

PINCKNEY DISPATCH

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WHAT THE YEAR 1921 DID FOR PINCKNEY

When 1921 was ushered in with the usual accompaniment of good cheer there was no unusual amount of rejoicing in Pinckney. The business part of the town had been partially devastated by fire; the village streets were in darkness and there would have been discouragement if there were not better prospects for the future.

But the dawn that always comes after darkness came to Pinckney during 1921, and the village has made more real, tangible progress during the past year than ever happened before during a twelve months period.

The Detroit Edison Company completed its preliminary work here and now the churches, homes, business places and streets are well lighted and Pinckney can offer inducements for manufacturing with electric power that never could have been made previous to 1921.

1921 has seen the completion of the fire system, so that now the village is amply protected by fire apparatus and storage reservoirs.

The fire boys have been called out several times and have already saved enough property in and near the village to prove beyond argument to the very few who were opposed, that the expenditure was justified.

The fire hall has been built and is now occupied by the engine and apparatus. This building fills one gap in West Main Street.

The prospect of a manufacturing plant operated by Henry Ford has been strengthened during the year. Mr. Ford has bought the mill site and water rights, engineers have staked

the site and the prospects are that the work will go ahead soon.

Many sales of real estate have been made and property is in good demand. Outsiders are looking our way and are complimenting the village people on the improved appearance of the village.

The Masonic lodge of Pinckney now occupies the new home which is more commodious and convenient than the old one which was burned. They have also two stores which, with the Thomas Read store are now being decorated and are the show buildings of the business section.

Pinckney has made a big stride forward during the past year and only awaits the actual operations on the Ford plant to begin to see a boom started here that may place the village far ahead of the dreams of those whose optimism is now only moderate.

Perhaps the greatest change in Pinckney is the spirit of optimism which now prevails instead of the discouragement so much in evidence before.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the many friends who remembered me with the Christmas card shower. I appreciated them very much.

Mrs. Robert Tiplady

I wish to thank Miss Green and Miss Roche my dear teachers, and each and all of my kind schoolmates for the big Christmas Box filled with many beautiful and useful presents.

May the New Year be the happiest you have ever known.

you have ever known, is the wish of Louise Grainger

Mrs. T. W. Richardson

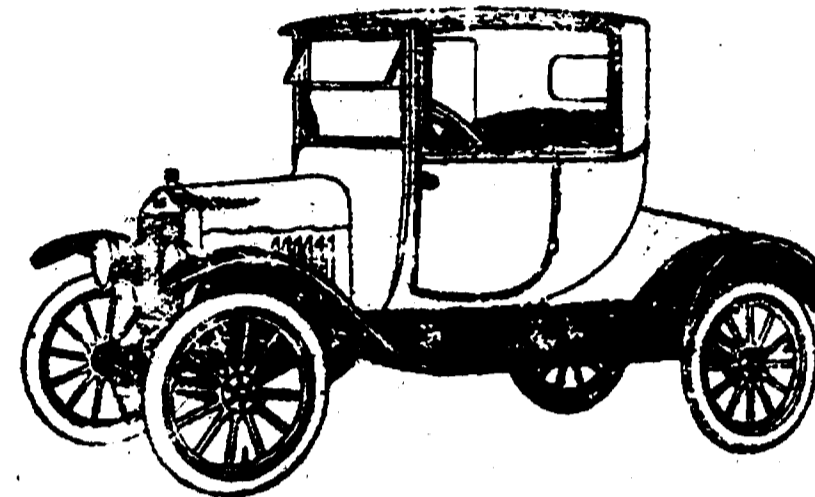
RED CROSS NOTES

SOLDIERS' TAKE NOTICE

The Michigan Clean Up Squad will be at Howell January 16 and 17 for the purpose of adjusting soldiers' claims from Livingston County. Disabled men who have not already done so should file their claims in duplicate. (This form is an application for compensation). Affidavits from your physician and from two or more competent in service showing your disability is due to service and affidavits for dependents, if any. These papers should be attended to before the Squad arrives. The forms may be obtained from the Red Cross, the Station or from the Public Health Department.

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The Ford Coupe has always been a popular car for the man or woman keeping appointments, whether social, business or professional, because it is always ready for use and gets there on time with comfort and convenience to its occupants. It is even more popular now at its new low price of \$595.00.

Order today for reasonably prompt delivery. Terms if desired.

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Will your old battery turn the motor over these cold mornings? If not, bring it in. We have loaners for you.

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BARNARD'S

We wish All
A Happy and Prosperous
New Year

Barnard Mercantile Company

A Merry Xmas

and

Happy New Year
to ALL

Chronology of the Year 1921

Compiled by E. W. Pickard

INTERNATIONAL

Jan. 1-United States withdrew its recognition of the government of the...
Jan. 2-United States withdrew its recognition of the government of the...
Jan. 3-United States withdrew its recognition of the government of the...

Jan. 1-Panama agreed to let Costa Rica...
Jan. 2-United States formally withdrew from the reparations commission...
Jan. 3-United States formally withdrew from the reparations commission...

Jan. 1-Lloyd George again invited...
Jan. 2-Spanish troops killed a thousand...
Jan. 3-Spanish troops killed a thousand...

Jan. 1-Charles G. Dawes made...
Jan. 2-United States formally withdrew...
Jan. 3-United States formally withdrew...

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DOMESTIC

Jan. 1-President Wilson sent Gen. Crowder...
Jan. 2-President Wilson sent Gen. Crowder...
Jan. 3-President Wilson sent Gen. Crowder...

FOREIGN

Jan. 1-British unearthed Irish plot to blow up...
Jan. 2-British unearthed Irish plot to blow up...
Jan. 3-British unearthed Irish plot to blow up...

Jan. 1-Senate passed the packers' regulation bill...
Jan. 2-Senate passed the packers' regulation bill...
Jan. 3-Senate passed the packers' regulation bill...

Jan. 1-Leonard Wood inaugurated governor...
Jan. 2-Governor Frasier and other...
Jan. 3-Governor Frasier and other...

Jan. 1-Former members of Chicago White Sox...
Jan. 2-Walter Hagen of New York won...
Jan. 3-Walter Hagen of New York won...

Jan. 1-King Peter of Serbia, by sea...
Jan. 2-Maj. Gen. Harry G. Carter II...
Jan. 3-Maj. Gen. Harry G. Carter II...

AERONAUTICS

Jan. 1-Twelve aviators...
Jan. 2-Twelve aviators...
Jan. 3-Twelve aviators...

INDUSTRIAL

Jan. 1-Supreme Court of United States...
Jan. 2-Supreme Court of United States...
Jan. 3-Supreme Court of United States...

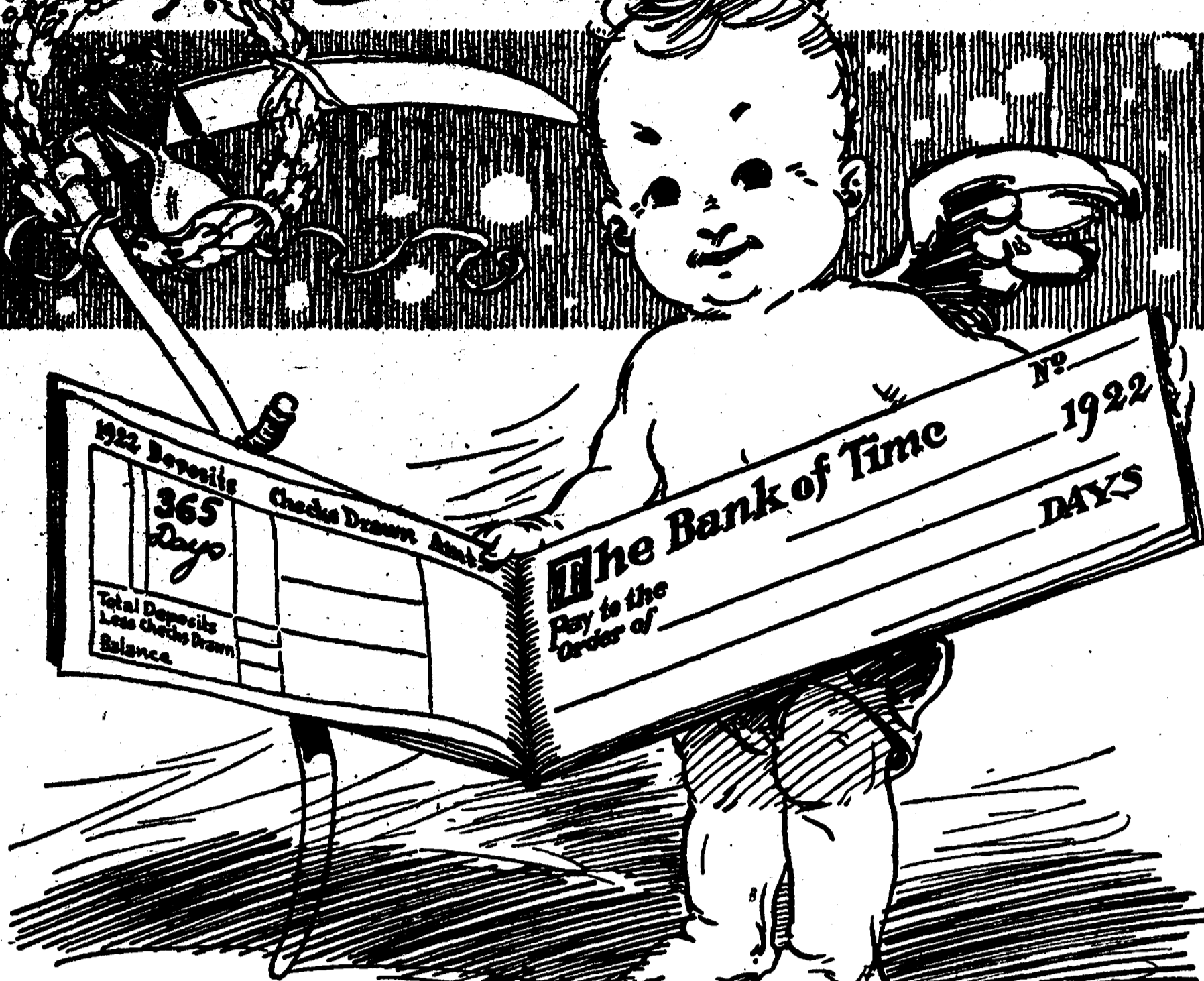
NECROLOGY

Jan. 1-John W. Stead, 'Coal Oil Johnny'...
Jan. 2-John W. Stead, 'Coal Oil Johnny'...
Jan. 3-John W. Stead, 'Coal Oil Johnny'...

DISASTERS

Jan. 1-Panama, Panama, inundated by...
Jan. 2-Panama, Panama, inundated by...
Jan. 3-Panama, Panama, inundated by...

What of the Checks?



Let me entreat one thing of thee and I will adventure to promise thee a good year. The request is in itself reasonable and may to thee be eternally profitable. It is only this: duty to print and diligent to improve time for the blessed end it was given for and is yet graciously continued unto thee by eternal God.—REV. JOHN SHERMAN (1612-1685).

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

WHAT of the checks that you and I are going to draw on the Bank of Time in 1922—if we keep on drawing checks through the year?

"There's nothing new under the sun," according to a very old saying. It's true, too, in a sense,

Let us hope that the "reasonable request" that this early Puritan put to himself was to him "eternally profitable." In any event, he stands forth as a fine sample of a sturdy American pioneer family that has given four immortals to the nation—Roger Sherman, one of the framers of the Declaration of Independence; General W. T. Sherman; Secretary of State John Sherman; Vice President James S. Sherman.

Certainly his request is one that is always reasonable, and that is one

A good American can help just now by putting his respect for the law, strongly in evidence. For the law is the law. If it is a poor law, it should be changed. But until it is changed, it should be obeyed—whether it relates to the shooting of game birds or to the use of liquor or to the speed of automobiles or to murder or to anarchy. Many people who would hotly resent the charge that they are anarchists take delight in evading the laws and in making sport of the laws, and

MARKET

DETOIT QUOTATIONS

Feed and Grain
 WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.11; No. 2 white and No. 3 mixed, \$1.08; No. 4, \$1.05; No. 5, \$1.02.
 OLD YELLOW CORN—Cash No. 1, \$0.85; No. 2, \$0.82; No. 3, \$0.79.
 NEW YELLOW CORN—Cash No. 1, \$0.88; No. 2, \$0.85; No. 3, \$0.82.
 WHITE OATS—Cash No. 2, 40c; No. 1, 42c; No. 3, 44c.
 RYE—Cash No. 2, 90c.
 BEANS—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$1.20 per cwt. for white and \$1.15 for red.
 BARLEY—Feeding, \$1.15 to \$1.25 per cwt.
 BUCKWHEAT—\$1.60 to \$1.65 per cwt.
 SEEDS—Prime red clover, \$12.50; January, \$12.20; alsike, \$11; timothy, \$11.50.
 HAY—No. 1 timothy, \$19.00; standard, \$18.00; light mixed, \$18.00; No. 2 timothy, \$17.00; No. 3 clover mixed, \$16.00; No. 1 clover, \$16.00; rye straw, \$13.50; wheat and oat straw, \$12.50 to \$13 per ton in carlots.
 FEED—Bran, \$31; standard middlings, \$30; fine middlings, \$30; cracked corn, \$27.50; coarse cornmeal, \$24.50; chop, \$27.50 per ton in 100-lb. sacks.
 POTATOES—Fancy spring wheat potatoes, \$8.25 to \$8.50; fancy winter wheat potatoes, \$4.75 to \$5.00; second winter wheat potatoes, \$4.75 to \$5.00; winter wheat straight, \$4.50 to \$4.75; Kansas patent, \$7.25 to \$7.50 per bushel.
Live Stock and Poultry
 CATTLE—Best heavy steers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; best heavy butchers steers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; handy light butchers, \$4.00 to \$4.25; butchers, \$3.75 to \$4.00; best cows, \$4.00 to \$4.25; butcher cows, \$3.25 to \$3.75; cutters, \$2.50 to \$3.00; canners, \$2.00 to \$2.50; choice bulls, \$4.00 to \$4.50; Bologna bulls, \$3.50 to \$4.00; stock bulls, \$3.00 to \$3.50; feeders, \$2.50 to \$3.00; stockers, \$4.75 to \$5.00; milkers and springers, \$4.00 to \$4.75.
 CALVES—Best, \$10.00 to \$10.50; others, \$9.00 to \$9.50.
 SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best lambs, \$10.50; fair lambs, \$8.50 to \$9.50; light to common lambs, \$6.50 to \$7.50; fair to good steers, \$3.50 to \$4.25; culls and common, \$1.00 to \$1.25.
 HOGS—Mixed hogs, \$7.50; extreme heavy, \$6.75; roughs, \$6.75; stags, \$6.00; boars, \$5.00.
LIVE POULTRY—Best spring chickens, \$22; Leghorn spring, 18c; large fat hens, 21c to 22c; medium hens, 19c to 20c; small hens, 18c to 19c; old chickens, 14c to 15c; 22 large ducks, 25c to 30c; small ducks, 25c to 27c; large turkeys, 47c per lb.
Farm and Garden Produce
 APPLES—Greening, \$3.00 to \$3.50; Baldwins, \$2.50 to \$2.75; Spys, \$2.50; Jonathan, \$3.00 to \$3.25; western boxes, \$2.50 to \$3.00.
 CABBAGE—\$1.50 to \$1.60 per doz.
 POTATOES—Michigan, \$3.00 to \$3.15 per 100-lb. sack.
 PEPPERCORN—Globe, 5c; Little Buster, 10c to 12c.
 MUSHROOMS—Fancy, 40c to 50c per lb.
 CELERY—Michigan, 40c to 50c per doz. and \$1.25 to \$1.50 per box; California Junco, 60c to 65c; extra Junco, 75c to 80c; mammoth, \$1.00 to 1.10 per doz.
 ONIONS—Eastern, \$5.75 to \$6.25 per 100-lb. sack.
 PRESERVED HOGS—Small to medium, 10c to 11c; heavy, 10c to 11c per lb.
 Butter and Eggs.
 BUTTER—Best creamery, in tubs, 35c to 38c per lb.
 EGGS—Fresh, candled and graded, 45c to 50c; storage, 35c to 40c; fresh Pacific coast whites, 55c to 58c per doz.

Family Told

Traverse City—Mr. and Mrs. John J. ...
Owosso—The first Justice Court ...
Grand Rapids—The Victor Talking ...
Owosso—To guard against fire, officers ...
Bay City—James P. Elmore, believed ...
Grand Rapids—The Right Rev. Monsignor ...
Owosso—A committee representing the ...
Grand Rapids—By ordering the defendants ...
Three Rivers—After spending 90 days ...

Bay City—The Bee-keepers Association ...
Lansing—A blanket reduction of approximately ...
Kalamazoo—Guarded by their two dogs ...
Lansing—The administrative board has ...
Grand Rapids—Search and seizure warrants ...
Kalamazoo—The widow and two children ...

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Supreme Court Upholds Kent Jurisdiction in Bay City Case.
 Lansing—The state supreme court has upheld the action of the Kent circuit court in dismissing the suit of former Mayor Robert V. Mundy of Bay City against Judge John S. McDonald, of Grand Rapids, for \$50,000 damages, alleging that the judge had used slanderous language in a report he filed in the Bay circuit after conducting a one-man grand jury investigation of conditions in Bay City.

23 BILLIONS IN BONDS MADE
 U. S. Currency Will Also Print 6,000,000 Revenue Stamps.
 Washington—Nearly \$23,000,000 worth of Liberty Loan bonds, internal revenue stamps, gold notes and other United States currency certificates were turned out by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing during the fiscal year ended June 30, according to the annual report of the director. Nearly 6,000,000,000 internal revenue stamps alone were printed. Liberty loan engraving and printing practically ceased with the completion in April of the Fourth Liberty Loan permanent coupon bonds, the report stated, making a total of all issues of \$91,344,560 bonds and notes of both temporary and permanent forms.

U. S. WILL SIFT RETAIL PRICES
 Investigate Charges of Alleged Price-tearing in Necessities.
 Washington—Atty. Gen. Daugherty has inaugurated a country-wide investigation of alleged profiteering among retail dealers handling foods, clothing and fuel.

New Year Gifts
 As to the New Year's gift custom, it is supposed to have been derived from the Romans, but is probably much older. Quotations from Tertullian mention it. Augustine mentions it in his treatise on the City of God. It is mentioned in the Bible in the story of the boy who gave the king a gift of gold, frankincense and myrror.

FRAS DAY FOR RUSSIAN CHILDREN
 In the country town of Russia New Year's is the great festival for the children. Boys all day long are busy making and setting out their "frases" or "frases" for the children.

abuse and nuisance. The kings and feudal nobility of the Middle Ages practically levied on their dependents for gifts. The presents varied according to sex and rank.

Duke Men Army of 900.
 London—The Duke of Atholl, newly appointed Lord Chamberlain, is the Queen's favorite. He has permission to keep a private army of 900 men. The Duke's army is the largest of any nobleman in the country.

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- Your Tires Vulcanized

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1-4 OFF

All Boy's Suits, Overcoats, Mackinaws, Raincoats

CHUBB'S CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hoisel and daughter spent Christmas in Jackson with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkle and son and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison and daughter spent Christmas in Pinckney with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mercer.

Miss Essie Gaffney of Detroit spent Christmas at her home here.

Willard Bennett returned to Albion Saturday, after spending a couple of weeks at his home here.

Ed. Hoisel Sr. is visiting relatives at Jackson.

T. Richardson and wife spent Christmas at the home of Robt. Grainger.

Miss Mildred Bennett spent Christmas at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Butlin entertained company from Detroit and Richmond over Christmas.

A large crowd enjoyed the Christmas entertainment and tree at the Chubb's Corners school last Friday evening. A fine program was given.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

BRIGHTON—Pavement is practically certain for part of Brighton streets next year. The State Highway announced in its preliminary outline that one-half mile of concrete road would be built on M 16 in the village of Brighton in the summer of 1922.

According to all that can be learned this early the plan is to begin the work at the corner by Robert Phillips' house where the Flint-Ann Arbor road joins Grand River, and pave one-half mile. The state paves only twenty feet thru town. If the two main business blocks on that street are to be paved to the curb it is up to the village to do

FOWLERVILLE—A Detroit motorist was making his rounds in his new car in front of one of our citizens last week and on his new car was a 1922 license. Deputy Sheriff Harry Calkins happened to be standing there and politely asked him if he had a right to drive his car on a new year's license and looking at the license Harry was wearing told him that "citizens of the metropolis of the state were 60 days a head of the farmers out in the country." Harry tried to convince him of his mistake and finally had to exhibit his official badge and took him before Justice Calkins who read him the law and proved it by fining him \$10.00. Of course he was very indignant and he will have his attorney change the state law.—Review.

BRIGHTON—William Benham, Brighton wool buyer, placed the highest bid on the Gove factory and land at the public auction of the property on the site Monday. His bid was \$2,500, and it was temporarily struck off to him at that figure.

The personal property was sold at the auction to W. P. Gannon in a lump subject to the piecemeal sale which would be given preference if that figure proved to be ten per cent higher than the lump sale. Mr. Gannon's bid was \$700, but the piecemeal bidding totaled \$894.40. The latter sale will stand subject only to the confirmation of the referee of the sale.

Bids on the factory and land can be placed for eight days after the sale, therefore it will not be known for several days who the real purchaser of the factory will be.—Argus.

CHELSEA—The directors and officers of the Board of Commerce have been busy during the past week with two very promising factory propositions, one being a large screw machine products company now employing upwards of 250 men, and the other a woolen knitted goods factory, specializing in woolen knitted hose for both men and women.

street, has finished the work up to the curb.—Argus.

CHELSEA—A municipal skating pond, sponsored by the village officials the Board of Commerce and the American Legion boys, is the latest civic undertaking in Chelsea, thanks to suggestions made the Board of Commerce by Albert Steinbuch several weeks ago.—Tribune.

FOWLERVILLE—While Fred Killinger was unloading a load of logs at his home Thursday one of the logs suddenly became loosened and fell from the load, striking him on the leg, breaking the bone just above the ankle. Dr. Hendren was summoned and Mr. Killinger was taken to the Sparrow hospital at Lansing, as the break was of such nature that it required more than ordinary care. Arwin Killinger was notified of the accident to his father and was hastening to the parental home when he lost control of his auto which skidded on the hill just north of the old Snyder farm and turned over, pinning him underneath, but fortunately giving him no serious trouble, but some painful injuries.—Review.

CHELSEA—This is the harrowing tale about the tail of a skunk, a tragedy of Four Mile lake. The scene is laid on a farm near Four Mile lake and the principal actors are a prominent and well known farmer, his son, and the skunk.

It seems that the son has a trap line on the farm and recently found a skunk in one of his traps. He didn't know just how to get the little animal out of the trap without disagreeable results and so consulted with his father in the matter.

"Sure," said the farmer, "I'll get it out—no trouble at all if you know how," or words to that effect.

Now it seems that this p. and w. k. farmer had heard that if one picked a skunk up by the tail the animal would not resort to its disagreeable and low down practice of scattering an offensive odor all over the landscape, and everything within range, and so he decided to try out the stunt and volunteered to take the skunk from the trap. But sad to relate, the tail grabbing stunt didn't work, at least not as the p. and w. k. farmer had expected it would. Either he failed to get the right kind of a hold, or some thing or other went amiss, for the skunk proceeded as per usual; the farmer got his full share of odor, etc., and the neighbors do say that he has been a trying problem for the rest of the family ever since.—Tribune.

where the president of the company visited Chelsea today to look at the available factory buildings here including a part of the Lewis Spring and Asle Co. plant, and to confer with officials of the Board of Commerce.

A rather superficial and hurried investigation made by the Board of Commerce during the past week indicates that this factory would be a splendid addition to industrial Chelsea.

The knitting factory proposition also seems to be worthy of careful consideration, but negotiations are still indefinite, although some action is expected within a few days.—Tribune.

STOCKBRIDGE—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Riggs were awakened one night the latter part of last week by their dog coming into their bedroom and barking. Mr. R. got up and taking his shotgun went out to the porch just in time to see a man going from the house to an automobile. He commanded the man to halt, which had no effect, and as the machine was being rapidly driven away fired a load of fine shot at the machine. The joke is rather on Herman as a poor marksman as later investigation shows that the intruders were Claude Mills and Ernie Dickinson who were out moon hunting and had stopped to fill the radiator of the machine. They heard the report but supposed it was a tire blow-out, none of the shot struck the machine, and they did not learn the difference until a couple of days later.—Brief Sun

MASON—George H. Leverett, a Mason grocer, ran afoul the law and the wrath of Mrs. Garry Sanders one day last week when he sold a can of tobacco and some cigarette papers to a 14 year old lad, who is being held at the Detention Home. Mrs. Sanders came down town and purchased a small article of furniture, and asked three of the little lads to carry it back home. She watched them start and then went about other business. One of the lads had some small change in his pocket, and when Mrs. Sanders was out of sight, the boys stopped at Mr. Leverett's store where he sold them the tobacco. That night these lads placed their bed against the door leading into their room, and "rolled their own."

suspecting something wrong, Mr. Sanders forced his way into the room and in the smoke laden atmosphere, gave the boys each a sound spanking and found out where they produced the "makings".

Garry having meted out the punishment to the boys, Mrs. Sanders set about punishing Leverett. He found Justice J. H. Sawyer, admitted his guilt and paid a fine of \$2.00 and costs. The law prohibits the sale of tobacco to minors.

MELBORN—After deliberation from 11:00 until 1:00 last Saturday, the circuit court jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Franklin E. Burns charged with arson in connection with the fire in the Sherwood building on the night of October 29.

Burns went on and stood in his own defense.

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NEW YEAR'S 1922

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BRIGHTON

The first municipal Christmas tree program ever held in Brighton took place in the court of the village hall Thursday evening. The tree was beautifully illuminated with electric lights. The program consisted of singing the old-time Christmas carols by school children under the leadership of Mrs. Jessie L. Mitchell, seventh and eighth grade teacher, and Miss Annette Martin, music teacher of the Brighton schools.

Mrs. Mitchell, who is also village clerk, laid the matter of a municipal Christmas tree before the council at their last meeting and that body furnished the tree. The Brighton Board of Commerce, because interested and took charge of the lighting.

Following the program at the tree, carolers sang in front of the Melius hospital and several homes where there was sickness or aged people. They sang so long as they marched through the business section of the town.—State Journal.

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HAMBURG TOWNSHIP

TAX NOTICE

I will be at the following places on stated dates to receive taxes:
Boyce's store, Hamburg, Dec. 17, 22, and Jan. 5.
Pettysville Store, Dec. 18, 23, and Jan. 11.
Waters' store, Lakeland, Dec. 20, and Jan. 9.
At home Fridays.
No taxes received after mailing hours.

CLIFFORD C. VAN HORN
Township Treasurer

PUTNAM TOWNSHIP

TAX NOTICE

The Tax Roll is now in my hands, and I will be in the Pinckney Exchange Bank every Saturday, during banking hours.

Please don't come after 5:00 P. M.
A. M. ROCHER
Township Treasurer

Taking Your Measure.
The things that people say about you when you are not with them, make up what the community thinks of you. Ever being a competitor how you stand

Pinckney City Market

We wish you all a
MERRY CHRISTMAS
and
A HAPPY NEW YEAR
And thank you for all favors shown us

CLAUDE REASON

HOME BAKERY

We wish All a
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We appreciate the liberal patronage given the Pinckney Home Baked Goods during the past year.

It is our aim to deserve a continuance of your favors.

CAPPLE

WANTED Eggs Poultry... E. FARRAN

Bus Line... F. S. PALMER

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HOW'S THIS? HARRIS' MEDICINE

Pinckney Dispatch... Local and General

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FLOYD E. WEEKS DRUGGIST... The Convenient Store of Service

FRUIT STORE... CHRISTMAS CANDIES... GROceries

JOE GENTILE... READ BUILDING WEST MAIN STREET

Dancing Party... The O. E. S. will give a Dancing Party at the Masonic Hall Friday Eve., December 30

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC... GREEN Oak and Hickory... BROWN wool man's mitten...

HOWELL—The suit of Oswald E. Coleman against the township of Deerfield which has occupied the attention of the Livingston county circuit court at this place, was brought to a close late Wednesday afternoon when Judge Collins directed the jury to render a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for the sum asked for viz: \$186.80, with interest added at the rate of 5 per cent since April 4 1921, up to the present date.

A BULL-DOG DRUMMOND

The Adventures of A Demobilized Officer Who Found Peace Dull

CYRIL MENELE "SAPPER"

Illustrations by IRWIN MYERS

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FROM HEADQUARTERS.

Synopsis.—In December, 1912, four men gathered in a hotel in Berne and heard one of the quartet, Capt. Peterson, outline a plan to paralyze Great Britain and at the same time seize world power. The other three, Hocking, American, and Steineman, and Von Grata, German, all millionaires, agree to the scheme, providing another man, Hiram Potts, an American, is taken in. Capt. Hugh (Bull-Dog) Drummond, a retired officer, advertises for work that will give him excitement, signing "X." As a result he meets Phyllis Benton, a young woman who answered his ad. She tells him of strange murders and robberies by a band headed by Carl Peterson and Henry Lakington. She fears her father is involved. Drummond goes to The Larches, Miss Benton's home, next door to the Elms, Peterson's place. During the night Drummond leaves The Larches and explores The Elms. He discovers Lakington and Peterson using a thumbcrew on Potts, who signs a paper. Drummond rescues Potts and takes him to his own home. He also gets half of the paper torn in the fight. Peterson visits Drummond, departing with a threat to return and recover Potts and the torn paper. Hugh substitutes Mullings for Potts. The band carry off Mullings and Drummond to The Elms. When Peterson discovers the hoax Drummond is made to stay all night. Irma, Peterson's handsome daughter, warns Hugh he will be killed. He goes exploring during the night, runs into a cobra, escapes mysterious death and refrains from breaking Peterson's neck.

CHAPTER IV—Continued.

FOUR

"From a rapid survey, Mr. Peterson, I should think you have quite enough already," said Hugh. "I trust you paid him the money you owe him."

"I will allot it to him in my will," remarked Peterson. "If you do the same in yours, doubtless he will get it from one of us sooner or later. In the meantime, Miss Benton, is your father up?"

The girl frowned. "No—not yet."

"Then I will go and see him in bed. For the present, au revoir." He walked toward the house, and they



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alone and practically unguarded he had challenged a gang of international criminals; a gang not only utterly unscrupulous, but controlled by a master mind. Of its power as yet he had no clear idea; of its size and immediate object he had even less. Perhaps it was as well. Had he realized even dimly the immensity of the issue he was up against, had he had but an inkling of the magnitude of the plot conceived in the sinister brain of his host of the previous evening, then, cheery optimist though he was, even Hugh Drummond might have wavered. But he had no such inkling, and so the gleam in his eyes was but transitory, the chuckle that succeeded it more whole-hearted than before. Was it not sport in a ladd flowing with strikes and profiteers; sport such as his soul loved?

"I am afraid Mullings," he said as his car stopped in front of his club, "that the kindly gentleman with whom we spent last night has repudiated his obligations. He refuses to meet the bill I gave him for your services. Just wait here a moment."

He went inside, returning in a few moments with a folded check.

"Round the corner, Mullings, and an obliging fellow in a black coat will shove you out the necessary Bradburys."

"Fifty pounds, sir," he gasped.

that the wretched Potts bathed in

"What sort of a job?" demanded the other suspiciously.

"Oh! not work, dear old boy. Don't, man—you know me better than that, surely!"

"People are so funny nowadays," returned Longworth gloomily. "What is this job?"

Together the two men strolled into the luncheon-room, and long after the cheese had been finished, Algy Longworth was still listening in silence to his companion.

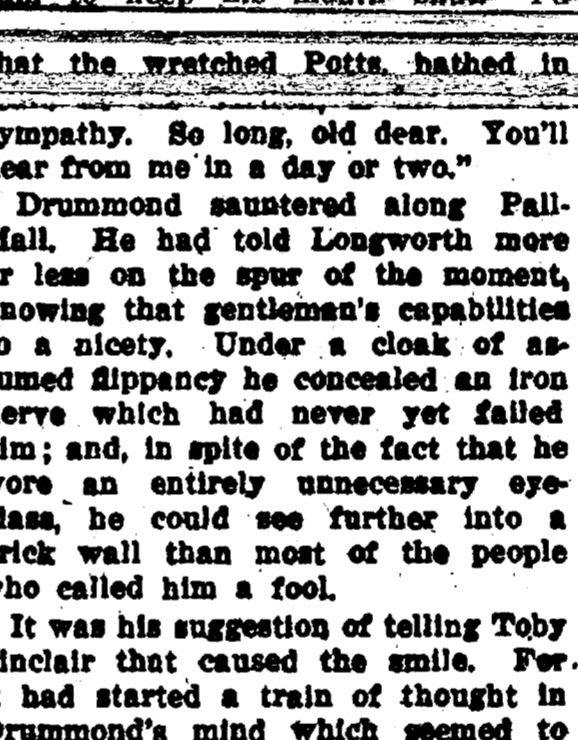
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sympathy. So long, old dear. You'll hear from me in a day or two."

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It was his suggestion of telling Toby Sinclair that caused the smile. For it had started a train of thought in Drummond's mind which seemed to



"The laborer, Mullings, is worthy of his hire. You have been of the very greatest assistance to me; and incidentally, it is more than likely that I may want you again. Now, where can I get hold of you?"

"18 Green Street, Oxton, sir, 'il always find me. And any time, sir, as you wants me, I'd like to come just for the sport of the thing."

Hugh grinned.

"Good lad. And it may be sooner than you think."



"STRANGE MURDER IN BELFAST"

The man whose body was discovered in such peculiar circumstances near the docks has been identified as Mr. James Granger, the confidential secretary to Mr. Hiram Potts, the American multi-millionaire, at present in this country. The unfortunate victim of this dastardly outrage—his head, as we reported in our last night's issue, was nearly severed from his body—had apparently been sent over on business by Mr. Potts, and had arrived the preceding day. What he was doing in the locality in which he was found is a mystery.

"We understand that Mr. Potts, who has recently been indisposed, has returned to the Carlton, and is greatly upset at the sudden tragedy.

"The police are confident that will shortly obtain a clue, though the murder was committed under great difficulties. It seems clear the motive was robbery, as all the murdered man's pockets were rifled. But the most peculiar thing about the case is the extraordinary care taken by the murderer to prevent the identification of the body. Every article of clothing, even down to the murdered man's socks, had had the name torn out, and it was only through the criminal overlooking the tailor's tab inside the inner breast-pocket of Mr. Granger's coat that the police were enabled to identify the body."

Drummond said down the paper on his knees, and stared a little dazedly at the club's immortal founder.

"Holy smoke! liddle," he murmured, "that man Peterson ought to be on the committee here. Verily, I believe, he could galvanize the dead into some semblance of activity."

"Did you order anything, sir?" A waiter passed beside him.

"No," answered Drummond, "but I will rectify the omission. Another large tankard of ale."

The waiter departed, and Hugh placed up the paper again.

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Hugh and his friends were gazed by the band.

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His Faith.

"A man should not put his trust in riches," advised the pastor.

"I know it," agreed Old Manstone, "but he should have some money to get his clothes in repair."

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Girls!

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175,000,000 Lives Saved

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The British

The brilliant young happy messenger out in his smock when a widow

Old Manstone With St

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I'm proof against that word "fail-
ure." I've seen behind. The only fail-
ure I mean ought to be failure in
cleaving to the purpose he sees to be
best.—George Eliot.

A FEW NUT SALADS

The amount of nuts added to any
combination used as a salad adds
greatly to its nutritive
value.

Peanut Salad.—Take
one head of lettuce,
wash and separate the
leaves, then wrap and
put away to drain. Be-
tween the seeds from a
green pepper, also the
white membrane, and
cut the pepper into wa-
ter-like slices. Rub the
skins from one cupful of peanuts and
chop coarsely. When ready to serve,
place the lettuce in a salad bowl,
scatter the pepper and nuts over it
and decorate with forms cut from pi-
mento. Season well with salt, papri-
ka and pepper. Serve with French or
boiled dressing.

**Cream Cheese, Grape and Pecan
Salad.**—Take one pound of California
grapes, remove the seeds and mix
with one-quarter pound of pecan nut
meats broken in bits; add French or
mayonnaise dressing and place on
head lettuce. Take one cream cheese,
mix with cream to soften, then press
through a ricer over the salad. Deco-
rate with halved nuts and forms cut
from canned red peppers.

Almond and Banana Salad.—Peel
and scrape three bananas, cut in quar-
ters lengthwise and sprinkle with lem-
on juice. Chop one-half pound of salt-
ed almonds very fine; roll the bananas
in them. Arrange on head lettuce
and sprinkle with seeded grapes. Pour
over French dressing made by using
lemon juice instead of vinegar.

Walnuts and Potato Salad.—Chop
six cold boiled potatoes, one-half cup-
ful of nut meats, one small cooked
beet, three or four pickles, a stalk of
celery, one-half of a green pepper,
finely shredded, and one cupful of
thick, rich, highly-seasoned boiled
dressing. Press into a mold and let
stand to chill; serve on lettuce that
has been sprinkled with onion juice.
Hard Sauce.—Cream one-half cup-

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Is it **MASTIN'S** or isn't it **VITAMON**

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Camille Saint-Saens, the French composer, best known for his opera, "Samson and Delilah," heard music in the commonest noises when a child. He would plant himself in front of a clock to hear it strike. Seated on a small stool before the fire he used to wait for the tea-kettle to sing.

In a book of recollections, Saint-Saens says that his friend, Pasteur, the great bacteriologist, was the object of public wrath when he first announced his new treatment for disease. A mass meeting was held to protest against his serum discoveries, at which an eminent man said: "Scientific questions should be settled by the laboratory."

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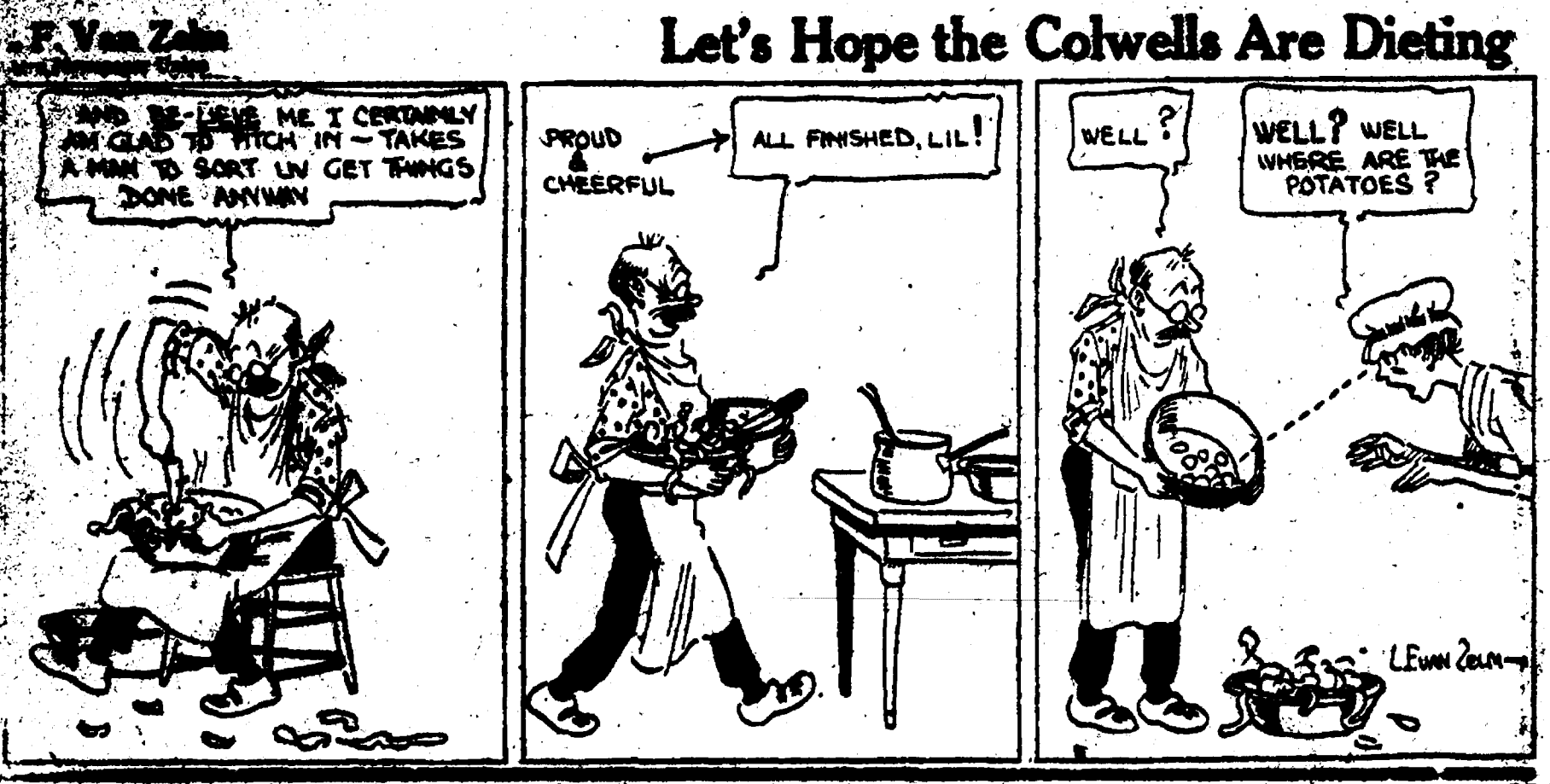
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MASQUERADE ENTERTAINMENT

Masquerade Entertainment at the Pinckney Opera House
Friday Evening, January 6th, 1922

PROGRAM

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| <p>PART I.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Star Drill..... Wohelo Girls Indian Drill..... Indian Maidens Suffragette March and Many Daring Feats..... No One Knows Who Grand March | <p>PART II.</p> <p>"Not On The Program"</p> <p>This side splitting comedy will be given by the following</p> |
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CHARACTERS

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| Mrs. Murry Whitney..... | Mrs. Mabel Smith |
| Ophelia Johnson (her maid)..... | Dorothy Darrow |
| Mrs. Jones (her neighbor)..... | Irene Richardson |
| Vincent Fielding (a dramatic actor)..... | Roy Campbell |
| Erastus Brown (a philosopher)..... | Wm. Vince |
| Officer Hogan..... | Azel Carpenter |

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CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

A most excellent program was given by the Federated Sunday School of their Christmas exercises last Friday evening. The following program was given and enjoyed by all present.

- PROGRAM**
- Prelude
- Christmas Eve..... Beate Swarthout
 - Christmas Morn..... Freda Breda
 - Chorus..... Hear the Ringing of the Bells
 - Greeting..... Margery Hadden
 - Recitation..... Florence Sider, Helen Crowe
 - Recitation..... Cecil Hadden
 - Dialogue..... Group of Boys
 - Recitation..... Roland Tipper
 - Recitation..... Constance Darrow
 - Recitation..... Lucille Kennedy
 - Recitation..... Russel Read
 - Chorus, When Christmas Time Is Here
 - Exercise..... Primary Class
 - Recitation..... Merwin Campbell
 - Duet..... Starlight Gleaming
 - Recitation..... Stanley Dinkie
 - Recitation..... Joseph Kovacs
 - Dialogue..... Group of Girls
 - Recitation..... Phyllis Plummer
 - Chorus..... Joy Is Everywhere Today
 - Recitation..... Alex Kovacs
 - Recitation..... Evelyne Graves
 - Recitation..... Mildred Haines
 - Recitation..... Dorothy Campbell
 - Drill..... Wohelo Girls
 - Chorus..... The Gift of Love
 - Invitation..... Reatha Cook
 - Dialogue..... Junior Class

After this Santa arrived and after a short visit the presents and gifts were distributed to the happy children and grown-ups.

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE SALE
 Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, made by Albert Bowhall and Eunice Bowhall, his wife, of Howell, Michigan, to the First State & Savings Bank of Howell, Mich-

in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds on the 11th day of April, 1920 in Liber 125 of Mortgages at page 462 thereof. It being expressly provided in said mortgage that should default be made in the payment of principal or interest on any date when the same is made payable and should the same remain unpaid for a period of thirty days then the principal sum mentioned in said mortgage with all arrearage of interest shall at the option of said mortgagee become immediately payable. And default having been made in the payment of six installments of principal in the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) each, one of which installments became due and payable on three months after the date of said mortgage and more than thirty days having elapsed since each of said installments became due and payable and no part of same having been paid, the said mortgagee by virtue of the option in the said mortgage contained hereby elect and declare the principal sum of one hundred ninety-five dollars (\$195) remaining unpaid with all arrearage of interest thereon to be due and payable immediately. There is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of two hundred eight dollars and ninety-one cents (\$208.91) and no proceeding at law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage on any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that on Friday the third day of March, 1922 at one o'clock (central standard time) in the afternoon of said day at the west front door of the court house in the City of Howell, Livingston County, Michigan (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county of Livingston in which said mortgaged premises to be sold are situated) the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises contained in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be required to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and legal costs including an attorney fee of fifteen dollars (\$15) provided for in said mortgage. That is to say all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the City of Howell, County of Livingston, and State of Michigan described as follows to wit:

All that Part of Block eighteen of Mizer's Washington Heights Addition to the village (now the city) of Howell as duly laid out, platted and recorded, which lies south of the right of way of the Ann Arbor Railroad, excepting therefrom lots twenty-two and twenty-three thereof, also a piece of land lying in the T. W. Mizer's Washington Heights Addition to the Village of Howell as duly laid out, platted and recorded. Beginning at the southwest corner of lot nineteen of block eighteen, thence north on the east line of National Avenue one hundred twenty-three feet and six inches to the south line of the Ann Arbor railroad right of way; thence southeasterly along said right of way to a point one hundred thirty-two feet east of the east line of National Avenue; thence south forty-nine feet to the south line of lot nineteen; thence west one hundred thirty-two feet to the place of beginning. Also a one-half interest in the well that is on, or near the north line of said described premises.

Dated, December 7, A. D. 1921.
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