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RECOLLECTIONS OF BY-GONE DAYS

By Jas. T. Eaman.

The approaching return of the anniversary of our American Independence makes me reminiscent of the first Fourth of July Celebration that I can remember to have attended.

I cannot recall the exact year, but it was a year or two before the outbreak of the Civil War. I think it was 1857 or 1858, when I was a lad of seven or eight years, but there are incidents connected with that celebration more clearly fixed in my mind than those of many another I have attended since.

I remember very well the booming of the sunrise salute, a gun for each state, and how excited I was by the feeling that I was losing a part of the program by not being down to the village that early. The "cannon" was a blacksmith's anvil, or rather two anvils, one on top of the other to cover the charge of powder contained in the aperture, and was "touched off" with a long rod of iron heated red in the forge. I believe that was my first experience with fire-crackers, for I remember how soon a package was used up and how I went home with burnt fingers and smoked face.

But my most vivid recollection is of

Soldier Letter

Paris, June 13, 1919.

Dear Mother and All:

Well, this is my last night in "the finest city in the world", so will send you a few lines, and maybe it will reach you before I get back. We are leaving here tomorrow for Brest. Will sail Tuesday, but we are going to the Azores Islands and then to the Bermuda Islands, so it will take a few days longer, but hope to be in the States about July 1.

Well, I have seen nearly everything in and around Paris, the ruins of some of the worst battles, German trenches, etc. and will say it is the most wonderful I ever expect to see. I wouldn't miss it for a thousand dollars, although it has been pretty warm here, and awfully dry and dusty.

Saw the table on which peace will be signed, was up on the highest tower in the world, and several other places that have just been opened in the last couple of weeks.

I couldn't begin to write every thing so will wait until I see you, which I hope won't be long. I surely hope this finds you feeling better.

With love to all,

George.

P. S. A flower picked in a German trench.

WILL SUSTAINED

For several days last week the Robert Mercer Will case has been on trial.

Village Tax Notice

The tax roll for the Village of Pinckney is now in my possession and village taxes may be paid any week day during banking hours.

Signed, E. G. Lambertson,
Treasurer Village of Pinckney

"Y" ENCAMPMENT

There will be a Livingston County Y. M. C. A. camp for boys at Silver Lake August 8 to 18 for boys of 12 to 16 years of age. Application should be made at once to County Secretary John Strick at Brighton.

LADIES AID TEA

The L. A. S. of North Putnam will serve tea Thursday, July 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Watkins.

A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

East Lansing, Mich.—"It is a poor policy in home canning to use rubber jar rings a second year," declares Miss Anna B. Cowles of East Lansing, State Leader of Girls Canning Clubs. New rubbers of good quality are absolutely essential for consistent success in canning. Metal tops should also be inspected carefully, as they must fit perfectly.

Pinckney has at last decided to get in line with other villages and the council has ordered its proceedings initiated.

SUMMER IS AT HAND In Dead Earnest Fashion

And we are pleased to announce that we have still have a few straw hats to sell, ladies and childrens Oxfords in white, tan and black, some new patterns in dress voiles, gingham, etc. for light, cool wear, best assorted line of ladies and childrens hosiery to be found at the prices.

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headed by the Una Hilla Band of a dozen or more pieces in their magnificent car drawn by four horses and discoursing music that put every boy and man in a marching mood. Following the band came another farmhorse team. I think from Squire Webb's farm, drawing a long raked wagon in which were thirty-two girls, dressed in white, with sashes of red and blue, representing one for each state in the Union at that time. Following these came the long row of farmers with wagons or buckboards or carriages or whatever conveyance their circumstances would permit. I do not remember all who were officers of the day, but I do remember that Col. Bishop of Hamburg was the marshal. I shall never behold a more impressive figure than he appeared to me on that occasion. His cocked hat with white cockade, the heavy gold epaulets, the imposing sash with gilded fringe, the rows of brass buttons, and, not the least, his massive sword dangling at his side, all come back most vividly to my mind. (The Colonel had led a regiment in the Mexican War, and wore his full regimental uniform.) His speech

preferred to march through the band wagon instead of in the trail of the parade, I will remember, as it was my first experience with military discipline. "Now boys," said he, "I don't want to draw my sword, but I shall do so if you don't keep within the ranks."

When the band, under the leadership of this mighty man of war, reached the corner of the public square, it wheeled to the right, delegations from the south and east joining in as the parade progressed, and then proceeded to a grove "across the pond" where the "Literary Exercises" were held. I will assume that Dr. Haze was the reader of the Declaration of Independence, for that was always his function at every celebration ever held in Pinckney of which I have any knowledge, and no one could do it better.

The Orator of the Day was Wirt Dexter, son of Judge Samuel Dexter, the founder of Dexter Village, and then a rising young lawyer who afterward became a distinguished member of the Chicago bar.

And who remembers the personnel of that Una Hilla band, for more than twenty years the best musical organization in the country around, furnishing musical inspiration for political mass meetings, picnics, celebrations and the similar occasions? John Taylor was the first leader, followed by the elder "Bob" Brayley. Young "Bob" played the B flat cornet, Halsed Gregory the big tuba, "Gib" May the bass drum, Bert Watson, "Tit" Duncan and William Livermore are the names that I recall. All except Mr. Gregory, I believe, have joined the celestial choir.

interest by people in this vicinity and in Pettysville, where Mr. Mercer lived throughout his lifetime.

L. E. Howlett and R. D. Roth were the attorneys, while W. P. VanWinkle and Don VanWinkle appeared in support of the will.

It was claimed by George Mercer and his brothers that Robert Mercer was incompetent when he made a will giving his property to Mrs. W. W. Barnard and sister. It was also claimed that undue influence had been used at the time the will was drawn.

Judge Collins decided in favor of the defendants; that Mr. Robert Mercer was competent to attend to his business and that the will was valid.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Pinckney, Mich., June 27, 1919.
Council convened and called to order by President C. L. Sigler.

Roll call as follows:
Present: Grace Crofoot, L. E. Richards, C. M. Ingersoll, Louis C. Monks.
Absent: Nellie Gardner, R. J. Carr.
The following bills were read, all

Wm. Kinsley, 5.00
Jim Tiplady, mowing park 5.00
Lovisa Coe, gravel for streets 225.00
L. E. Richards, shovel, 1.50
Bell and Alexander, 1.15
Moved by Monks and Ingersoll that council proceedings be printed in the Pinckney Dispatch. Carried.

Moved by Richards and Ingersoll that tax be raised to twelve mills on a dollar.

Aye: Crofoot, Monks, Richards, Ingersoll.

Upon motion, council adjourned.
Villa M. Richards,
Village Clerk.

LAWN SOCIAL

To which everyone is invited will be held at the Frank Bellinger home on the Dexter road by the Young People's Bible Class of the Congregational church Wednesday evening, June 18, 1919. A good time and good program is promised all who come.

B SHARP CLUB

The May and June meetings of the B Sharp Club were held at the homes of Mrs. Will Gardner and Miss Blanche Martin respectively. Delightful programs were given, followed by interesting contests. The slowest as well as the most apt members were awarded prizes. The club expects to hold a picnic in July.

received from taxes. The present council shows the proper spirit by abiding by the law and publishing its actions. Just why any honest body of public officials should show fear of publicity is incomprehensible.

Wants, For Sale Etc.

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FOR SALE—Two Holstein cows five years old, due to freshen Sept. 15. Bert Gardner

LOST—A ladies white collar. Kindly return to Mrs. Chss. Shipley

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GOOD NEW ROW BOAT—For sale cheap. First class. W. B. Darrow

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FOR SALE—The three story brick Store known as Murphy & Jackson store, Pinckney, Mich. Will sell at a low price. Inquire J. A. Dwyer, Attorney, Ann Arbor, Mich.

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NOTARY PUBLIC WITH SEAL—At the Pinckney Exchange Bank. E. G. Lambertson.

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The DECLARATION of INDEPENDENCE



SIGNING THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE
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THOMAS JEFFERSON wrote the Declaration of Independence. And congress signed it. And the Liberty Bell rang forth the glad tidings, proclaiming liberty in the land. And George Washington be-

came the Articles of Confederation and the Constitution—all of which he was instrumental in preparing. The committee elected Jefferson chairman and instructed him to make a draft of a declaration. The committee submitted its first draft June 28,

1776, the delegates from New York felt some diffidence in voting, as they had no instructions. Wisner, however, did cast a vote in favor of independence, and before August 2 New York had instructed her delegation to agree to the Declaration.

Independence came into existence, the Independence of the United States of America was secured and the Fourth of July became a national holiday.

While some of the details concerning the Declaration of Independence will always be a matter of argument among historians, the sequence of events is clear and runs like this:

Fighting between the Americans and the British began April 19, 1775, at Lexington. Even after the fighting was on it was some time before the movement for independence gained much headway in the public mind. February 13, 1776, a committee appointed to prepare an address to the country presented its report to congress. This report reads in part:

"We have been accused of carrying on the war for the purpose of establishing an empire. We disavow the intention. We declare that what we aimed at and what we are entrusted by you to pursue is the defense and re-establishment of the constitutional rights of the colonies."

It was not until June 7, 1776, that Richard Henry Lee of Virginia introduced a resolution which was to become only less familiar than the Declaration of Independence.

The famous sentence: "That these United States are and of right ought to be free and independent states; that they are absolved from all allegiance to the British crown, and that all political connection between them and the state of Great Britain is and ought to be dissolved."

This resolution was debated many times by congress. The chief speakers for separation were John Adams, his cousin, Samuel Adams; Roger Sherman, Oliver Olcott, Richard Henry Lee and George Wythe. John Dickinson of Pennsylvania led the opposition for delay, prominent among his followers being John Jay, James Wilson, James Duane, Edward Rutledge and Robert R. Livingston, but it was evident from the beginning that they were in the minority.

To save time a committee was appointed on June 11 to frame the Declaration of Independence. Strange to say, Richard Henry Lee, who was the father of the resolution, and by parliamentary right should have had the chairmanship of the committee, was left out of it. The reasons for this omission have been variously explained. It is a fact that he was absent when the committee was named, having been called home by the illness of his wife.

The five members were Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, John Adams of Massachusetts, Benjamin Franklin of Pennsylvania, Roger Sherman of Connecticut and Robert R. Livingston of New York. All five were prominent in the congress and in national affairs. Roger Sherman is unique in American history as a signer of the four great documents: the Articles of Association, the Declaration of Independence,

had not finished its labors, but on July 4 it presented a completed draft to the body, and after a long debate, which continued until the night, the congress adopted the Declaration of Independence. After the committee of the whole had debated the paper for hours Benjamin Harrison reported to congress that the Declaration of Independence had been agreed to by the committee of the whole. The paper was again read and ordered printed.

The Declaration was committed to the printer, Dunlap, immediately, and the broadside was ready on the following day, July 5, when it received the signatures of John Hancock and of Charles Thomson, president and secretary of congress, respectively, authenticating the copy to be forwarded to the governments of the thirteen states. The signatures were followed by the words: "By Order and in Behalf of the Congress."

Copies of the broadside were sent to the various states and to the commanding officers of the continental troops. It is not certain that each of these bore the signatures of the president and the secretary.

On July 10 it was ordered that the Declaration should be engraved on parchment with the title and style of 'The Declaration of Independence of the thirteen United States of America,' and that the same, when engrossed, be signed by every member of congress."

On August 2 the journal records that "The Declaration of Independence, being engrossed, and compared at the table, was signed by the members."

As to the signatures to the Declaration, a volume might be written. The common understanding is that the fifty-five men whose names are appended were present in congress on July 4, 1776, and assenting to the Declaration. This understanding is far from the truth.

Signatures appear on the document of men who were not members of the congress at the time the Declaration was agreed on. It has been suggested that the proper interpretation of the orders of congress to have the document signed by every member, was intended to include those who became members about this time.

But Henry Wisner of New York, who voted for independence, did not sign, and Robert Morris, who did not cast his vote for the Declaration, did. Wisner was absent in New York on August 2 to attend the provincial congress, to which he had been elected, and evidently never had an opportunity to affix his signature to the document.

There was a reason for the delay in appending the signatures apart from the time necessary to have the document engrossed. It was intended to have the Declaration go out to the world as the unanimous declaration of all the colonies, and on July Fourth,

from congress on July 4 and the next day he wrote from Annapolis to John Adams, "Now shall I transmit to posterity that I gave my assent?" On the ninth Adams replied, "As soon as an American seal is prepared I conjecture the Declaration will be subscribed to by all the members, which will give you the opportunity you wish for of transmitting your name among the votaries of independence."

Elbridge Gerry of New York had to leave Philadelphia two weeks after the Declaration had been adopted, and he wrote to John and to Samuel Adams, "Pray subscribe for me ye Declaration of Independence if ye same is to be signed as proposed. I think we ought to have ye privilege when necessarily absent of voting and signing by proxy."

Of the signers who did not vote for the Declaration because they were not members at that time William Williams of Connecticut was not elected until July 11; Rush, Clymer, Smith, Taylor and Ross of Pennsylvania were not elected until July 20. Charles Carroll of Carrollton, as well as Chase, was attending a meeting of the Maryland convention on July 4. George Wythe of Virginia on the same day was chairman of the committee of the whole of the Virginia convention, and

having been compelled to return from Philadelphia on account of sickness in his family, having left on June 13. William Hooper of North Carolina was absent from Philadelphia at least as late as July 8. Yet all of these members signed the Declaration, although some of them, it has been shown, were not even members at that time, and four members were absent.

Thomas McLean of Delaware was the last to sign and did not do so until five years after the adoption of the Declaration and at a time when the war virtually was at an end. It was through no fault of McLean. His name was omitted from the printed copy in the journal.

The popular, traditional idea of the signing of the Declaration of Independence presents it as a graceful and formal function taking place July 4, 1776, in a large, handsomely furnished chamber in Independence hall, Philadelphia. To give the necessary touch of vivacity to the picture there is the scene of the small boy darting from the door as the last signer sets his autograph to the parchment and dashing down the street, calling to his grandfather to "Ring! Oh, ring for liberty!"

As a matter of fact the Declaration of Independence was signed behind locked doors. The city was not breathlessly awaiting the event outside, nor did the Liberty Bell peal forth on that day the triumphal note of freedom. From these facts it appears that the "Fourth of July" might with good reason have fallen upon either July 2 or August 2 instead of upon July 4.

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Garage Fire

Flint, Mich., June 17th.

The four automobiles that were in the garage fire Sunday morning were insured in the Citizens Mutual Automobile Insurance Company at Howell.

The adjuster for the company met with the owners of the automobiles and made a satisfactory settlement, making a total cash settlement of \$3,249.00. The owners of the cars were very much pleased with the prompt and satisfactory adjustment.

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FORMER CHANCELLOR, ASKS HE BE TRIED BY ALLIES FOR STARTING WAR.

GERMANS MUST RATIFY TREATY

Allied Blockade Holds Till Teuton Government Ok's Pact—Chinese Delegates Refuse to Sign.

Berlin.—Dr. Theobald von Bethmann-Hollweg, former German chancellor, has formally asked the Allied and associated powers to place him on trial, instead of the former emperor. The former chancellor says he assumes responsibility for the acts of Germany during his period of office and places himself at the disposal of the Allies.

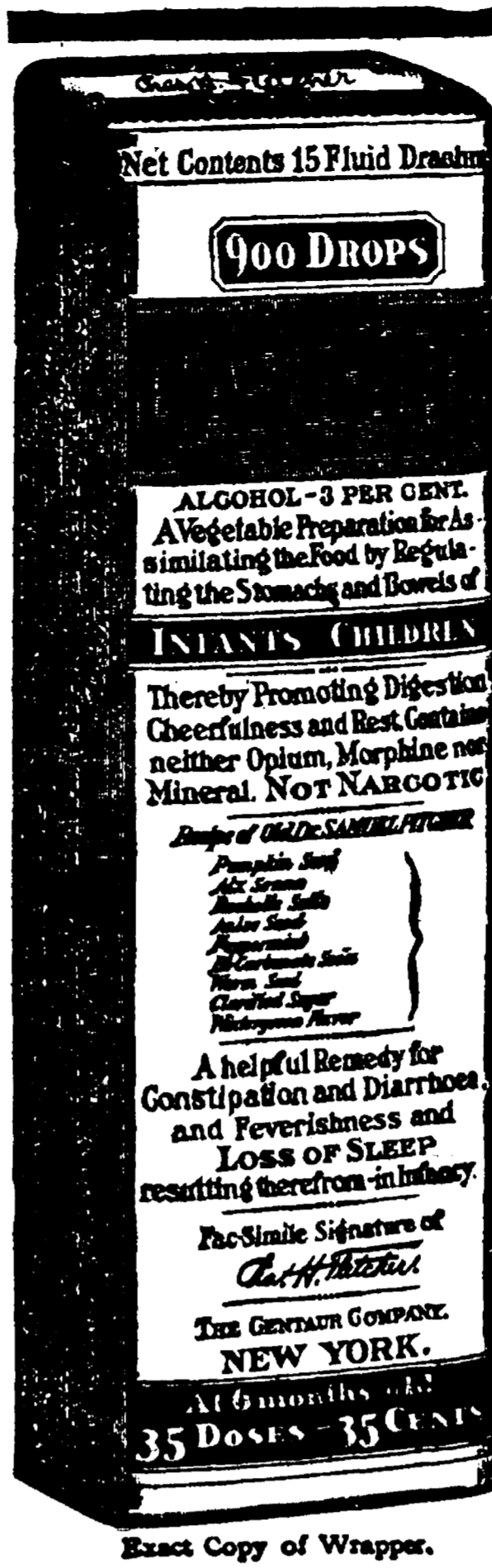
Expect Quick Acceptance of Treaty.

Paris.—Conditioning the raising of the blockade upon Germany's ratification of the treaty, is regarded in conference circles as a sure plan for securing a speedy ratification, because of Germany's food and raw material needs.

Dr. Johannes Bell and Dr. Herman Mueller, signed the treaty at Versailles for the Germans. The ceremony was performed on June 28.

The charter of world peace was signed by all delegates to the peace conference with the exception of the Chinese, who absented themselves from the ceremony because they had been refused permission to make certain reservations regarding the Japanese occupation of Shantung.

General Jan Christian Smuts, of the delegation from the Union of South Africa, signed under protest, declaring objections to certain territorial settlements and the proposal for trial



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The Germans were the first to sign and were followed by the Americans, British, French, Italians and Japanese in the order named. Then came the smaller nations. The Germans who had entered the hall with downcast mien and who were extremely nervous throughout the ceremony, were the first to leave. This was in accordance with the program.

Wilson Appeals For Ratification.

Washington.—As soon as the signing was concluded, President Wilson's message to the American people announcing the long-awaited event and appealing for acceptance of the treaty without change or reservation, was made public at the White House together with some details of the president's home-coming. It is expected that the president will arrive home about July 7.

FLINT SCENE OF GRIM TRAGEDY

One Family.

Flint, Mich.—Six persons are dead

two automobile accidents at noon Sunday.

Five were killed and one hurt when a Michigan railway interurban demolished an automobile containing the family of A. Worth Bronson, of Gaines, Mich., on a crossing three miles north of the city.

One woman was killed and a man and woman injured when an auto driven by James R. Tanner, of Bay City, ran into a party of pedestrians near the entrance to Gracelawn cemetery, also north of the city, on Saginaw road.

The dead are: A. Worth Bronson, aged 28; Mrs. A. Worth Bronson, aged 26; Frank Bronson, aged 59, father of A. W. Bronson; Lawrence Bronson, aged 5; Frankie Bronson, 4 years old. All were victims of the crossing accident.

Mrs. Margaret Boyd, aged 32, was run down by Tanner's auto.

The injured are: Harold Bronson, unconscious in the hospital, head and back injured. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCann, members of party with Mrs. Boyd.

The Bronsons were on their way to visit friends north of the city, and, according to witnesses, turned directly in front of a northbound interurban, which struck the machine squarely, carrying it nearly two city blocks. The auto was reduced to a mass of twisted metal and the dead, some of them mangled beyond recognition, were strewn along the tracks.

Prof. T. A. Jaggar, Jr., formerly of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who has been director of the observatory since its foundation, will remain in charge. The investigations at Kilauea were begun in 1912, under the auspices of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and since 1913 have been maintained at the expense of the Hawaiian Volcano Research association, consisting chiefly of residents of Honolulu. It is expected that the weather bureau's work in volcanology will be developed in many details and eventually be extended to Alaska and other regions under the control of the United States in which active volcanoes exist.

Acts Up to His Name, Also.

"Meaneigh is quiet enough ordinarily, but somehow collectors for charitable purposes dread to go near him." "I guess he acts like a bear then because he's foxy."

Do you wait for pay day, without a time check?

get the better of the hostile choir one Sunday morning by announcing at the end of the first anthem:

"Our text, brethren, will be 'And after the uproar was ceased.'"

"But the choir got back at the parson by singing for the closing anthem at the sermon's end:

"Now it is high time to awake out of sleep!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Opportune Moment.

At a recent Sunday school entertainment one of the primary pupils posed in a tableau as the "Infant Samuel." In a surplice, at his teacher's knee, hands clasped as if in prayer, the effect would have been most reverent if Billy, the "Infant Samuel's" partner in marbles, had not been holding forth on the front seat. In the hush that followed the raising of the curtain Billy said:

"Prayin' 'bout that swell agate of mine you went and copped, are you?"

Probably the majority of sergymen are poor because they preach without notes.

TO GET up in the morning tired and unrefreshed, with a dull, heavy head, often amounting to headache, to feel low-spirited and "blue"—are symptoms of self-poisoning by food poisons, not neutralized or eliminated by bowels, liver and kidneys acting in harmony.

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Delicious and healthful, it supports and cheers with its refreshing goodness, and it is an economical table drink as well.

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State of Michigan, 35 Judicial Court in Chancery.
Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, in Chancery, at Howell, on the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1918.

Ethel May Fowler, Plaintiff
vs.
William Childs Fowler, Jr. Defendant
In this cause it appears that the defendant, William Childs Fowler Junior, is not a resident of this state. And that it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the defendant resides. Therefore on motion W. P. VanWinkle & Son, attorneys for plaintiff, it is ordered that the defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in the County of Livingston. Said publication to be continued once in every week for six weeks in succession.

Glenn C. Yelland,
Circuit Court Commissioner.
W. P. Van Winkle and Son,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Business address, Howell, Michigan.

Wright's Chapel

The old Wright's Chapel has been torn down. The lumber is being used in repairing the barns for the F. H. Howlett farm here.

Fred Resico and family have moved to Plainfield.

Victor and John Popp of Detroit have purchased the Resico farm here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolten of Washington have been visiting at J. S. Donohue's. Mrs. Bolten was formerly Lavina Woodworth of this place.



STARR PHONOGRAPH

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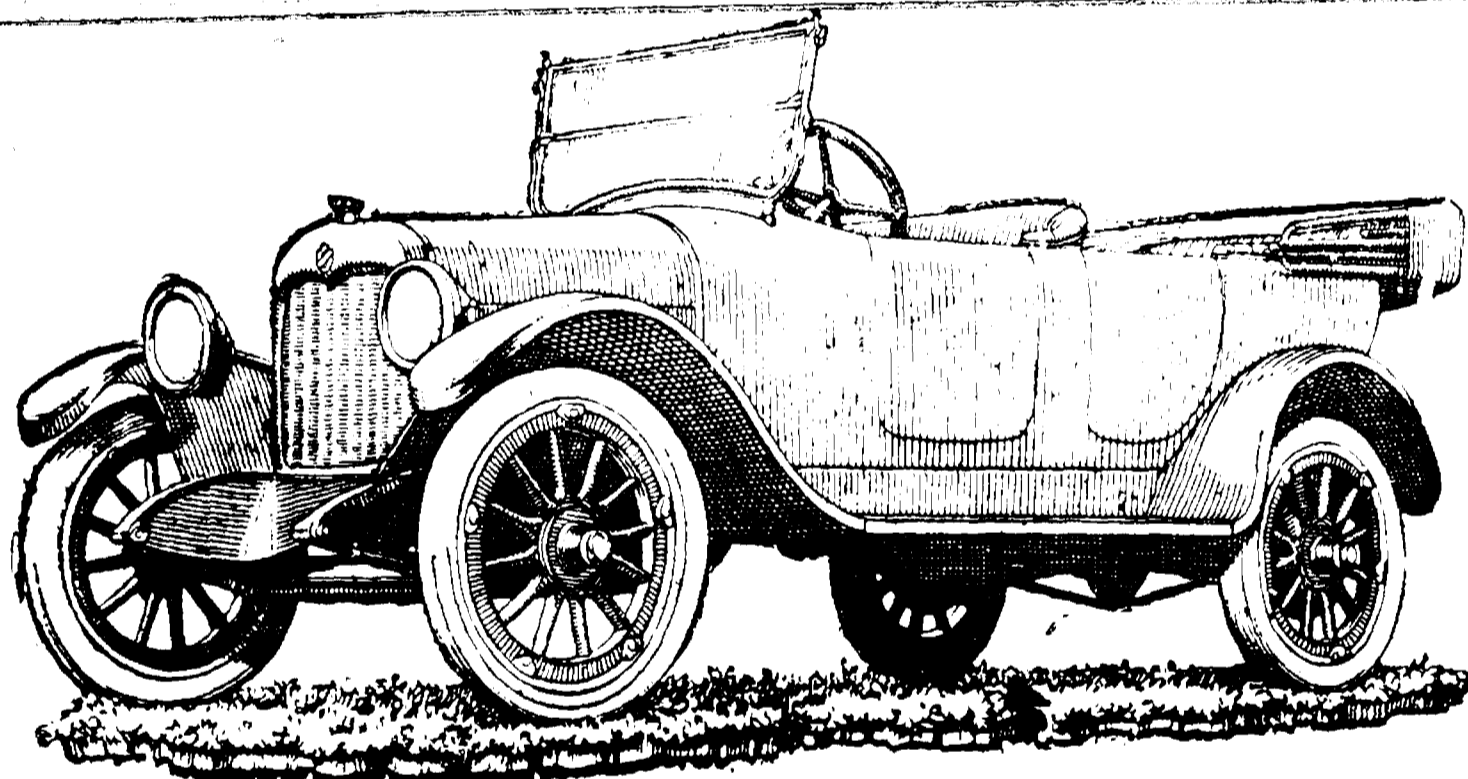
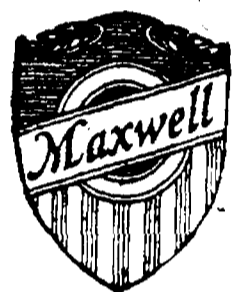
Some sound box diaphragms reproduce high notes well, but are poor for low notes. And vice versa. The Starr reproducer handles all tones equally well on all makes of records.

Tone Arm of Brass

Short travel and few turns for sounds. Brass least affects sound. Pure, powerful tones, untimed, undiminished, thus travel onward.

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For a Maxwell has every single modern device that any car selling within \$500 of its price possesses.

The only thing an extra \$500 will procure is size—a few inches of wheelbase, 2 inches of tire, 50 pounds more of engine, and 5 or 10 other things that a \$20 note would easily cover.

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The chances are in favor by far of finding the real merit in the latter.

The Maxwell has a record run of 305,000, all of one model, behind it.

That means sureness of design, freedom from "temperament," reliability plus, economy for certain, and always a ready market value.

A larger car costs more to maintain. A smaller car has less luxury.

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Since the day of the clavichord, no more sweetly vibrant wood has revealed itself. So the Starr "Singin' Throat" is of Silver Grain Spruce. It is the chosen of music woods.

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Built complete in the great Starr factories. Steady, quiet and trouble-proof. Easily oiled. Plays six or more selections with one winding.

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Trains East **Trains West**
 No. 46—7:24 a. m. No. 47—7:57 p. m.
 No. 45—4:44 p. m. No. 48—9:53 a. m.

Ann Arbor Railroad

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 12 36 P. M. Motor Car 1 23 P. M.
 5 17 P. M. 4 41 P. M.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Krotty of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Roche.

Roche Shehan was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Thomas Moran of Detroit spent Sunday here.

James Harris is driving a new Studebaker touring car.

Billy Moran left last Friday for Detroit to spend the vacation with his parents there.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Roche and family of Caumet are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Claude Danforth of Flint is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teeple.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner of Jackson spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. John Lynch who has completed a course in electrical engineering has accepted a position at St. Louis, Mo., with the Wagner Electric Company.

The North Hamburg Aid Society will be held at the home of Miss Viola Pettys Thursday, July 10. All are cordially invited.

Miss Bessie Swarouth visited Brighton relatives last week.

Miss Leone Teeple is visiting relatives at Jackson.

Dr. H. P. Sigler was in Williamston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Teeple and Miss Dede Dinkel were Howell visitors last Friday.

Miss Pauline Swarouth visited Dexter relatives last week.

Mrs. Geo. Erwin of Owosso visited relatives near Pinckney last week.

Mrs. F. G. Jackson and son Harry returned to Detroit the last of the week.

Mrs. Thomas Read and Miss Read and family were Ann Arbor visitors last Friday.

Rev. J. A. Crow spent several days

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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WANTED—Two young ladies about 25 and 35 years of age, who have had some experience in Dry goods and department store work, and a man who has had experience in selling goods and window trimming. Just the right parties would find themselves in responsible positions by the time we get into our enlarged store, which is being built. Glasgow Brothers, Jackson, Mich.

Last Sunday a party of ten old friends from Detroit surprised Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Norton with an unexpected short visit.

Harvey Johnson left this week for Alpena where he expects to make an extended visit with his sister, Mrs. Prof. F. J. Gaul.

South Isco

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Anderson and children visited at Wm. Caskey's Sunday.

Mrs. Lorena Ruttman and Miss Edna Ward called at L. T. Lamborn's Sunday. The Waters brothers and their families motored to Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith of Detroit visited her mother over Sunday.

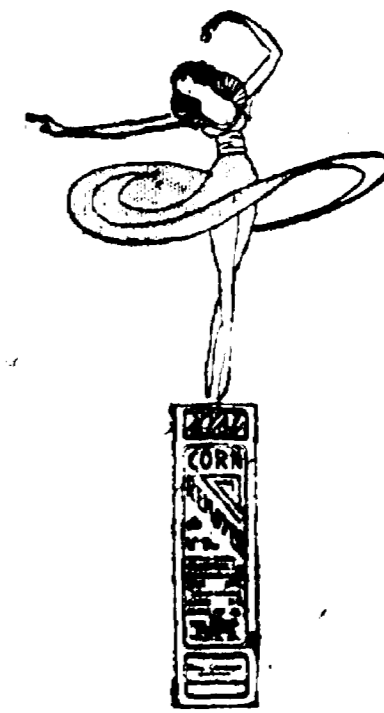
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roberts and Mrs. Wm. Caskey were in Ann Arbor Friday. Mrs. L. T. Lamborn and daughter visited Mrs. Charley Whitehead Sunday afternoon.

George Mowers of Allen visited his daughter Lucy Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kuhn called on Mrs. Eliza Kuhn Sunday.

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We Recommend Nyal's Corn Remover
For corns and bunions. 25c per Bottle

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I have accepted the agency for the I. E. Ilgenfritz Sons Co., Nurserymen of Monroe, Mich. I am their licensed agent here. This is the oldest, largest, and best nursery in Michigan. They put out nothing but A. 1. stock and do no substituting. Their reputation for honest dealing is unexcelled. Stock shipped from Monroe would come through fresh as it would be but a short time on the road. Will be glad to give quotations on all kinds of fruit trees and shrubbery.

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Adv. Pinckney, Mich.

NEW WEED LAW

It shall be the duty of every owner, possessor or occupier of land or of every person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state to cut or cause to be cut down and destroyed all Canada thistles, milkweed, wild carrots, oxeye daisy, or other noxious weeds growing thereon, or on any highway passing by or through such land, at least twice in each year, once before the first day of July and again before the first day of September, and as much oftener as may be necessary to prevent them from going to seed, and if any owner, possessor or occupier of land, or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state shall, knowingly, suffer any Canada thistles, milkweed, wild carrots, or other noxious weeds to grow thereon, or on any highway passing by or through such land, or shall suffer the seed to ripen, so as to cause or endanger the spread thereof, he or they shall, on conviction in any court of law, be liable to a fine of ten dollars, together with the costs of prosecution, for every such offence and he or they shall also be liable for the cost of destroying such weeds and an additional ten per centum.

Property owners must comply with this law to the letter or be prepared to pay the penalties for neglecting to do so.

By order of
James Smith
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Children's Ailments



DISORDERS of the stomach and constipation are the most common diseases of children. To correct them you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets. One tablet at bed time will do the work and will make your child bright and cheerful the following morning. Do not punish your children by giving them castor oil. Chamberlain's Tablets are better and more pleasant to take.

Chamberlain's Tablets

MIDSUMMER Clearance Sale

We will offer the best values in this Clearance Sale we have ever given. Our new building is under

construction. This money must come from the merchandise we have on hand. Early in the season we took a considerable drop and we were able to pick up merchandise at very reasonable prices. Since then the prices have advanced considerably, and are still advancing, and will advance further yet. You will do yourself a good turn by stocking up now at Clearance Sale prices.

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The Month Of
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Midsummer Clearance Sale

On Dolmans at \$25.00

70 Dolmans that sold at \$55.00 and \$65.00. Finest materials of the season. Beautifully lined. Light and dark shades. Priced for quick clearance \$25. This is less than half.

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35 Dolmans that sold at \$35.00 and \$45.00. Fine serges and wool poplin—half lined—mostly navy blues. Priced for quick clearance \$14.75.

WAR TIME DRY LAW LEGAL SAYS COURT

HIGH TRIBUNAL HAS DISSOLVED INJUNCTION GRANTED ON BREWERS APPEAL.

CONGRESS PROVIDES "TEETH"

Three Separate Laws Being Enacted to Provide Means of Enforcing Nation-Wide Prohibition.

New York.—The War Time Prohibition Act, under which no liquor may be sold after July 1, was upheld by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. The court virtually dissolved the injunction Judge Mayer granted the brewers, restraining the Federal district attorney and internal revenue collector from enforcing war time prohibition, as applied to 2.75 per cent beer.

The court held the act was constitutional and Judge Mayer had no jurisdiction to enjoin the enforcement of a constitutional act.

House Splits Law in Three Parts.

Washington.—The House Judiciary Committee has split prohibition legislation into three parts with enforcement of war time prohibition distinct from the others, constitutional prohibition and the manufacture of industrial alcohol.

Wilson May Raise Ban Soon.

Washington.—President Wilson decided he could not legally lift the war-time prohibition ban before the Country went dry at midnight Monday, but he expects to do so as soon thereafter as his power has been made clear by the completion of demobilization.

In a cablegram made public at the White House, the President said he was convinced after consultation with

BECOMES MINISTER TO NEW POLISH REPUBLIC



HUGH GIBSON.

Washington.—Hugh Gibson, formerly secretary of the United States Embassy in London, is slated to represent the United States in Poland.

CANADIAN STRIKE IS BROKEN

Workers Return After Six Weeks Tie-up of All Industries.

Winnipeg, Man.—After nearly six weeks of industrial strife, Winnipeg's general sympathetic strike was called off last week.

Similar announcements came from other points in Canada where strikes had been called in sympathy with the Winnipeg walkout.

According to the announcement, the

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Fear Damage to Kansas Wheat Crop.
Topeka.—Seventy observers have been sent to the Kansas wheat belt to run down radicals and warn farmers against I. W. W. agitators.

U. S. To Sell 3,000,000 Pairs of Shoes.
Washington.—The army has failed to sell its surplus shoes, totaling 3,000,000 pairs, in France, and they will be brought back to America.

Fire Destroys 102 Airplanes.
Paris.—Fire broke out in the air-drome at St. Cyr, destroying 18 hangars and 102 airplanes. An enormous amount of other damage resulted. The loss is estimated at \$800,000.

Even Lunatics Going On Strike.
London.—The very last word in strikes has come. Dispatches a few days ago stated the lunatics in the great asylum at Vorarlberg, Austria, had gone on "strike" for better food and more of it.

Jewels Worth \$275,000 Disappear.
New York.—A reward of \$10,000 is offered by the Biltmore hotel for the recovery of the jewels valued at \$275,000, owned by Mrs. Regina Millhiser, of Richmond, Va., which mysteriously disappeared from a safe deposit box in the hotel vault.

Cyclone Carries Away Railroad Car.

Calgary, Alta.—A cyclone near Medicine Hat killed and injured several persons. The twister picked up a railway car in which a family was living and carried it some distance to a coulee, where the car was smashed. A five-year-old child was killed and other members of the family were injured.

Interned Aliens Glad to Go Home.
Salt Lake City.—Instructions from

Michigan News Tersely Told

Bay City—Clemens Wenland, 32 years old, Saginaw, was drowned in the Saginaw River when he fell from a scow.

Bessemer—The city council, after much argument, has submitted to the voters the bonding of the city for improvements on water works and trees in the sum of \$275,000.

Olivet—A military academy will occupy the building of Olivet college next year, according to announcement made by George R. Wilson, secretary of the board of trustees.

Coldwater—W. E. Goodnow, 66 years old, well known as a traveling salesman, was found dead on the front porch of his home here. He had apparently died while reading a newspaper.

Coldwater—The Chinese government has purchased 60 head of Shropshire sheep from L. S. Wing, of Coldwater. The price paid was \$60 a head and it will cost \$60 for each sheep to send it to China.

Ottawa Beach—More than 800 captains of invention and development of electricity and internal gas combustion engines gathered here at the convention of the Automotive Engineers' Society of America.

Saginaw—Curt Bartsh was drowned and two companions, Joseph Bellier and F. Libenstein, had narrow escapes when their launch caught fire from the engine while cruising in the Saginaw river near South Saginaw.

Lansing—Lansing's housing problem is to be solved through the organization of a \$1,000,000 building corporation to meet present acute demands made by the rapid industrial expansion and growth of Lansing.

Muskegon—Accidentally touching the wiring in a fuse box in the Campbell Wyant and Cannon's foundry at Muskegon Heights, Chester Lamer-

Romeo—Frank Parker, Jr., aged 82, was killed at Royal Oak while repairing a trolley wire on the D. U. R.

Battle Creek—Casting for trout, T. C. Fisher nearly blinded his 8-year-old son, the hook going through the boy's eyelid.

Bay City—William J. Kerr, was fatally injured when a safety valve in the Seidel Creamery blew out. His skull was fractured.

Battle Creek—Paul Dwyer now believes in signs. One at Goguc Lake said the water was shallow. Just before going to the hospital Paul died.

Chase—Prospects are bright for the largest huckleberry crop ever yielded in Lake County. It is believed \$35,000 worth of berries will be picked in the county.

Marquette—Four miners were killed in a cavein following a blast at Crystal Falls. They had been warned away but ventured too near after the explosion.

Big Rapids—Stanwood will install an electric lighting system for store and residence use. Current probably will be generated by a gas engine. A company has been organized by six business men.

St. Helen—Charles Goss, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goss, of Detroit, was accidentally shot in the groin at Higgins Lake. The accident occurred 20 minutes after the boy arrived at the lake for the summer.

Bay City—Demonstrations against Umpire Myers, of the Michigan-Ontario League, reached such a threatening stage during a game here that it was necessary to surround him with police when he left the grounds.

Port Huron—Seven factories will be constructed at Marysville by the Willis-Lee concern, according to information released here. Forty engineers are on the scene laying out the land for the new automobile plant.

Owosso—While a milk can containing boiling water was being drawn to a field to be used in sheep dipping it upset and Wilbur K. Mulder, 9 years old, the son of Lucas Mulder, was so badly scalded that he died soon af-

as to the authority of the President, when he does raise the ban, to make his action applicable only to beer and wine.

BIG ARMY AND NAVY ASSURED

Senate Passes Measures Allowing "Billions For Defense."

Washington.—The army appropriation bill, carrying \$888,000,000 and providing for an average army of 400,000 men next year—an increase over the house bill of \$171,000,000 in funds and 100,000 in personnel—was passed by the senate without a roll call and sent to conference.

Senate and house conferees on the army appropriation bill later reached an agreement to fix the average size of the national army at 325,000 officers and men. This total is 75,000 less than that proposed by the senate and 25,000 more than the strength authorized originally by the house.

Without debate the Senate approved a committee amendment to the Naval Appropriation Bill increasing the fund-

other provincial officials failed to obtain any concessions, but it was indicated a commission of investigation would be appointed.

Practically every public and private industry was tied up in the walkout. Firemen, postoffice workers, city hall employes, all joined with department store clerk, street car employes and men in delivery services.

MOB HANGS AND BURNS NEGRO

Many of Own Race Assist in Capture of Confessed Criminal.

Ellisville, Miss.—Trailed ten days through southern Mississippi by posse which included several hundred members of his own race, John Hartfield, negro, confessed assailant of an Ellisville young woman, was captured, desperately wounded, in a conebreak, rushed by automobile to the scene of his crime, hanged to a gum tree and his body burned to ashes. His victim identified him and witnessed his execution.

Governor Bilbo, petitioned to inter-

deported have been received by agents of the department of justice. Virtually all of the men asked to be returned to their native land.

Tuberculosis Fight Is Planned.
Atlantic City, N. J.—Citing the fact that conditions revealed by the war called for unprecedented exertions to check the progress of tuberculosis the National Tuberculosis association upon adjourning its annual meeting here adopted resolutions providing for a Red Cross Christmas seal campaign in December by means of which a sum in excess of \$6,000,000 will be raised.

Slacker Jailed After Long Walk.

New York.—That the search for draft evaders has not relaxed has been shown by the arrest and immediate conviction of David Schamberg on his return from a two-year 3,000-mile trip afoot through Mexico and Central America. He was sentenced in the Federal District Court to one year's imprisonment for failing to answer a call to duty after filling a questionnaire.

London.—The mutinous conduct of troops at Sutton Camp, Surrey, culminated in the formation of a committee by the men and their refusal to salute or to obey orders. Two battalions of troops were sent to the camp to restore order. They arrested 400 men, among them the ringleaders, and dispatched 1,800 other men to camps at Dover and Canterbury. The main grievance of the men was that they were being ordered to France.

Illinois Ready to Enforce Dry Law.

Springfield, Ill.—The "search and seizure" bill enacted by the Illinois legislature to enforce prohibition has been signed by Gov. Frank O. Lowden. It provides severe penalties for the sale, possession or transportation of liquor without license in dry territory of Illinois. Liquor for medicinal, sacramental, scientific and chemical purposes is exempted. Private homes are safeguarded. Signatures of two judges are required on search warrants.

Dealers Fear Acute Coal Shortage

Detroit.—While the mercury continues to make its daily climb well into the eighties, coal dealers are looking ahead to zero weather with concern, and they are trying to make "Fill the bins" a summer slogan. They forecast that failure to put in a stock before fall will not only aggravate the seriousness of a coal shortage already apparent, but will cause prices to soar. They say that to prevent a coal famine consumers must put in their supplies now.

Port Huron—Mrs. Elmer May was seriously injured when the automobile in which she was riding was hit by another machine and rolled down an embankment into a ditch. A child that occupied the car with her escaped injury.

Flint—R. N. Eldred, 41, proprietor of a downtown Flint restaurant, was killed in Chicago when he fell from a speeding car on an amusement park roller coaster. Park employes say he stood up in the car just as it headed down a steep incline.

Lansing—The Michigan soldiers and sailors bureau of relief in New York city, which has been maintained by the Michigan War Preparedness board for the benefit of returning Michigan men from overseas for the past nine months, was permanently closed July 1.

Grand Rapids—H. S. Mankin, of this city, known in vaudeville as "the human fly," has left on an extended tour of the world. He is accompanied by his mother. The present trip will take them to Buenos Aires, Argentina and other South American places and thence to the Orient.

Ball Club of the Michigan-Ontario League, the players agreed to withdraw their request for release when the directors promised to keep fans off the field during games. The players demanded their release as the result of rowdiness at Sunday games.

Charlotte—Justice G. D. Blaiser has awarded the Eaton county war board a judgment against H. Ellis Page for the full amount of his War Chest pledge, with interest from last October, when the last installment was payable. Several other cases hinged on the outcome of the Page case, and now the board will start suit against all delinquents, representing \$2,300.

Grand Rapids—Following action of the city commission ordering all Bell phones out of the city hall and preparations to take the same course in the county building, because of the 100 per cent raise in rates, the company has announced that these two institutions would not be forced to pay the new rates. This action is causing a storm of protest from local business houses.

Bessemer—Friction between state constabulary members stationed on the Wisconsin border here and townspeople has resulted in an open clash. When an autist, who was accompanied by his wife and family, refused to submit to search, five mounted state guards attempted to use force and were stoned by a crowd that quickly gathered. Two of the guards were thrown in the river and three others retired from the field in a badly mauled condition.

through roads under the state reward system, Osceola County by fall will have a complete line through this county, connecting Grand Rapids with the Cadillac roads.

St. Joseph—State health authorities have positively diagnosed the case of Abram Getz, 60 years old, of Benton Harbor, as leprosy. Getz came here from Russia 30 years ago and it is believed he was afflicted with the disease at that time.

Port Huron—Every citizen in Port Huron will be given an opportunity to become a stockholder in a house-building corporation that the Chamber of Commerce has organized in an effort to solve the problem resulting from a shortage of housing facilities.

Monroe—Louis Fountain, aged 65, a mover and builder of Newport, was almost instantly killed here when part of the concrete foundation of an old nursery cellar which was being razed fell upon his chest after a rafter had been sawed off. He leaves a widow and five children.

Grand Rapids—Plans for the erection of a church costing \$500,000 are being made by the congregation of the

000, and the chimes, to be made in Belgium, will form a memorial for the dead in the war.

Lexington—The real estate boom that is sweeping over Easter Michigan has reached Lexington. Virtually all of the beach property in this vicinity has changed hands during the past few weeks. Property is selling for 100 per cent more than could have been realized two months ago.

Detroit—Injuries incurred when an automobile tire exploded caused the death at Providence hospital of Hudson Pirie, 30, of 400 Webb avenue. Mr. Pirie stopped to pump up one of the tires of his automobile, when the tire exploded with force sufficient to hurl him against a stone wall, fracturing his skull.

Battle Creek—Clare R. Squires, of the 310th Supply Train, was probably fatally injured, and his brother, Kenneth Squires, was badly injured when an automobile in which they were riding crashed into a tree. Both live in Dansville, Eaton County. The soldier was coming to Battle Creek to meet his commanding officer to get his discharge paper signed.

Grand Rapids—Five women were painfully injured when a large sign at the Friedman store fell from its hangings into a crowd watching live models displaying bathing suits in one of the windows below. The injured are: Miss Pearl Wolfington, Hopkins, Mich.; Mrs. O. H. Hamstreet, Elmwood; Miss Jane Taylor, Mrs. Charles Hawley and Miss L. Campbell, of this city.

As revised upward by the Senate committee, the bill carries about \$782,000,000 as compared with \$485,000,000 provided by the House.

Among the important committee additions are \$10,000,000 for Federal acquisition of the Cape Cod Canal.

Besides increasing from \$1,400,000 to \$2,000,000 the House appropriation for the Department of Justice for general detection and punishment of crimes, the Senate committee added \$300,000 additional for special work in enforcing the law against alien anarchists and proposed drastic peace time legislation regarding manufacture, purchase and storage of explosives.

ARMY OFFERS SURPLUS MEAT

Cities Can Buy Carload Lots and Sell to Public.

Cleveland.—Secretary Baker said here that carloads of the Army's surplus supply of canned meats will be sent to any city that desires to sell to consumers at public markets on a consignment basis. This means that cities can order the meats and not pay for them until they have disposed of them over the counter to consumers. "I will fix the price," said Mr. Baker. "Arrangements, however, should be made with the War Department's surplus property division. All that will be necessary will be responsible city officials to designate how many carloads they believe can be sold in their cities."

IRISH TO ISSUE LIBERTY BONDS

Propose to Float Five Million Loan to Fight Britain.

New York.—The Irish Republic proposes to issue bonds to the amount of a million pounds (\$5,000,000), President Eamonn de Valera announced here. The minister of finance is preparing a prospectus which will be issued soon, he said.

The bond issue will be repaid, Mr. De Valera said, six months after the English "evacuation" of Ireland. He denied emphatically that Russian or German money ever had been used for promoting the cause of Ireland.

FORD OFFERS U. S. WAR PROFITS

Books Will Be Examined and Money Turned Back to Government.

Washington.—Henry Ford will turn back to the Government his share—58 per cent—of the war profits made by his Detroit plant.

He has requested the Secretary of the Treasury to assign an accountant to go over the books of the company to determine just what his profits were.

GREEN FANCY

BY GEORGE BARR MC CUTCHEON

Author of "GRAUSTARK," "THE HOLLOW OF HER HAND," "THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK," ETC.

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"SHE CAN DO NO WRONG"

Synopsis.—Thomas K. Barnes, a wealthy young New Yorker, on a walking trip in New England near the Canadian border, is given a lift in an automobile by a mysterious and attractive girl bound for a house called Green Fancy. At Hart's tavern Barnes finds a stranded troupe of "barn-storming" actors, of which Lyndon Rushcroft is the star and "Miss Thackeray" the leading lady. He learns Green Fancy is a house of mystery. That night Andrew Roon and his servant, guests at the tavern, are shot near Green Fancy. Barnes comes under suspicion and stays to help clear up the double murder. He gets into the Green Fancy grounds; meets the mysterious girl, who gives him the cut direct, and is politely ejected by O'Dowd, an interesting adventurer. Enter at the tavern another man of mystery, Sprouse, "book agent." Barnes visits Green Fancy with the sheriff and stays to dinner. Enter still another mysterious personage, "Loeb," secretary to Curtis, owner of Green Fancy.

been thinking that I was sent down from Green Fancy to spy on you. Isn't that so?"

"I am answering no questions, Mr. Sprouse."

"You were wrong," said Sprouse, as if Barnes had answered in the affirmative. "I am working on my own. You may have observed that I did not accompany the sheriff's posse today. I was up in Hornville getting the final word from New York that you were on the level. I telephoned to New York. Eleven dollars and sixty cents. You were under suspicion until I hung up the receiver, I may say."

"Jones has been talking to you," said Barnes. "But you said a moment ago that you were up at Green Fancy last night. Not by invitation, I take it."

"I invited myself," said Sprouse succinctly. "Are you inclined to favor my proposition?"

"You haven't made one."

"By suggestion, Mr. Barnes. It is quite impossible for me to get inside that house. You appear to have the entree. You are working in the dark, guessing at everything. I am guessing at nothing. By combining forces we should bring this thing to a head, and—"

"Just a moment. You expect me to abuse the hospitality of—"

"I shall have to speak plainly. I

arrived at the conclusion, I am prepared to state that I believe this man to be at Green Fancy, and that in time the loot—to use a harsh word—will be delivered to him there. I am here to get it, one way or another, when that comes to pass."

"What led you to suspect that he is at Green Fancy, Mr. Sprouse?"

"History. It is known that this Mr. Curtis has spent a great deal of time in the country alluded to. As a matter of fact, his son, who lived in London, had rather extensive business interests there. This son was killed in the Balkan war several years ago. It is said that the man I am looking for was a friend of young Curtis, who married a Miss O'Dowd in London—the Honorable Miss O'Dowd, daughter of an Irish peer and sister of the chap you have met at Green Fancy. About six weeks ago a former equerry in the royal household arrived in New York. Through him I learned that the daughter of the gentleman in whose house the senior Mr. Curtis was a frequent guest had been in the United States since some time prior to the beginning of the war. She was visiting friends in the States and has been unable to return to her own land, for reasons that must be obvious. I may as well confess that her father was, by marriage, an uncle of the late ruler."

"Since the invasion and overthrow of her country by the Teutonic allies she has been endeavoring to raise money here for the purpose of equipping and supporting the remnants of the small army that fought so valiantly in defense of the crown. These men, a few thousand only, are at present interned in a neutral country. I leave you to guess what will happen if she succeeds in supplying them with arms and ammunition. Her work is being carried on with the greatest secrecy. To bring the story to a close, I was instructed to keep close watch on the man O'Dowd. I traced him to this place. I was on the point of reporting to my superiors that he was in no way associated with the much-sought-after crown-cousin, and that Green Fancy was as free from taint as the village chapel, when out of a clear sky and almost under my very nose two men were mysteriously done away with at the very gates of the place. The killing of those two men

"Right you are," interrupted Sprouse. "That is all simple enough. But, my dear Barnes, can you tell me what Mr. Secretary Loeb's real name is? Why has he established himself so close to the Canadian line, and why the mobilization? I refer to his army of huskies."

"Heirs apparent usually have some sort of a bodyguard, don't they?"

Sprouse was staring thoughtfully at the ceiling. When he finally lowered his eyes it was to favor Barnes with a deep, inscrutable smile.

"I dare say the first thing for me to do is to advise the Canadian authorities to keep a sharp lookout along the border."

CHAPTER XII.

The First Wayfarer Accepts an Invitation.

Barnes insisted that the first thing to be considered was the release of Miss Cameron.

"If we can't think of any other way to get her out of this devilish predicament, Sprouse, I shall apply to Washington for help."

"And be laughed at, my friend," said the secret agent. "It is not a matter for the government to meddle in at all."

"Well, something has to be done at once," said Barnes doggedly. "She is depending on me. If you could have seen the light that leaped into her glorious eyes when I—"

"Yes, I know. I've heard she is quite a pretty girl. You needn't—"

"Quite a pretty girl!" exclaimed Barnes. "Why, she is the loveliest thing that God ever created. She has the face of—"

"I am beginning to understand O'Dowd's interest in her, Mr. Barnes. He has probably fallen in love with her with as little difficulty as you have experienced, and almost as expeditiously. He has seen a little more of her than you, but—"

"Don't talk nonsense. I'm not in love with her."

"Can you speak with equal authority for Mr. O'Dowd? He is a very susceptible Irishman, I am told."

"I don't believe he will get much encouragement from her, Mr. Sprouse," said Barnes stiffly.

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CHAPTER XI—Continued.

"The deuce you say!" cried Barnes. "We will get right down to tacks," said Sprouse. "My government—which isn't yours, by the way—sent me up here five weeks ago on a certain undertaking. I am supposed to find out what is hatching up at Green Fancy. Having satisfied myself that you are not connected with the gang up there I cheerfully place myself in your hands, Mr. Barnes. You were at Green Fancy last night. So was I. You had an advantage over me, however, for you were on the inside and I was not."

"Confound your impudence! I—"

"One of my purposes in revealing myself to you, Mr. Barnes, is to warn you to steer clear of that crowd. You may find yourself in exceedingly hot water later on if you don't. Another purpose, and the real one, is to secure, if possible, your co-operation in beating—"

strumental in righting one of the gravest wrongs the world has ever known."

"Will you be good enough, Mr. Sprouse, to tell me just what you are trying to get at? I know nothing whatever against Mr. Curtis and his friends. You assume a great deal—"

"Excuse me, Mr. Barnes. I'll admit that you don't know anything against them, but you suspect a whole lot. To begin with, you suspect that two men were shot to death because they were in wrong with someone at Green Fancy. Now I could tell you who those two men really were and why they were shot. But I sha'n't do anything of the sort—at least not at present."

Barnes was impressed. "Perhaps you will condescend to tell me who you are, Mr. Sprouse. I am very much in the dark."

"I am a special agent—but not a spy, sir—of a government that is friendly to yours. I am known in Washington. My credentials are not to be questioned. At present it would be unwise for me to reveal the name of my government. I dare say if I can afford to trust you, Mr. Barnes, you can afford to trust me. There is too much at stake for me to take the slightest chance with any man. I am ready to chance you, sir, if you will do the same by me."

"Well," began Barnes deliberately. "I guess you will have to take a chance with me, Mr. Sprouse, for I refuse to commit myself until I know exactly what you are up to."

"In the first place, Mr. Barnes," said Sprouse, salting his eggs, "you have

Jewels, its privy seal, its most precious state documents and its charter. They have been traced to the United States. I am here to recover them. That is the foundation of my story, Mr. Barnes."

"Without divulging the name of the house I will say that its sympathies have been from the outset friendly to the entente allies—especially with France. There are two branches of the ruling family, one in power, the other practically in exile. The state is a small one, but its integrity is of the highest. Its sons and daughters have married into the royal families of nearly all of the great nations of the continent. The present—or I should say, the late ruler, for he died on a field of battle not many months ago, had no direct heir. He was young and unmarried. I am not permitted to state with what army he was fighting, nor on which front he was killed. It is only necessary to say that his little state was gobbled up by the Teutonic allies. The branch of the family mentioned as being in exile lent its support to the cause of Germany, not for moral reasons but in the hope and with the understanding—"

rect heir to the crown is a cousin of the late prince. He is now a prisoner of war in Austria. Other members of the family are held by the Bulgarians as prisoners of war. It is not stretching the imagination very far to picture them as already dead and out of the way. At the close of the war, if Germany is victorious, the crown will be placed upon the head of the pretender branch. Are you following me?"

"Yes," said Barnes, his nerves tingling. He was beginning to see a great light.

"Almost under the noses of the forces left by the Teutonic allies to hold the invaded territory the crown jewels, charter and so forth, heretofore mentioned, as they say in legal parlance, were surreptitiously removed from the palace and spirited away by persons loyal to the ruling branch of the family. As I have stated, I am engaged in the effort to recover them."

"Now we come to the present situation. Some months ago a member of the aforesaid royal house arrived in this country by way of Japan. He is a distant cousin of the crown, and in a way remotely looked upon as the heir apparent. Later on he sequestered himself in Canada. Our agents in Europe learned but recently that while he pretends to be loyal to the ruling house he is actually scheming against it. I have been ordered to run him to earth, for there is every reason to believe that the men who secured the treasure have been duped into regarding him as the avowed champion of the crown. Now, Mr. Barnes, without telling you how I have

known as Andrew Roon was no other than the equerry who had undertaken to find the—the young woman."

Barnes drew a long breath. His mind was made up. He had decided to pool issues with the secret agent, but not until he was convinced that the result of their co-operation would in no way inflict a hardship upon the young woman who had appealed to him for help. He was certain that she was the fair propagandist described by Sprouse.

"And the young woman, what of her? She would, in any case, be held for examination and—"

"My dear sir, I may as well tell you now that she is a loyal subject, and, far from being in bad grace at court, is an object of extreme solicitude to the ambassador. From what I can gather she has disappeared completely. Roon was sent over here for the sole purpose of finding her and inducing her to return with him to Paris."

"And to take the treasure with her, I suppose," said Barnes dryly.

"Naturally."

"Well," began Barnes, introducing a harsh note into his voice, "I should say that if she is guilty of receiving the stolen property she ought to be—"

Mr. Sprouse put down his coffee cup rather suddenly. A queer pallor came into his face.

"You do not understand the situation. Haven't I made it plain to you that she is innocent of any intent to do wrong?"

"You have said so, Mr. Sprouse, but your idea of wrong and mine may not jibe."

"There cannot be two ways of looking at it, sir," said Sprouse, after a moment. "She could do no wrong."

Whereupon Barnes reached his hand across the table and laid it on Sprouse's. His eyes were dancing.

"That's just what I want to be sure about," he said. "It was my way of finding out your intentions concerning her."

"What do you mean?"

"Come with me to my room," said Barnes, suppressing his excitement. "I think I can tell you where she is—and a great deal more that you ought to know."

In the little room upstairs he told the whole story. The little man listened without so much as a single word of interruption or interrogation. Somewhat breathlessly Barnes came to the end.

"And now, Mr. Sprouse, what do you make of it all?" he inquired.

Sprouse leaned back in his chair, suddenly relaxing. "I am completely at sea," he said, and Barnes looked at him in surprise.

"By Jove, I thought it would all be as clear as day to you. Here is your man and also your woman, and the traveling bag full of—"

Mr. O'Dowd is only human. He isn't immune."

"I catch the point, Mr. Sprouse," said Barnes, rather gloomily. He did not like to think of the methods that might have to be employed in the subjugation of Mr. O'Dowd. "There is a rather important question I'd like to ask. Is she even remotely eligible to her country's throne?"

"Remotely, yes," said Sprouse.

"So remotely that she could marry a chap like O'Dowd without giving much thought to future complications?" he ventured.

"She'd be just as safe in marrying O'Dowd as she would in marrying you," was Sprouse's unsatisfactory response. The man's brow was wrinkled in thought. "See here, Mr. Barnes, I am planning a visit to Green Fancy tonight. How would you like to accompany me?"

"I'd like nothing better," said Barnes, with enthusiasm.

"Will you agree to obey instructions? I can't have you muddling things up, you know."

"The grounds are carefully guarded," said Barnes, after they had discussed the project for some time. "Miss Cameron is constantly under

"I know. I passed a couple of them last night," said Sprouse calmly. "By the way, don't you think it would be very polite of you to invite the Green Fancy party over here to have an old-fashioned country dinner with you tonight?"

"It would be useless, Mr. Sprouse. They will not come."

"I am perfectly aware of that, but it won't do any harm to ask them, will it?"

Barnes chuckled. "I see. Establishing myself as an innocent bystander, eh?"

"Get O'Dowd on the telephone and ask him if they can come," said Sprouse.

"But there is Jones to consider. The telephone is in his office. What will he think—"

"Jones is all right," said Sprouse briefly. "Come along. You can call up from my room." He grinned slyly. "Such a thing as tapping the wire, you know."

Sprouse had installed a telephone in his room, carrying a wire upstairs from an attachment made in the cellar of the Tavern. He closed the door to his little room on the top floor.

Barnes and Sprouse make an exciting midnight visit to Green Fancy.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mackinder visited at R. H. Mackinder's Friday.

Mrs. Vina Wood of Detroit visited Mrs. Eliza Placeway Monday.

Lewrence McClear and family and Jas. Gibney and family visited at Royal Oak Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend Williams of Stockbridge and F. J. Fortmann of Dansville visited at Richard Mackinder's Friday.

Emmett Hadley had several pigs killed by lightning during the storm of Tuesday.

Rev. Bucher and family are expected here from Kentucky July 2. Services at the usual time next Sunday morning and evening.

Francis Mackinder is spending a few days at Lakeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Poole visited her mother and brother at Marion Center Sunday. After returning home they served a six o'clock dinner to Mr. Poole's mother, Mrs. E. M. Book of Pinckney and his sister, Mrs. G. L. Clark of Leonard.

The several Hewlett families of this place attended the Leek and Goodyear family reunion at Clear Lake Wednesday. About seventy were present.

Thomas Hewlett is under the doctor's care.

Frank Worison spent Sunday with his family here.

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Ray Hill was in Ypsilanti Saturday, moving the household goods of Miss Braley to Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schonover of Muskegon were week end guests of Wm. Cone.

Mrs. L. M. Gould of Walled Lake was a guest of Mrs. Fred Merrill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose attended a birthday surprise at the home of Ed. Artz of Bunker Hill.

Mrs. Jas. Stackable was an over Sunday visitor in Hamburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bollinger were in Howell Friday.

Donald Poole of Leslie is visiting his uncle, Cleve Poole.

Sheriff Miller of Howell was in town Thursday.

Clare Chipman was in Chelsea Thursday evening.

Mrs. Betty Marshall of this place and Mrs. Mary Bamer of

Willmer Crossman and wife attended a ball game at Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. G. M. Jones has received word that her husband has returned from overseas.

Mrs. Thos. Criswell of Stockbridge was a caller in town Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lamb, who has been a guest of Mrs. Wm. Marsh for the past two weeks has returned to her home in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marshall of Stockbridge were in town Saturday.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for county of Livingston.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Howell in said county, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1919.

Present, Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of FRANK EISLE, Deceased.

Emma Eisle having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person,

It is ordered, that the 26th day of July, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Eugene A. Stowe,
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