

TESTIMONY CONFLICTS AT WRECK INQUEST

Freight Crew Say Signals at Dexter Were Set "Clear;" Operator and Dispatcher Say Not.

Testimony in the inquest resulting from the Dexter wreck on the Michigan Central railroad early on the morning of November 22d is flatly contradictory.

The testimony was taken in the county court room in Ann Arbor, Friday evening. Alva Rogers, engineer of the freight locomotive, testified that the "clear" signals were showing at Dexter when he passed at 3:56 a. m., and that the head brakeman, who was also watching for the signals, informed him that they showed "clear." The testimony of Fred Blanchard, fireman of the freight locomotive, corroborated that of the engineer.

Operator Watson Hart, who was on duty at the Dexter station, testified that the signals were set at "stop" at 3:37 a. m. Also, that he went east on the track to a point approximately five car lengths east of the "cross-over" switch in order to stop the freight so that it would not block the "cross-over" for the fast express. Hart's testimony was corroborated by Louis Eck, night watchman at the street crossing just east of the Dexter depot. It was Mr. Eck who signalled the rear brakeman as the freight train pulled by and so stopped it after it had passed the station.

The testimony of Charles H. Miller of Detroit, train dispatcher, agreed with that of Operator Hart. He said that no fault could be found with the crew of the express train as the orders given them at Chelsea gave them right of way over all trains.

Arthur K. Collins, night operator at Chelsea station, gave testimony agreeing with that of Operator Hart and Dispatcher Miller and also told of the latter's efforts to stop the express by calling the crew of a freight stalled at Four Mile lake, but the express had already passed.

Others whose testimony was taken were: Frank Steeb, who took two of

the victims of the wreck to Dexter in his automobile; Edward Harkness, who assisted in carrying the injured men from the wreck; Orla Blair, who assisted in quenching the fire in the cab of the express locomotive and in recovering the body of the dead engineer; Dr. W. C. Wylie of Dexter, who attended the wounded men, and John O. Leslie, conductor of the express train.

RED CROSS CHRISTMAS ROLL.

The National Red Cross will undertake a Red Cross Christmas Roll Call during the week preceding Christmas, December 16th to 23rd. The roll call will consist of a campaign throughout the United States which is intended to reach every adult citizen for the purpose of renewing memberships and the securing of new members. Aside from this, no financial solicitation campaign will be undertaken, at least until summer.

The purpose of this Christmas Roll Call is two fold. First, to demonstrate that the American people are heart and soul back of the tremendous work which the Red Cross has been doing, and there is no better way to demonstrate this fact than by responding to the roll call; and secondly, such a comprehensive plan of memberships should produce funds in small amounts sufficient in the aggregate to defer a general financial campaign.

OFFICERS PYTHIAN SISTERS.

The Pythian Sisters have elected officers as follows: M. E. C., Bernice Boyd; E. S., Laura Armour; E. J., Iza Guerin; M. of R. C., Martha Shaver; M. of F., Jennie Walker; Manager, Flora Witherell; G. of F., Lydia Bohner; Protector, Etta Brooks; Trustee, Bertha Stephens; delegate to district convention, Lola Dancer; delegate to grand temple, Laura Armour.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP TAXES.

Sylvan township taxes may be paid on Monday, Wednesday or Saturday of each week at my store, Main and East Middle streets, Chelsea, until further notice.

W. F. Kantlehner,
Township Treasurer.

NEIGHBORHOOD ITEMS

Brevities of Interest From Nearby Towns and Localities.

YPSILANTI—On Tuesday, Chief of Police Cain, by orders from Judge Sample, turned over to Boyer hospital 82 quarts of whiskey and two bottles of Kimmel. This is the liquor that was taken from Detroit parties who were passing through here in an automobile and who became stalled on South Huron street.—Record.

JACKSON—"Do not molest skunk holes," was the warning given by Justice of the Peace Christie Sterns, Friday, when he sentenced Charles and Nelson Losey, both of Sandstone township, to each pay a fine of \$5 and costs of \$3, on their plea of guilty to the charge that they did "destroy, disturb and molest a skunk hole." The complaint was made by one of the game wardens.—News.

MANCHESTER—Dr. Judson King and Mrs. King, who will be remembered as Miss Cora Wolf of this village, who have been here in Ann Arbor for the past year where the doctor has been taking post graduate work, sailed from Boston, Thursday, on their return to the Congo, Africa, where they have already spent four years as medical missionaries. The two children, a son and a daughter, both born in Africa, will remain in a Baptist home in Boston during the four years' absence of their parents. Mrs. King is a stepdaughter of Mrs. Homer Hall and a niece of Mrs. Jacob Bauer of this place.

BROOKLYN—Emery Peck, a young farmer living two miles west of here, met with a serious accident Monday while shredding fodder. The blower of the machine became clogged in some manner and in trying to clear it out Peck's right hand was drawn into the machinery, mangle it badly. It was necessary to amputate the arm at the wrist.

ANN ARBOR—Philip Gauss, 70 years of age, died at half-past ten o'clock Friday night in St. Joseph's sanitarium, of injuries received shortly after 5:30 o'clock, when he was run into by an auto delivery wagon.—Times-News.

YPSILANTI—The following note accompanied a parcel of laundry received Friday by the Ypsilanti Laundry company: "Dear Sir—Please wash all and put some medicine to kill germs as Mr. M.—died very suddenly as he had five different cases of strange diseases an killed him. Get done by next week."

ANN ARBOR—Dr. W. S. Warthin has returned from Washington, bringing positive assurance that the University of Michigan will be given the \$28,000 appropriation for a building for the care and treatment of women and girls suffering from venereal diseases.—Times-News.

YPSILANTI—Emil Hoffer, of Detroit, was arrested Saturday night by the police on a charge of having in his possession nine quarts of whiskey.

CHORAL UNION CONCERT.

Serge Prokofieff, the much talked about Russian pianist, who recently startled New York in his American debut, has been engaged for a recital, Saturday, December 14, in Hill auditorium, Ann Arbor, in the Choral Union series to take the place of Leopold Godowsky, who is unable to fill his engagement on account of an operation for the removal of his tonsils. Great excitement has been created in the musical world over the performances of this young man whose methods are so unusual and so contrary to the established order of piano playing.

"BOOZE" WON'T KILL "FLU."

The people who think that an unlimited use of whiskey is an infallible cure for the "flu" have another guess coming. Wet Toledo, where booze has been flowing freely for both Ohio and Michigan had many more cases of the epidemic than dry Detroit. In fact the Ohio city had so many that the Toledo saloons had to be closed.

ODDFELLOWS ELECTION.

The Oddfellows lodge elected officers Wednesday as follows: N. G., N. W. Laird; V. G., G. W. Moore; R. S., H. Cunningham; F. S., Frank Dickerson; treasurer B. Grey; trustee for three years, C. E. Moore.

Red Cross Christmas roll call. Respond by joining or renewing your membership during campaign week, December 16-23.

Back up the boys by responding to the Red Cross Christmas roll call. Campaign week December 16-23.

NOT SO COLD THIS YEAR.

A year ago now Chelsea folks were thawing out frozen water-pipes and "viewing with alarm" rapidly diminishing coal piles, the result of a cold wave with temperatures hovering around the 4° below point for a whole week. The following is quoted from an article in the Tribune of date December 11, 1917:

"Unusually early winter weather, with below zero temperatures, stinging northwest winds and a driving snow storm was the portion of Chelsea folks over the week-end. Carefully hoarded coal piles disappeared like magic and unless the weather soon moderates many Chelseaites will be without fuel."

"The wintery blasts were ushered in Saturday with a driving snow storm of blizzard-like proportions and by night the streets were badly drifted. The temperatures also fell rapidly to below zero points during the night and continued to hover around the zero point throughout Sunday. Thermometers in exposed positions are reported to have registered as low as 12° below zero, but the average seems to have been about 4° below."

The temperature this morning was 31° above zero, 35° warmer than a year ago.

OFFICERS KNIGHTS PYTHIAS.

The Knights of Pythias elected officers last evening as follows: C. C., J. H. Boyd; V. C., Howard S. Holmes; prelate, T. G. Speer; K. of R. S., O. T. Hoover; M. of E., O. C. Burkhardt; M. of F., John Frymuth; M. of W., Harry Litteral; M. of A., Theo. Bahmiller; I. G., Ed. Brown; O. G., Warren Boyd; installing officer, Harry Litteral; trustee, O. C. Burkhardt; relief committee, J. G. Webster, N. H. Cook, George Ward.

A progressive euchre party will be held at the K. of P. hall Thursday evening and Monday evening there will be a special meeting with work in the rank of esquire.

WEBSTER BOY DIES OVERSEAS.

Ralph Whitney, 112th Machine Gun Battalion, 29th Division, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Whitney of Webster township, died of wounds overseas, November 22d, according to a telegram from Washington, received by his parents Wednesday.

He was wounded the 15th day of October, in the body near the right shoulder by a piece of high explosive. A letter written November 5th, stating that they had removed the liquid from the lung cavity, which relieved his breathing, showed the seriousness of the wound. The last letter received from him, written November 10th, stated that he was feeling comfortable and expected to sit up any day.

\$50,000 BOOZE HAUL.

Between Friday night and Sunday morning, a detachment of state constabulary under command of Captain Don M. Childs, confiscated 1,000 gallons of whisky, one moving van and several automobiles along the Monroe county line. At prevailing prices the bootleg whisky is appraised at \$40,000 and the trucks and automobiles bringing the total value of the confiscated property up to \$50,000. Several bootleggers were arrested by the state police and will be held for alleged violation of the prohibition laws.

Rebekah chicken-pie supper, Saturday, December 14th, I. O. O. F. hall.

Red Cross Christmas roll call—a large membership in the Red Cross means more "over there" than money.

+ A GERMAN HOPE DISPROVED +
+ AND +
+ A GERMAN FEAR CONFIRMED +
+ +
+ A statement made by a prominent German official soon after this country was declared in a state of war with Germany shows that even in the enemy country clear thinking students did not undervalue the strength of the American republic. Only in his confidence that we could not land in Europe sufficient troops to affect the final decision was this German mistaken.
+ "I do not fear the American soldiers," he told a high official of our government, "because they cannot arrive in time. What I fear is the intelligence and devotion of one hundred million original minds and people trained to a faith in individual initiative. The day that these people, now so materialistic in outward appearance, are stirred + spiritually, that day is the day + of Germany's doom." +

WASHTENAW "PORKER"

BRINGS FANCY PRICE

Duroc Jersey Swine From Webster Wins Grand Championship.

One of the big exhibits at the great International Live Stock exposition at Chicago the past week was the entry of Duroc Jersey swine by Brookwater farm of Webster township, one of the largest stock farms in Washtenaw county, noted especially for its Duroc Jersey swine and Jersey cattle.

The entries from this farm won the greater part of the prizes in the Duroc Jersey class, among them being the grand championship sow, which later sold for \$2,250, said to be largest price ever paid at auction for an animal of that kind.

HAD THREE GALLONS BOOZE.

A foreign looking man with a heavy black bag walked from the Michigan Central railroad station to the D. J. & C. station Thursday night, but before he could get on a car for Chelsea a police officer got sight of him and took him to jail. His suspicious looking bag contained three gallons of whiskey, which he had brought from Chicago. The man gave his name as Mike Wysocki and his home and destination as Chelsea. Friday morning Justice Thomas held him for the circuit court, and on Saturday, Wysocki was fined \$100 and costs of \$8.58 as directed by Judge Sample.—Ann Arbor Times-News.

STATE GRANGE POSTPONED.

The State Grange, which was to have met in Saginaw, December 10 to 12, has been postponed on account of the ban on public meetings in that city as a result of the increase of influenza. This epidemic is increasing throughout the state and it is not impossible that another state wide ban may be proclaimed.

"FLU" SERIOUS IN MILAN.

Influenza has broken out in Milan to an alarming extent during the past week, a conservative estimate yesterday placing the number of cases in that place at 40. So serious is the outbreak that a call has been sent to Ann Arbor for additional nurses to assist in caring for the influenza victims.

The goal of the Red Cross Christmas roll call is universal membership—JOIN!

WANTED AND FOR SALE.

Five cents per line first insertion, 2½¢ per line each consecutive time. Minimum charge 15¢. Special rate, 3 lines or less, 3 consecutive times, 25 cents.

TO RENT, FOUND, ETC.

FOR SALE—12 pigs 3 months old. E. L. Sturdevant, phone 154-F5, Chelsea. 2513

FARM WANTED—5 to 20 acres near Chelset. W. B., care Tribune. 2413

FOR SALE—83 acre farm 1½ miles from Chelsea; good soil, good buildings; fine location. Price \$300 per acre. Would consider house and lot in Chelsea as part payment, balance easy terms. I. L. VanGieson, 236 E. Middle St., Chelsea. 2514

LOST—30x3 Diamond tire for Ford car, somewhere between Chelsea and Waterloo. Chelsea Hardware Company. 2513

NOTICE—For choice Christmas trees, all sizes, also landscape work and general nursery stock, farm and garden seeds, cyclone and auto insurance, call on A. Kaercher, 515 South Madison St., Chelsea, phone 243.

FOR SALE—Five cows and two heifers. Riker farm, R. F. D. No. 3, Chelsea. 2416

FOR SALE—18 acre farm, 3 miles from Clinton, one of the best towns in Lenawee Co.; good soil and buildings; price \$1,600.00, half down; no exchange. I. L. VanGieson, 236 E. Middle St., Chelsea. 2514

FOR SALE—One of the most pleasant homes in Chelsea, 431 W. Middle St.; modern. John Farrell. 2413

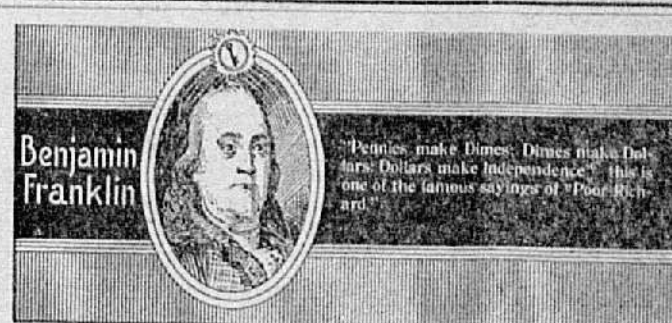
FOR SALE—Extra fine R. I. Red cockerels from best flock in state. W. H. Laird, phone 254-F21, Chelsea. 2413

LEONA M. FROELICH, piano and voice teacher, phone 162-F13. 2316

FOR SALE—Chicken farm on McKinley St., Chelsea. Two acres of land, accommodations for 1,000 chickens. Modern 8-room house. Mrs. Mary Fish, Chelsea, box 525. 181f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. Mary Depew, 319 Congdon St. 181f

FOR SALE—Old newspapers for wrapping, shelves, etc. Large bundle only five cents at the Tribune office



More so, perhaps than any other great American, Franklin thoroughly appreciated the great value of THRIFT.

His crisp, terse writings under the non de plume of "Poor Richard" fairly sparkle with sage reflections relative to the extreme importance of saving.

One cannot do better than follow Franklin's advice.

Systematic saving is absolutely essential to success.

Opening a savings account with us now—save just what you can easily spare.

You will be surprised to see how rapidly your account will grow—and what a source of pleasure it will be to you.

NOTHING TO SELL BUT SERVICE

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CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS \$100,000

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We offer a complete line of Silverware, Tea Kettles, Coffee and Tea Pots in aluminum and nickel on copper, Aluminum Kettles, Double Boilers or any other household utensil.

A survey of our tool case suggests a Plane, Augur Bit set, Square, Saw, Hammer, Hatchet, or any other of the useful tools needed about the home.

A full line of Flash Lights and Electric Lanterns and a stock of bulbs and batteries that are always fresh and full test.

Our furniture rooms are full of bargains in Chairs, Beds, Dressers, Chiffoniers, Couches, Tables, etc.

The Home of DeLavel Separators—"The Best by Test"

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Chelsea, Mich.

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If you are planning to make Christmas Gifts you want to use care and judgement in selecting them, no matter how low the price may be.

JEWELRY IS THE IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT

Select your gifts from our up-to-the-minute offerings in Jewelry. We have planned for weeks for the Christmas event so that we would merit the patronage of yourself and friends by giving equal and better values for the money than can be had elsewhere. We offer a complete and large stock of

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from as low as 50 cents, \$1.00, \$2.00 and up in worthy and dependable articles, priced at the lowest figure possible, consistent with quality, including:

BRACELET WATCHES	FOUNTAIN PENS
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DIAMONDS	HANDY PINS
SILVER NOVELTIES	MANICURE SETS
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SILVERWARE

Come in and look over our gift stock before buying elsewhere; see the articles you buy and know just what you are paying for.

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Main and Middle Sts.

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A Merry Christmas To All

From Chelsea Hardware Company

At our store you will find numerous articles suitable for useful holiday gifts.

Pyrex—the sanitary Baking Dishes

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In Furniture we have a fine line of Rockers, Library Tables, Cedar Chests, Dining Tables and Buffets

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Thanking all for past patronage and wishing you prosperity and happiness for the coming year—

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For Your

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110 North Main Street, Chelsea, Michigan.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.



Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grownups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Keeping the Faith.
A man returning from Philadelphia tells of a rugged newsboy, who, after his papers were all sold, still stood near Independence Hall lustily shouting the news of Germany's surrender. "I'm just a-doin' what the Liberty bell would do if it could," explained the little patriot.

KIDNEY SUFFERERS HAVE FEELING OF SECURITY

You naturally feel secure when you know that the medicine you are about to take is absolutely pure and contains no harmful or habit-producing drugs.

Such a medicine is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, kidney, liver and bladder remedy. The same standard of purity, strength and excellence is maintained in every bottle of Swamp-Root.

Swamp-Root is scientifically compounded from vegetable herbs.

It is not a stimulant and is taken in teaspoonful doses.

According to verified testimony it is nature's great helper in relieving and overcoming kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

A sworn statement of purity is with every bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

If you need a medicine, you should have the best.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you will find it on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to try this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Vital Question.
Mrs. Johnson—Sister Martha has just got a divorce from her husband.

Mrs. Jackson—You don't say. How much ammonia did he don't grant her?

—Boston Transcript.

How's This?
We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 50c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

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Plenty of exercise, fresh air, regular hours—is all the prescription you need to avoid influenza—unless through neglect or otherwise, a cold gets you. Then take—at once

CASCARA QUININE
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

Irritating Coughs
Promptly treat coughs, colds, hoarseness, bronchitis and sore throat and irritative conditions of the throat with a tested remedy

PISO'S

DRAFTING ARMIES IN EUROPE MUST STOP—CHURCHILL

SIR AUCLAND GEDDES IN ADDRESS SAYS EX-KAISER AND TWO OTHER KINGS SHOULD FORFEIT THEIR LIVES.

ALIEN ENEMIES TO BE DEPORTED

Colonel Churchill Says Britannia 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 Spencer Churchill made this announcement in a speech.

David Lloyd George, British prime minister, in the election campaign in London, gave a re-statement of his policy. In it he declared 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.

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 justice of the nature meted out in the highest courts of the land.

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 atrocities upon our prisoners and upon civilian inhabitants of invaded lands," he continued, "must stand trial, and if they are condemned, must suffer death."

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 pointed out, but if atrocities at sea were committed on violation 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 must continue to rule the waves. She will not suffer any abridgement whatsoever of her "well tried and well deserved naval supremacy." No argument or appeals—no matter from what quarter—will sway her from this stand.

Colonel Churchill's statement was the first positive, clear-cut, and uncompromising utterance on the subject made by any member of the government since signing of the armistice.

The munitions minister announced Great Britain does not intend to take back Heligoland, Germany's "Gibraltar in the North sea," because this is unnecessary. 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.

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 in exacting them we must not do anything that will injure our own trade."

33 STATE MEN GIVEN STRAPS

Of 903 Men Graduated Two Were Made Captains; 11 First Lieutenants.

Atlanta, Ga.—Names of 33 Detroit and Michigan men are contained in the first official announcement of the personnel of the class of student officers who graduated from the central officers' training school for infantry at Camp Gordon and were commissioned in the infantry officers' reserve corps and immediately sent back to civilian life.

Of the 903 men graduated, two were made captains and 11 first lieutenants.

Demobilization Brings Disease.

Ann Arbor.—We may expect an unprecedented amount of communicable disease in this country following return of the soldiers from Europe and from the camps in this country, said Colonel V. C. Vaughan, head of the epidemiological section of the staff of the surgeon general, here. The mobilization of an army is always accompanied by the concentration of communicable diseases. Dr. Vaughan recently was home on a three days' leave of absence.

U-BOATS AND MINES KILL 15,000 MEN.

London.—Fifteen thousand men lost their lives during the war due to submarine and mine warfare, Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, has announced. Altogether 2,475 merchantmen and 670 fishing vessels—a total of 3,145 craft—were sunk, and 3,147 crews were set adrift as result of sinkings.

"LETTERS-FROM-HOME" WEEK

War Department Commission Wants Soldiers' Kin to Help Maintain Morale of Army.

New York.—The week of December 15 has been designated by the war department commission on training camp activities as a time for special letters to be written by mothers, fathers, sisters, wives and sweethearts of the men now overseas. The week has been called "Letters-From-Home" week, and the purpose is to apply the "home touch" to a broad-gauged military program for maintaining the morale of the men who find themselves idle after weeks of strenuous fighting. The war department hopes, through these letters, to keep the men contented, "straight," and ambitious to live up to the high ideals of American manhood.

A model letter such as the government wants the mothers and fathers especially to write has been prepared by the war department. This, with letters from Secretary of War Baker and Raymond B. Fosdick, chairman of the commission, endorsing the plan, has been mailed to newspapers throughout the country. The letter particularly asks that the men overseas direct their attention to wholesome recreation and activities, instead of to the unwholesome influences that might result from the enforced period of idleness, wherever large bodies of troops are awaiting orders to return home.

WOUNDED SENT NEAR HOMES

Michigan Men Will Come to Detroit and Custer Hospitals.

Washington.—Plans under which all wounded men returning from France will go to hospitals within 200 miles of homes of their nearest relatives were announced by the war department.

To this end base hospitals at training camps have been turned over to the surgeon-general providing 75 hospitals with facilities to care for 109,231 men. Fifty thousand men are expected to be sent to these institutions within the next four months.

Use of the training camps will make it possible to return to their owners immediately numerous properties and buildings which were to be converted into general hospitals. Michigan men, under the war department plan, are classified in hospital group No. 10—General hospital, Detroit and base hospital, Camp Custer.

THOUSANDS IN U. S. N. RELEASED

Will Permit Youths to Return to Civil Pursuits As Before War.

Washington.—Discharge of 20 per cent of the navy's wartime personnel, about 100,000 men, has been authorized. Secretary Daniels said the men would be released as quickly as possible with due regard to the convenience of the service.

Private yachts, motor boats and other craft taken over by the navy for the war already are being turned back to their owners. Mr. Daniels said by February 700 crafts will have been stricken from the navy list.

Release of enlisted men is authorized not because the navy is overmanned, but to permit return to civil pursuits of youths who joined for the war and who do not intend to follow the sea.

VETERAN UNITS TO STAY ABOARD

Baker Says Tried Fighters Will Compose Army of 1,250,000.

Washington.—Secretary Baker gave it as his opinion that no veteran divisions of the American army in France will return home before peace formally is declared. He indicated the tried fighting men would compose the bulk of the forces to be kept in Europe for the present.

Heretofore the understanding has been that the Rainbow division and two or three other famous units would be brought home soon, leaving their places to be filled by new comers.

Amendment Hits Parochial Schools

Lansing.—Practical elimination in Michigan of private and parochial schools is asked for in a constitutional amendment to be voted on next spring. Petitions signed by 48,000 electors were filed with the secretary of state. The amendment was talked of last year and is intended to eradicate schools not under the state public school system. It was originally intended to strike at schools of various religious denominations in which German was spoken.

MAY TRY EX-KAISER IN VERSAILLES

SOLDIERS INSIST UPON PARTY REPRESENTATION ON ALL GOVERNMENT BOARDS.

DUTCH TO EXILE HOEHNZOLLERN

Both Wings of German Social Democracy Busy Themselves in Common National Platform.

London.—Reynolds' newspaper claims it has information trial of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm will be held at Versailles.

Has German Governments. Amsterdam.—The German government has decided not to oppose surrender by Holland of the ex-kaiser and the former crown prince if the Allies demand it preliminary to bringing them to trial. Announcement to this effect was made in Berlin recently.

France Is for International Jury.

Paris.—(Havas)—Formation of an international jury to try the former German emperor is gaining wide support in France, the Matin says. Attorney General Lescouvie, after an investigation, has transmitted to the ministry of justice the charge of murder made against the former emperor, by Madame Prieur, whose husband was killed in the torpedoing of the mail steamer Sussex. The attorney general said he considered the charge admissible in the French courts.

Says Gold Goes to Wilhelm.

Amsterdam.—The president of the Hamburg soldiers' and workers' council has declared to the Weser Zeitung of Hamburg, he knew positively 20 bags of minted gold have been sent to Amerongen, Holland, for William Hohenzollern.

Holland Would Exile Wilhelm.

London.—If the Allies insist upon delivery of the former German emperor and crown prince to an international court of justice, Holland will yield, but will first urge the Allies content themselves with an understanding by Holland to intern them for life in one of the Dutch colonies, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to the Express.

Holland, it is understood, will suggest Herr Hohenzollern and his son be placed on an island in either the East or West Indies, where he will be guarded by a Dutch fleet.

It is also anticipated Holland will be asked for compensation for permitting violation of her neutrality by allowing German troops to pass through the province of Limburg on their retreat from Belgium and receiving German ships from Antwerp. This compensation, says the correspondent, may possibly be cession of certain territory along the Belgian frontier owned by Holland since 1839, perhaps the southern part of Dutch Limburg, the population of which region is claimed to be principally Belgian.

U. S. WARSHIPS BRING BACK MEN

After Escorting President's Party In to Brest, Will Turn Transports.

Paris.—The 10 American dreadnoughts which will escort President Wilson into French waters will turn about immediately after their arrival to carry homeward a large party of American soldiers and sailors. The trip will be so timed that the men will arrive at home port by Christmas.

The operation will constitute one of the most extensive movements of battleships for transport purposes ever undertaken.

The fleet will reach Brest about December 11 and probably will complete coaling and provisioning ships and embarking troops within three or four days.

LARGE ORE POCKET FOUND

Government Expert Claims Deposit Estimated at 90,000,000 tons.

Denver.—The only considerable body of radium-bearing uranium ore in the world has been discovered at Jih Town, mining camp near Boulder, Col., the Denver Post announced.

Dr. C. E. Schell, government expert, estimates the deposit contains 90,000,000 tons. Attestations of the presence of radium-bearing uranium ore have been made by Professor S. C. Lind, government radium expert of the bureau of mines; Professor E. A. Engel, University of Denver, and leading chemists of the east and west.

The discovery was made in a stream of black metal heavier than lead, which, until it was tested for uranium, puzzled experts.

In Air 75 Minutes Makes 175 Miles

Washington.—Despite heavy snowstorms over the Allegheny mountains which forced an ascent to 12,000 feet the trip from Pittsburgh to Washington, 175 miles, was made in 75 minutes by Glenn Martin, in a day bombing plane, equipped with two Liberty motors and piloted by Major Harley W. Lake, inspector for the division of military aeronautics. Temperatures as low as 10 degrees below zero were encountered in their record trip across the mountains.

RED CROSS IN PEACE

WORK FOR THE ORGANIZATION NOW THAT WAR MAY BE CONSIDERED ENDED.

WHOLE NATION ASKED TO AID

Chairman Davison Announces That Week Preceding Christmas Will Be Given to Efforts to Extend the Order's Membership to All Citizens.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Future plans of the American Red Cross, under which the great organization built up during the war will be devoted to peace-time relief work not only in the United States but throughout the world, was outlined in a statement issued tonight by Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war council.

"The whole American people will be invited in the week preceding Christmas to enroll as members of the Red Cross. It is confidently believed there need be no further campaigns for Red Cross funds, but instead the annual roll call will constitute the foundation of the Red Cross. The people should, therefore, know as definitely as possible the plans of this their national humanitarian society."

"Wherever our soldiers and sailors may be, the Red Cross will stay with them until they are demobilized. Nothing which we may do will be left undone, either for the men in the war zone, for those returning, for those in the camps and hospitals or for their families at home to whom will continue to be devoted the ministrations of the Red Cross home service. In this latter effort 50,000 trained Red Cross workers are now engaged at 5,000 different places throughout the land."

"The problems of reconstruction, involving feeding and caring for the distressed civilian populations of Europe, are of such magnitude that necessary they must be met very largely by the governments of our allies, with whom our own government will cooperate."

"The war program of the American Red Cross will thus steadily and rapidly merge itself into a peace program. While the plans in this direction cannot be formulated specifically, in advance of the general relief program of the allied governments, the American Red Cross is nevertheless planning to develop its permanent organization in this country upon a scale never before contemplated in time of peace. The commissions which are now conducting the activities of the American Red Cross in foreign countries, as well as the temporary war organization in this country, will as a matter of course ultimately merge their energies with those of the permanent organization of the Red Cross."

"There may be, therefore, perfect confidence that the peace activities of the Red Cross will be conducted under able and inspiring leadership. The chapters will maintain their organizations upon a scale adequate to the new demands to be made upon them. Local committees will indeed appreciate more and more the value of having in their midst strong and efficient Red Cross chapters. The divisional organizations, with honorary and permanent staffs, will be maintained—always ready for service—and national headquarters will have a large and efficient personnel to direct the activities of the organization as a whole."

"For the completion of its war work and for the institution of its peace program, the Red Cross is fortunately in a healthy financial condition. Abundant occasion for the use of large funds of money and great quantities of garments and other supplies will continue to arise, but it is believed that there will be no further need for intensive campaigns for funds. The work of supplementing governmental activities, which the Red Cross will be called upon to do in all parts of the world, will be upon a great scale but it will call for human service rather than for large expenditures."

"What the American Red Cross needs now is not so much contribution of money, as the continued devotion and loyalty of its members. This is peculiarly true at this moment of transition from war to peace. Annual membership involves the payment of only one dollar. The money thus received not only defrays all the administrative expenses of the organization, but leaves a substantial balance, which together with all funds subscribed directly for relief, are devoted solely to that purpose. The roll call of the nation is thus to be called at Christmas time, that through enrollment in their Red Cross the American people may send a message to our soldiers still overseas and to the peoples of the world that we are not only merely content with seeing our arms united with our allies in victory, but that our abiding purpose is that the love, the sympathy and the intelligence of all America shall be rededicated to the permanent service of mankind."

Intelligent Dog.

The family doctor was making a professional call one afternoon, when Johnny, who happened to be the patient on this occasion, suddenly gave a chuckle just as the physician had completed his examination and remarked in a half confidential whisper: "Say, just look at my doggy! I guess he knows you're a doctor, all right. He's got his tongue out."

Daily Thought.

Curb the high spirit in thy breast for gentle ways are best.—Homer.

DETROIT MARKETS.

Best Heavy Steers	\$12.50	@ 15.00
Mixed Steers	9.50	@ 10.00
Best Cows	9.00	@ 10.00
Light Butchers	7.00	@ 7.50
Butcher Cows	7.00	@ 8.00
Best Heavy Bulls	9.00	@ 9.50
Stock Bulls	7.00	@ 7.50
CALVES—Best	17.50	@ 18.00
Others	7.00	@ 15.00
LAMBS—Best	14.50	@ 14.65
Light to common	10.00	@ 11.75
SHEEP—Common	4.00	@ 7.00
Fair to good	8.00	@ 8.50
HOGS—Best	17.00	@ 17.25
Pigs	16.25	@ 16.50
DRESSED CALVES	19	@ 20
Fancy	24	@ 25
LIVE POULTRY—(Lb.)		
No. 1 Springs	26	@ 27
Roosters	19	@ 20
Hens, small	22	@ 23
Geese	24	@ 25
Ducks	30	@ 31
Turkeys	29	@ 30
CLOVER SEED	25.50	
ALSIKE	19.00	
TIMOTHY	5.20	
WHEAT	2.22	@ 2.24
CORN	1.35	@ 1.50
OATS—Standard	.78	
RYE—No. 2	1.64	
BEANS	9.00	
HAY—No. 1 Tim.	28.50	@ 29.00
Light Mixed	27.50	@ 28.00
No. 1 Clover	23.50	@ 24.00
STRAW—No. 1	10.50	@ 11.00
TALLOW—No. 1	.16	
POTATOES—(Cwt.)	1.75	
EGGS—Fresh	.67	@ .69
CREAMERY BUTTER	.64½	@ .65

GIRLS! LOTS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

A small bottle of "Danderine" makes hair thick, glossy and wavy.

Removes all dandruff, stops itching scalp and falling hair.



To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—it costs but a few cents—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this. *Adv.

Had Two Mouths to Feed.

Richard Butler Glaesner, New York essayist and critic, at the Players' club:

"Poetry is delightful. But poets are so poorly paid. I know a rich man who has a beautiful golden-haired stenographer. The girl said to her employer the other day:

"I am going to get married, sir.

And I am going to marry a poet."

"Dear me," said the wealthy man.

"Then you will have us, eh?"

"No, sir," she replied, "I shall not leave you, but I shall need more pay."

TOO WEAK TO FIGHT

The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Hair Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful. Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befell the overzealous American. The best known, most reliable remedy for these troubles is GOLD MEDAL Hair Oil Capsules. This remedy has stood the test for more than 200 years since its discovery in the ancient laboratories in Holland. It acts directly and gives relief at once. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.—Adv.

Attention to Strawberries

December is Proper Month to Provide Protection for Winter, Says Colorado Expert.

(By J. J. GARDNER, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins.)

December is the month in which strawberries are usually given winter protection. There are several reasons why this protection is necessary: First, to protect the plants from the severe cold and drying winds in this climate, and, second, to prevent injury to the roots caused by freezing and thawing throughout the winter, and especially in early spring. The heaving of the ground in early spring, due to frost action, is very frequently the cause of there being no crop that year.

Any time after the ground is frozen, a mulch of leaves, straw, straw manure, chaff or any other such available material should be distributed evenly three or four inches deep over the bed. In cases where fine straw, chaff, or straw manure is used, the work may be most economically done by using a manure-spreader straddling the rows. With coarser manure, hand labor will be necessary to distribute it.

The mulch is partially removed from the plant rows in the spring about blooming time, a sufficient amount being worked under the plants to keep the berries clean during the fruiting season. It also assists in conserving moisture.

Care should be taken not to cover the beds too deeply nor allow the mulch to remain on the plant rows too long, else the plants may be smothered.

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THE MAKING OF A FAMOUS MEDICINE

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Is Prepared For Woman's Use.

A visit to the laboratory where this successful remedy is made impresses even the casual looker-on with the reliability, accuracy, skill and cleanliness which attends the making of this great medicine for woman's ills.

Over 350,000 pounds of various herbs are used annually and all have to be gathered at the season of the year when their natural juices and medicinal substances are at their best.

The most successful solvents are used to extract the medicinal properties from these herbs.

Every utensil and tank that comes in contact with the medicine is sterilized and as a final precaution in cleanliness the medicine is pasteurized and sealed in sterile bottles.

It is the wonderful combination of roots and herbs, together with the skill and care used in its preparation which has made this famous medicine so successful in the treatment of female ills.

The letters from women who have been restored to health by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which we are continually publishing attest to its virtue.

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All druggists; Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Tablets 25. Sample each free of charge. Write for free literature.

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Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
Bottle 25c. Jar 50c. 100c. 150c. 250c.

HAD EXAMPLE BEFORE HIM

Leop-Eared Youth Could Not Doubt That Some People Could Speak Fast Without Stuttering.

A venerable citizen of the Straddle Ridge neighborhood entered a luncheon in Polkville, dragging after him a gaunt-necked, top-eared youth.

"What kind of pie have ye got yere?" he asked of the brisk waitress.

"Peach, apple, mince, raisin, plums, apricot, mince, raisin and currant custard," she answered with considerable rapidity.

"Put—whichever?" returned the old fellow.

The young lady repeated the list with still greater speed.

"Please say that over ag'in, if you'd jest as liv'," requested the ancient man.

"Say, looker here!" demanded the waitress. "Can't you understand anything?"

"Oh, yes'm; I understand all right!" he turned to the top-eared youth.

"There now, hummet!" he triumphantly said. "You see, it's jest as I told you; a person kin talk as fast as he pleases without stutterin'; he'll only take keer!"—Judge.

Not Frederick!

"You sign this deed of your own free will, do you, madam?" asked the lawyer.

"What do you mean by that?" demanded the large, florid-faced woman.

"I mean there has been no compulsion on the part of your husband. Has there?"

"M'n!" she ejaculated, turning to look at the little meek man sitting behind her. "Frederick? I'd like to see him compulse me."

A Good Match.

"When I get a car, I want one which will suit me." "Then, my dear, you had better get a runabout."

Solid Winter Nourishment

The real food elements of wheat and barley so made as to be rich in sugar, and ready to eat from package with milk or cream. That is Grape-Nuts. A Substantial Food and Economical.

STATE NEWS

Bay City—There were 14 new cases of influenza and two deaths reported by the board of health Thursday night.

Coldwater—Mrs. Julia Monocke has been recently notified of the death in action of her son, Tony Monocke, October 14. He was a member of Company A, old Thirty-second Michigan, and was cited for bravery August 30.

Manistee—Thin ice claimed its first victim of the winter in Manistee. Harry Olswski, 14 years old, leaped on the ice at Clear lake, near here, and broke through. A playmate, Theodore Rokowski, narrowly escaped drowning in attempting to rescue him.

Lansing—In order to put an end to widespread rumors to the contrary, Food Administrator Prescott announces that the price for wheat of Michigan producers will be protected for next year's crop in the same manner as the season just closed.

Lansing—Reports received at the office of State Game Warden John Baird show that 1,249 deer have been shipped across the straits from upper peninsula points since the deer season opened November 10. This number exceeds last year's shipment by about 300.

Pontiac—The Oakland motor car plant, which has been working on a contract of camp kitchen trailers for the army, has returned to 75 per cent normal production on commercial work in the main plant and the motor plant is expected to reach that basis within a short time.

Flint—Following lead of retail merchants, who recently announced sweeping reductions in prices to consumers on necessities of life, landlords of Flint at a meeting decided upon an arbitrary reduction of 15 per cent on the monthly rentals of all residences and apartments in the city for a period of 90 days.

Ann Arbor—Police arrested William Pabst, of Youngstown, a S. A. T. C. man, on a charge of passing a worthless check on J. Karl Malcolm in payment for an overcoat. Pabst, confessed, Major Durkee, commandant of the S. A. T. C., has refused to let the boy go to jail and has locked him up in the guardhouse.

Detroit—Highland Park justice court, since it was organized under the new city charter, April 8, has paid \$3,859.27 into the city treasury, indicating that "earnings" for the first year will be approximately \$6,000. This amount is almost equal to the cost of maintenance, but it will represent an actual saving of about \$8,000.

Adrian—Stewart H. Perry, of Adrian, who organized and opened the Michigan bureau for the relief of returned soldiers in New York in September, has returned after having spent two months in New York. When he left large numbers of soldiers had begun to arrive. Mr. Perry stated Charles A. H. Thom, of Detroit, is now in charge of the bureau.

Owosso—Half an hour after police received word that Charles Montgomery, of Owosso, had been shot and killed in Toledo. Montgomery walked into the home of his deceased wife's parents here, who were mourning him as dead. Police had also notified his father in Cornua of his death and summoned a brother from Saginaw. Montgomery's arrival spoiled arrangements for the funeral.

Muskegon—Following a trial before city council which lasted for hours Charles B. Morey, chief of police, was acquitted of the charge of obtaining graft money from local gamblers. Three aldermen found him not guilty of all five counts charged and five aldermen found him guilty on one count. The chief admitted prisoners had been released and others testified it had been the practice for many years.

Alpena—Keeper Jacob Hauck and Surfman Racette of Thunder Bay Island Coast Guard Station with Surfman W. A. Trapp of Middle Island and Frank Jermin, meteorologist in charge of the local office of the Weather Bureau, faced death in an open boat, fast on a wave-battered reef off Grass Island in Thunder Bay for 12 hours in a blinding snow storm. A few yards away, the stranded steamer, S. R. Duell of Chicago, was unable to reach them with help.

Ann Arbor—To give Ireland home rule now would be to invite civil war, says Lord Carnarvon, British peer and leading member of the Liberal party, a guest of President H. B. Hutchins, of the University of Michigan, for several days. "Settlement of the Irish question will depend on the agreement that the people of Ireland make among themselves," he said. "I favor any development of self-government that will satisfy the Irish people. Unrest is caused mainly by historical memories."

Detroit—Seven million five hundred thousand dollars—Michigan's United War Work fund quota—has been raised and the state headquarters on Fort street will be closed as soon as the details can be cleaned up, except for the office of the secretary and superintendent of collections. The campaign just closed was more than one of raising the huge sum required for the needs of the various recognized war relief bodies—it meant putting every citizen on a "war chest" basis, an example initiated by Wayne county and Detroit.

Gagetown—F. L. Demee, of Gagetown, is reported to have died of wounds while with the Canadian forces.

Escanaba—An order by the board of health December 5th requires every one to wear a mask except in private homes. The city has 400 cases of influenza.

Lansing—Orders were received from Washington by Adjt. Gen. John S. Bersey, cancelling all inductions into the navy and marine corps by local draft boards.

Port Huron—Sherwood Curtis, member of the crew of the steamer Cladstone, was fined \$100 by Judge E. P. Law for bringing 30 quarts of whisky to this port on the boat.

Pontiac—Arrangements have been made to put a mortgage of \$20,000 on the uncompleted First Presbyterian church to provide funds for completion of the first floor for services.

Big Rapids—Fred Bilbrough, aged 23, of Big Rapids, is in the detachment of 74 marines led by Major David H. Miller, who form a guard of honor to the President on the George Washington.

Bay City—Health authorities have decided not to reopen schools until homes now under quarantine for influenza number less than 100. At present there are 470 homes quarantined.

Lansing—Rep. Lynn J. Lewis, of Van Buren County, has withdrawn from the race for speaker. This leaves the contest between Reps. Thomas Reed, of Oceana, and Frank Smith, of Lake.

Flint—Maurice and Hyman Leavitt, brothers and partners in coal business, paid fines of \$200 each in circuit court with alternative of workhouse sentences when they pleaded guilty to receiving a trunkful of liquor by express.

Elise—While Ram Traay, 15, was cleaning his shotgun at his home, it went off accidentally, the shot striking and killing Mabel, his 3-year-old sister, and wounding Adeline, 7 years old. There are 10 children in the family.

Kalamazoo—Adoption of a "fair price list" system for Kalamazoo was unanimously rejected by grocers of the county at a mass meeting in this city, on the claim that practicable difficulties have been made the plan unsatisfactory.

Pontiac—Wounds received in action north of Verdun, October 15, caused the death of Private Basil Buckley, son of Mrs. Jennie Voorhees, of Pontiac, in a hospital in France, according to telegram from the war department just received by the mother.

Monroe—A jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Mike Granza, Toledo, charged with violating the dry law. Granza claimed he did not know the truck he was driving to Detroit contained 1,130 quarts of liquor stored in barrels. He supposed it was china and glassware.

Lansing—Another state closing order will be issued unless the measures being taken to check the spread of influenza prove successful. At a conference between Gov. Sleeper and Dr. R. M. Olin, secretary of the State Board of Health, it was decided that no closing order will be issued unless it is absolutely necessary.

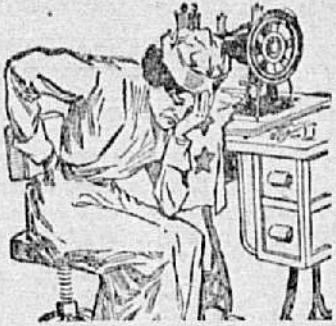
Lansing—There was a balance of \$640,012 in the general fund of the state treasury when the vaults were opened for business December 3. Because there will be no more money available for the general fund until the taxes begin to come in next month, Deputy State Treasurer Frank Gorman says it will be necessary to curtail expenditures in order to avoid a deficit.

Lansing—Charles W. Burton and Librarian Adam Strohm, of the public library, Detroit, were named by Governor Sleeper as directors to compile the history of Wayne county men in the war. The appointments were made by the governor after a consultation with the war board and Mrs. Mabel Cosgrove Stebbins, of Hastings, who is state director in charge of the work.

Flint—Two important changes in the Buick Motor company staff has been announced by President W. P. Chrysler. Frank Turner, of Wilmington, D. L., former comptroller of the DuPont company, will succeed L. L. Ohland, who is to take a position with the General Motors corporation in New York. E. W. Froeter, also of Wilmington, is made assistant treasurer, to succeed J. N. Ryan, resigned.

Mt. Clemens—Flying practice has ceased at Selfridge field with the advent of winter weather, but no orders have been received indicating the purpose of the government to abandon the field. General demobilization orders have been received and many officers will soon return to civil life. The belief is that the base will be continued for the winter at least and some officers hold that it will be made a permanent camp.

Ann Arbor—The University of Michigan will at once go back to the old two semester system, which was cast aside when the school became a Students' Army Training Corps unit, and the four-quarter system substituted. The demobilizing of the student soldiers will make it necessary, it is thought, for some of the students to leave college, because their tuition and other expenses will no longer be borne by the government. The university is attempting to work out a plan by which these students will be enabled to stay this year at least.



Your Labor Counts—every ounce of was fought as truly in the household and work you do helps some soldier! This war in the workshop as it was in the trenches.

Some of our American women are borne down physically and mentally, by the weaknesses of their sex. They suffer from backache, dragging sensation, bearing-down pains, very nervous and pain in top of head. If they ask their neighbors they will be told to take a Favorite Prescription of Dr. Pierce's which has been so well and favorably known for the past half century.

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Take our advice. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. It costs so little. If it fails to remove your stomach distress, he will refund your money. That is guaranteed, you are to be satisfied or money refunded.

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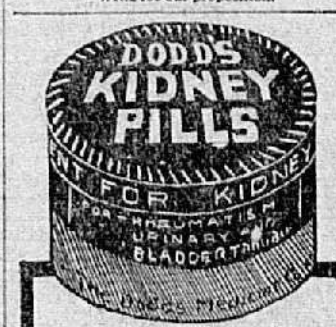
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FOE SOLDIERS ASK PLACE ON BOARDS

BERLIN GOVERNMENT DECIDES NOT TO OPPOSE SURRENDER OF KAISER TO ENTENTE.

WILL ALSO DEMAND EQUAL VOTE

France Favors International Jury; It Is Believed That Holland Will Yield to Allies' Demands.

Berlin—What promises to be a decisive battle for elimination of partisan politics in Soldiers' and Workmen's councils throughout Germany has been precipitated by announced determination of soldiers to insist upon party representation on all governing boards. Leaders of soldiers declare if the present virtual dictatorship system of government is to be continued they will demand equal vote with workmen. Otherwise they insist upon immediate convocation of the national assembly.

"We soldiers are fully qualified to speak for the bourgeoisie," a former non-commissioned officer said to the correspondent. "The war has obliterated completely what was once proudly called 'Germany's splendid middle classes.' We represent all callings, trades and professions. Workmen, on the other hand, have succeeded during progress of war in creating a special social category, brought about by prosperity of labor."

"The bourgeoisie is really the proletarian. Soldiers object to being outvoted and therefore demand strict party representation in the composition of the Soldiers' and Workmen's boards."

Soldiers seem thus far to have proved themselves inferior parliamentary tacticians as compared with radical labor elements. This realization is dawning on them, and their movement designed to reform working methods of the executive committee and bring about closer communion between the two divisions promises to furnish the first big political sensation of the revolutionary government.

"It is commonly understood soldiers are anxious both wings of the German social democracy busy themselves in trying to get together on a common national platform. The existing system of a compromise government is said to have exhausted patience of soldiers."

NAVY BUILDING ON WAR BASIS

Secretary Daniels Asks \$600,000,000 to Be Spent in 3 Year's Construction.

Washington—America's determination to possess a navy of constantly increasing strength and efficiency—fully capable of preserving and maintaining its newly-won position among nations of the world—is officially expressed by Secretary of the Navy Daniels in his annual report to the president, now made public.

Notwithstanding cessation of hostilities and the approaching peace conference, Secretary Daniels strongly urges continued upbuilding of the navy, specifically asking for authorization of another three-year construction program to cost \$600,000,000.

Asks For 156 New Ships. This substantially duplicates the amount appropriated in 1918, when the world war was raging and which constituted the first comprehensive building program ever authorized for the navy.

The new program arranged to cover a second three-year term provides for construction of a total of 156 new vessels. Ten of these are to be battleships and six of them battle cruisers.

The other 140 vessels are not specified. It is simply asked that they be of types already approved and in existence or of new types which may develop during the life of the program, details being left to the navy department.

"Ships to Equal Any Afloat."

The secretary adds that new ship construction should embrace craft of every description which experience of the war has demonstrated to be necessary to the efficient and symmetrical development of the navy. Commenting on his recommendations, he says:

"This program, if authorized by congress, as I am confident it will be, will give us 16 additional capital ships which will be the equal of any afloat at the time they are built."

Total estimates for ship construction involved in the new program, including armor and armament, aggregate \$972,000,000. The amount recommended for appropriation next year for completion of vessels already authorized is \$572,000,000.

Police Battle Labor Gang Under River. New York—One hundred workers in the new Seventh avenue subway battled for more than 20 minutes 700 feet under the East river on the Brooklyn side. When a squad of police arrived on the scene both factions turned on them. Stones, bricks, iron bars, clubs and blackjacks figured in the melee. Herbert Filding was removed to the hospital in an unconscious condition. Many of the other participants suffered lacerations.

WRIGLEYS

All Now in Pink Wrappers

To save tin foil for Uncle Sam, WRIGLEYS is now all wrapped in pink paper and hermetically sealed in wax:

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All in pink-end packages and all sealed air-tight. Be Sure to get WRIGLEYS because

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Puts a ... Stop to all Distemper CURES THE SICK

And prevents others having the disease no matter how exposed - 60 cents and \$1.15 a bottle, \$5.50 and \$11.00 a dozen bottles. All good druggists and turf goods houses. Spohn Medical Co. Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

Ypres.

In the salient of Ypres there are not less than one hundred thousand graves of allied soldiers, sometimes marked by plain wooden crosses, sometimes obliterated by the debris of ruined trenches, sometimes hidden in corners of fields. The ground is forever England; it is also forever France. When the war is over this triangle of meadow land, with a ruined city for its base, will be an enclave of Belgian soil consecrated as the holy land of two peoples. It will never be common ground. It will be for us the most hallowed spot on earth, for it holds our bravest dust, and it is a proof and record of a new spirit—John Buchan in Kansas City Star.

PAPE'S DIAEPSIN FOR INDIGESTION

EAT ONE TABLET! NO GASES, ACIDITY, DYSPEPSIA OR ANY STOMACH MISERY.

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The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diaepsin all the indigestion pain and dyspepsia distress stops.

Your disordered stomach will feel fine at once. These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diaepsin never fail and cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Cruel Treatment.

Yeast—The Germans in the internment camps in this country say we are treating them cruelly.

Crimsonback—How so?

"They claim we're taking all the 'kick' out of the beer we let 'em have."

Soothe Itching Skins

With Cuticura. Bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water, dry and apply the Ointment. This usually affords relief and points to speedy healing. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

Severe Injury.

Civilian—"How did you get that round stripe?" Private—"Me heart broke when we didn't march to Berlin."

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy. No Stinging—Just Eye Comfort. 60 cents at druggists or mail. Write for Free Brochure. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

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from Scours or Calf Cholera Many die and all are ruined if these ailments are neglected. Both can positively be prevented and overcome with

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Why?

A man at sixty years of age is either a failure or a success. BEECHAM'S PILLS have been made for sixty years and have the largest sale of any medicine in the World! Millions use

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Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleansing and germicidal power. Sample Free. 50c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Partine Toilet Company, Boston, Mass.

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Our West Virginia Grown Nursery Stock. Fine everbearing outfall FREE. Cash Commission Paid Weekly. Write for terms. The Gold Nursery Co., Mason City, W. Va.

March 15, 1919

ANN ARBOR.

Holiday Bath Robes

as gifts they are sure to please any member of the family, for there is nothing that affords the genuine comfort and satisfaction of a warm, woolly bathrobe during the wintry days.

Our robes are all made from the famous Beacon bath robe blankets, and come in a full range of sizes for both children and adults.

Many beautiful colorings and combinations of colors are represented in both light and dark shades. Satin trimming adds an effective touch to many robes.

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but it is quality and flavor that count when you buy your Christmas poultry. At Eppler's market you get young, tender, juicy ones, country bred, corn fed and fattened to just the right degree of excellence. Also meats, fish and oysters, all of the best quality. We advise an early choice.

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Commissioners' Notice.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the City of Ann Arbor, on the 29th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Dated November 29th, 1918.

H. M. Armour

Paul Schaeble

Commissioners

Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24.

Order of Publication.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the City of Ann Arbor, on the 29th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jacob Steinbach, deceased.
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Herman E. Fletcher, executor, praying that a certain paper in writing and now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Jacob Steinbach be admitted to probate, and that Herman E. Fletcher, the executor named in said will, or some other suitable person be appointed executor thereof and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 26th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Tribune, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

[A true copy]

Emory E. Leland,

Judge of Probate.

Dorcas C. Donegan, Register.

Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP TAXES.

I will be at the Dexter Savings bank on Saturdays until January 4th, at my home on Fridays, to receive taxes. Penalty after January 10th.

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R. L. Donovan,

Treasurer.

Order of Publication.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the City of Ann Arbor, on the 7th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Alvin L. Easton-Holmes, deceased.
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Edgar W. Holden, Francis J. Easton and Clara G. Easton, heirs, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edgar W. Holden or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 2nd day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Tribune, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

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Judge of Probate.

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Dec. 10, 17, 24, 31.

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In the matter of the estate of Thomas Jensen, deceased.
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THE CHELSEA TRIBUNE

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The Place of the Nativity
IN a place built, like Bethlehem, in many cases against the soft limestone rock it often happens that the existence of a cave where the house was to be a great attraction since it offered a ready made, dry, above ground cellar as well as a specially suitable spot for the household animals and for a storeroom. It would seem that Joseph was at last able to get room in some such back portion of a house, and there, we are told, Mary bore her divine Son.

A cave below the high altar of the Church of the Nativity is now shown as the very place where this august event transpired; a little recess, shaped like a clam shell, its floor of marble wrought into a star in the center, bearing in Latin the words, "Hera Jesus Christ Was Born of the Virgin Mary." A row of lamps hangs round the outer edge, the right to attend to them being a jealously watched matter, each of the ancient churches, the Greek, the Latin, the Armenian and the Coptic, having one or more of these under its care.

The evidence for this site is so strong that most persons accept it as sufficient, reaching up, as it does, to within living memory of the days of the apostles. But even if this be an illusion the fact remains that in this petty village the Saviour of the world was made man for our redemption. No wonder that we read of the anthem of the angels, for surely nothing could draw forth the interest of the heavenly population like the exceeding grace God was showing to sinful man.

The scene of the visit of the shepherds is pointed out as on a rough slope, facing the village, at some distance to the east, Bethlehem lying far above on its mountain seat. One can follow the shepherds in their journey to see the unspeakable wonder. They would go along the rich valley of Boaz and then up the terraced hill by a path still in use, nor is it uninteresting to reflect that, while simple shepherds were led by angels to the manger, the high priest and the great of Jerusalem, so near, slept through that most illustrious night of all history, quite unconscious of what had happened. But we know of it, and may God grant that if we cannot go with the shepherds to Bethlehem we may one day go to the right hand of God and worship him there, who that night lay a little child in Mary's arms.—Dr. Cunningham Geikie.

LINER ADS EFFECTIVE.

One of the most effective forms of advertising is in the "liner" or classified column where an investment of a few cents is certain to give prompt results. Tribune liner ads are always run under the heading, "Wants, For Sale, To Rent," in the same position on the front page where they are easy to find and invariably catch the eye. Only five cents the line for first insertion, 2½ cents the line for each subsequent insertion. Next time you want to buy something, or have something for sale or rent, try a Tribune liner.

Besides such incidental benefits as the improvement in figure and health that we've reaped from our meagre, wheatless days, think of the fun we've had out of them—the new crop of jokes, gibes, topical songs and cartoons to replace the mother-in-law joke and the boost to our reputation for ready humor!

Mrs. Isley's Letter.

In a recent letter Mrs. D. W. Isley of Litchfield, Ill., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and as a laxative, and have found them a quick and sure relief." If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation these tablets will do you good.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Our Phone No. 190-W

Mrs. D. C. McLaren was in Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Ford Axtell was in Jackson, Saturday.

Mrs. Coral Coombs spent Saturday in Detroit.

Mrs. William Campbell was in Jackson, Thursday.

A. W. Wilkinson of Detroit was a Chelsea visitor yesterday.

Mrs. John Kantlehner and son Roy were in Jackson, Saturday.

Dr. H. H. Avery and Dr. George W. Palmer were in Detroit, Friday.

Mrs. H. J. Fulford and Miss Hazel Spear were in Detroit, Saturday.

Mrs. T. E. Howard of Jackson visited Miss Alwena Lambert, Thursday.

Mrs. Evelyn Russell visited her sister, Mrs. Silas Sly of Plymouth, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Armour spent the past week with friends in Battle Creek.

Mrs. George Seckinger of Jackson was the guest of Mrs. E. B. Hammond, Friday.

H. G. Spiegelberg has resumed his position in Detroit and began work yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Staffan and Mrs. H. L. Wood were in Ann Arbor, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Steinbach returned Sunday evening from a ten days' visit with relatives in Concord.

Influenza seems to be increasing in Chelsea during the past few days, several cases being reported.

Mrs. William Laverock was called to Eaton Rapids, Saturday, by the death of her brother, John Hanes.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Philip of Highland Park were guests of Miss Nina-belle Wurster over the week-end.

Chelsea was once a modern town—and is yet, excepting that it has no delivery system. Let's be modern!

A "patriotic" supper will be served at the Methodist church, Wednesday from five o'clock until all are served.

An election of officers of the Women's Relief Corps, also initiation, will be held Friday afternoon, December 13th.

H. D. Witherell moved his law office from the Freeman building to the Postoffice building yesterday. He had occupied his former office for the past 16 years.

Margaret Canfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Canfield, has been seriously ill for several days as the result of a fall on an icy walk at St. Mary school Wednesday.

Mrs. E. R. Chambers went to Detroit, Saturday, for a brief visit and later will join her son, Sergeant Howard J. Chambers, at Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Mississippi.

The Chelsea postoffice was rearranged over Sunday. The stamp, general delivery, and money order windows are now located all together in the front of the office, while the call and lock boxes are located along the south side of the main lobby. Call boxes will soon be entirely eliminated and new furniture, having only lock boxes, will be installed.

We met a well-known Chelsea man, Saturday morning, packing home a sack of flour on his shoulder and carrying a big can of gasoline or oil. No, he hadn't been to Toledo—the can was not a can of oil. But it did save some of pioneer days. We use the telephone to deliver messages weighing only a few ounces, and the government deems it worth while to deliver the farmers' mail and packages, but here in Chelsea we have to carry our flour, potatoes and similar bulky packages, weighing many pounds. Let's be modern!

Remember the Rebekah chicken-pie supper Saturday evening.

**Save that we may share
Save food**



Stomach Trouble.

"Before I used Chamberlain's Tablets I doctored a great deal for stomach trouble and felt nervous and tired all the time. These tablets helped me from the first, and inside of a week's time I had improved in every way," writes Mrs. L. A. Drinkard, Jefferson City, Mo.

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Eastern Standard Time—Effective October 28, 1918.

Limited Cars

For Detroit 8:45 a. m. and every two hours to 8:45 p. m.

For Jackson, 9:11 a. m. and every two hours to 9:11 p. m.

Express Cars

Eastbound—7:34 a. m. and every two hours to 7:34 p. m.

Westbound—10:20 a. m. and every two hours to 10:20 p. m. Express cars make local stops west of Ann Arbor.

Local Cars

Eastbound—10:12 p. m. For Ypsilanti only, 11:50 p. m.

Westbound—8:20 a. m., 12:51 a. m. Cars connect at Ypsilanti for Saline and at Wayne for Plymouth and Northville.

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CHELSEA CAMP No. 7338 M. W. A.
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Mrs. H. G. Spiegelberg was a Jackson visitor Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Laird spent Sunday with relatives in Munith.

M. A. Shaver spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Detroit.

Harmon Taylor of Sparta is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Snyder for a few days.

A detachment of the state constabulary, including 10 mounted men, was in Chelsea, Saturday noon.

The Willing Workers Red Cross sewing unit will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. M. Kusterer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gallagher and the latter's sister and little son, of Flat Rock, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Gallagher, Sunday.

The L. O. T. M. sewing unit will meet Thursday afternoon, December 12th from one to five o'clock at the home of Mrs. Bertha Stephens.

North Sylvan grange will meet Friday evening, December 13th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lester. Election of officers and initiation.

SASH WINDOWS.

Probably a Dutch invention of the Seventeenth Century.

The history of sash windows is somewhat obscure, but the probability is that they were a Dutch invention and that they were introduced into England soon after the revolution of 1688. The derivation of the word "sash" in this sense is the Dutch "sas," a sluice—old English "sasse." In Queen Anne's reign they were yet so comparatively uncommon as to be mentioned as a special feature of houses that were advertised as "to let." In the Tatler, for instance, May 27-30, 1710, there is this advertisement:

"To be let, in Devonshire Square, near Bishopsgate, a very good Brick House of 3 Rooms of a Floor, and a good Hall, with very good light and dark Closets, the whole House being well wainscoted and sash'd with 30 Sash Lights."

From England they passed into France, where the first to put them up was Marshal de Lorge at his new house at Montmartre. Speaking of this, Lister in 1699 writes in his "Journey to Paris": "We had the good fortune here to find the marshal himself. He showed us his great sash windows, how easily they might be lifted up and down and stood at any height, which contrivance, he said, he had out of England."—London Standard.

POTATOES FOR SALE

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Candy and chewing gum too.

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\$2.16

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