providing it with fireproof shelter.

"Missouri should rise above such parsimony as it practices in cultural matters like this."

AMERICAN AUTOS USE 5,249,863.000 GALLONS OF GAS IN 6 MONTHS

Washington.—American automobile owners consumed approximately 5,249,863.000 gallons of gasoline during the first six months this year and each paid an average of \$6.85 in gasoline taxes, the American Motorists Association has announced.

The per capita consumption was estimated at 227 gallons, an increase of about 15 per cent over the amount of gasoline purchased during the corresponding months last year.

Advertisement for Plymouth cars featuring the slogan '60 MPH AND UPWARDS' and 'New Lower Prices'. The ad includes a list of car models and prices: Coupe \$655, Roadster \$675, Touring \$695, 2-Door Sedan \$675, De Luxe Coupe \$695, 4-Door Sedan \$695. It also features the Plymouth logo and the name 'George S. Smith'.

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

Program for Saturday 6:25 p. m.—Summary of Program and News Bulletins.

Shoes Program from N. B. C. Studios. 8:00 p. m.—National Orchestra—Walter Damrosch, Conductor.

9:30 p. m.—Mildred Hunt with Marimba Orchestra. 10:00 p. m.—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra Hour from N. B. C. Studios.

"THE CIRCUS KID" IS SMASHING STORY

One of Two Pictures at Circle Theater Today and Sunday. There's a circus in town! You haven't seen the "big top" rise against the skyline or heard the callope and the red-coated band in the gorgeous, glittering street parade.

long experience, excellently handles the role of the undusted admirer. Frankie Darro, child star of wide popularity, is cast in the stellar part. He develops not only a comedy vein but much dramatic ability.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

Saturday, January 5. Berlin's overture "A Roman Carnival," opens the nation-wide concert by the National orchestra under the direction of Walter Damrosch to be broadcast over WEAF and allied stations at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

423-W, WLV, CINCINNATI—700. 7:40—Two dance orchestras. 8:00—Hawallans' singers.

Leading DX Stations. 4025—WBS, ATLANTA—740. 7:30—Cello trio music; concert.

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Secondary Eastern Stations. 502-WEEI, BOSTON—590. 7:30—WEAF programs (1 1/2 hrs.).

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Secondary DX Stations. 344-WENR, CHICAGO—870. 8:15—Farmer Birk's talk.

Sunday, January 6. Eddie Cantor and Ruth Etting will begin a new series of air theater programs to be broadcast for the first time at 9 o'clock Sunday night.

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WILL HONOR 1929'S ASSEMBLY WOMEN

Luncheon for 19 Representatives and One Senator Is Planned.

A luncheon in honor of the women members of the 1929 Legislature to be given by the Connecticut League of Women Voters was announced today by Miss Mary Bulkley of Hartford, president of the League. It is to be held in Hartford at the Hotel Bond on Thursday, January 24.

"One of the League's strongest beliefs is that qualified women should be elected to public office," states the January issue of the "Woman Voter's Bulletin" which carries the announcement.

There are twenty women who will serve in the 1929 Legislature. Miss Mary Weaver of New Milford will be the only woman senator. The nineteen women in the House of Representatives are:

- Mrs. Corinne R. Alsop of Avon. Mrs. Maud L. Woodward, of Bolton. Mrs. Mary F. Willford, of Cornwall. Miss Josephine E. Bryant of East Hartford. Miss Georgina B. Davids, of Greenwich. Mrs. Marion G. Roberts, of Hartford. Mrs. Edith V. Miller, of Hartford. Mrs. Lena W. Greenbacker, of Middletown. Mrs. Caroline T. Platt, of Middletown. Mrs. Clarissa Nevius, of New Fairfield. Miss Annie H. Maher, of New Haven. Mrs. Hattie M. Buckingham, of Oxford. Miss Edith Sutcliffe, of Plymouth. Mrs. Alice W. Russ, of Shelton. Miss Marjory Cheney, of South Manchester. Mrs. Julia M. Emery, of Stamford. Mrs. Helen E. Lewis, of Stratford. Mrs. Florence P. Maxwell, of Vernon. Miss Alice L. Coe, of Winchester.

The executive committee of the Connecticut League is serving as a preliminary committee on arrangements for the luncheon with Miss Bulkley the president as chairman. The other members are: Mrs. H. K. Smith, Farmington; Mrs. Annie G. Porritt, West Hartford; Mrs. Emerson R. Newell, Greenwich; Miss Elizabeth W. Farnam, New Haven; Mrs. Wm. Valentine, Pomfret; and Mrs. Edward H. Lorenz, West Hartford. To this committee has been added Mrs. W. F. Worrall of Meriden, legislative chairman, and Mrs. Harrison B. Hanson of Hartford, chairman of the local committee on arrangements.

TREASURY TO REFUND MILLIONS IN TAXES

Washington, Jan. 5—The treasury's award of \$26,000,000 to the United States Steel Corporation as refund and interest on its 1917 taxes was defended by the House appropriations committee in reporting the first deficiency bill today.

The bill carried \$84,128,310, of which \$75,000,000 is for additional tax refunds and \$5,000,000 is to meet an air mail deficit.

The \$75,000,000 additional tax refund sum, requested by the President after he had submitted the budget showing a probable surplus of \$36,000,000 next June 30, furnished the basis for charges by Rep. Gardner (D) of Pennsylvania, that the Republican administration may plunge the treasury into a deficit this year.

While the \$75,000,000 item brings the total for tax refund this year to \$205,000,000, the committee declared that over a period of years the government has collected four times as much back taxes as it has refunded.

The committee said that it had examined the steel corporation award, consisting of \$15,000,000 taxes and \$11,000,000 interest, and "finds no basis for criticism nor has it been able to obtain any basis of criticism of it from those from whom it has sought information in connection with it." The refund, it stated, was based in part on court decisions.

VARE PARALYZED

Washington, Jan. 5—Senator-elect William S. Vare (R) of Pennsylvania is paralyzed on his left side and is in such bad shape physically he will be unable to appear before the Reed investigating committee to defend the right to his seat in the Senate, Francis S. Brown of Philadelphia, Vare's counsel, told the committee today.

The committee met to wind up its consideration of the Vare-Wilson Senatorial contest of 1926. Vare is now in Florida. He was asked on Dec. 22 by Senator Reed (D) of Missouri, committee chairman, to appear in person today or to be represented by counsel.

Chorus girls are too old at 25 to meet the strenuous demands of modern dancing, says a London trainer of chorines. Maybe they are, but who ever heard of a chorus girl who was 25?

Strive To Interest Young People In Best Of Drama



MR AND MRS. BUSHNELL CHENEY.

Bushnell Cheney, whose interesting play "The Playboy of the Western World," which played in Connecticut not long ago by the Yale Dramatic association during Christmas and Prom weeks, "The Dragon" has met with favor wherever The Jitney Players have given it, and was cheered by more than 2,000 persons at the Harvard Summer school last season.

A notable cast has been gathered by this group this year and includes Mr. Cheney, Alice Keating, who is Mrs. Cheney in private life, Frances Simpson of Hartford, Jack Rennie, Harrison Dowd, Elizabeth Zachary, Ferris Hartman, David Elliott who plays as well as directs.

The curtain will rise at 8 o'clock. The Players will have their own scenery which they bring in their trucks and their production will lack none of the fascination of their summer days and will have an additional seriousness of purpose which must win favor.

TOLLAND

Miss Alice E. Hall returned to the Connecticut College at Storrs after spending the Christmas recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ernest Hall.

Miss Florence Leonard has returned to her high school teaching in Orange, N. J., after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar A. Leonard.

Miss Thelma Price returned Wednesday to the University of Vermont after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Price.

Alfred Ludwig, well known ice dealer here, purchased the stock and fixtures of the Blue Bird Candy Shop on Cottage street, Rockville, Monday afternoon.

The Savings Bank of Tolland at a recent meeting, declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent, which is at the rate of 5 per cent per annum. It has had an exceptionally prosperous year and made substantial gains in all departments. The bank's assets have reached \$3,252,233.68, an increase for the year of \$337,288.41. The surplus and undivided profits amount to \$249,176.29.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert West and children, Robert, Donald, Harold and Byron, were guests last Sunday at the home of Mrs. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilcox, of Merrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Beardsley and son, Roger, and Jesse Deardon of Monroe, Conn., were guests over Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Johnson at Buff Cap district.

At the regular meeting of Tolland Grange, No. 51, P. of H., the officers for the Grange for the ensuing year were installed. Harold Hansen of Coventry Grange was the installing officer, assisted by George Durham of Mansfield Grange, Otis Hill and George Loomis of Coventry Grange. At the close of business a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Mrs. Alice Beardsley of Harmony Grange, Fairfield county, and Mrs. Hill and daughter, Frances, of Coventry Grange were also present.

The schools in town re-opened for the winter term Wednesday morning.

Miss Harriet Luce, who has spent the Christmas recess with her grandparents, returned to Rockville New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weigold of Rockville were New Year's eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Charter. Mr. and Mrs. Charter celebrated their fiftieth anniversary New Year's day quietly, receiving a few of their friends who called to congratulate them, also with many cards, letters and flowers.

Speaker Deming, Benedict O'Connell and Howard O'Connell of Colbrook were recent guests at the home of George P. Charter and George Luce, who has spent a week there, returned to Colbrook with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Charter had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Smith of New London, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lyons and daughter, Dorothy, of Waterford, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jones, Edmund Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Muller of Willimantic.

The all-day sewing meeting of the Union Missionary society of the Federated Church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Marion Agard Baker and Miss Lucile Agard.

WANT NO GUNMEN

Chicago, Jan. 5—Commissioner of Police William Russell reiterated today that Chicago does not want any of New York's gangsters and that if any came here from the eastern city they would be dealt with harshly.

"We have a coffin for every gangster who comes to Chicago," Russell said.

New York's new police commissioner notified police headquarters here two days ago that about thirty gangsters had found New York too "hot" for them and were strolling for Chicago.

Russell immediately dispatched squads of detectives to all railroad stations to watch for the men. Apparently the gangsters didn't arrive as no arrests had been made today.

BANDITS ROUNDED UP

Mexico, Mo., Jan. 5—With one bandit dead, another in custody and the third trapped in a woods near here, authorities today believed they would make a perfect score in rounding up the trio who late yesterday robbed the First National bank of Mexico.

The bandits scooped up \$21,500 in cash and Liberty Bonds and fled in an automobile. A posse gave chase and overtook the bandit car several miles out of town. There a desperate "run battle" followed.

When the bandits ceased firing, members of the posse crept forward and found two men in the car, badly wounded. The third had slipped away in the woods.

Ten thousand dollars in currency was recovered in the bandit car.

\$300,000 FUND RAISED BY BAPTISTS FOR LOSS IN CARNES' SHORTAGE.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Southern Baptist Mission Board will content itself for the present with the \$300,000 or more raised recently when a Southwide effort was made to wipe out the \$1,000,000 shortage attributed to Clinton S. Carnes, its absconding treasurer.

Officials declared today that the amount raised would be enough to take care of the pressing obligations and pay the expenses of home mission work for some time.

Carnes, who is being held in the county jail, will face trial soon. He is held on a score of indictments alleging embezzlement.

MEXICO OPENED MANY NEW ROADS LAST YEAR.

Chicago—More than 300 miles of modern roads have been opened to traffic in Mexico during the past year, according to reports received by the Chicago Motor Club.

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Rockville

Post Office Receipts

The Rockville post office receipts for the year 1928 were \$32,145.48 while in 1927 the receipts were \$32,631.11, being a decrease of \$500. The records show that \$10,000 more two cent stamps were sold during December this year than the previous December. The insurance on mail showed a decrease, about 250 less packages being insured than were covered the year before.

Saturday Service

Beginning today the mail carriers will resume the one delivery on Saturdays which was discontinued during the holiday season. This practice is observed in most of the cities in the state.

Parish Supper

The Ladies Aid society of St. John's church will serve a parish supper Thursday evening, January 17, in the parish rooms.

Court Saispice Installation

Court Saispice, Foresters of America, will hold its installation of officers on Monday evening. Leo Flaherty is the new Chief Ranger.

Rising Star Lodge Installation

Rising Star Lodge No. 49, I. O. O. F., will meet Monday evening and install its officers for the ensuing year. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. Harry Morganson will be the new Noble Grand.

Lawrence Musical Family

The Lawrence Family of Middletown is the world's largest musical family. Over 80 different instruments are used in the program which will be presented at seven o'clock Sunday in the Union church.

Church Notes

Rockville Methodist church, Rev. M. E. Osborne, pastor.—10:30 a. m.—Sermon, "A Look Back and a Look Forward." 7:00 p. m., religious drama "Samson and Delilah." A male quartet from Hartford will sing. The public is invited.

Christian Science service. Subject of the lesson, "God." St. Bernard's Catholic church, Rev. George T. Sinnott, pastor.—Masses will be held at 8, 9:15 and 10:30.

St. Joseph's Polish Catholic church, Rev. Sigmund Worenecki, pastor.—Masses at 8 and 10:30 o'clock.

Union Congregational church, Rev. George S. Brookes, pastor.—10:30 a. m.—Sermon, "The Book of Life." 7:00 p. m.—The world's largest musical family will present a program.

First Evangelical Lutheran church, Rev. John F. Baughman, pastor.—10:00 a. m.—English service. 11:00 a. m.—German service. St. John's church, Rev. H. B. Olmstead, rector.—10:45 a. m.—Holy Communion and sermon. Subject, "Missions." 6:30 p. m.—Evening service and sermon. 7:30 p. m.—Young People's Fellowship.

Rockville Baptist church, Rev. Blake Smith, pastor.—10:30 a. m.—Sermon, "The Romance of the Century." 7:00 p. m.—Sermon, "Borden of Yale."

Pythian Club Mask Ball The Pythian club at their meeting Thursday evening voted to hold a masquerade ball, the date to be announced later. The committee in charge of the affair follows: Raymond J. Schramm, C. C. Schmeiske, Bert Schuey, William Nitzland, Arno Weber, W. R. Dowling, Frank Mehr, Hector Bilal, George Gakeler, R. Eldred Doyle.

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Index of Classifications. Evening Herald Want Ads are now grouped according to classifications below and in the numerical order indicated.

Table listing various classified ad categories such as Births, Deaths, Automobiles for Sale, and Real Estate, with corresponding page numbers.

Cards of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends, relatives and neighbors for the floral tributes and kindness shown in our recent bereavement in the loss of our sister and aunt, Mary Manley.

LOST-SATURDAY morning between Woodland and Chestnut streets Depot Square automobile tires to the number of 15 or more.

LOST-ONE KID glove for left hand, on Park or New streets. Return to 35 New street.

LOST-GIRLS SHOE skates at Center Springs Park or vicinity. Finder please call 618.

LOST-MILK ROUTE book, somewhere on Coventry Road. Finder please return to W. W. Stratham, 315 East Center street or telephone 681.

LOST-FROM AUTOMOBILE Tuesday night, on South Road, between East Hartford and Manchester, a suit case marked A. K. C.

LOST-BLACK pocketbook containing \$5 bill between A. & P. Store and Wilson's Nursery.

LOST-BRINDLE and white bull dog, no collar. Answers to name of Buster. Reward: 278 Hilliard street.

FOR SALE-REG 7 passenger touring Chandler sedan. Rex trucks. Brown's Garage, Telephone 869.

FOR SALE-1926 FORD coupe body. Also fenders, starter, generator, rear-end, radiator, wheels, rims, Barlow's Garage, 595 Main street.

FOR SALE-GOOD USED CARS CRAWFORD AUTO SUPPLY CO. Center & Trotter Streets. Tel. 1174 or 2021-2.

Help Wanted-Female

WANTED-WOMEN and girls to work in shade grown tobacco warehouse, K. S. Falk, Manchester Public Warehouse, Manchester, Conn.

WANTED-YOUNG GIRL to take care of child while mother works. Inquire 79 Cottage street.

WANTED-WOMAN without dependents for general housework for our girls boarding house. Apply to Cheney Bros. Employment Bureau, 100 Main street.

RELIABLE MIDDLE-AGED salesman for district manager. Must be K-seller. Steady employment. Pay weekly. State references. Empire State Nursery Co., Newark, New York.

WANTED-PIN BOYS. Apply Charley Oak Bowling Alleys.

AGENTS-WONDERFUL new automobile necessary. Just out. big profit. Nothing wood 5 to 3 dollars required. Howard Novelty Co., 10 Mason street, Bridgeport, Conn.

FOR SALE-COWS New Milch and Springers. Guernsey and Holstein. Accredited. E. A. Buckland, Walling, Conn.

FOR SALE-BEST OF hard wood. Slabs \$7.00 load. hardwood \$8.00 load. Also fire place wood. Chas. R. Palmer. Telephone 935-2.

FOR SALE-SLAB wood, well length. Dressing wood 5 to 3 dollars truck load. W. Finn, 118 Wells street. Phone 2466-W and 2624-2.

WORLD FOR SALE-Hard chestnut, mixed, white birch and soft. Seasoned and sawed to order. L. J. Wood Co., 55 Bissell street. Phone 498.

FOR SALE-APPLIES Greening Baldwin, Jonathan and Dellosa by the basket, bushel or barrel at the farm or delivered. Edgewood Fruit Farm. Tel. 945 W. H. Cowles. Tel. 102-2, 875 Main street.

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TROTZKY FOLLOWERS SCATTER LEAFLETS IN NEW STRUGGLE. Moscow-Sympathizers of the exiled Leon Trotsky are shooting broadsides of severely printed leaflets at the people in the large cities of Soviet Russia...

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THE BOOK OF KNOWLEDGE: "Men of the South Pole" Sketches by Hensley; Synopsis by Draucher. Only 75 Days Then Comes Spring. Start Now to Plan For That New Home.

Winter Bargains-NICE AND NEW, up-to-date handsome colonial of six rooms, sun parlor, oak doors, beautiful interior decorations, well appointed rooms, garage, \$6,500, small cash.

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GAS BUGGIES-Where Ignorance is Bliss. WOW, WHAT A RITZY LOOKING BUS FOR THIS BURG. AN ENGINEER AND EVERYTHING WONDER HOW IT HAPPENED TO GET SIDETRACKED HERE! MUST HAVE GOT THEIR SIGNALS MIXED.

WHAT'S UP, CECIL, HOTEL ON F. OR HAS THE ADVANCE MAN FOR ANOTHER CIRCUS ARRIVED! THAT'S SOME BUGGY OUT THERE.

WAIT'LL YOU SEE THE OWNER, ALEC, HE'S SOME SHEIK. THESE MOVIE STARS LOOK LIKE DOORMATS IN A COAL YARD.

HE GIVES ME A PAIN, BUT I'LL BEAT THE LADIES ALL FALL FOR HIM. YOU'D BETTER NOT LET MISS AWALON SEE HIM, OR YOU'LL BE ON THE OUTSIDE LOOKING.

IF HE STARTS BUZZING AROUND HER, I'LL GET MY OWN TRUSTY FLY-SWATTER INTO ACTION.

A SHEIK, EH! WELL, I DON'T IMAGINE HE'LL STICK AROUND THIS TOWN VERY LONG, SO I SHOULD WORRY ABOUT HOW HANDSOME HE IS.

The party proceeded over dreadfully rough and dangerous ice for 370 miles due south. One by one the dogs died, slowly but surely the food supply ebbed. Then Shackleton was sickened by scurvy and the party had to turn back. Scott's venture, however, had found a way to reach the South Pole itself.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



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SENSE and NONSENSE

ACCIDENT INSURANCE. "Say, Boss," cried the dark-skinned customer, frowning much perturbed into a store, "a no-count boy has threatened my life. Ah craves protection."

SPEAKING OF HOLIDAYS. Head of the House (to colored maid): "Chloe, yesterday you told me that your matrimonial life was very unhappy. I've been thinking about that."

BEATEN. A darkey claimed he could eat four loaves of bread, four pounds of cheese, and two quarts of milk at a sitting. After watching him perform a man bet his friend the Sambo could repeat the performance.

SAM'S INSURANCE. "Is that all the work you can do in an hour?" asked Sam's new employer.

APRIL SUNSHINE. "Doesn't smile mean you forgive me?" "Stay away, niggab; I see just smilin' to rest mah face."

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.

LETTER GOLF

FOR THESE SHORT DAYS

SHORT HOURS feature today's puzzle, but they're long enough to enable you to get five strokes in and complete the puzzle in par. One solution is on another page:

Letter Golf puzzle grid with words SHOR and HOUR.

A dusky son of Alabama was busily engaged in a cootie hunt. When asked by the sergeant what he was doing, he replied: "Ise a-huntin' fo' dem arithmetic bugs."

"Why do you call them arithmetic bugs?" "Cause they add to my misery, they subtract from mah pleasure, day divides mah attention and dey multiples like hell."

THE TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE) As Clowny soared and sailed around, the others stood down on the ground and watched him very closely. It was quite a sight to see. The wings the fairy let him take were very strong and did not break.

SKIPPY



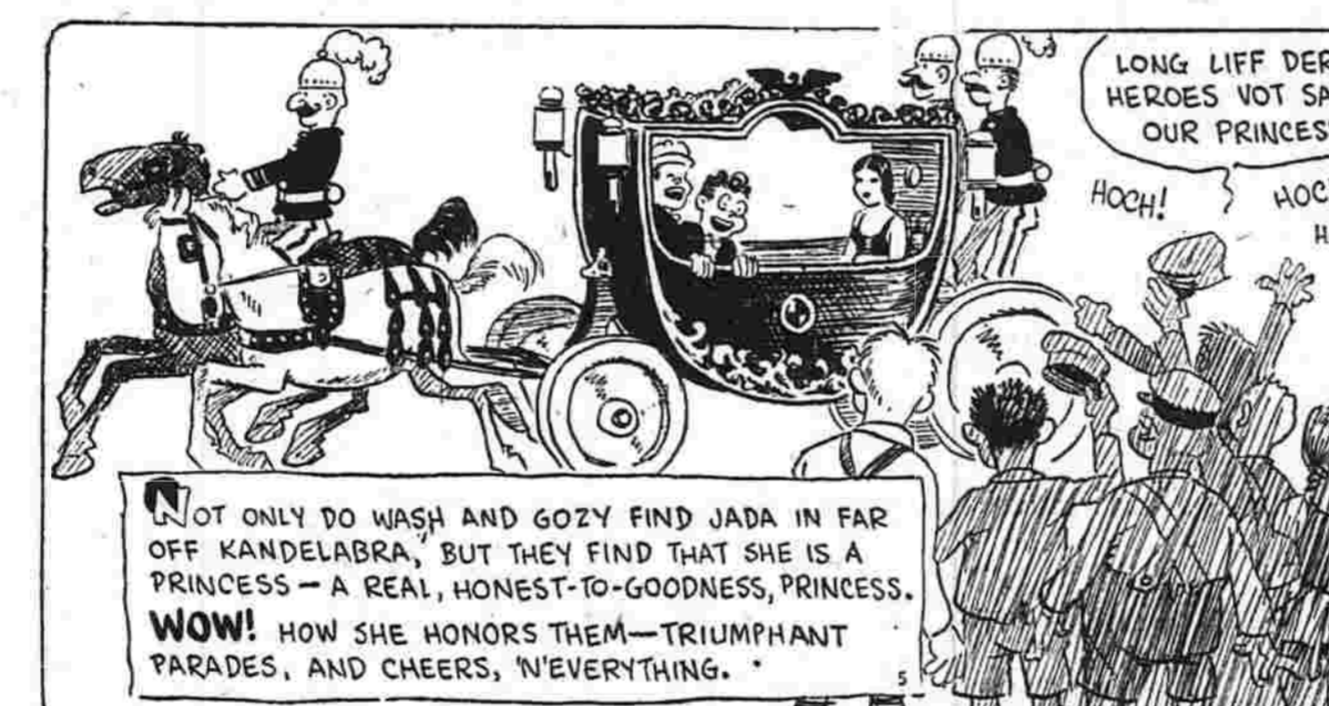
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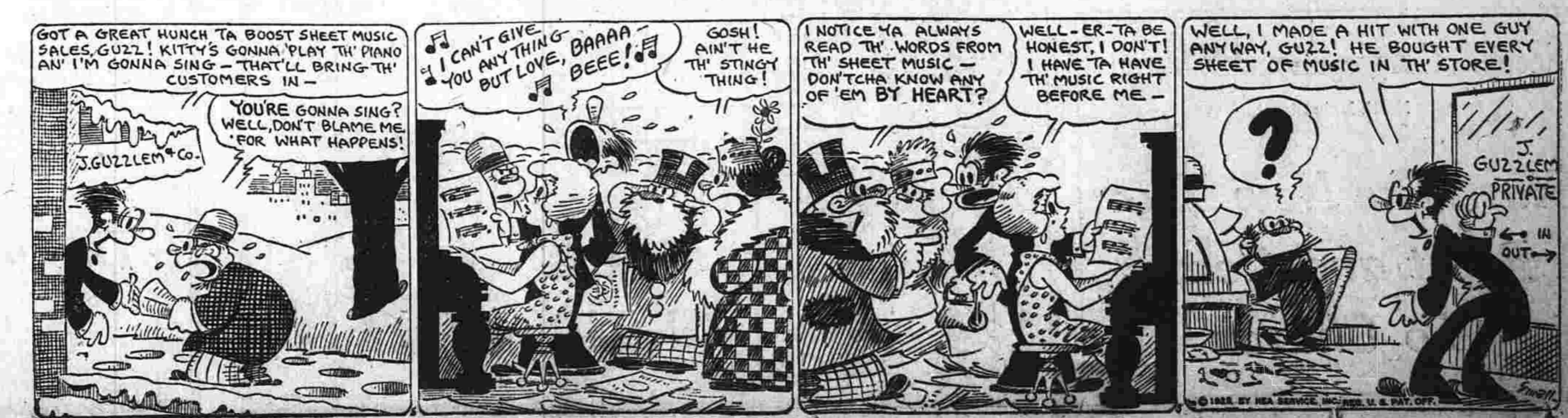
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ABOUT TOWN

Orford Parish Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. M. Williams of Hudson street. The speaker will be Mrs. Edward Peet of New York, who will give a foreign travel talk.

Sergeant John McCullough of the Royal Canadian artillery is spending a month's furlough with his aunt, Mrs. William Foy of Eldridge street.

The Manchester Green Community club's young men members will conduct the usual Saturday evening dance tonight at the Green school hall.

Miss Esther Sturgeon of 170 School street is ill with the grip and will be unable to sing the incidental solo parts in the service at the South Methodist church tomorrow evening when a series of Biblical tableaux will be presented under the direction of Thomas Maxwell.

James M. Shearer, manager of the local branch of the Capitol-Buick company has returned from Boston where he attended a meeting of New England managers.

Rev. Robert A. Colpitts returned this morning from Chicago, Ill., where he attended a conference of the World's Service commission.

The Daughters of Italy will hold a public whist at the home of Mrs. James Aceto at Center and McKee street, Monday evening. Mrs. Emma Mannisse, will be the hostess.

There was no great rush at the different gasoline stations or garages this morning for non-freeze solutions even though it was pretty cold. There were some cases when help was needed in getting cars started because of heavy oil, but most owners have provided ample supplies of alcohol which prevent freeze-ups of cars.

Mrs. Fred A. Warner of Doane street entertained last evening in honor of the sixteenth birthday of her daughter, Edna May, a sophomore at High school. Twelve of her friends in the neighborhood and classmates at school were among the guests. The evening was spent with games, for which prizes were awarded. Miss Dorothy Warner played piano solos and many of the popular songs in which all joined. The Christmas tree and other decorations of the season remained. Mrs. Warner served a buffet lunch, assisted by her sister, Miss Alberts Works. Edna was remembered with many gifts.

Jacob Pekarski of Middletown failed to give the right of way while passing through the Center yesterday afternoon. He was brought in to police court this morning. He pleaded guilty and a fine of \$5 and costs was imposed. The judge later remitted the fine.

Charles Cheney, president of Cheney Brothers, will be the speaker at the Manchester Kiwanis club's regular meeting Monday noon at the Hotel Sheridan. The attendance for January has been an even 80 per cent. The Kiwanians are urged to do even better at Monday's meeting, the first one of the year and to keep it up.

In Piano Recital



Miss Johanna Aceto

Miss Johanna Aceto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Aceto, of 195 Spruce street, will make her second public appearance in piano recital, Wednesday evening at Watkins Brothers' music room. A program of varied types of compositions will be rendered. Miss Aceto, who is a freshman at High school, is only fourteen years of age, but shows marked ability in her playing, and her success in the future seems assured. Miss Aceto is a pupil of Miss Grace Adams.

TOWN PLAYERS TO PLAY "POOR NUT"

Will Be Given at Circle Theater January 18 for Washington Trip.

The Town Players largest and best effort, "The Poor Nut," will be presented on January 18 at the Circle theater for the benefit of the High School Washington Group Fund. The play, a late Broadway production, is a college story and deals with a fellow who is an emotional introvert and his attempt to rise above his handicap. The cast is made up of a hundred players including the High School Sock and Buskin Club and the High School Band. The leads are Gene Walsh, an old favorite in the Town Players and Albert Tuttle, a newcomer. The supporting leads are taken by Franklin Richmond, also with the Town Players in former productions and Anita Curran. Other prominent parts are taken by Terry Shannon, Ray and Roy Warren, Benjamin Radding, William Gahrman, Beatrice Armstrong, Alice Marsden, Florence Wilson and Leonard Johnson, another Town Player favorite.

The play is under the direction of Louis Smith assisted by Miss Helen Estes and Viola Lalonde. The High School orchestra will provide the music. Tickets are now on sale by members of the cast.

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BIBLE TABLEAUX TOMORROW NIGHT

Cast of 21 to Give Series of Living Pictures at S. M. E. Church.

Under the direction of Thomas Maxwell a cast of 14 young women and 7 men will present a series of biblical tableaux at the South Methodist church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock, which for costumes, scenic and lighting effects it is believed will surpass anything of a similar nature ever given in the church if not in town. Special attention has been given by the director to portray authentic as well as spectacular scenes.

Outstanding features of the program are the tableaux depicting the Rugged Cross, Miriam's Song of Praise and the Feast of Belshazzar. The interpretive readings will be given by Isaac Proctor who has assisted Mr. Maxwell on previous occasions. Miss Jessie Larder will sing the solo parts in place of Miss Esther Sturgeon who is ill. Preparations have been made to seat comfortably the larger audience that is expected, extra chairs will be added to the present seating arrangements in the banquet hall where the service will be held.

The program in full follows: "Scenes from the Old Testament," "Abraham and Isaac on a Journey," "Abraham's Faith Tested," "Shifting Shadows," Mandolin club, "Moses Pleading with Pharaoh," "The First Born Slain," "Persian Princes," Mandolin club, "Miriam's Song of Praise," March, Mandolin club, "The Golden Calf," "The Ten Commandments," "Gallantry," Mandolin club, "The Feast of Belshazzar," "Like a Star," Mandolin club, "Elijah's Prayer Answered," "Hearts now Gay," Mandolin club, "The Rugged Cross."

THOMAS MAXWELL, Director.

JESSIE LARDER, Vocalist.

DORA MAXWELL, Pianist.

Sunset Rebekah lodge will install its new officers at the regular meeting in Odd Fellows hall, Monday evening. District Deputies, Miss Mary Hutchinson and her staff from the local lodge will conduct the ceremony. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock and a special hour with refreshments will follow in charge of Mrs. Dorothy Keeney, Mrs. Edith Taylor, Mrs. Martha Cone, Mrs. Annie Trotter and Mrs. Minnie Black.

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For the Week
 Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., Teachers' meeting.
 Wednesday, 6:15 p. m., Willing Workers society.
 Thursday, 5 p. m., Ladies Sewing Circle.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Senior Choir.
 Friday, 7:30 p. m., English choir.
 Saturday, 9 to 11, German school and religious instruction.

THURSDAY, 7:30 p. m., Senior Choir.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL
 S. E. Green, Minister

Swedish Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.
 Sunday School, 12:00 p. m.
 English-Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.

Communion, 8:00 p. m. At this service the new officers will be installed. Each night throughout the week services will be held at 7:30 p. m. The different organizations will have charge of these meetings.

HOWELL CHENEY TO DISCUSS DEMOCRACY

Will Address Men's League of Center Church on Two Successive Sundays.

Howell Cheney will speak at the Sunday morning meeting of the Men's League of the Center church at 9:30 o'clock. His subject will be Democracy, and it is announced that he will continue the discussion at a second meeting to be held on the following Sunday, when he will consider additional phases of the same subject. It is understood that Mr. Cheney will discuss the degree of success of democracy thus far and the difficulties in the path of the progress of democracy, also the value of democracy.

Public Invited to inspect a new house just built at 143 Hollister Street, Sunday, January 6, from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Latest improvements. Any interested person can purchase on easy terms. For further details call 2109-2.

WINTER FURBISHING

There is one job that in most homes gets special attention at this time of the year—the polishing of the hard wood floors. Done by hand it's a tiresome and tiring task. Done by a Johnson Electric Floor Polisher it's just a lot of fun. But most folks can't quite see investing in an expensive floor polishing outfit to be used only a few hours in a year.

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PHONE Pinehurst "GOOD THINGS TO EAT"

GIVES AWAY TIRES, DOESN'T KNOW IT

Auto Truck Loses Them Along Route from Woodland to Manchester.

Falman's Express, of 412 Church street, Hartford, unwittingly distributed automobile tires along the road from Woodland to Depot Square this morning. The truck load of tires filled the covered van and after crossing the tracks at Woodland the rope that was used to tie up the rear part must have given way. This was not noticed and tires continued to drop off.

It was 6:15 when the truck left Hartford and on reaching Depot Square a stop was made at the Blue Moon restaurant to get a cup of coffee. It was then discovered that a large number of the tires were gone. There had been 208 tires on the rear section of the truck but a large number were missing. Benjamin Marks of South Main street, East Hartford was the driver of the truck. On reaching Manchester and missing the tires he started back over the route with Albert Hewitt, proprietor of the restaurant, and picked up five of the tires. While the driver and the manager could not tell the exact number of tires missing the loss is estimated at \$500. The real loss will not be known until the tires are unloaded at Stafford Springs.

The route followed by the truck was from East Hartford through to Woodland to Manchester Center and then north to Depot Square, where they were missed.

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MACCABEES ELECT OFFICERS FOR 1929

Manchester Tent, No. 2, Knights of the Maccabees, nominated and elected its new officers at the regular meeting in the Balch and Brown hall Thursday evening. They are as follows: Commander, Patrick J. Tuohy; lieutenant commander, George M. Bidwell; record keeper, Alvin L. Brown; master at arms, William J. Burke; chaplain, W. B. Coolidge; sergeant, William Talion; first master of the guard, S. B. Gaylor; second master of the guard, Draper Benson; sentinel, Barrette Dickinson; picket, Louis Lane; trustee for three years, Patrick J. Tuohy.

These officers will be installed at the meeting to be held Thursday evening, January 17. Past Commander Tuohy will be in charge of the work.

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