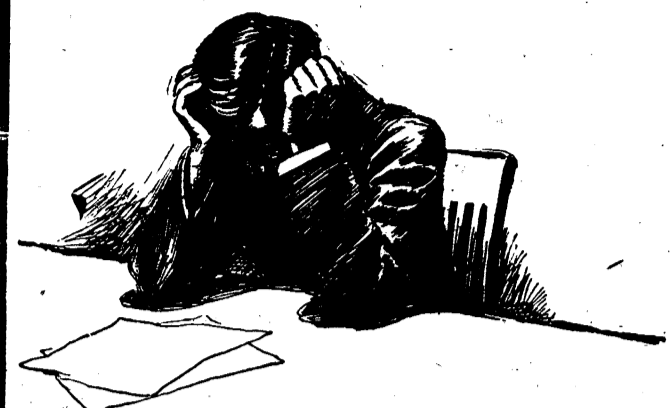


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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

IRON CREEK Mrs. May Cash was in Jackson Saturday on business. Mrs. Charles Johnson spent Thursday at John Loucks'. Mrs. John Scully went to Toledo last Thursday to visit friends.

SOUTH NORVELL

John Roberts is visiting relatives in Jackson. Arthur and William Rohlfen spent Thanksgiving in Toledo. Mrs. French of Brooklyn was a week-end visitor at Elmer Owen's.

NORVELL

Mrs. C. J. Harper and daughter were in Jackson Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Ahrens have recently been on the sick list. Fred Harris of Lawton spent the last of the week with friends here.

FRANK CONEY OF DETROIT

Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Collins and daughter of Kalamazoo visited the former's sister, Miss Paulina Harvey and his wife. They returned home Saturday.

THE ENTERPRISE ASKS EVERY SUBSCRIBER TO PAY HIS BACK SUBSCRIPTION

If he owes any, and a year in advance to do it at once. The price of paper, ink, etc., still increases and we must have the money before Dec. 1st, or some sort of advance will be made. Please don't delay.

12 Lbs. H. & E. SUGAR \$1.00 WITH \$1.00 PURCHASE

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Complete Line of Groceries

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FREEDOM

Mrs. Otto Alther was in Jackson on business Saturday. A mission will be held at St. Francis church beginning Monday, for a few days.

ALONG THE PIER

Ed Blaska of Springville visited Edwin Mack from Thursday until Sunday. Elmo Hoxsie had purchased a house in Adrian and he and his bride will soon occupy.

COMING BACK

UNITED DOCTORS SPECIALIST WILL AGAIN BE AT Tecumseh, Michigan BARRETT HOUSE SATURDAY, DEC. 23, 1916

WAMPLER LAKE

Roy Blythe of Manchester and lady friend from Toledo visited at Chas. Hoxsie's several days last week.

BRIDGEWATER

Mrs. Phoebe Stark of Ypsilanti who was called to Brooklyn, N. Y. on account of the sickness of her husband, came here on her return to visit her son Elmer Stark, and wife.

THE BIG STORE THE L.H. FIELD CO. JACKSON MICHIGAN

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This Store of the Christmas Spirit Offers a thousand gift suggestions - vast stocks reflect the holiday spirit and all departments are prepared after months of careful thought and planning.

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A checking station has been opened just at the right of the main entrance. Here, luggage, parcels and wraps may be checked free. An attendant is always in charge to give information. Our comfortable rest room on the second floor is maintained for your convenience.

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J. H. Delker

MANCHESTER MICHIGAN, THURSDAY DECEMBER 14, 1916

MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE

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GERMANY BROKE U-BOAT PLEDGE

THE EXCUSE OF MISTAKE IN THE SINKING OF MARINA NOT ACCEPTED. U. S. TIRED OF ERRORS

REPARATION AND INDEMNITY AND PUNISHMENT OF U-BOAT CAPTAIN NOT ENOUGH TO SATISFY U. S.

WASHINGTON-The state department officially characterized the sinking of the British boat transport Marina, in which 31 Americans lost their lives, as "a violation of Germany's pledge."

Embassy crew in Berlin has been directed to inform Germany, according to a high authority here, the United States is tired of "mistakes" in the sinking of merchant vessels.

The Marina and Arabia cases will again be taken up in the cabinet meeting and the opinion prevails that a note may be drawn immediately demanding the withdrawal of the sinking of the Marina.

It is said on high authority that proper precautions were not taken in the sinking of the Marina and Arabia, and that Germany will be asked to state what efforts will be taken in the future to prevent similar incidents.

DEUTSCHLAND IS HOME AGAIN Made the Return Trip in Nineteen Days—Having Suffered Her First Voyage Four Days.

Berlin (by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The German liner, the Lusitania, returned to Germany, completing a quick trip home from the United States, arrived at the mouth of Weser, near Bremen.

The arrival of the Deutschland marks the completion of the second trip to the United States since her departure on November 31. This bettered considerably the record of her previous voyage, which, starting from Baltimore, took her 23 days. Her two westward voyages occupied respectively 18 days and 21 days.

The Deutschland, which is the only commercial craft of her type that has succeeded in reaching this country from Germany, has started into Bremen, having been lost on her outward voyage, was forced to make two starts from New London on this return trip.

On her first attempt, November 17, she collided with an sailing tug and had to put back to port. She was not badly damaged, however, and was able to put out again four days later without mishap.

The Deutschland, on both of her trips, brought valuable cargoes, chiefly of dyes and chemicals. On her present voyage she took a cargo estimated at \$2,000,000 in value and official mail to Germany.

ITEMS OF INTEREST There is one new case of smallpox developed at Ann Arbor. Miss Rosa Sprockel, a high school girl, has the disease, making seven cases since last Saturday. No students in the university have had the disease or shown symptoms of it since the outbreak.

The Union Steam Pump Co. of Batle Creek, announced a bonus of five per cent to workmen for 1916. The bonus for the year the company gave its employees a general increase in wages, as well as a nine-hour day. The bonus just announced will net employees \$12,500.

Mrs. Frank Wheeler, 122 Holden street, Jackson, and her two children, Homer and Nellie, 2 and 5 years old, were badly burned when a gasoline stove exploded while the mother was filling it. It is believed they will recover.

That the Barry County Agricultural society which has been encountered with indebtedness during the last few years, is on a firm financial basis was shown by the reports of Secretary Dariusson at the annual meeting held at the annual meeting. The balance in the treasury, with all debts paid, is \$1,121.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

There are 504 more school children attending Pontiac schools now than at this time last year. George Dufrene was struck by a load of Grand Rapids, was burned to death when her clothing caught fire at a kitchen stove.

The Barry County Dry campaign committee spent \$3,338.94 in the recent election, according to a statement filed with its treasury. Thirty cases of chicken-pox have been reported to the health department since last Thursday and there are now over 60 cases in Kalamazoo.

The chamber of commerce has asked James McBride, state market director, to survey conditions looking to a public market at Adrian. The Barry County Farmers' federation met and passed resolutions asking the county supervisors at the coming session to employ a farm agent for the county.

Emil Reichwald, 26 years old, employed as a switchman by the Chicago & Northwestern, accidentally shot and killed himself while hunting rabbits in Florence county, Wisconsin, near Iron Mountain.

Fire Marshall Winslow notified Michigan chiefs to give every precaution against fire and panic and to see that all exits are unobstructed during the holiday season in stores where the fire season is particularly bad.

Warden D. F. Fogarty of the Indiana state prison at Michigan City, with a committee of four state senators, visited the Jackson prison for the purpose of investigating the prison farms, projects, canning and brick factory, and the laundry.

Dean Batis, of the University of Michigan law department, believe the Adamson law can be upheld if its application is reasonable to operating conditions. He also says congress can regulate pay of employees in interstate business.

The huge plant of the Louis Sands Salt & Lumber company, of Marquette, when, at the height of a furious windstorm, fire broke out in the yards where millions of feet of lumber are stored. In a freezing temperature, firemen saved the plant.

REORGANIZATION OF P. M. APPROVED

THE MICHIGAN RAILROAD COMMISSION FINALLY PASSES THE PLAN. There Has Been 4,250,000 Bushels of Wheat Marketed in the Last Four Months.

Lansing-The Michigan railroad commission has finally approved the reorganization plan of the Pere Marquette railroad. Although there are some changes from the tentative plan approved some time ago, the total capitalization under the reorganization remains at \$105,000,000. The principal change is an increase of \$9,000,000 in the fixed charges.

Wheat Crop Better Than Last Year. The condition of wheat in the state as reported by the monthly crop report is 58 per cent of an average crop than at this time a year ago. The estimated total number of bushels of wheat marketed in the state for the four months period, August to November, is 4,250,000. Rice condition is 89, as compared to 90 a year ago. Fall pasture condition is reported as 81 per cent of an average crop, while the condition of live stock is: Horses, 90; cattle, 85; sheep-85 for cattle and 84 for swine.

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CHRISTMAS FABLE

Mary Graham Bonner Drawings by Ray Walters

THE snow glistened in the sparkling sunlight. The flakes of snow kept falling, falling. Some stopped to rest on the branches of the pine trees and the little leafless bushes. Some fell straight to the ground and made the snow grow deeper and whiter and softer.

In the center of the woods was a high throne upon which sat a King dressed in red with furs of soft white which looked like snow, and on his head was a crown of gleaming jewels.

Around the King sat the Royal Family. There were Princes and Princesses, the Queen and hundreds of pages. The King arose from his throne and spoke: "This is the greatest festival in the year."

he said, "and its name is Christmas. It is the day of love and cheer and happiness. We give presents and we are given presents. We think of others and others think of us. It is the day to give! And I, your King, will now begin the celebrations."

The Queen was smiling. Her eyes were full of gladness and the Princes and Princesses were merry and gay.

"The day of giving," they were all saying, "The most glorious day in the year!"

The pages rushed about this way and that, and from afar came the sound of music. The music grew louder and the voices seemed to come from everywhere from all corners of the world. It seemed as if everyone must be singing, and the King and Royal Family joined in the song. No one quite knew what was the name of the song. No one quite knew what the tune might be, but somehow everyone was singing it—for the song was the song of joy and the tune was happiness.

And all knew that song, all knew its tune and throughout the world that day there was singing. Some did not know how to sing the words, some did not know how to make the sounds with their voices, but for these there was the music in their hearts—the love in their hearts for all the people under the sun.

But the pages had emptied before the throne packs with many different sorts of presents. And the King was presenting them to the Princes and Princesses. Then came more and more presents, and more and more of the Royal Family appeared. For they were all arriving for the great festival. There were hundreds and thousands and they received presents and they gave presents. The singing went on, the music was mingled with laughter and the happy voices of children were heard.

Soon the children came trooping by. They passed before the throne and the King did not seem to frighten them. He did not seem to be a King of whom to be afraid. All his subjects seemed to love him and he seemed to rule with a sceptre of wonderful kindness. And as the children passed before the throne they said in whispers to each other:

"Look! On the throne is carved the words, 'Merry Christmas to all in the world this day.' And on the sceptre is written, 'Love—this is the guide to happiness.'"

And then on a mighty pine tree lights appeared and the snow flakes on the branches changed and dripped down heavily laden with presents. And the tree spoke too:

"I am the Christmas tree. For years and years I have gone into homes each Christmas Day. There are many trees but we all have the one name—the Christmas tree—and our King bids us go to many a Christmas festival. Our branches hold gifts and candles of different colors to give the bright light of good cheer."

And from all around the children are opening stockings that they had found hanging on low branches filled with oranges and candies, nuts and toys.

While they were dancing and laughing as they opened many mysterious little packages, the King spoke again:

"Good-bye to all," he said, "I will be back for the festival next year. Come my fine animals! Come my gorgeous chariot!"

That our merchants have provided bountifully for our Holiday wants is evidenced by their announcements in these columns. They are entitled to the patronage of all the people of the community for everything that is desired in Christmas merchandise.

INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 17 THE HOLY CITY.

LESSON TEXT—Rev. 21:3-7. 2:7. GOLDEN TEXT—Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he shall dwell with them, and they shall be his people—Rev. 21:3.

As we approach the end of the year, our minds turn from the imperial city, where we have our abode, to the holy city, which he has so longed for. In lesson ten we studied Jesus Christ in his resurrection glory, and in lesson eleven, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords for the redemption of the human race. The Holy City is the glorified Christ who is actually working through his churches as the representative of his kingdom upon earth. The succeeding chapters describe in symbols and pictures the discipline and training of God's people during the long period of waiting for the glorified Christ who is actually working through his churches as the representative of his kingdom upon earth.

The New Heaven and the New Earth (vs. 1-7). John in vision saw the continuation of the work of Christ—his kingdom on earth as in heaven. Heaven, as well as earth, had been invaded and polluted by sin, but both alike to be made new. (1 Pet. 3:10, 11, 12). The tree of life, which Solomon's was but a type, is heavenly and diviner. It comes down from heaven to give life to the world.

An important part of the lesson is the foundation of the blessedness and glories which are to follow. (2) That he shall be the perfect and complete ruler of all men; (3) that he shall be the perfect and complete ruler of all men; (4) that he shall be the perfect and complete ruler of all men.

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LLOYD-GEORGE AT WAR CABINET HEAD

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock. DETROIT—Cattle—Receipts, 2,690. Best heavy steers \$8.75; best heavy weight butchers steers, \$7.75; best heavy butchers, \$7.50; best heavy butchers, \$7.25; best heavy butchers, \$7.00; best heavy butchers, \$6.75; best heavy butchers, \$6.50; best heavy butchers, \$6.25; best heavy butchers, \$6.00; best heavy butchers, \$5.75; best heavy butchers, \$5.50; best heavy butchers, \$5.25; best heavy butchers, \$5.00; best heavy butchers, \$4.75; best heavy butchers, \$4.50; best heavy butchers, \$4.25; best heavy butchers, \$4.00; best heavy butchers, \$3.75; best heavy butchers, \$3.50; best heavy butchers, \$3.25; best heavy butchers, \$3.00; best heavy butchers, \$2.75; best heavy butchers, \$2.50; best heavy butchers, \$2.25; best heavy butchers, \$2.00; best heavy butchers, \$1.75; best heavy butchers, \$1.50; best heavy butchers, \$1.25; best heavy butchers, \$1.00; best heavy butchers, \$0.75; best heavy butchers, \$0.50; best heavy butchers, \$0.25; best heavy butchers, \$0.00.

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CHINA'S INDUSTRIAL CAPITAL

CHINA of today, torn by political and social dissensions, is a country of small shops, rickshaws, and coolies. Canton is going in for modern department stores and skyscrapers. The revolution started at Wuchang in the Yangtze valley, where the Hanyang Improvement Bureau was established. The revolution started at Wuchang in the Yangtze valley, where the Hanyang Improvement Bureau was established.

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

SEASONABLE DISHES. The following are a few choice dishes which may be served on entertaining friends. Served Rabbit.—A rabbit is a very economical and delicious dish. It is a good source of protein and is low in fat. It can be prepared in many ways, including roasting, braising, and stewing.

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BRITISH PENSION WIVES OF TURKS
Charity Goes Hand in Hand With Conquest in Torrid Mesopotamia.

IMPROVE BASRA BY FORCE
Relief Given Women Enables Them to Live in Their Customary Man—Some Face Applications Are Received.

CONGRESS TO BE ASKED TO PROVIDE FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING
Several Bills Being Prepared for the Consideration of the National Lawmakers—Swiss System Suggested as Pattern for the United States Plan—Considered by Experts as Ideal From Defensive Standpoint.

GOV. FREES MORE PRISONERS
Will Release Three More if the Salvation Army Will Care for Them.

CITY OF ESCANABA IS SUEED
Northern Michigan Water Co. Asks \$500,000 Damages.

NOVEMBER 3095 ACCIDENTS
Twenty-nine Were Fatal and 141 Killed in Permanent Disability.

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