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THE PLYMOUTH MAIL, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1918

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REV. LUTHER MOORE BICKNELL, Pastor

WHOLE No. 1474

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NEW PASTOR

REV. LUTHER MOORE BICKNELL OF MT. HOLLY, N. J., WILL AS-

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CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY MORN-

THE PASTORATE OF

The church needs you to make the Kingdom first and to save men from becoming traitors in the day of Battle. the pastor elect, Rev. Luther Moore Bicknell, will preach both morning and evening, Sunday, December 15th.

The Treasurer asks the members whose dues are in arrears, kindly to pay the same before the first of the new year, so that his report may satisfy all.

The Christmas exercises will be held Sunday evening, December 22nd, at the regular church hour. On Monday night, a Christmas supper and good time will be given to the members of the Sunday-school. Traitors in the Day of Battle

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FIRST

ARRIVES CHRISTMAS RED

CROSS ROLL CALL

WEEK OF DECEMBER 16-23 HAS BEEN DESIGNATED FOR THIS GREAT CAMPAIGN.

ING.

| Rev. Luther Moore Bickneil, the new pastor of the First Presbytarian church of this village, arrived in Plymouth, Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Bickneil and two children, from Mount Holly, N. J. Rev. Bickneil assumes the pastorate of the local church to fill the vacancy causded by the resignation of Rev. Karl P. Miller, to enter army service. The new pastor was chosen from a list of several candidates, after occupying the pulpit of the local church no several occasions a few weeks ago.

Rev. Bickneil was graduated from Park college, Parksville, Mo., in 1910, with honors. He entered Princeton seminary and funished the coarse in 1913t also completing work in Princeton University, which gave him the degree of Master of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Master of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Master of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Waster of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Waster of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Waster of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Waster of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Master of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Master of Arta from that institution. On May 22, 1913, he was married to Harrietta Bainbridge of Treaton Junction, N. J. Thay im the degree of Master of Arta from that institution

Cross memberships at the booths in possible.

A large membership is the basis on which the Red Cross organization can best be kept intact. If every citizen in and around Plymouth will cooperate, December 16th to 23rd, much will be accomplished, and the committee will be saved a lot of tedious work. Those who have not joined by the evening of the 19th, will be aclicited. For the convenience of some however, the booths will remain open Friday; also on Saturday until 8:00

new containing the convenience of some, however, the booths will remain open Friday; also on Saturday until 8:00 The task of receiving the names are compiling the list is a big one, and the chairman of the Detroit chapter than appointed Mrs. C. H. Bennett, and the chairman of the Detroit chapter with the title of major, to have charge of the work in the Plymouth territory. Also at the request of the Detroit chapter, Mrs. Bennett has appointed the following capitains, who will be responsible for the suncess of the campager in the various divisions of the serious divisions of the serious divisions of the campager in the various divisions of the c

office at the left of entrance of school building.

Booths will be located at Beyer's store, Conner's store and Pettingill & Campbell's. Hours 10 s.m. to 6 p.m., except Saturday evening when the booths will remain open until 8 o'clock.

All cantains on seven sections.

All captains can secure registration cards, at Red Cross headquarters Saturday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 october.

Everybody's patriotic duty is to nroll on before Thursday evening, ie 19th.

NEW FOUNDRY COM PANY HIRE MANAGER

H. F. Reeller of Bay City, has been engaged by the Michigan Machine Tool and Foundry Co., as manager of the foundry at Plymouth, as well as the foundry at Plymouth, as well as the foundry has the foundry has been in the foundry has been in the foundry has been in the foundry has been country foundry will secialize.

The foundry will start up as soon as preparations now in progress are completed. The Peninsular Stove Company is now installing four large furnaces in the foundry, and the sidning will be put in as soon as possible. Mr. Goldsmith is now taking the names and addresses of experienced moulders and core makers. The company hopes to start operations, December 16th.

The company hopes to start operations of 48x50 on the west end of the main building, which will be used for a grinding and cleaning room.

SUDDEN DEATH OF

Latest : Copyrights

For Christmas Gifts

The Dwelling Place of Light, by Winston Churchill Shavings, by Jos. C. Lincoln

The Sins of the Children, by Cosmos Hamilton

The Winds of Chance, by Rex Beach

The Laughing Girl, by Chambers

A Daughter of the Land, by Gene Straton Porter

The Restless Sex, by Chambers

The Zîppelin's Passenger, by E. Philip Oppenheim The Courage of O'Doone, by James Oliver Curwood

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Sunday **Jorning Subject** "Getting Ready Christmas' 10:00 A. M.

Experiences on a Submarined Transport Religion of Returned Soldiers

Reunion With Beloved Chaplain Plans for Rebuilding the World Love and Courtship

Sacrifice for Jesus Christ

All these are featured in A STORY THAT PREACHES SUNDAY EVENING AT 7 O'CLOCK

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Plymouth Men Get Appointments—
Clar Wilson of this village, has been much suffering.

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Burglars Unsuccessful attempt to break into the general store of this place, has also been re-appointed a deputy on the new sheriff star in the city.

Notice to Knitters—
The sweater yarn has arrived, and The sweater yarn has arrived with the first of the store, but were frightened entrance.

"Baby Rice"

I have just received an express

shipment of "Baby Rice" Popcorn.

This is extra fine, high-grade stock,

and in excellent popping condition. 35c per lb.

A very good selection of

Bakelite and Wellington Pipes

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TOPSY TURVY PARTY

Penniman Allen Auditorium

Tuesday Evening, December 17th

8:30 O'CLOCK

POPULAR PRICES-Gentlemen 15c; Ladies 10c.

5c a souple for every dance.

NEW TERM IN DANCING CLASS Opens Tuesday evening, December 17th, at 7:30, at Penniman Allen Auditorium. Eight lessons, \$5.00. Single lesson, \$1.00.

Children's class Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Eight

Children's Matinee Dancing Party at Penniman Allen Auditorium, Tuesday at 4:45 P. M. Admission 15c.

Underwood Dancing Academy

Phone 162

BAND CONCERT

A SUCCESS

HE MILLARD BAND GREETED BY A LARGE AUDIENCE AT THE PENNIMAN ALLEN THE-

New Store—

Retingill & Campbell have leased in the city.

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G. W. Kennedy, manager of the Pymouth Branch would like to send five hundred aweaters for the order to go everseas, and every knilter is earnestly saked to help make this number possible. An Auto Accident—

While returning from Detroit in the savers town, last Monday evening. Gen Perkins and father-in-law, the savers town, last Monday evening. Gen Perkins and father-in-law, the savers town that a station is established in this county.

Watch Thiff Stamps—

If you have a child who is buying their transpaned who has a parailly filled card, attention in called to the road being very slippery, the chard provided into the ditch near the Hoist ingoton place on Flymouth road. The lander share and the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no value, you should see that the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no value, you should see that the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no value, you should see that the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no value, you should see that the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no value, you should see that the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no value, you should see that the card is filled and exchanged for any number of them less than 16] has no

Although many did not know it until too late, the Victory War Story by Sergeant Bulger, told at the Methodist church, last Tuesday nightly and repeated on Wednesday evening, afforded one of the biggest opportunities that have come to Plymouth in some time.

Taxes for 1918—
Township Treasurer Julius Kaiser has commenced the collection of state, county and town taxes. The total assessed valuation in Plymouth vanhip is \$3.636,760. The rate in school district No. 1, of which Plymouth villags is a part, is as follows on \$1,000 valuation: State, \$1.69; county, \$1.55; township, \$1.82; school and one mill tax, \$8.81.

MASONS, NOTICE!

MASUNS, NOTALE:
Our-asmul mesting takes place tonight, Friday, December 13th. Let
every member be present. Come
find out, "Why is an oyster?"
H. J. Green, W. M.

A subscribtion to the Mail would

Banish Pain

forded one of the biggest opportunities that have come to Plymouth in some time.

Sergeant Bulger, the fighting Iriah hombes with over three years of active service in the great war, thirteen months in the hospital, and wounded seventeen times, has not had only some of the most thrilling experiences that have been printed or told, but he knows how to tell them, being a college man and a good speaker.

On Tresday afternoon he entertained the High school students for a half hour, and they were loath to let him stop. Then on Treeday evening he gave his Victory War Story as advertised at the Methodist church. The rainy night audience was more than paid for coming out, for they heard the best-war talk yet given in Plymouth. His description of the terrible at Ypres that lasted thirteen days and nights, with the first introduction of German gas, and the almost superhuman resistance by the Canadians were most thrilling. According to the sergeant, the soldiers believed that God intervened to save the Allied cause at such times as truly as he did-in Old Testament Bible times.

A second opportunity for the people of Plymouth to hear Sergeant Bulger, was afforded on Wednesday evening when he again spoke in the Methodist church to the great delight of the audience.

This was the first of a series of Victory War Stare Wicht he delicate. State Grange Postponed—
The State Grange, which was to have met in Saginaw, Dec. 10 to 12, has been postponed on account of the han on public meetings in that city, as a result of the increase of influenza. The epidemic instead of decreasing is on the increase in the state, and from reports received, which are incomplete as a part of the state has not reported, there were up to the forepart of last week, 1.579 cases reported to the state board of health.

Methodist church to the great delight of the audience.

This was the first of a series of Victory War Story Nights that are to be furnished by the local Methodist church free to the public, only an offering being taken to defray the expenses involved and that without any pressure or embarrassment. Every few weeks a returned soldier from one of the Allied armies will be here to tell his war story.

FIREMEN WILL GIVE PICTURE SHOW

Cing class

Imber 17th, at 7:30, at private the second of the post of the second of th

ELECT NEW OFFICERS

A MEMORIAL SERVICE

A beautiful memorial service was conducted by the Foresters at their hall in Northville, last Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in memory of Harry J. Rattenbury, of the 39th infantry, Company C, who was killed in action in France on the second of Angust. Harry was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rattenbury of Livopia. The hall was appropriately decorated with flags and the national colors.

The Man of the Hour



RED CROSS AIDS FARMING IN ITALY

being taught the younger generation of linly, thus eliminating considerable plements with modern American-made

nonchinery.

Schools of agriculture have been e tablished, and the Department of Civil Affairs of the American Red Cross. co-operating with a similar Italian organization, known as the "Comitate

ganization, known as the "Comitato per gli Orfani de Constadini Morti in Guerra," has opened a school of farming, conducted by Salesian Fathers, in fields just outside the Porta Furba, one of the historic gateways of Rome. The boys of the school, all orplans of peasant soldiers, are given training in scientific and practice' farming, the object being to strengthen their attachment to the soil, also to convert them into good and intelligent farmers. Lectures and classroom instruction are accompanied by field work with modern tools under the direct supervision of the younger Fathers of the institution, who work side by side with the boys in the fields, teaching and demonstrating.

BISHOP JOHN J. O'CONNOR TELLS OF RED CROSS APPEAL

Bishop John J. O'Connor of Newark

Giverge E. Scott, general manager of the American Red Cries, thus excluding the Tweeship for the Euristman Red Call.

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The Red Cross faces the greatest task of its history. Never before has the world seen such minery, such suffering as is being experienced by the inhabitants of the war-devastated countries of Europe.

Upon America's answer to the Red Cross Christman Roll Call, December 16th-23rd, depends the extent of the relief to be given these people.

Subscribers to the Patriotic Fund whose December dute are paid can become members of the Red Gross without charge. A membership card will be sent this week to each subscriber. All that is required is to fill out this card and return it to any of the 700 Patriotic Fund suffection agencies.

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WILLOW CREEK

Oren Blackmore of the M. M. A. Wayne, spent Sunday at home. A woman tramp who acted very independent indeed, was a visitor in our neighborhood, the past few days.

Robert Hutton returned home, Fri-day evening from the sanitarium at Ann Arbor, where he has been for treatment the past few weeks. Mr. Hutton's friends will be glad to hear that he is much better.

Word has been received from Irene Reddeman of Phoenix, Arizona, that she is just recovering from influenza.

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A Delco-light plant is being installed in the homes of the Mesdames Tilotson and Robert Hutton.

Mrs. Marion Tillotson Visited at the home of Arthur Tillotson in Plymouth, a couple of days last week. Louis Gerst and family of Plymouth, were Sunday visitors at Robert Hutton's.

Charles Rittenhouse and family and Roger Sherman and family called at E. Harshbarger's, Thursday even-ing.

The Mail will make a nice Christ-

I. E. ILGENFRITZ SONS' CO. The Monroe Nursery

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ARE THINGS OUT ON THE FARM?

How's the old barn? Still large enough to house all the horses, and the hay required to winter them? And how's the roof holding out?
How about a separate shed for the auto, for the farm implements, and comfortable quarters for the cattle, hogs and fowls?

Come In And Tell Us

Plymouth Lumber & Coal Co.

OFFICIAL PROCESSION OF THE replevined before Justice Richfler, and is still pending; it is still in our

Total \$1,105.97.
Water-\$1,991.28; receipts, \$191.14.
Total, \$2,182.42.
Disbursements
General—\$1080.95
Highway—\$1,001.26
Water-\$233.98.
Cemetery—\$6.00
Cash on hand December 1, 1918
General, \$7,857.62
Highway—\$3,081.90
Sinking—\$1,105.97
Water-\$1,948.44
Cemetery—\$379.21
Total amount on hand—\$14,373.14
The following bills were presented for payment:
Neal Printing Co. \$3.00
Conner Hardware Co. 30.91
A. H. Dibble & Son. 5.50
The Plymouth Mail 29.25
Commissioners 18.00
John Oldenburg 30.00
George Springer 43.17
Fred Bird 48.00
Robert Warner 9.60
Jay Sackett 55.90
Harry Pelkey 39.90
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Harsy Pelkey 39.90
Harsy Pelkey 39.90
Harsy Sackett 46.00 Nat Rider
Bert Knapp
William Kensler
D. G. Brown
P. W. Voorhies
Phoenix Hose Co.
Chemical Co.
Hook and Ladder Co.

Total ... \$713.95

Moved by Burrows supported by Daggett, that the bills be allowed and warrants drawn on the proper funds for the payment of the same. Moved by Edd-

Carried.

Moved by Eddy, supported by Daggett, that we adjourn. Carried.

D. G. BROWN, Clerk.

Chief of Police George W. Springer presented to the commission the fol-lowing report from the Detroit Police Department: November 25th, 1918.

lowing report from the Detroit Police Department:

November 25th, 1918.

George W. Springer,
Chief of Police,
Plymouth, Mich.

Pear Sir:

I herewith submit report of the automobiles taken from residents of your city and the near vicinity, by officers from this department.

Aug. 30, 1918, Paige touring taken from Rose Sanbrone, was identified as having been stolen from Hassen-Sharck of Highland Park. The car was replevined by Sanbrone, and the case is still pending. We have been unable to locate Sharck.

Ford touring car, license 124974, taken from Nelson Cole, was replevined by Joseph Buscanio, and the case was dismissed and the car turned over to him.

Ford touring car, license 123929, taken from Howard Lane on Sept.

1, was returned to Lane, Oct. 3rd.

Ford touring car, license 5840, taken from Jay Sackett, Sept. 1st, was returned to Sackett, Oct. 3rd.

Ford touring car, license 220973, taken from a barn at 150 Depot street, was identified as a car atolen from Alvin Bowen, 1166 Jay road, this city, on August 11, 1918. The car was replevined by Arthur W. Cap for Bowen, and Bowen secured a judgment against the police department and the car was turned over to him, Oct. 14, 1918.

Ford touring car, motor 1504751, taken from Christ Krowden, was a car stolen from C. J. Schnelker, 129 W. Fort street this city, and was atolen on Sept. 21, 1917. The motor number on this car was the original number that was on the car when it was stolen.

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ord touring car, license 228912, n from Edw. Bolton on Aug. 31, identified by Adolph Mialke, No. I have a seen a from him on Feb. 25, 1918. Ike replevined the car in Justice schner's court and received a ment, and on Oct. 17th the cartural over to him.

ord touring car, license 228420, or

er, rd touring car, license 22793, a from Holaington Bros. on Sept. was identified by Fred E. Pinga-798 & Lincoln avenue, this city, car that was stolen from him.

Plymouth, December 2, 1918
At a regular meeting of the Village Commission of the village Commission of the village of Plymouth, called to order by President Conner on the above date. Commissioners present: Conner, Barrows, Eddy, Daggett, Pierce. Absent, none.

Minutes of regular meeting of November 18 were read and approved. Movember 18 were read and approved. Movember 18 were read and approved. Movember 18 were read and approved and recorded as follows:

Cash es hand October 31 Centeral—48,905.77; receipts, \$22.80.

Total, \$4,983.87.

Total, \$4,983.81.6; receipts, \$1.86.

Total \$1,106.97.

Water—\$1,991.28; receipts, \$191.14.

Total, \$2,182.42.

Cemetery, \$385.21.

Disbursements

General—\$1080.96.

SHOULD ANSWER THE RED CROSS CHRISTMAS CALL

GREAT IS THE TASK SET OUT BY RED CROSS MEMBERS

Subscribers to the Patriotic Fun Whose December Dues Are Paid Automatically Become Members.

Who has provided convalencent homes for returned soldlers not ill enough for the general hospital, but not well enough to be left unattend-ed? The Red Cross.

Who has and is atill caring for the wives, habits, and mothers of soldiers while they have been of are fighting for Democracy? The Red Cross.

Who encouraged the American sol-dier to do his best but where life was the stake by giving his family as good care as he would have given himself and often better care? The Red Cross.

Who knitted, sewed, mended, cook-ed, cheered and gave without end as the armies fought, suffered and won? The Red Cross.

Telephone Plymouth Ex. 306-F-2 P. O. address, Salem, Mich.

8 CATTLE
4 Holatein cows, all giving milk
2 steers, 18 months old
1 yearling better
1 heifer, 9 months old

HAY AND GRAIN
About 3 tons of hay
About 100 bu oats
About 15 bu potatoes
About 2000 head cabbage

PERRINSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hanchett and family of Redford, spent Sunday at Arthur Hanchett's

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roddenbur pent Sunday at Charles Wright's. Mrs. James O'Dell and childre pent Sunday at Charles Wood's. Miss Hazel Klatt of Elm, spen Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kubic and son, Frank, visited friends at Eloise, Sun-day.

Read the ads in the Mail today You can save money by doing it.

TOWNSHIP TAXES

I will be at the following places e given dates for the collection

the given dates for the collection of taxes:
At Pinckney's Pharmacy—
Dec. 7, afternoon and evening
Dec. 14, afternoon and evening
Dec. 21, afternoon and evening
Dec. 28, afternoon and evening
Jan. 10, all day
Jan. 10, all day
At Gayde Bros.—
Dec. 10, "afternoon
Dec. 14, afternoon
Dec. 12, afternoon
Dec. 24, afternoon
Jan. 7, all day
After January 10th four per cent
will be added for collection.

Who has helped to bind the wounds and nurse the tils of the soldiers of the allied nations, yes, and even the snemy? The Red Cross.

Who made the bandages, dressings, hospital garments and provided oth-er necessities for wounded, sick and dying? The Red Cross.

N the matter of the estate of Melow, deceased. We, the undershaving been appointed by the Probate for the County of Wayne. State of Melo Commissioners to beceive, axamine and a Melo Commissioners to beceive, axamine and a state of all persons as descented of all persons as and deceased, do hervely give will meet at the office of F. N. Pass in Plyscouth, Michigan. In said County, Thesday, the first day of Janu Thesday, the first day of March A. D. 1918, at clock F. M. of each of said days, the purpose of estandaring and allowing iclaims, and that four mouths from the day of Movember A. D. 1918, were allow said Count for creditures to present to claim. And the first day of Movember 3. 1918, and allowed Dated November 3. 1918 HILLMER.

ALSERT GAYDE.

Commissione

Who fed the hungry soldier on the way to camp from the old home town? The Red Cross.

Who fed him from camp The Red Cross:

FRANK J. BOYLE, AUCTIONEER

Having decided to quit farming, we will sell at public sale on the premises known as the Abraham Bouck farm, opposite the John For-shee farm, about 6 miles southwest of Plymouth, in Superior township,

Monday, December 16 AT 1:00 O'CLOCK SHARP

1 span of work horses 2 colts, 18 months old 1 colt, 6 months old

AUCTION AUCTIO

Many everyone around here who has been suffering from the Spanish influenza, are getting better.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cousins entertained company from Detroit, Sunday was the suffering from the Spanish influenza, are getting better.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cousins entertained company from Detroit, Sunday.

Miss Hazel Smith spanish and Sunday visiting the sunday visitin FRANK J. BOYLE, AUCTION Telephone Plymouth Ex. 105-1 P. O. Address, Saless, Hick of Plymouth, 5 miles north of Plymouth of Plymouth, 5 miles north of Plymou

Wednesday, Dec. 18th ÂT 10:00 O'CLOCK SHARP

10 Head High Grade and Registered Cattle Wixom Canary Flint Ferndals, No 340051, 3 yrs. old, freshened Nov

S40001, a yrs. old, tresnette vor.

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Burt Pauline Mabel, No. 444888, heifer 10 months old

King Beauty Detroit Korndyke, No. 225474, yearling bull

Grade cow, 3 yrs. old, due Jan. 8

Grade cow, 4 yrs., due Jan. 23

Grade cow, 4 yrs., due Feb. 7

Grade cow, 6 yrs., due Feb. 25

2 grade heifers, coming 2 yrs. old, pasture bred

Grade heifer, coming 1 yr. old

pair gray mules, 8 yrs old, weight family mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1000 colt, 17 mos. old, a dandy 5 thoroughbred buff rock roosters

Milk wagon, Top buggy
2 sets single harness, 1 nearly ne
Light double driving harness
3 horse collars, nearly new
2 milk cans
Small top milk pail
Other articles not mentioned

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash. Over \$10, 6 months credit will be given on good approved bankable notes, with interest at 6 per cent, payable at Plymouth Bank

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3 HORSES black horse, 14 yrs. old, 1450 lbs. black horse, 12 yrs. old, 1100 lbs. Bay driving mare, 12 yrs. old

Guernaey, 6 yrs. old, new millerr Holstein, 7 yrs. old, calf by side Holstein, 6 yrs. old, calf by side Holstein, 5 yrs. old, due Feb. 1 Holstein, 5 yrs. old, due Jan. 13 Duhram, 7 yrs. old, due Jan. 13 Duhram, 7 yrs. old, gives good flo of milk, due Jan. 15 Blue cow, 6 yrs. old, due Jan. 8 2 Holsteins, 3 yrs. old, giving mi 1 bull calf, 7 mos. old 1 heifer calf, 7 mos. old

36 Rhode Island pullets

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Manure spreader, good as new
Wagon box, first-class condition
Studebaker wagon, Roller
Springtooth drag, Iron kettle
Springtooth drag plow
Gase riding plow, Hayrack
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Corn planter, fertilizer attachment
and check sower attachment, good
as new
Milwaukee grain binder
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6-bbl, galvanized dron tank
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Endgate seeder, new
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41 shocks fodder
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per cent.

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TOYS

XMAS CANDIES AND NUTS

FLEXIBLE SLEDS XMAS GROCERIES XMAS FRUIT

Santa Claus will make our store headquarters during Christmas time

ELM, MICHIGAN

Danvers and John Hardlag stepped out of the club and joined the moving holiday crowd. For an hour they had watched it through the window as they smoked and talked, and Tom, while he had been much amused at John's cynical comment. And taken it all as a joke, for John was never pessimistic. Now as they walked down the crowded through-mass never pessimistic. Now as they walked down the crowded through-fare conversation was difficult, and John was unusually silent. Recalling bits of phrases in their recent conversation, it suddenly occurred to Tom that there had been an unactuationed tone, even a note of bitterness, underlying the smile and lightly spoken words of his oldest and best triangle to his proposed to the ticket window. Tom took out how the triangle to the ticket window. Tom took out how the triangle to the ticket window. Tom took out how the triangle to the ticket window. Tom took out how the triangle triangle to the ticket window. Tom took out how the triangle t Tom that there had been an unaccustomed tone, even a note of bitterness, underlying the smile and lightly spoken words of his oldest and best friend, whom he felt he knew as he lodd himself. At the thought he looked sharply and plereingly at him, but the strong, resolue profile hore no trace of the cynicism of the last hour, much less evidence of its cause. It was just imaginallon, Tom concluded.

As they stood waiting for a crosstown car an observant and clever beggar approached. Tom answered the appenl with a coin.

"Not from me," said John, in a disapproving tone.

"Oh, well, it's Christmas-time," said Tom.

"Yes, that's just it, and he knows it and makes capital of it. It is sympathetic or sentimental charlty, and I don't approve of it."

"Upon my word, Tom, you are funny this afternoon. What is the matter with you? First you condemn with the care of the properties of the matter with you? First you condemn with a sitogether different."



"It's Christmas, You Know."

women, then you denounce this happy women, then you denounce this happy holiday crowd as a 'passing show,' and now this poor beggar. It's well you are going to be with me for a while; you need the home influence, and—by Jove! you need a wife! That is the antidote for you, old fellow," he concluded, emphasizing his convic-

to with a sinp on the back.
"No, thankeyou," was the laughing reply as they stepped aboard the car. It was well filled. Across from the friends sat two good-looking women, evidently mother and daughter. Next to the rouncer women that

riends sat two good-looking women, evidently mother and daughter. Next to the younger woman sat a sweet-faced Salvation Army girl, with her tambourine in her lap. Her plain dark blue dress was in marked contrast to the fashiopable suit and beautiful furs of the ladles beside her. Sha smitingly responded and shook her hend, but as the other continued to urg a wistful look came into the Army girl's face as she glunced about the cars, "No, no," they heard her say; "the conductor would not allow me. The rules are very strict," she added in explanation. For a moment or so there was stience, and oyer the faces of both showed disappointment.

Then suddenly the younger woman with the color suffusing her lovely face, caught up the tambourise and depositing a colo in it, started lown the car, ignoring the shocked and exposting in color by the potential of the large with the color suffusing her lovely face, caught up the tambourise and depositing a colo in it, started lown the car, ignoring the shocked and exposting my color possenger to passenger to passenger to passenger to present the sum of the transport of the transport of the face of both showed disappointment.

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The suddenly the younger woman with the color suffusing her lovely face, caught up the tambourise and depositing a colo in it, started lown the car, ignoring the shocked and expostunity with a little smile and "it's Christmas, you know," or some little word, until each one felt it a privilege to contribute something. As she turned by the door the conductor stepped forward with "lives me miss it was a contract of the face of th

hestowed.

Jean Harding's hand had gone at each net lits pocket when he realized what the girl was doing, and now he was watching her with an almost awelength interest—her lovely, sympathet had a single tilled earnestly to the little worker in hims, apparently uncasacious district as yellows impulse had first assumded and then halt together to fieldly sympathy an entire car of attractors.

Put by your thoughts of battle,
Put by your dreams of strife,
Put by your dreams of strife,
Though muskets still may rattl
Though hearts with hate are r
The Christmas bells are ringing.
Their message blithe and gay,
And voices should be singing.
This is the children's day.

Put by your fear of sorrow, Put by your dread of loss: Perhaps for you tomorrow The crown above the cross. The Christmas hells are pealing From near and far away; A glint of gold revealing; This is the children's day.

Forget the world's dark story On bloody pages set:
The lives that dreaming glory Meet death instead, forget, The Christmas bells are sounding Though takes may still be gray Send cincurse resounding.
This is the children's day.

—L. M. Thornton.

dropped in the tumbourine.
"Oh, that is altogether different."
John answered, half defiantly.
"Yes, different because a pretty girl made tiffs appeal, an old man the other," laughed Tom. "But, tell me, how do you adjust your acts to the

ories?"
"Oh, theories, the dickens! What are they ever compared to acts? And that act this afternoon was a spontaneous expression of the true Christ-

that act this aftermoon was a spontaneous expression of the true Christians spirit, from which spirils, the desire to hedly, to bring some Joy to a lot of poor unfortunates, because "it's Christmas, your know," 'b equoted softly, "It was the real thing, and everyhody in the cor felt it."

And having, as it were, justified his position and interest, he looked across at the uncausacious subject of their remarks. Truly she was good to look at hough at present all he could see was the well-cut profile and the girlous copperish-brown hair turning to dulf gold where the wester os and struck it and eyes, that with her mood, he knew varied from lived to throw A vertically gold where the wester os and struck it and eyes, that with her mood, he knew varied from lived to brown. A vertically gold where the wester os and struck it and eyes, that with her mood he knew varied from lived to brown. A vertically gold where the wester os and struck it can be gone of a girl, he thought as present all the could see was a made with the mood he knew varied from lived to brown. A vertical profile and the girlous copperish-brown hair turning to dulf gold where the wester os was struck it and eyes, that with her mood, he knew varied from lived to brown. A vertical profile and the girlous copperish-brown hair turning to dulf gold where the wester os an attructive feeling of anderstanding her, he turned to Tom.

"" "Don't mention the uffair to anyone, not even Mary, for it would not please, e., her, I am sure," he afded, as the train pulled up at D—

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pulled up at D—
The station was small and John had just finished greeting Mrs. Danvers, when Billy Grant's deep voice broke in: "Hello, Harding; glad to see you," as they shook honds.
Grant, an old friend of both Harding and Danvers, also lived in D—
"Now, I want you to meet our."

"Now, I want you to meet our friends, for its cold and I want to get

nor see left I. a principal to continue occupied the place of the conductor stepped forward with. "Hease, miss, I want to add something to, that, too."

Finshing, she exclaimed, "Oh! thank you so much."

Ehe; passed on to her seat and returned to its owner the tambouring, that never before had received contributions an promptly and cheerfully bestowed.

Jehn Harding's hand had gone at most had first best well.

Jehn Harding's hand had gone at most high the grid was doing, and now he was watching her with an almost awe was quite a center of attraction as she related again and again the remained hat the girl was doing, and now he was watching her with an almost awe was quite a center of attraction as she related again and again the remained had been a sea to the present the rest and understood with great interest and understood with the girl was clearly a properly to the most of the place of home.

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Add a little node to the pasts when,
papering walls. This will prevent the
ravages of insects or spiders, which
eat the pasts. Not a greater quantity
of node than will lie on nickel should
be used, bleever, as too nucla will be
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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Albion—Mrs. W. B. Gildart nas just learned that her son, Maj. R. Ciyde Gildart, graduate of West Point, has son, Harry Barry of Buchanan was been promoted to the rank of lieumay lose his right arm.

Buchanan—While huntrag with a son, Harry Barry of Buchanan was accidentally shot by the letter and may lose his right arm.

Vps:/anti-Marvin Warner, 48 years old, farmer, residing three and one-half miles from Saline, was killed by an Ann Arbor train when his auto was struck on a crossing.

Lansing—Michigan's sutput of sugar beets this year is more than twice that of last year. It is estimated that more than 1,000,000 tons of sugar beets were raised.

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Ann Arbor—Prof. W. H. Hobbs, of the U. of M., denounced pacifists now styling themselves internationalists

Menominee—William Saltin, 23, who went overseas with a Camp Custer contingent shortly after taking out his first naturalization papers, was killed in action October 10.

freight train near the city. He wa tracks.

Traverse City—Influenza has gain-ed to such an extend at Maple City, near here, that churches are being used as hospitals and an appeal has

nurses.

Three Rivers—The Sheffield Car
Co. has become part of the FairbanksMorse Corporation. Raymond B. Linsley, whose father was one of the organizers of the company, will remain as general manager.

Constantine-John Stears has been Constantine—John Stears has been notified that his son, Frivate Arthur E. Stears, has been missing in action since October 17. It is hoped that he may be among prisoners returned from the German lines.

from the German lines.

Reed City—Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Samis have just been notified that
their son, Gilbert Samis, was wounded at Château Thierry October 2,
and after recovering and going back
into action, was killed 20 days later
Monroes—Luits Kurowski, and 10.

Monroe—Louis Kurowski, aged 19, anmarried Detroit, was instantly killed when the automobile he was driving skidded on the north end of the Dixie Highway, seven miles north of here, and turned turtle into a ditch.

His skull was fractured.

Pontiac—Of nearly 10,000 men under jurisdiction of the local draft board here, 1,857 were aliens and of these only 82 thought enough of these only 82 thought enough of the United States to waive exemption and fight for it, the records compiled by the drait board showed.

Traverse City—Armed guards are enforcing a quarantine on the village and of influenzs. Guards are posted of influenzs. Guards are posted of influenzs. Guards are posted of influenzs are enforced as the village and it is believed the same restrictions will be placed on other Leelanau County villages.

Ludington—The Ludington Panel

ganization to the national executive.
Washington — Announcement was
made by the war department that
two Michigan soldiers are held prisorers in German camps. Private
Raibh J. Bennett, of Coopersville,
Mich., is at Karlsruhe prison camp
and Private W. Carpenter, 204 Dyer
attreet Lansing, is held captive in an
unknown camp.

Oweso—Aroused over the use of a nordinary lantern in the place of a headlight on local street cars, the city commission is considering an ordinance requiring the Michigan Railway company to provide proper headlights. The car which struck and killed H. Dumond, fermer city clerk, carried only a lantern.

Saginaw—Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, has been asked to attend the third annual land and live stock conference in this city December 12. Commissions named from

cember 12. Commissions named from Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan

Monroe—Fire due to spontaneous combustion caused \$10,000 damage to the paper stock in River Rafein Paper Mill No. 3.

Menominee—The main pump house at the Isle Royale mine was blown up by a charge of dynamite and offi-cials are investigating.

Monroe—H. Gilmore, of Monroad F. Parker, of Wilmot, Mich., pear on the Canadian casualty ! as prisoners of war repartiated. Saginaw—Secretary Lane, of the Department of the Interior, has been

Ann Arbor-Prof. W. H. Hobbs, of the U. of M., denounced pacifists now

Ypsilanti—Two more gold stars Will be added to the Signal Corps Auxiliary service fing. The men kill-ed are Rudolph Lekstrum and Comar Wheaton.

Menominee—Arnold Runge and John Miller, of Lark, were killed near Wayside, when steering gear of their automobile broke and the machine landed in a ditch.

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Benton Harbor—After a chase over three states, Neison J. Sherer has been arrested on a charge of assaulting Dr. E. A. Sorby during the peacelebration here.

Reed City—The village of Evart in an effort to force Osceola County supervisors to pay some influenza quarantine bills.

Saginaw—Fear of influenza is be-

quarantine bills.

Saginaw—Fear of influenza is believed to have held down the audience to hear Mischa Elman, Russian
violinist, to such small numbers that
the concert was called off.

Marshall—One of the oldest dry
good establishments, in Michigan
changed hands recently when Miss
Stella Snyder, clerk in the store of
George Perrett & Sons, purchased
the concern.
Saginaw—James C. Elliot, engine-

the concern.

Saglnaw—James C. Elliot, engineman, first class, of the U. S. S. Iowa,
is dead at Norfolk, Va., from burns
received by scalding. His is the first
death among the 70 members of the Saginaw naval reserve.

East Lansing—Poultry farmers are being urged by M. A. C. experts to weed out "slacker" hens. Reports show fair profits in poultry being made in locations where demonstra-ticns were conducted along this line. Chebayen—Equify guilty of caus-

Millington—Public schools of Millington were recently ordered closed for one month, in an effort to stamp out the influenza epidemic here.
Twelve cases have been reported.
Because of the approach of the usual
Christmas vacation, it was decided it would be impractial to attempt to resume school work before January I.

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Kalamazoo—A plan to construct a
canal across the lower peninsula to
connect Lakes Michigan and Huron,
is advocated by former Mayor James
B. Baich in a letter to Governor
Sleeper. The threatened congestion
of the labor market following the return of the American soldiers would
be lessened by the project, Mr. Baica
declares. Use of the remainder of
the state's \$5.000,000 war fund as a
mucleus for a fund to build the canal
is urged.

to consider reconstruction problems of returned soldiers and subset and salars and munition workers will meet to prepare plans.

Filst—After a heavy rain that all but wrecked the plans for the local victory parade Thanksgring Dey, the weather cleared leng enough in the afternoon to permit the patriotic demonstration. Between 19,000 and 12,000 marchars were in line and it took 48 finities for them to pass the reviewing stand. There were \$5,000 that the wardines economic and it took 48 finities for them to pass the reviewing stand. There were \$5,000 that the wardines entitle easy plans to Christmas shopping bave seen lifted. Some time ago an applied to Christmas chopping bave sheduled to march, but many units falled to report after the storm.

Lansing—Henry R. Fattengill, 66 years old, knows in practically every years old, knows in practically every

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IN EUROPE MUST STOP-CHURCHILL

SIR AUCKLAND GEDDES IN AD DRESS SAYS EX-KAISER AND TWO OTHER KINGS SHOULD ORFEIT THEIR LIVES.

ALIEN ENEMIES TO BE DEPORTED

Must Continue to Rule the Waves Nothing Can Sway Her From This Stand.

Dundee.—British representatives at the peace conference will demand general and absolute abolition of conscription throughout Europe. Winston Speacer Churchill made this announcement in a speach.

David Lloyd George, Bridish prime minister, in the election campaign in London, gave a re-statement of his policy. In it he declares men responsible for the war cannot escape because their heads were crowned, but they must be tried by an international court. Mr. Lloyd George also declared himself in favor of expulsion and exclusion of all enemy aliens.

Peace Based On Stern Justice.

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London.—(British wireless service.)
—Sir Auckland Geddes, president of
the local government board and minister of national service, in a public
address said the line of policy advocated by the coalition government was
a peace which, so far as enemy powers were concerned, should be based
on stern justice and so far as those
men who planned and started the war
were concerned should be founded on

Such men as the former German emperor, Enver Pasha and former rulers of Bulgaria and Austria would be placed on trial and if found guilty, their lives would be forfeited.

'Men guilty of unspeakable atro cities upon our prisoners and upon civilian inhabitants of invaded lands," he continued, "must stand trial, and if they are condemned, must suffer

It had to be proved how far commanders of submarines acted under orders, which they had to carry out under pain of death, or how far they acted on their own volition, he point. ed out, but if atrocities at sea were committed on volition of individual commanders, he declared, they too, must suffer the extreme penalty

"Today is the day of reckoning for our enemies." said the minister, "and they will have to pay to the uttermost farthing what it is possible to bring out of them."

Britain Will Rule Seas.

Dundee, Scotland.—Britannia continue to rule the waves. She will not suffer any abridgement whatsoever of her 'well tried and well-desgreed naval supremacy.' No agument or appeais—no matter from what quarter—will sway her from the tried of the supremacy.

the first positive clear-cut, and un-compromising utterance on the sub-ject made by any member of the government since signing of the armi

Great Britain does not intend to take back Helgoland, Germany's "Gibralta: in the North sea," because this is un-necessary. He also announced the government's decision in favor of nationalization of railways.

"We intend to make the Germans pay for harm they have done to the uttermost farthing they are capable of paying." said Colonel Churchill.

Will Demand Wilhelm

Will Demand Withelm.
With regard to Wilhelm Hohenzollern, the speaker said:
"We have, so far as Great Britain is concerned, declifed that so far as our-influence goos, we shall demand his surrender. Stern justice must be meted out to him, and has accomplices.
"We shall also insist those German subjects in this country or others of German origin who have abused our hospitality and who are interned shall go back to their country when peace is signed, and, in my opinion, it would not be right until the country has again been consulted in three or four years' time that we reconsider the whole situation of allowing other Germans coming into this country from outside.

Must Pay "Ton For Ton."

PLUCKY OPERATOR FIGHTS WRECKERS

Girl in Signal Tower Prevents Catastrophe to Ammunition Train.

- Gist, Pn.—When three desperadoes, probably German agents, attempted to wreck an aumoration train on the Pennsylvania railread here, Miss E. M. Vensel, girl operator in π signal tower. fought them off with a revolver. The girl-barticaded herself-ing the tower and rained bullets upon the three men. The latter returned the fire and buflets crashed through the windows and door of the girl's lawen. She



Returning Shot for Shot.

fought on returning shot for shot, to til the arrival of a freight trai frightened the gang away. a freight train

switch and I ordered them away,2 said the glpf, caimly, after it was all-over, "They pointed revolvers at me, and I ran back to the signal tower and got out the postel we keep there. I bur-riended the door and then, opening a window. I fired down on the men. They fired back and we kept it up till the freight whistled for the crossing," The crow of the freight train found a pile of logs upon the track. The clephone wires, leading to Miss Ven-sel's lower, and been cut.

LITTLE FLIRTATION COST
CHICAGO GIRL DIAMOND
Chicago.—It's a shame, girls, but it's not safe to make acquaintance via the direction with a sequent through the same of the same Chicago.—It's a shame, girls, but it's not safe to make ac-quaintance via the dirtation route with a strange, though handsome-looking man in this city. Carrie Meyers did it the route with a strange, though handsome-looking man in this city. Carrie Meyers did it the other day, inviting him to talk with her by the use of her eyes. He walked home with her, shook hands good-by, and an hour later she found that in doing so be had removed a \$200 diamond ring.

ARE RE-WED AFTER 22 YEARS

Twice Married Since, Ret First Wife and They "Make Up."

St. Louis.—Twenty-two years ago Mrs. Limite May Putter of St. Louis obtained a divorce from her helsband. Jackson, and he went away, fift be-yond her ken. In the course of his wanderings he took unto himself a wife on two suc-ceding occasions, quite legally each time. Mrs. Fuller, however, remained invedded. She remered her daughter

time. Mrs. Fuller, however, remained inwedded. She reared her daughter. May't to young womanhood, supporting herself, meanwhile, by sewing, keeping a bedging house, etc.

The other day, Jackson, the wanderer, came back to St. Lonig, and a new hapter in the Fullers' romance was written when they were remarried by a justice of the peace. Their daughter, May, was bridesmaid.

COURT KNOCKS OUT CUPID

to Suspend Sentence to Enable Him to Get Married.

whole signation of allowing other Germans coming into this country from outside.

Must Pay "Ton For Ton."

"Ton for ton for gold or other securities or any other liquid securities which Germans might dispose of we intend to exact of them, subject to the condition that it exacting them we must not do anything that will infire our own trade. we must not do anything that will injure our own trade.

"Alsace Lorvaine must be given
back to the French without qualifications of any kind.

"Poland must be reconstituted as a
mation.—

Steal Artificial Eyes.
Martinsburg, Va.—Thieves stole
\$30 worth of artificial eyes from the
office of a local physician. Articles of
much greater value were left undis-

Charge Polico Stole Pie.
Redondo Beach, Cal.—Policeman L.
F. Butter is under arrest, charged with
the larceny of a piece of pie alleged to
have been stolen from a catetaria on
his beat. He has been a policeman, 30
years. He declared his Kinocenes.

St. Louis, Me.—Two negroes accom-taked the job of stealing two smoke-chein, one 49 feet long and the other the large of the long and the other manageding people to aid in landing the sinche on two wagous.

THE JOY OF MOTHERHOOD

Came to this Woman after Taking Lydia E. Pinkhem's Vegetable Compound'to Restore Her Health

Ethensburg, Wash.—"Affine I was matried I was not well for a long time and a good east of the time was not able to go shout. Our greatest desire was to have a child in our home end one day my huabeand came back from town with a buttle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Ge mp opind east wanted me to try it. It brought relief from my troubles.

from my troubles.

I improved in lieuith so I could do my housework; we now have a little one, all ork, we now have a little one, a h.I owe to Lydia E. Pinkham' ble Compound''— Mrs. O. S w, R. No. S. Ellemburg, Wash

There are women everywhere with long for children in their home yet are denied this happiness on account of some functional disorder which in most cases would readily yield to Lyde E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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THOUSANDS of people are using this wonderful PHOENIX MINERAL and find it a great coal and money saver. Simple to use, treats coal in a minute; coal then has no soot, less smoke, no bad gases nor clinkers, and few sahes. Therefore, x to x more heat. It makes no difference what grade of coal or cole you use coal or coke you use

Phoenix Mineral is guaranteed not to inture aace or boiler, but rather makes them list tonger and heat better. Remember it produces 1/2 to 1/2 more heat. One dollar can will treat one ton on either hard or soft coal or coke. bety Jack Frost with less coal and more best and save money. Send for test package. It will demonstrate how these things are done. SEND ONE DOLLAR TODAY for this package to

Continental Chemical Co., Denver, Colo.

Cuticura Soap **Best for Baby**

BETTER LET CHILD CHOOSE Writer in Mother's Magazine Gives Advice as to Treatment of the Small People.

Mantha G. Nichols makes a strong plea in Mother's Magazine to allow the child to choose between right and

the child to choose between right and wrong:
"Don't make me do it, mamma, let me do it," plended a little fellow one day when his mother was trying to exercise rather arbitrary authority.

A small boy was objecting to doing an errand for his mother. She said, pleasantly: "I can manage it you do not do it, but I can get my work out of the way much sooner if you do. Supposing I let you choose whether you will neconunclate me, or I accommodate you. Til say nothing more about this, and you may do just what you think it is fair for a hoy to do by his mother." It did not take long for his mather." It did not take long for the son to choose the better way, and, to walk off proud of his independent action.

Coaxing a duitd to do what he capt to is a constitutional to the contraction.

ought to is a questionable policy, yes in a dignified, matter-of-fact manner to show him that you give him credit for common sense and a fair amount of amisbillity and right purpose is to-encourage him to use those qualities. It helps him to do his best in the best proschib way-he chooses his aura and possible way—he chooses his own action, and he can choose again.

Mean Suggestion.

He—There are many profiteoughts to be read in my mind.

She—Bound in caif?

He Knew Her.

Mrs. Figg-I really ought to go to
that club meeting this aftermoon, but
I emit get up enough energy to start.
Figg-Won't if help you along it. I
bell you not to fo?—Boston Transcript.

Some people learn of the harmful effects of coffee by reading Others find it out through experience. In either case it is a good idea

INSTANT POSTUM

A delicious drink made : from the finest cereals, harm-less and nour-ishing. Made in the cup instant-by. Sever super and fuel.

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RECEIVING WAR CROSS



The patriotic spirit and devotion with which American women have so far performed war-service work and made sacrifices has uevef been equaled in the history of any country. Mothers, wives and sisters support this burden with atrength and fortitude. But those who ire alteredy miserable

from the complaints and weaknesses which are so common to women, should take the right tonic for the womanly system.

If a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings at regular or irregular intervals, by nearconness or dizzy spells, by headachs or backache, "Favorite Prescription" should be taken. "Favorite Prescription" and a liquid at most drug stores. Send to Doctor Pierce's Invalidational form as well as liquid at most drug stores. Send to Doctor Pierce's Invalidational form as well as liquid at most drug stores. Send to Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pallets have been most satisfactory in liver and bowel troubles.

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ABSORBINE LAMENTS
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STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS DYSPEPSIA, ACIDITY, GAS, INDIGESTION.

Your meals hit back! Your stomach is sour, acid, gassy and you feel blont-ed after eating or you have heavy lumps of indigestion pain or headache, but never mind. Here is instant relief.



Don't stay upset! Ent a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin and immediately the indigention, gases, acidity and all stom-ach distress ends. Pape's Diapepsin tablets are the sur-est, quickest stomach relievers in the world. They cost very little at stores. Adv.

Color Classification.

Hazel had been imaking mid pies and had gotten her fare and hands smeared with dirt. Coming into the kitchen while the girl was out, she hegen stirring some butter she found on the table. Her father happened to enter the room just then and exclaimed:

"What's going on here?"

"I'm the new cook," announced Hazel readily.

"Well, if you're going to cook," said her father. "you'd better wash your face and hands first."

"Oh," replied the little girl, "I'm n negro cook." Color Classification.

Phonetic."
"I wish my daughter wouldn't play

by ear."
"I wish my stenographer wouldn't spell by hers."

Below will be found the answer to the question which has been so insistently asked in the caption allow. It is a great pleasure to know from time to time just what is being accomplished by the American Ited Cross. The largest American Ited Cross hospital farm in England is at Sailsbury, Southampton, where a considerable part of the 186-acre estate is under cultivation.

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One thousand wounded and convalescent American soldiers played hosts to King George, Queen Mary and Princess Mary at a big military hospital in Dartford, just outside London, recently. The royal visitors inspected American Red Cross activities at the hospital. A good time was had by all.

Santa Claus, Christmas and the Red Cross roll call come but once a year. The roll call takes place during the week of December 16. Speak up—and dig down—when your name is called.

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The Belgian commission of the American Red Cross has established a fund known as the "Queen's Purse" for war victims. Queen Elizabeth of Belgium goes about to hospitals constantly supplying little extra conforts to patients. She has spent large sums of her own for this purpose, and in addition the American Red Cross undertook to stabilish or maintain 14 institutions in the American Red Cross undertook to stabilish or maintain 14 institutions in the American Red Cross undertook to stabilish or maintain 14 institutions in the American Red Cross undertook to stabilish or maintain 14 institutions in the war zone of litaly, which provided purpose.

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ARTIST IN FURS

The American Red Cross at Verona, Italy, is helping an existing orphanage to meet the urgent problem of caring for mothefless young children. It has agreed to support ten bahles under a year old, and 20 between the ages of one and three.

Americans in the American Red Cross ambulance service received 65 decorations for work performed in one month. This number includes seven silver meduls, four bronze, and 54 war crosses.

TO HELP THE UNFORTUNATES

perous Connecticut Business Mai eates Trust Fund for Those Who re "Weary and Heavy Laden."

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Frank A. Russ. a native of New York who came to Derby, Conn., when a young man and associated himself with the late Robert N. Bassett in the manufacture of corset steels, dress stays, etc., has prospered and now is willing to share his wealth with the less fortunate of his townspeople, says a dispatch from that city. He has created a trust final of \$100,000 to provide, as a says, an income to be devoted to those in need, and to extend a helping hand to those who are weary and heavy sinden."

Starring as a workman, Mr. Russ gradually made his way until now he is president and treasurer of the R. N. Rassett company. At the time that he began work for the concern but about fifty hands were employed; now in a new plant in the neighboring city of Shelton over 1,200, mostly girls, are employed. The industry is one of the biggest in the Naugatuck valley and one of the most profitable of its kind in this country.

Three years ago Mr. Russ showed his interest in the Elks of Derby and Shelton by surprising them at the dedication of the new Elks' house when he presented Derby lodge of Elks \$20,000 to liquidate the mortgage on the new huilding. Although Mr. Russ was not an Elk, the local lodge received permission to make him one, so he was given a life membership in the order.

"Them people over at Tumlinville are a pack of Liars.

"Them people over at Tumlinville are a pack of dad-burned liars!" declared old Wash Gulliger of Runpus Ridge. Ark., upon his return from a night's stay in the county seat. "I driv into town just after dusk, and a couple of miles before I got there I could bear a hooring going on. When I arrived bells were clanging, whisties blowing, gents rambling around with torches, guns and such as that. It peared to be a right lively function, lar I missed something.

"Pleasant time, says I to a feller, but what Is he at?

"Treasant time, says I to a felier, but where is he at?"

"When is who at? says he.

"The nigger," says I.

"Aw," this hain't a lynchin, says he. The allies have signed an Armedian with the Dutch."—Kansas City

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured by LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot wach he sent of the disease Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MILTIGURE will cure catarrh is a taken internally and acts through CATARRH MINICHE will cure catarrh
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Sarcastic.

"He'd be all right if he wasn't so infernally sarcastic," said Holloway.

"Jimpson sarcastic?" said Holloway.

"Jimpson sarcastic? I never noticed it. How?" said Wimpleton.

"Why, I boryowed \$10 from him yesterday," said Holloway, "and when I asked him where I should send it when returning it, he said, "The same place you sent the fifty you horrowed last year."

"Well, what of it? I don't see any sarcasm in that," said Wimpleton.
"But don't you see," said Holloway.
"I never returned the fifty I horrowed a year ago!"

SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

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Faithful Old Manue Faithful Old Manuel.

"Soldiers are personified as Tommy
Atkins and sallors as Jack Tar; why
not personify industrial workers, as
well?"

"Well, don't we? You often hear
of Manuel Labor."—Boston Tran-

Dandruff and itching.
To restore dry, falling hair and get rid of dandruff, rub Cuticura Ointment into scalp. Next morning shampon with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For tree samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X. Boston." At druggiets and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Ita Kind

"I would like to have a swell lunch-eon."
"Why not try one of dried apples and water?"

From the landlord's point of view, the man with a large family of small children is a flat failure.



Back Feel Achy After Grip?

OLDS and influenza leave thousands with weak kidneys and aching backs. The kidneys have to do most of the work of fighting off a cold or a contagious disease. They weaken—slow up. Then you feel dull and draggy, irritable or nervous, and have headaches, dizzy spells, lame back, backache, sore joints and irregular kidney action. Give the kidneys quick help and avoid serious kidney troubles. Does's Kidney Pills are always in unusual demand after grip epidemics as so many people have learned their reliability. Does's used the world over. They are recommended by your own friends and neighbors.

Personal Reports of Real Cases

A MICHIGAN CASE.

Mrs. David Piehl, C street, Gaylord, Mich., says: "Occasionally when I take cold it settles on my kidneys. My back begins to bother me and every time I bend over, sharp pains catch me ifi my back and I can hardly straighten. Whenever I get these attacks I feel lame all over and my kidneys get out of order. Doan's Kidney Pills have never-failed to quickly remove the trouble and I am seen remove the trouble and I am soon well again."

A MICHIGAN CASE.

Peter A. Brink, ice cream mak-er, 123 W. Thirteenth St., Hoiland, Mich., says: "Colds settling on my kidneys was the cause of all my kidney trouble. I had soreness and a dull ache across the small of my back and my kidneys acted irregularly. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and bought some. They quickly relieved all the trou-ble and I have had no return of it."

KIDNEY PILLS

60e a Box at All Stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y. Mfg. Chem

Forebodings.
"I bet Josh'll be glad to get home," said Mrs. Corntossel.
"I don't doubt it," replied her hisband; "only bein' used to that soldler fare I'm afraid he ain't goin' to be satisfied with the way Mr. Hoover lets us home folks eat."

Too Stout to Skip.
"How stout Mrs. E. is!"
"Yes, she can't even skip through a
dull story."—Town Topics.

GOOD-BYE BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES

For conturies all over the world GOLD MEDAL Haar-GOLD. MEDAL Hanriem Oil has afforded relief in thousands upon thousands of cases of lame back, lumbago, sciaties, rheumatism, galistones, gravale and alled organs. It acts quickly. It does illed organs. It acts quickly. It does the work. It cleanes your kindeys and purifies the blood. It makes a new man, a new woman, of you. It frequently wards off attacks of the dread and fatal diseases of the kidneys. It often completely cures the distressing diseases of the videncys. It often completely cures the distressing diseases of the vidency of the body allied with the bladder and sidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, seddlered in the body allied with the bladder and sidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, seddlered in the body allied with the bladder and sidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, seddlered in the body allied with the bladder and sidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, seddlered in the blood of the body allied with the bladder and kidneys and throw off the sold was allied or blood or cloudy urine, seddlered in the blood of th

Carter's Little Liver Pills

You Cannot be Constipated and Happy



A Remedy That Makes Life Worth Living

CARTER'S IRON PILLS

Warner's Guaranteed Simple Goiter Remedy



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FLOATING specks before the eyes, dizzy spells, palpitation of the heart, less appetite or craving for sweet or sour kinds of food-are signs of selfpoisoning by products of poorly digested or imperfectly eliminated food waste which have entered the blood.

Beecham's Pills assist to restore normal action of liver, stomach and kidneys.



Beth Bags vs. Bar Soap.

Beth bags, refreshing and lathery, one kind or another is being done at can be unde to take the place of the retail, and the demand is redected in bars of soap and will be found to the wholesale trade in the duplicate ormake a big saving in the amount of pure soap med. Scrape a bar of pure castlies soap into a powder, and one last pound of orris root, one-half pound of orris root, one-half pound of amond meal and one and these dots often forming the berder, described by the bar of the very soap med. Make velts of this type are worn either tight choesecloth begs four inches agains at the seck or hanging loose. Borders and put a heaping tablespoonful of the deviet and for also are seen, these mixture in each less if you wish.

This rich and graceful cape-coatee, with its must to match, is one of those much-admired, two-in-ane garments that are characteristic of this season's styles. Its designer chose Hudson sent and followed two converging paths to its success, comblaing the free, easy lines of a cape with something of the saugness of a coat. His ingenuity was rewarded in a wrap more graceful than either of its inspirutions. It is much more cozy than a cape or scarf, easily made equal to a coat for comfort. But on mild days or in the warmer climates it is worn open at the front and hanging about the shoulders, as causually as either a cape or scarf. When he wearer of this pretty garment adjusts it-as a protection against the coild, the ingenuity of the furrier who made it reveals itself. The narrow scarf, attached to the neck, and passing through straps of fur at the waist line, is slipped from under these straps and wrapped, about the throat, and the front of the wrap fastened up to meet it, thereupon it is a warm to make the top fast of the safed of the embroidery ring, coatee. The must is melon-shaped, with slashed frills at the ends and every woman knows that it may actually Richen Workbag.

A good workbag for a Christmas gife can be made from two yards of Dreaden ribbon six and one-half inches wide and one embroidery hoop. Out two rounds of cardboard, the size of the hoop for the bottoms of the "double-decker" bag, pad with sheet cotton and cover with the ribbon. Divide the remaining ribbon in halves and seam up both pieces. Then sew one to a cardboard round and fasten at the top of the outside rim of the embroidery hoop. Make the top part of the bag in the same way, save that the cardboard bottom is to be sewed to the inside of the embroidery ring, which has been covered by the silt ribbon.

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Carolyn of the Corners

BY RUTH BELMORE ENDICOTT

CHAPTER XV—Continued.

He knew very well that what she find said about his daughter and Joseph Stagg was quite true. In his self-shness he had been glad all these years that the hardware merchant was believed the barelease.

paness he may over years that the hardware merchant was balked of happlness.

The carpenter had always been a salf-centered individual, desirous of the own comfort, and rather miserly. He had not approved, in the first place, at the intimacy between Joseph Stagg and his daughter Amanda.

"No good'll come o' that,' he nad said himself.

That is, no good to Jedidlah Parlow w at the start the loss of th was then a helpless invalid.

wife was then a helpless invalid.

Then Mar. Parlow died. This death made pialner still to the carpenter that Mandy's marriage was bound to bring inconvenience to him. Especially if she married a close-fixet young business man like Joe Stagg would this be true. For, at the reading of his wife's will Mr. Parlow discovered that the property they occupied, even the shop in which he worked, which has been given to Mrs. Purlow by her parents, was to be the sole property of her daughter. Mandy was the helf. Mr. Parlow did not possess even a life interest in the estate.

It was a blow to the carpenter. He made a good income and had mone to will to wish to spend it after he had made with which he worked which all has been given to Mrs. Purlow by mand is between them of rent or the like.

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would bridge.

Jedidiah Perlaw know why Joe

Riage had taken that other girl to

Faith camp meeting. The young man
had stopped at the Parlow place when

Amanda was absent and explained to
the girl's father. But the latter had

never mentioned this fact to his daugh-

Tratesd he had made Joe's supposed offense the greater by suggestion and Jadusesdo. And it was he, too, who had urged the hurt blandy to retailate by going to the dance with another young man. Meeting Joe Stagg later, the carpenter had said bitter things to him, purporting to come from Mandy. It was all mean and wile; the old man knew it mow—as he had known it then.

All these years he had tried to add foel to the free of his daughter's anger against Joe Stagg. And he helleved he had benefited thereby. But, somehow, during the past few months, he had begun to wonder if, ofter all, "the game was worth the candle."

Suddenly he had gained a vision of Suddenly he had gained a vision of

Suddenly he had gained a vision of what Amanda Parlow's empty life

what Amanda Parlow's empty mement to her.
Carolyn May, interested only in seeing her friends made happy, had no den of the turnoil she had created in Mr. Parlow's mind.
During the fine that the nurse was at the abandoned imaker camp caring for Judy Mason. Carolyn May hoped that something might take Uncle Joe these

that somerning might take Core of there.

The next Friday, after school was out, Miss Amunda appeared at the Stagg home and suggested taking Caro-tyn May into the woods with her, "for the week-end," as she maghingly said. Tim, the hackman, had brought the nurse home for a few hours and would take her back to Judy's cubin.

"Poor old Judy is much better, but, she is still suffering and cannot be left alone for long." Miss Amanda said. "Carolyn May will cheer her up."

Mr. Parlow would drive over on Sun-day afternoon and bring the little girl home. Of course, Prince had to go

Of course, Prince had to go

along.
That Friday evening at supper uniters in the big kitchen of the Stugg house-were really at a serious pass, Joseph Stagg sat down to the table visibly without appetite. Aunty Rose drank one cup of test after another without putting a crumb between her

"Say, Aunty Rose," demanded Mr. Say, Aunty Rose," demanded Mr. Stagg, "what under the sun did we do Sefore Hannah's Car'lyn came here, anyway? Seems to me we didn't really lire, did we'r"

Aunty Rose had no answer to make to these questions.

In the morning there was a smoky fee over everything—a fog that the end did not dissipate, and behind which it looked like an enormous saf-



direction of the abandoned camp. Fore warned, he did not seek to take the shortest way to the cahin where Amanda Parlow and Carolyn May were Amanda Parlow and Carolyo May were perhaps even now threatened by the forest fire. The Fallow road turned north from the pike three miles from The Cornera.

Flecks of foun began to appear on Caerry's glossy cost almost at ence. The air was very oppressive, and there was no becaze.

The streak of flame that had followed down the banks of West brook mayor mysteriously. He could see the smoke of the new.

ing se fast that he did not hear the carpenter halling him in his cracked voice.

"Hey, you, Joe Stagg! Hey, you!"

Amazed, Mr. Stagg turned to look. Parlow was hobbiling from the rear premises, groaning at every step, scarcely able to walk.

"That sclatica's got me ag'in," he snarled. "The air most doubled up. Couldn't climb into a carriage to save my soul."

"What d'you want to climb into a carriage for?" demanded Mr. Stagg.

"Cause somebody's got to go for that gal of mine—and little Carlyn May. Ain't you heard—or is your mind so sot on makin' money down there to your store that you don't know nothin' else?"

"Haven't I heard what?" returned the other with fine restraint, for he saw the oldern with fine restraint, for he saw the old mun was in paln.

child to be within sight.

The old woman's clothing was scattered about too. It did not look as
though anything had been removed
from the hut. Coming out, he found
another stricle on the threshold—one
of Amanda's gloves.

Joseph Stagg lifted the crumpled
glove to his lips.

"Oh. God, spare her!" he burst forth.
"Spare them both!"

Then he kissed the glove again and
hid it away in the inner pocket of his
vest.

The hardware dealer tried to think of just what the fuglitives might have done when they escaped from the

Cherry already harnessed in ans use stall.

Together they backed the animal between the shafts, fastened the traces, and Mr. Stagg leaped quickly to the sent and gothered up the reins.

"You'll bufter take the Fallow road, the carpenter shouted after him. "And have a care drivin' Cherry—"
Horse and buckboard whirled out of the yard and his voice was lost to the hardware merchant.

Cherry stepped out spiendidly, and they left a colou of dust behind them as they rolled up the pike, not in the as they rolled up the pike, not in the safe year.

All the state of Just what the rugitives hugus have done when they escaped from the cabla. If it were true that Amanda would now likely had taken the opposite direction on leaving the cabla. Therefore, Joseph Stagg went that way—setting off down the tote road, leading the remembered calling Prince the day Carolyn May had been lost on the ice. He raised his voice in a mighty shout for the dog now.

are you?"
Again and again be called, but there Again and again he called, but there was no reply. The smoke was more striffing and the heat more intenso every minute. Mr. Stagg resitzed that he must get out quickly if he would save himself and the horse.

He had just stepped into the buck-hoard again, when there was an excited scrambling in the underbrush, and a welcoming bark was given.

"Prince! Good boy!" the man abouted. "Where are they?"

The excited dog fiew at him, leaping on the buckboard so as to peach him. The mongrel was delighted, and showed it as plainly as a dumb brute could.

But he was anxious, too. He leaped

showed it as plainly as a dumb bruta could.

But he was anxious, too, He lenped back to the ground, ran a little shead, and then looked back to see if the man was following. The hardware dealer shouted to him again:

"Go shead, Princey! We're coming!" He picked up the reins iand Cherry started. The dog, barking his satisfaction, ran on ahead and struck into a side path which led down a glade. Joseph Stagg knew Immediately where this path led to. There was a spring and a small morass in the bettom of the hollow.

the hollow.
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"LOVE THAT SUBDUES EARTH"

bert G. Ingersoil's Beautiful Tri uts to Women Has Been Sur-passed by Few Writers.

lit takes a hundred men to make an enempment, but one woman can make a home. I not only admire woman as the most beautiful object ever created, but, I reverence, her as the redeeming glory of humanity, the sanctuary of slit, the virtues, the pledge of all perfect qualities of beaut and head. It is not just nor right to lay the sins of men at the feet of women. It is because women are so much better than men that their faulta are considered greater. A man's desire is to better than men that their faulta are considered, greater. A men's desire is the foundation of his love, but a wroman's desire is born of her love. The some thing in this world that is constand, the one peak that rises above all clouds, the one window is which the their th

Mr. Signg went down to the store as armal. News came over the long-distance wires that thousands of acree is specially were harming, that the forms the store were cott, and that the farmers of an entire township on the farmers of an entire township on the great of the mountain were engaged in trying to make a herrier over similar the farmers would got leap. It was the constituted got the mountain were engaged in trying to make a herrier over whith the farmers would got leap. It was the constituted of spinlon however, the heart house the store path. Freshold for lear that some that the farmers would got leap. It was the constitute of spinlon however, the store path at the same would got leap. It was the store path at the heart house the store of its swoop at a spidled his farmer would got leap. It was the store of its swoop at a spidled his farmer would got leap. It was the store of its swoop at the farmer would got leap. It was the store of its swoop at a spidled his farmer would got leap. It was the store of its swoop at the store of its swoop at the store of its swoop at a spidled his farmer would got leap. It was the store of its swoop at the store of att at two stores of the store of its swoop at the store of att at two stores of the store of its swoop at the store of att at two stores of the store of its swoop attack the swoop at the store of att at two stores of the store of the s

Girl Gob Goes to Have Her P-p-pic-cher Taken

HICAGO.—"A girl gob! Well, I'll be——" quoth Patrolman Harold Fosa.

He cocked his head on one side and then he cocked it on the other to see it he saw aright. Vision good, mentally noted Patrolman Foss. Anybody here ever see a copper run down a girl gob?

Big flat feet went clump, clump, clump.

Li'l bitty feet went tumpetty, tumpetty, tumpe. Big copper wheezed like an ancient filv. Gobbess' hair came down and waved in the air. She scuttled and squawked like a frightened bird.

Then the hand of the law descended.

Miss Lydia Greiger, 2620 Spuulding

Then the hand of the law descended. Miss Lydia Greiger, 2620 Spuulding avenue, wept at the station and pleaded:

"I'll t-t-take these o-o-off if you'll we g-g-go h-h-home"

lemme F.S. To h-h-home." she sobbed.

And then, as she wiped away tears and her chin trembled some more, she added:

"I only w-w-went d-d-down the street t-t-two blocks to get my p-p-pic-cher

"I only w-w-went d-d-down the street cream of the inken in 'em."

Well, a policewoman started out with the girl gob and the trail led to the home of Louis Berger, 638 Rinckhowk street, Louis, bluejacket, was also in a fix. Louis had lent 'em to her for the picture and gobs can't go out without 'em.

"He said he'd been at sen for 17 months and had come home to marry her," explained the policewoman to the lieutenant. And then the policewoman sighed and cell door opened for the gobbess.

"Not Yet, Old Scout, but Soon—and Darn Soon!"



PHILADELPHIA.—Time: The day of the fake news of Germany's surrender. Scene: The great banking office of Drexel & Co. In the midst of subdued and decorous rejoicing the office boy was heard to exclaim: "Gee! Here comes old Duval." Entered a little old man. Ilmping and with one arm twisted from the thrust of a German bayone; at Sedan 48 years ago. Now, impovershed, he sharpens knives and razors for the office force.

"Ohserve, m'sieur; but half a franc and she is as good as new," he began, but his patron interrupted him to tell the good news.

Contrary to expectations, old Duval did not toss his hat skyard, neither and the shout for joy. He stood as if parcels fell unbeeded at his feet, he snatched the worn hat from his head and dropped on his knees upon the marble floor. With trembling hands outstretched to heaven, the tears streaming from his upraised eyes, in a voice quivering with emotion, old Duval began to sing aloud in his native tongue the strains of the Marselliaise. His voice, quavering at first, gained tu strength; all conversation stopped; the typewriters ceased their busy clatter; men removed their hats, and clients writing at desks rose quickly to their feet.

But many a column of figures seemed strangely blurred as heads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers, and more than one everless required a beads were again beat over ledgers.

But many a column of figures seemed strangely blurred as heads were again bent over ledgers, and more than one eyeglass required a brisk polishing. It is not pleasant to speculate upon old Duval's feelings when he later realized that the glorious tidings were only a hoax, but the kind-hearted office boy proved to be a true prophet when he comforted the old soldier next morn-

ing with these words:
"Not yet, old scout, but soon—and darn soon!"

Mother's Grief Softens Runaway Girl's Heart

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S.T. JOBEPH, MICH.—In these days of opportunity it is evident that the guiet home life his lost its charm for many young women. If they cannot go forth into this world with their parents' blessing—why, they go just the same. The police of all cities are besieged by distracted parents looking for daughters who have disappeared from sight as if the earth had swallowed them.

Mrs. Paulina Keswick, St. Joseph, Mich. appealed to the Chicago police to find her daughter Marjory, seventeen years old. The only light on her disappearance was the following letter she left for her mother:

"Dearest Little Mother: You are going to be terribly surprised when you get this; maybe you will feel terrible, but try and look at it the best way, which is the only way.

"I've gone to Chicago to be a companion to an old lady we met this summer and who does charity work. I am going with her for company and to annuse her when we are nt home.

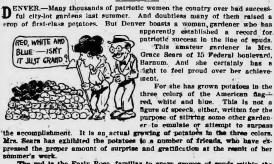
"It is all fixed up, and she met me today and we are going to New York, where she lives. I'll be perfectly all right, and will write you often and tell you how I am getting along. Don't worry, because it twill be just like being with you. I'll send you money every month. With love.

MARJORY."

The distracted mother appealed to the Chicago police. The Chicago newspapers told of her grief and anxiety. Marjory read the newspapers. She communicated with her mother, who found her in the Y. W. C. A. hotel.

Woman Raises Patriotic Spuds in Her War Garden

DENVER.—Many thousands of patriotic women the country over had successful ful city-lot gardens last summer. And doubtless



Simmer's work.

The red is the Early Rose, familiar to every grower of spuds within the

The red is the Ently Rose, familiar to every grower of spuds within the last half century.

The white is what is known as the Birbank potato, and is a clean akined, very light variety that fully bears out the designation of white.

But for the blue potato Mrs. Sears does not have any name. She mys that the was called "just blue" to her when the got the tubers which she planted and that is all the name she knows for it. But it is a decided blue in color,



Pleasant to take and give satisfaction. A certain Relief for Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Teething and Stomach Disorders and remove Worms. They tend to break up a cold in 24 hours, act on the Stomach, Liver and Bowels and tend to correct intestinal disorders. Over 10,000 testimonials of relief.

Read a few extracts from the hundreds of unsolicited letters we receive every year, the originals of which are on file in our offices.

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**Experiment of the power of t



An International Service Built on Tiny Profits Per Pound

Some industries have been able to get in step with war demands more quickly than

In many cases mighty plants have sprung —but at a prodigious cost.

The packing industry was able to adapt itself to unheard of demands more quickly, perhaps, than any other industry. And this was because the vast equipment of packing plants, refrigerator cars, branch houses, etc., had been gradually developed to its present state of efficiency, so that in the crucial hour it became a mighty international system for

And how had this development taken place? Not by making vast inroads into the capi-tal wealth of the country, but largely by using, from year to year, a portion of the profits, to

provide for expansion. Swift-& Company's profits have always been so tiny, compared with sales, that they have had practic-ally no effect on the price of meat (amounting *o only a fraction of a cent per pound).

And yet the owners of the business have been content with reasonable returns on their capital, and have been able, year after year, to put part of the profits back into the business to provide for its

These fractions of tiny profits have been repaid to to the public many fold in the form of better service, and better and cheaper mest, and made it possible for Swift & Company to meet, undaunted, the sudden cry for meat for overseas. Could any other method of financing a vital industry involve less hardship to the people of the country? Could there be a better instance of true "profit-sharing" than this return in added usefulness and in national greparedness?

Swift & Company, U. S. A.



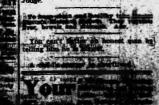
Don't wait until your cold develops Spanish Influenza or pneumonia. Kill it quick.



Too Much Honesty.
On going his rounds about midnight
a policeman noticed an individual moring from house to house and trying
to open the doors. He selsed him by
the collar and suid:
"What are you doing here?"
"Oh, nothing particular. You see,
the found a latchkey and I'm merely
tree found a latchkey and I'm merely
tree for the doors in order to re-

Authoritative.

Mahel—That fish looks like trust.
Pin very fond of trust. I wonder it it is trust.
Norms—Why don't you ask the cher?
Makel (to chef, sweetly)—What kind
of dah is thit?
Chef—That is tried fish, ma'um.—



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THE PLYMOUTH MAIL, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1918

WHOLE No. 1474

PINCKNEY'S SHOPPING LIST

CHRISTMAS

The Pinckney Pharmacy aways makes special effort at the holiday time to carry articles for gift giving which will be useful gifts-articles that will be appreciated by the recipient and reflect credit upon the donor; and special attention is given to having the merchandise moderately priced.

WE SUGGEST THAT YOU READ OVER THIS LIST, CLIP IT AND MAKE USE OF IT WHILE SHOPPING.

FOR THE LADIES

Toilet Waters Toilet Waters
Perfumes
Toilet Soaps
Books
Books
Pancy Box Paper
Correspondence Cards
Gibson Art Christmas Cards
Thermon Bottles and Kits
Fountain Pens, \$1.00 up
Lowney's, Brook's and Gilbert's Chocolates
Manicure Seta
Art Serving Trays, etc.
Parisian Ivory in single pieces
or sets

FOR THE MEN

Traveling Cases
Pocketbooks and Bill Folds
Fountain Pens Safety Razors Cigar Rumidors

Thermos Kits
Cigar Jars
Pipes, 25c to \$4.00
Cigars in boxes of 25
Shaving Mugs
Shaving Stands
Books

FOR THE KIDDIES

Elephants Dogs Games Kiddie Cara Tinker Toys Tinker Pins Rubber Animals Balls

Dolls Tea Sets

Pinckney's Pharmacy

Phone 124 F-2

"Best in Town"

Murray's Candies

For Goodness and Quality

Be Sure and Make Your Plans for Buying Your Christmas Candies Here

We have a big line of

Peanut Brittle Taffy, all flavors Fudges, delicious **Mixed Candies** Chocolates, in Bulk and Fancy

We make our own candies and therefore will be able to supply all your needs

CHRISTMAS CARDS We are showing the prettiest and most up-to-date line of Christmas Cards in town. See them before buying.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS We have a large line of Christmas Garlands, Bells, ppro We carry a line of Christmas Tags, Stickers, etc.

FANCY BOX PAPER

We are showing a most extraordinarily nice line of Fancy Box Papers in all the latest styles and colors. Nothing nicer for a gift. Prices right.

CHRISTMAS CIGARS

. Buy him a Box of Cigars this year. We have a nice line for the Christmas trade. We know the brand he smokes.

SPECIAL ICE CREAM

We will have special ice cream for the holiday trade. Give us your order early.

MURRAY



NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

An effort is being made to organize Catholic church at Belleville.

The Howell Board of Education are considering the opening of an evening school.

The next Ann Arbor May featival will take place in Hill auditorium, May 14, 15, 16 and 17, and will be in the nature of a victory festival, commemorating the close of the great

DECEMBER 31, 1918

A notice is being sent ont to autor in the nature of a victory festival, commemorating the close of the great war.

Tuesday Andrew Little of Superior township, marketed in this city nine of as fine spring pigs as ene would wish to see. They brought him the sum of \$396 in round figures. Albanda & Augustus were the purchasers—Typsilanti Record.

Decivil war days Wayne bore the reputation of being a station on the underground railway. It is being used for similar purposes now, it is stated hereshouts, atthough the start is made no further south than Toledo. Wayne Weekly.

The Milford Times notes the fact that every member of the graduating class of the Milford High school of 1882, is still living. The six ladies have held two remions during the 68 years, one on the 26th anniversary and one on the 30th.

During the month of October there were 7,636 deaths reported in Michigan—814 of infants under one year, 593 of children aged 1 to 4 years, and 1,170 elderly persons, aged 65 or over. Influenza claimed 2,451. During the same period there were 7,648 deaths reported in Michigan—814 of infants under one year, 593 of children aged 1 to 4 years, and none on the 30th.

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Over at Pontiac one progressive firm has had all of its 300 or 400 employes treated with the new serum and not one has taken the influenzate of the reference in handling of fifts will be refered exchanging of gffts will be * time.

A RED CROSS ROLL CALL * Is SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS * 18 the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dubuar. The honored guests were had a weekly and the province of the control of the province of

pany of 30 peopus equyyes sion.—Northville Record.

The one cow testing association now working in Wayne county is doing so well that a second will be formed as soon as an experienced man can be secured to place in charge of same, which it is felt will not be many weeks; at least by early apring. The next association will be made to embrace all the dairy interests in the northwest part of the county that desires to join and the headquarters will be either Plymouth or Northville.

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The man who handles the local department of a newspaper learns after due experience not to expect even priefly expressed thanks from a column of pleasant things, but he knoweth as surely as cometh the winter that a single line in which there is an unintentional misrepresentation will cause some one to be heard from as if from a house top. And we may add that when this same n.p.m. has made pleasant mention 999 times of same person, place or thing, but on the thousandth time fails to do so, be must not expect to be forgotten. The omission may have been from accident, iradvertence or even an entire lack of knowledge. It matters not

teen were stolen, 12 large steers, three heifers and one cow. Of this number, the Edison company lost 11 steers and two heifers. Luman Seamans lost a thoroughbred Holstein heifer, Wilmer Corkins lost a valuable cow and A. E. Waltz a large, steer, which were being pastured on the Huron Farms.—Belleville Enterprise.

REGISTRATION EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 1918

To register YOUR approval of the Red Cross all you need is a heart and a dollar!

THE CHRISTMAS GIFT THAT'S ENJOYED MOST

A Musical Instrument—The NEW EDISON

That you and your family have been wanting, received at this time, will mean more than ever to your family.

What home would not be delighted with the greatest of entertainers-the NEW EDISON, a musical instrument equipped with



Diamond Point, guaranteed for a lifetime without any changing of needles, and they cost no more than other makes that haven't the greatest American genius, Thomas A. Edison, back of them.

Since Thomas A. Edison perfected this instrument Grand Opera itself has been able to offer you no more than the New Edison. If the two million people who have attended Edison tone tests have been unable to distinguish the artist's living voice from the instrument's RE-CREATION it is clear that no difference exists, isn't it? And if there is no difference between the artist's rendition and the instrument's then obviously the artist can give you no more than

THE NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

Our New Christmas Phonograph stock consists of machines ranging in price from \$22.50 to \$300, and in about ten different styles, each in different fin-ishes, Mahogany, Golden Oak, Fumed Oak, Walnut Mahogany, Etc.

The Beyer Pharmacy

Make Your Christmas Gifts Practical

Every member of the family will be doubly pleased to receive a remembrance that is both handsome and useful. Our store is filled with sensible, appropriate Christmas gifts.

Christmas Neckwear, extra large

Lined Gloves and Mittens

.....50c to \$2.50 Jersey and Wool Gloves

......50c to \$1.75

Knitted Caps.......25c to \$1.00 Heavy Cloth Caps.....85c to \$2.50

Soft Hats in all the new shades \$1.50 to- \$4.50

MACKINAWS For Men, Young Men and Boys,\$5.00 to \$13.50

SWEATER COATS Plain Coats in Maroon, Oxford and Navy, Fancy Striped Coats, and Coats with contrasting

collars and cuffs . . . 75c to \$9.00

SUIT CASES AND BAGS Suitable gifts for everyone \$11.00

Exceptional values in Suits and Overcoats for Men, Young Men and Boys.

SLIPPERS

Men's Felt and Leather Slippers \$1.25 to \$3.00

Ladies' Felt Slippers, Plush or Rib-bon trimmed, with either leather or soft comfort soles, blue, purple, lavender, gray, smoke, brown, maroon and black........\$1.50 to \$2.50

Misses' and Children's Felt Slip-....\$1.00 to \$1.50 pers..

SHOES

An acceptable gift for Men, Ladies, Boys, Misses and Children. All the new styles and colors, and at all prices. \$3.00 to \$8.00 for Men; \$3.00 to \$10.00 for Ladies; \$2.00 to \$5.00 for Boys; \$1.75 to \$5.00 for Misses; \$1.00 to \$2.50 for Children.

Initial Handkerchiefs25c Khaki Handkerchiefs 15c to 50c Fancy Suspenders 35c to 65c Garter and Arm Band Sets 50e Plain and Fancy Shirts. .75c to \$3.50 Lisle, Silk and Cashmere Hose Umbrellas\$1.00 to \$4.50











Give Reliable Furniture---the Dependable Gift

Reliable Quality Furniture settles your gift question completely. Its long wearing qualities, its artistic appearance, its exclusive design and elegant finish makes it the Christmas gift that will never lose its charm. Come in now and make your selection while our stocks are complete. You can buy now and we will deliver them on Christmas morning.

Here Are Some of the Many Useful Gifts at this Store

BEDROOM SUITS **PARLOR SUITS** DRESSING TABLES CHIFFONIERS

BUFFETS CHINA CABINETS

DINING TABLES

EASY ROCKERS

LEATHER ROCKERS

WRITING DESKS

ROOM-SIZE RUGS

SMALL RUGS

BRASS AND IRON BEDS

SKIRT AND WAIST BOXES

LIBRARY TABLES

PEDESTALS

CEDAR CHESTS

TELEPHONE TABLES

DAVENPORTS

SERVING TABLES

CARPET SWEEPERS

VACUUM CLEANERS

KITCHEN CABINETS

SMOKING SETS

SEWING BASKETS

SHOPPING BASKETS

WASTE PAPER BASKETS

Card Tables

Make Your Selections Early While Stock Is Complete.

Plymouth and Northville

RADER BRUS

Furniture Dealers and Funeral Directors.

Ambulance on Call.

Plymouth and **Northville**

********** Christmas Tree For the Birds



There was a large attendance, and no birds were turned away, no motter how shabby their coats or disreputable their reputations. The blustering little English sparrows were welcomed with the rest, although they tried to bully the others. Even grouchy old Sir Crow was permitted to peck a bit.

In Spain, however, it is not Santa Claus, but one of the three kings, no Claus, but one of the three kings, no less a person, indeed, than Balthasar, who is the purveyor of gifts. He is

Derived From Days of Yore

CORPORECTORISMON

A Lesson In Christmas Spirit *erererererei*

year. All my shopping had been done (or so I thought) when I suddenly remembered hearing my eldest son, a lad of eight years, say, "Oh, I hope Santa will bring me a harmonicon this Christmas," says a writer in the New York Evening Sun.
Of course I could not disregard such a wish, and, although it was raining, I put on my storm coat and robbers and with umbrella in hand started out for one of our large department stores.
On arriving at the counter where this particular article was displayed I found every one so busy I could not



Tuning Up For Christmas. With a whirl and a moirl and a terri

abet, minutes the whole town into Sani Claus street! Rundeth Newport Hepburn in Ne York Times.

ecribe for the Mail.



Practical Gifts Are Best

We are showing a fine line of Useful and Appropriate Gifts for every member of the family. Come here to do your Christmas Shopping, and it will be a pleasure for you. Our stock is complete, and our prices

Helpful Holiday Suggestions

Percolators Coffee and Tea Pots Chafing Dishes **Pudding Dishes Bake Dishes** Pie Servers Mounted Casseroles Tea Kettles **Carving Sets** Table Silverware Razors Aluminum Ware Carpenters' Tools Roasters Vacuum Bottles Red Cross Alcohol Stoves

Food Choppers

Kitchen Utensils Bread and Cake Mixers Shears Scissors Sets Pocket Knives Flash Lights Safety Razors Razor Strops Thermometers Express Wagons Sleds Skates Air Guns Rifles and Shot Guns Sleigh Bells Foot Warmers Robes and Blankets

We will be pleased to have you call and look our line over, whether you buy or not.

& COMPANY



Appropriate - Christmas -

Many of our friends have benefitted by making early selections, and have had their purchases laid away. This also gives us time to do whatever engraving is wanted before the holiday rush.

This week we wish to call your attention to some of the most popular gifts

IN JEWELRY

-both Wrist and Pocket of which we have a good selection at prices from \$5 to \$50.

Chains—the Waldemar, Vest and Dickens, Coat Chains, Gold and Silk Fobs.

Ladies Neck Chains and Lavilliers-Pearl Beads—we have a new line of latest styles.

Rings—Plain wedding rings, rings set with Diamonds, Pearls, Rubies, Sapphires and other stones. Signet rings, new pat-

Cuff Links-in sets with Tie Clasp and Pins.,

Knives-with chains, just the thing for young men. Sterling Silverware.

Plated Silverware-of latest patterns.

Cut Glass and Fancy China-which must be seen to be appreciated.

Sets of Dishes-48 pieces for \$10.00, while they last.

Service Trays

French Ivory-insets or single pieces and in fancy leather rolls.

Leather Purses Khaki Novelties

Service Flags, Pins and Rings Photo Frames and Albums Vases and Jardinieres

We guarantee everything to be as represented and our prices are within range of all. We offer for sale only such merchandise as has been considered worthy of our own and your investment.

See our list of Books in next week's ad

Eastman Kodaks and Supplies



The Home of Santa Claus

Toys



We have dolls from 10c to \$3.50 each —Dressed Dolls, Character Dolls, Bisque Dolls, etc. Children's Chairs Rubber Balls, Wool Balls Alphabetical Blocks Alphabetical Blocks, Picture Blocks Games, 10c, 25c and 50c
Tea Sets, Toy Water Sets
Folding Tables
Iron Toys
Mechanical Autos

Mechanical Birds Banks Musical Tops Drums

Stuffed An Drawing Slates Violins Santa Claus Masks

We have a fine line of Books for boys, girls and children, from 5c to 50c

GROCERY DEPT.

We have a large stock of Fine Candy to sell at cheap prices.

Just received a new stock of
Citron, Lemon Peel, Raisins, Cur-

rants, Mince Meat, etc.

A fine stock of Oranges, Grape
Fruit, Bananas, Grapes, Cranberries, Apples, Celery, Vegetables in season,

We carry a fine line of Canned Goods, Nuts of all kinds, Teas, Cof-fee, Chocolates, Cocoa, etc. Pickles, bottles and bulk. Open Kettle Molasses.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

We have a large stock of Christmas Cards, Booklets, Christmas Letters, Tags, Bells, Wreathes, etc.

CHINAWARE

Come in and see our line of Water Sets, China and Glass Dishes of all kinds and prices.

Store Open Evenings During Christmas Week

PLYMOUTH

Bu Charles Bickens

Wolverhampton) perched among the boughs, as if in preparation for some fairy housekeeping.

agreeable in appearance than many real men, and no wonand showed them to be full of sugar plums. There were fiddles and drums. There fiddles and drums. There were tambourines, books,

CHRISTMAS OF LONG AGO

Poignant Panga Come Instead of Peace, as Season Causes Thoughts of the Past.

this hurried era when a man pusse his majority. Nor is the trugic contras between the cloud, which now for th the world, and the bright star of Beth-lehem the reason for the somber tone that sounds beneath the gay notes of that sounds beneath the gay notes of the season, as the deep diapased of the organ rolls beneath the rippling mel-ody. No; it is none of these things which imparts to Christmos the som-berness which is apparent to every-body who has passed into years of ma-

berness which is apparent to every-body who has passed into years of maturity.

It's memory that does it. Memory plays tricks with us on these days. Perhaps more thun on any other holiday our minds revert to Christmass that used to he. We like to think about it; we like to read the Christmas Carol, because it puts in exertisting words the emotion of gladness which used to dominate that day. No matter how humble the bome, memory paints it in wonderful colors on this one day, from the time we jumped from the warm bed long before dawn and scampered across the cold floor to get the stocking which somehow had been stuffed during the night, to the end of the plethoric home festival, when, candy-smeared and filled to the point of repletion we were rescued from the wreck of toys and packed wently off to sleep, more or less troubled with painful suggestions of turkey and nince ple.

There is only one thing that can make Christmas real to a grown-up, and that is to do something for some-body who cannot pay it back. That otherism is, we begin to suspect; the thing which dominated the Christmases that used to be and made them so real that they remain warm in memory. Unless you would have memory become a dry specter, you yourself must toake real for little children of the now the pictures which memory conjures up for you of the Christmases that used to be.—Saturday Globe.



A Repeated Message.

Every year Christmas repeats its message: "Fear God no more. He brings liberty to the enslaved, light to the despairing, purer foy to the glad. He is the Comforter of the sorrowing, the Physician of the sick, the Hesier of the sindul, the Friend and Companion of man.—Wilbur D.





THE STORE WITH THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

OUR STORE IS FULL OF

Holiday Shoes

and we are making special display and special prices during the month of December.

Shoes for the Young Man---the kind he would like

Shoes and Party Slippers for the Young Lady—beautiful new styles

Comfy Slippers for old age-so soft and nice

YOU CAN'T THINK of anything in the Shoe line but what we have got.

YOU ARE WELCOME ALWAYS AT

R. WILLIAMS

YPSILANTI,

MICHIGAN





Useful

Our line offers many valuable suggestions for Xmas shoppers.

We wish to call your attention to the following appropriate gifts:

Fishing Rods Shot Guns Rifles Pocket Knives Safety Razors Ball Bearing Roller Skates Ice Skates Coaster Wagons Sleds Air Guns

Electric Flat Irons

Electric Toasters Kitchen Ware and Utensils Rochester Casseroles Bissell Carpet Sweeper Electric Vacuum Cleaners Silver Knives and Forks Silver Tea and Table Spoons Carving Sets Nickled Plated Tea and Coffee Pots Chafing Dishes Aluminum Ware

Keen Tools and Cutlery Kutter

We will be pleased to have you call and see the many useful gifts that our store contains.

Conner







The latest achievements of Santa Claus' workshop are here and ready to welcome all the little folks and the big folks too. We have a splendid display of everything needful to adorn the Christmas tree or bulge the big stocking on Christmas morning. We want you to come in and see this wonderful display before making your purchases. We can please you with goods and prices. Come in while the selection is at its very best and stocks are unbroken.

Fancy China

This year we have a larege line of Fancy China that offers many suggestions as a gift for wife or mother

American and English Dinnerware

Electric Lamps and Cut Glass



Toys!

Toys!

ANIMALS-Brown Bears, Elephants, Etc. FIRE ENGINES, AUTOMOBILES, RAILROAD TRAINS, BANKS, BLOCKS, BOOKS, ETC. ERECTORS, DOLLS, DOLL CABS

STATIONERY We have a fine line of Fancy Box Paper in all the lates

Fine line of Smoking Sets for the men

A Fine Line of Christmas Candies, Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables

THE HOME

GAYDE BROTHERS

THE HOME

The following letter is from Merle Murra, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Murray of this village:

The following later in from Merits with a wind of the control of t

make a first-class tramp when this war is over, for I can sleep in a hammock that swings all around in a shipshold and everybody bumps you and you bump them, and in a box car or on a ship's deck or on a bench anywhere—it doesn't make any difference just as long as you can lie down.

Hope this finds you all well and O. K. I have got a pocket full of money, but I don't know how much it is worth. I cannot buy any candy at all. I have got quite a little that I brought with me. I had my carticide belt full of gun (25 packages). PRIVATE MERLE O. MURRAY, 109th Amm. Train, Co. B., American E. F. via New York.

A. P. O. 705.

The following letter is from Louis

Detroit, chairman Boya' Working Reserve and Boys' and Girls' Club work.

Secretary—E. M. Stewart, Inkster, chairman soil improvement.

Treasurer.—Dosph McGarvey, Inkster, chairman farm accounts. The ster, chairman farm accounts. The ster, chairman poultry.

Sylvester, Shear, Redford, chairman dairy.
Charles Brietmeyer, North Detroit, chairman vegetable gardening.

Adjournment.

Plane are now under way to put into operation the work for the coming year.

into operation use ... ing year. O. I. Gregg, County Agent.

DETROIT UNITED LINES

Plymouth Time Table Eastern Standard Time

NORTH BOUND Plymonth for Northville 5:67:07 a.m. and every hour h.m.; also \$:07 p. m. 16:41 p. \$1:35 a.m.

UNCLE SAM

needs your help. Daily we are re aseds your help. Draw Washington, ceiving requests from Washington, as well as locally, for stanographers, typists, calculating mackine operators, bookkeepens, etc. This is a wonderful opportunity for ladies to do their bit. Salaries from \$1,100 to \$1,250 per year. Sand-for our freecourse Bulletin. We have a number of opportunities for young ladies to work for their beard and room while the fact in the land of their beard and room while

DETROIT **BUSINESS UNIVERSITY**



This year we are better prepared than ever to cater to your Christmas wants in wearing apparel. Our Christmas stock is large and complete in all departments, and this year with the high cost of living, something they really need to wear will be greatly appreciated.

We have Everything for Everybody, the Men, the Ladies, the Boys and Girls

Christmas Suits, Cloaks, and Furs

Underwear, Shirts **Night Robes** Table Linen and Napkins Hosiery Ladies' Men's and Children's Shoes and Holiday Slippers Suit Cases, Trunks, Bags Ladies' Hand, Bags Rugs. Draperies Hats and Caps Men's Fur Caps Ladies' and Men's Jewelry Knit Caps and Caps wih Scarfs

Men's and Boys' Overcoats Men's and Boys Pinch Back Overcoats

Dress Skirts Silk Waists Si k Underskirts Dress Goods

Sweaters and Mackinaws for everybody

Bath Robes

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Local Mews

Mr. and Mrs. William Gottman of betroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. F.

evening, December 18th.

Mrs. Georgs Howell, who has been
were sick at her home in north village, is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Selkirk, Mich., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Glen Perkins, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rambo were
called to Flint, Thursday, on account
of the death of their friend, Mrs.
Frank Rem.

William Wood, Flight Cadet of
Lesaide Aviaton camp, North Toronto, Canada, is a guest at E. C.
Leach's, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Perkins of

Born, a little son to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens of Ypailanti, Saturday, December 7th. Mrs. Stavens will be emembered as Miss Hilda Smye of

Emil Schilling is very ill with the

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dixon visited relatives at Farmington, last Sunday.

week.
Frank Beals is stuccoing and other-wise improving his home on Mill streed.
Mr. and Mrs. William Gottschalk spent the day, Monday, at James Gottschalk.
Mins Helen Passage, who is teaching at Rochester, Mich, visited her parents, last Sunday.
Viletcher Campball is at home her.

parents, last Sunday.

[Fletcher Campbell is at home, having received honorable discharge
from the U. S. Army.]

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Brown of
Darragh, Mich. are visiting relatives
in and around Plymouth.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Bekewell attended the funeral of his brother, Altred, in Detroit, Thurnday.

Mrs. Charles Miller entertained her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hamilton, of Detroit, Sunday.

Mrs. Dave Taylor and little son, Vaughan, have been quite sick the past week with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gidliner visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gow, at Elm, last Sunday.

Fred Holloway has been musters.

Mrs. Jefferson Smith of Wayne, was called here, Sunday, on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Emory Hix.

Regular meeting of the Order of hte Eastern Star, next Tuesday even-ing, December 17th. All members are invited to attend.

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Miss Helen Reynolds of Paw Paw,
who has been the guest of her cousin,
Mrs. Howard Brown, for the past
three weeks, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gottschalk and
mother, Mrs. Ballen, spent the afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs.
Eli Ballen at Newburg, last Sunday.
Sunday wisiters et the home of

Gus Schoof, and sister, Mrs. William Elliott, and two children, Mildred and Waldo, of Northyllla.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pattarson, Mr. and Mrs. Czar Penney and Calvin Whipple went to Dearborn, Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Harold Bennett.

Mr. Bacot of Charlevoix, Mrs. Mabel Bacot and Mr. and Mrs. Call Isaminger of Detroit, were owar Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Felt on Fairground avenue.

This is the last month for buying War Savings Stamps. Those who have not fulfilled their pledge should do so before the Blat of December. The cost of the stamps this month is \$4.23.

JCass Hough came home from the Culver Military, scademy at Culver, Indians, Monday night, for the holiday vacation. Cass says it seems mighty good to get back to old Plymouth again.

Special Sale on Cloaks at E. L. Riggs' store, Saturday, December 14, and lasting two weeks. 75 Ladies' choice coats, worth from \$10.00 to \$25.00, to be sold out at \$4.98. Come early and secure a bargain.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gottschalk and the latter's mother, Mrs. Ballen, of Carleton, ate Thankegiving dinner in Highland Park. They sles speat the rest of the week at the home of Carleton, ate Thankegiving dinner in Highland Park. They sles speat the rest of the week at the home of Pattorlman Ballen on Parker avenue. Regular meeting of the Woman's Literary Club this (Foffsy) afternoon at 2:15 c'clock. Each member is privileged to invite two children between the sages of five and sixteen. Mrs. Smith of Detroit, will entertain them.

A card from William Beyer, who with his wife and daughter are a Woodman, Colorado, for the winter any he is feeling fine and gaining every day, Mr. Beyer's many Plymouth friends will be glad to hear this

Mrs. J. P. Woodard, Ensign and Mrs. Edwin Hecker and Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Hecker of Contarty, Plorida, spent last week with Col. and Mrs. Frank J. Becker in Detroit. Ensign and Mrs. Edwin Hecker secompanied.

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FOR SALE—A sideboard. Phon 54-F3. 24

FOR SALE—Furniture: Black walnut begroom suite, cak bedroom suite, lounge, refrigerator, hall rack and other articles. Paul W. Voprhies

WANTED—A drag saw. Cliffor McClumpha, Ypsilanti, Route Phone 309-F3. 50tf

FOR SALE—Child's bed with mat-tress and springs, oak bed with mat-tress and springs and commode. Phone 13, or call at 1217 Penuiman

FOR SALE—Mixed dry wood Call in evening. W. W. Bennett Phone 320-F3. 2t1

WANTED—Two loads or more of straw, delivered. William Roc, 2½ miles east of Plymouth on Plymouth road.

FOR SALE—Large hot air furnace with seven registers and piping; also cold air piping. Fine condition. Good reasons for selling. M. G. Hill, 1012 W. Ann. Arbor street.

FOR SALE—Quantity of mixed ay. Phone 247-F4. 2t1

FOR RENT—Cottage. Mrs. Phile larrison. Phone 56. 2tf

FOR SALE-Mixed dry John Bunyan. Phone 320-F6.

WANTED—A top buggy—must be slatest style and good condition. En-quire at this office. 2t1

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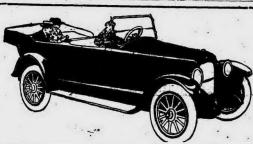
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In a sensible gift Burlington New Fashioned Hose, 25c to \$2.00.

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LIVONIA CENTER

Miss Ethel Elliott of Northville, ras a visitor at school, Friday. The pupils are practicing for a hristmas entertamment, which will e given at the hall, Monday evening, eccember 23. Miss Cora Hobbins of Redford, H. Peters and Mrs. Orton Smith were unday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess lake.

Sunday guests of Activation Hake.

Herbert Tarrow is sick with grippe and unable to attend school.

William Hayball and Harold Wilson were guests of Robert Lee, Sunday

FRAIN'S LAKE

Albert Staebler and family spent Sunday in Ypsilanti, as guests of Mrs. Nora Holmes.
Edward Lyke and family spent Saturday evening at the Nanry home. Burton Galpin's tenant, who moved in last week thought the farm was too slow, and packed up his troubles and asked Burton to hurry him hack to town. im back to town. Mrs. Eugene Staebler is enjoying

a new piano.
Chester Shoebridge and family and
Elijah Gale of Dixboro, all are rapidly recovering from the influenza.
Clifford Fishbeck, who underwent
an operation last week at St. Joseph's
sanitarium, Ann Arbor, is very comfortable.

fortable.

George Lyke and Wallace Hewett spent Saturday in Detroit, on the

NEWBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Shroder of Cass lake,
spent last Saturday with the latter's
uncle, Wm. Smith and family. They
have sold their property and are
to make Florida their future home.
Mrs. C. R. Carson, attended the
funeral of her uncle, Richard Shuel
of Windsor, Ontario. She also attended the funeral services of her
cousin, Mrs. Hamilton E. McKenzie
of Detroit, Wednesday of this week.
Jack Horton is under the doctor's
care.

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The L. A. S. have postponed their meeting and dinner until the second of Friday in January.

Members of the Sunday-school met after church services and with Miss Anna Youngs as leader, practiced a singing for the Christmas exercises. Everyone be sure and be there to e practice next Sabbath. They also want to find out how much each class can raise for the Methodist Children's Home in Detroit, which is kept up by the Sunday-schools of Michigan. Make some little child happy.

There couldn't have been a pleastanter afternoon and evening for this time of year than the L. A. S. had for their annual fair and supper, about 200 being served. Seventy-one dollars was taken in from the supper, and together with the amount received from the various booths, etc., the total amount of \$153.50 was added to the L. A. S. treasury. Those from away who attended were: Mrs. Lydia Joy McNabb, Mrs. Janett Crosby Hodge, Mesdames Walters, Betzner and Middleman (sisters of Mrs. Taylor), and Mrs. Ritam Post all of Detroit. The children, as well

THERE WILL BE NAMES OF AL MOST EVERY NATION ON THAT GREAT ORGANIZATION'S ROLL CALL.

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mbership Has Increased From Few Hundred Thousands to 20,-000,000 Since 1916, Lets Make. It 100,000,000.

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John Brown? Here!
Stanislaus Czeluaniat? Here!
Tony Celotti? Here!
George Washington Johnson? Here!
Armovian Chapourian? Here!
Patrick Galiagher? Here!
Miss Daisy Templeton? Here!
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Thus will they all answer to their names as the roll is called—the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call—December 16 to 23, the greatest peace-time call to service ever sisued in the United States. It is a call to a service that represents the greatest of all human qualities—Mercy.

There will be many strange names on that roll, names that breathe the atmosphere of almost every nation upon the earth, but that know and understand the meaning of one universal name—Red Cross.

The Roll Call follows Red Cross Sunday, December 15, and will continue one week. It will be a call to arms, not steel arms, but human arms stretched out in a service of love, and the call will be heard in every home. Every man, woman and child will be asked to heed the call and by sodoing link themselves with the greatest of hearth of the suffering and help to the fallen. The Great American Red Cross symbolised by a red cross upon a white background.

Answer to the call involves the purchase of Red Cross memberships at one dollar for many, but a dollar is all that is asked. The badge of that membership is a batton, but the mark of membership will be heard and heed and the great American Bince 1916 the membership of the Red Cross is to be an American. If lince 1916 the membership of the Red Cross has increased from a few hundred thousands to 20,000,000.

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Instead of waiting until after Christmas to have our coat sale. Instead of waiting until after Christmas to have our coat sale, we are going to have it in December. This will enable you who have been waiting for our after Christmas sale to get your coat now and have it to wear during the holidays. Those of you who have hesitated about buying this season on account of the prevailing prices will now have the opportunity to get your coat at very near pre-war prices. Our complete stock of cloth and plush coats are included, even the staple black and navy styles that are always worn. The styles are varied and are shown in taupe, green, brown, navy, black, burgundy and other desirable shades.

Some fur trimmed, some plush trimmed and others with collars of same materials as rest of garment.

with collars of same materials as rest of garment, in fact, you will be sure to find some style which will be particularly good for you. We have all sizes in Misses' and Ladies' Coats up to size 40. The cold weather for this season is mostly to come, so you will get a full winter's use of any garment you buy now.

NOTE THESE PRICES

Coats	Sale	Price	\$15.98
Coats	Sale	Price	\$19.98
Coats	Sale	Price	\$23.98
Coats	Sale	Price	\$29.98
Coats	Sale	Price	\$39.98
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