



The awful catastrophe at Halifax where more than 4000 people lost their lives and millions of dollars worth of property was destroyed...

Black Dog Aids British in Locating a Wireless Hidden by the Germans

If you place the tip of your finger on a map of the world and run it along the equator, writes "An Australian Officer" in the Wide World, you will discover the island of Nauru...

MANCHESTER In the southwest corner of Washtenaw County, 22 miles from Ann Arbor...

SOCIETIES.

MANCHESTER LODGE No. 148, F. & A. M., meets at Masonic Hall Monday evening on or before full moon...

BUSINESS CARDS.

CHARLES E. REBERT Attorney and Counselor at Law, Office over the Peoples Bank...

L. DAVISSON, M. D. C.

Physician and Surgeon, Office at Residence, Ann Arbor St.

BRIEGEL & FISH Manchester Hotel Barbers, Shaving, Shampooing, Haircutting, Etc.

F. D. MERITHEW Licensed Auctioneer, Sales in Village or County will be promptly attended to on reasonable terms.

A Time Is Coming

And it is only a few weeks away, when you will want to make a gift of some kind to a dear friend—I mean a Christmas Present.

A Watch, Clock or some article of JEWELRY

come in and see what I have. Perhaps I can order a Diamond Ring for you and save you money.

Every Person

In any sort of business should have PRINTED MATTER Cards Letter Heads Envelopes Statements, Etc.

THE Enterprise Office

Furnishes Printing of Quality.

MICHIGAN RED CROSS HAS NEW WORKSHOP



THE BIG INSPECTION ROOM.

Detroit—The Michigan State Board of the American Red Cross, now one of the national units of the organization, has established its inspection and transportation department.

Of the new headquarters, the officials are justly proud. The work of arranging the rooms and working out the system of inspection, wrapping, temporary storage and sorting compartments has been done under the direction of Mrs. R. H. Ashbaugh, director of the Bureau of Woman's Work.

The department is housed in the heart of downtown Detroit, in the mammoth Marquette Building, at the corner of Wayne and Congress streets.

A progressive system is used in handling the tons of supplies, bandages, hospital garments and knitted goods.

Entering the establishment, one finds a large receiving and shipping room, with tables accommodating eight workers each.

All linen surgical dressings go to the hospital. The rest of the material is packed in boxes and sent to the front.

Former Railroad Fireman Now Master of All Shipyards in the United States

Edward N. Hurley was like most other men in that he had dreamed that if the wolf could be turned from the door permanently he would withdraw from the money contest and do something constructive for his country.

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GLASGOW BROTHERS

Noted for Selling Good Goods Cheap 129-135 E. MAIN STREET JACKSON, MICH.

The Holiday Shopping Season

Great Christmas Stocks are ready for you. Throughout our entire stock Christmas Readiness is supreme.

Greater Assortment Than Ever Before

GIFT SUGGESTIONS for Her, for Him, for Mother, and for Father. Our stocks embrace them all.

Here we wish to announce the opening of a New Section—

The Kenilworth Gift Shop

On Second Floor.

A Shop brimful of Gifts for everybody. The "individual" sort of gifts—rich, refined, but moderately priced.

Fine China, Etched and Cut Glass, Art Brass Works, Beautiful Silver, etc.

SANTA CLAUS spends every day at our store from now till Christmas—in the MYSTIC CRYSTAL CAVERN with the biggest group of Toys in the city.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Now

Wesley Bau, son of Rev. H. Bau of the German M. E. church, Ann Arbor, enlisted in Detroit Thursday and on Monday reported and was sent to Rhode Island, to prepare for service in France.

Make this a Furniture Christmas

Good Furniture is universally recognized as an appropriate gift for anyone.

Let's make everybody happy with a good piece of Furniture. Your friends are going to remember you this Xmas.

Nothing better or more appropriate than a piece of our carefully selected Furniture. Call and see our line.

Special Attention Given to Picture Framing

E. C. Jenter Furniture Dealer.

Give them something worth while

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CHECK OVER

this list for your Christmas shopping

FOR MEN—Shaving Sets Cigars Military Brushes Collar Boxes Flashlights Cigarettes and Cigar Cases Pipes with cases

FOR LADIES—Stationery Fountain Pens Vases Jarlinieres Baskets French Ivory in Sets and separate pieces Cut Glass Hand Bags in latest styles Books, Music Rolls Address and Birthday Books

THREATS AGAINST PRESIDENT. Louis Tasick of Ann Arbor, accused of threatening to kill a lot of Americans if he should be drafted, and also to kill President Wilson if he had the opportunity, was arrested on a federal warrant.

The Store of Worthy Gifts For All

We've made special efforts to assemble unusually fine assortments of merchandise of a practical, serviceable character—gifts for personal use or wear—for this is going to be, more than in recent years,

A Christmas of Practical Gifts Such as:

- Dresser Scarfs Neckwear Boudoir Caps Turkish Towels Bed Spreads Fancy China Handkerchiefs Sweaters Gloves Mittens Fancy Aprons Bonnets Leggings Mufflers

HAUSSLER & SON

G. H. Breitenwischer

Mother's Cook Book

However meager be my worldly wealth Let me give something that shall aid you A word of courage, or a thought of health, Dropped as I pass for troubled hearts to find.

Food for the Family.

We must count the cost in these days of H. C. of L. and make desserts as well as other dishes as simple, wholesome and economical as possible.

Date and Tapioca Pudding.

Stir in a half cupful of quick cooking tapioca into a pint of salted boiling water, let cook until the tapioca is transparent, add a fourth of a cupful of sugar, the juice of a lemon, and half a pound or more of prepared dates, then fold in the beaten whites of two eggs and cook until the egg is cooked.

Ristori Rice.

Cut three slices of bacon in squares, add a cupful of shredded cabbage and cook over a slow fire for half an hour, add a half cupful of rice that has been partly cooked, then blanched in cold water.

Peach Sherbet.

Boil a quart of water with two cupfuls of sugar 15 minutes. Let cool and add one and a half cupfuls of peach pulp and juice, a half cupful of orange juice and the juice of a lemon. Freeze as usual.

Drop Cakes.

Take a cupful each of sour cream and brown sugar, two cupfuls of whole wheat flour, one egg, beaten, a third of a cupful of chopped dates, a teaspoonful each of salt, soda, cinnamon and a half teaspoonful of cloves. Mix all together and bake in small cakes.

Chocolate Filling.

Take two squares of chocolate, a half cupful of thick sour cream, a dash of salt and heat all together until the chocolate is melted. Remove from the fire and stir in confectioners' chocolate until thick enough to spread. Add a half teaspoonful of vanilla. If used for frosting spread on the cake while the cake is hot.

Nellie Maxwell

A Broad Distinction.

On a tramping trip Irving Bacheller, the novelist, discovered a chin-bearded patriarch on a roadside rock.

"Best in New Hampshire," said the sifter. "How do you plow that field?" asked Mr. Bacheller. "It's pretty steep."

"Of course not," said the sifter gustily. "That's conversation." Ladies' Home Journal.



Edward N. Hurley.

The Big Store Jackson, Mich.
THE L. H. FIELD CO.
 Special Attention to Mail Orders
 Store Hours—8:35 to 5:30 week days. Saturday—9:00 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.

Never so well Ready with Christmas Cheer

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.

Here Christmas is the big event of the year. We have seen to it well in advance that variety and value are incomparable.

Days are short now, and go fast, there are but nine buying days till Christmas, and we were never so ready with Christmas cheer.

For the Convenience of Our Out-of-Town Customers

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.

Mail order shopping is looked to promptly by expert shoppers and forwarded by the first mail.

New Machine Shop

I have moved into the shop recently vacated by Clarence Kern, on Railroad Street, and am now prepared to do all kinds of

Lathe Work, Drilling, Grinding, Hardening, Tempering, Saw Filing and Gumming, and General Repairs

Agency
DODGE BROS. MOTOR CARS

F. W. KALMBACH

In these days of high prices that move you to economy, use our

"Patent" and "State Seal"

Brands of flour. Best and cheapest for all round use.

Plenty of Feed Bran and Middlings on hand.

Get yours while the supply is here

Lonier & Hoffer
 Manchester Mills

LOST ANYTHING? ADVERTISE IN ENTERPRISE "LINERS"

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

IRON CREEK

Harry Sutton was in Jackson on business Monday.

There will be services at church at 10:30 Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loucks were Camp Custer visitors Wednesday.

Fred Huber is visiting his daughters in Jackson and Eaton Rapids.

Frank Herman has had an electric plant installed in his fine new farm home.

Miss Florence Martin has been visiting friends in Chelsea the past week.

Those neither absent nor tardy during the month of November in district No. 8, Miss Frances M. Kirk, teacher, were: Olive Austin, Jean English, Florence and Roy Kirk, Florence Kirk and Jean English were perfect in attendance for the fall term.

The Woman's Missionary Society had a very enjoyable time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson. A potluck dinner was served. Three new members were added to the roll. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. J. W. Schaible, president; Mrs. Geo. Sutton, vice-president; Mrs. J. C. Matteson, secretary and Mrs. Albert Troitz, treasurer. The next meeting will be at the home of the president, Mrs. J. W. Schaible, Jan. 2.

NORVELL

Earl Beckwith was in Brooklyn on business Friday.

E. Moore was in Manchester Saturday on business.

Mrs. Henry Ahrens spent Tuesday with relatives in Jackson.

Albert Schuster of Camp Custer came Saturday to visit friends.

Mrs. Kader and daughter spent Saturday with friends in Napoleon.

T. Griffith of Jackson spent Sunday with his father, Charles Griffith.

Miss Carrie Smith of Napoleon spent Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. A. M. Dean.

Mrs. Raymond of Jackson returned home Saturday, having made her mother, Mrs. Mary Hildebrandt, a few days' visit.

The entertainment by the Ladies' Aid at the town hall last Friday evening was a success. The sum of \$18.40 was taken in at the door.

Mrs. A. J. Austin and Miss Lucile returned home Thursday after visiting friends and relatives in Homer and Ann Arbor. They are now at Manchester, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowery.

The Amendt Milling Co. received a carload of coal Saturday and at 8 o'clock in the evening the last load was taken away, leaving only about five tons in the car. Norvell has been short of coal for many months.

The remains of William Henry Graham, a former resident of this township, were brought from Buffalo New York last Thursday and buried at Napoleon. He is survived by a widow, son and daughter. A sister, Mrs. Clara Randall of Mason, attended the burial.

Mrs. C. Krausse and Mrs. F. C. Beckwith attended the meeting of the county chairmen of the Red Cross at Jackson Saturday and returned six pajamas, two sweaters, three pairs socks, one muffler, ten triangular bandages, six water bag covers and one pair wristlets to the headquarters.

SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Alvord are in Jackson nursing their daughter, Mrs. Edith Drake.

The social at Wilbur Comstock's last Friday night put \$60 in the treasury of the Soldiers' Aid.

Many of the roads were badly blocked with snowdrifts Monday morning and some of our people did not get any mail.

Theodore Jacob, who is conductor on the Monroe branch of the N. Y. Central and lives in Detroit, visited his home people last week.

We learn that the annual debates between the State Agricultural College of Ames, Iowa and that of Manhattan, Kansas took place recently, the negative team of Ames going down to unanimous defeat before that of Kansas. But what was very gratifying, the affirmative team of Iowa "wrestled the bacon" from the "corn huskers." The winning team was coached by Geo. W. Hulbert of Ames, who is now of the oratory department of that college, and his old schoolmates in Sharon will be pleased that he is meeting with a measure of success.

SOUTH NORVELL

Wm. Schwartz was a Manchester visitor Saturday.

Bean hullers have been at work in this vicinity the past week.

Everyone around here will have the pleasure of husking corn with cold fingers.

Joe Pence and Miss May Hildinger of Manchester were married at Norvell, Saturday, Dec. 8.

Henry Knowles has sold his farm to Fred Brown of Brooklyn, but does not know when he will move away.

IF ANYONE HAS

Died, Eloped, Married, Divorced, Left Town, Had a fire, Embezzled, Had a baby, Sold a farm, Been arrested, Moved to town, Bought a home, Committed murder, Fallen from an airplane, That's news. Telephone or write the firm for The Enterprise.

BRIDGEWATER

Genevieve Schwab returned home Wednesday after spending two weeks with relatives in Adrian, aunt at Cherry Creek, Nevada.

The Manchester young people were given a full house Tuesday night when they presented "A Prairie Rose" at the Station, and the audience was delighted with the play and the singing between the acts. The receipts were \$40. Come again.

About 50 neighbors and friends, many of whom were from Iron Creek, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Bauer last Thursday night, the occasion being their daughter Ida's 21st birthday. After spending a pleasant evening they were served with doughnuts and coffee. Miss Ida was presented with a fine remembrance of the occasion.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Walter, who were married in Clinton last week, gave them a surprise and miscellaneous shower at the Wm. Logan home Friday evening. Many useful and handsome gifts were presented which the happy young couple gracefully acknowledge with brief remarks. One of the features of the evening was a potluck supper, which of course was thoroughly enjoyed. The evening was spent in a social way.

For Sale—8 Colts five years old; 2 six years old. Wm. Logan.

NICHOLS DISTRICT

Mrs. Kate Brooks of Onsted is visiting her sister, Mrs. Blanche Muck.

Mrs. Austin Howes is gaining slowly from a severe illness from pneumonia.

The carpenters have the new addition to Ed. Hoxsie's barn nearly completed.

James Mulvaney, Hollis Whelan and John Benzler had business in Clinton Monday.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Nichols district school house at 7:30 p. m., Dec. 20.

John Campbell and a party of men from Detroit are spending the week at Wm. Kress' and Geo. Kern's.

FREEDOM

Russell, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dettling, has enlisted in the cavalry and left home Wednesday afternoon. He expects to go to Columbus, Ohio. His many friends here wish him good luck.

I will set up Mill on Brighton Field for Custom Sawing about Dec. 20th. Farmers, hustle your logs in and be ready. Mert. Nobles.

Old Papers at Enterprise office.

The man with money should open Bank Accounts for his children.



It will make "her" happier if you give her a BANK BOOK; and it is a sure thing that she will make that account grow bigger all the time. In doing so she will keep herself happy all next year and at the end of the year HAVE something.

You know what's hers is YOURS and it's safe in the bank. Some day it will make the merriest Christmas you will ever have had. Try it.

Put YOUR money in OUR bank. We pay 3 per cent. interest.

The Union Savings Bank

CLUBBING RATES

The Enterprise has Clubbing Rates with all papers and magazines—or can furnish same at lowest publishers' prices.

Following are a few, but if you wish to save money on others Call and get prices.

	Our Price
The Enterprise, one year.....	\$1.50
Detroit Daily Journal.....	3.00
On rural routes.....	\$4.00

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Detroit Daily Journal.....	3.00
McCall's Magazine.....	.75
Home Life.....	.35
On rural routes.....	\$4.50

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The Enterprise, one year.....	\$1.50
Today's Housewife.....	.75
The Gentlewoman.....	.20
Detroit Daily Journal.....	3.00
On rural routes.....	\$4.50

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The Enterprise, one year.....	\$1.50
Michigan Farmer.....	1.00
American Poultry Advocate.....	.50
Home Life.....	.35
Fruitman and Gardener.....	.50
On rural routes.....	\$2.70

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The Enterprise, one year.....	\$1.50
Detroit Free Press, daily.....	3.00
Michigan Farmer.....	1.00
On rural routes.....	\$4.75

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The Enterprise, one year.....	\$1.50
Toledo Daily Blade.....	2.75
On rural routes.....	\$4.00

Manchester Enterprise

Lots of Sugar

Is used in the making of

Christmas Candies

As there is a scarcity of sugar, there is also a shortage of candy. While we have an unusually large stock, we advise early purchases to assure a good assortment.

Our line comprises **Chocolate Creams** in several flavors, plain and with walnut, almond and pecan tops; **Chocolate Chips**; **Wafers**, **Macaroons**, etc. Also **Fancy Mixed Creams**, **Jellies**, **Gumdrops**, **Pecan Brittle**.

Extra Good Mixed Nuts

Walnuts, Brazils, Almonds, Filberts and Peanuts. A good supply of

Oranges, Bananas, Lemons, Malaga Grapes

Buy now while the assortment is good. Order your Xmas Tree Now.

J. E. SECKINGER

Manchester Phone 166

A Great Saving on Men's Clothing

Just in time for Christmas

A man wants to look his best on Christmas, so here is a great opportunity to save enough on your Suit or Overcoat to buy a pair of Shoes. The prices are from

\$8.50 to \$17.50

Come in and look them over.

SATURDAY SPECIAL

Men's Shirts and Drawers, \$1 values at 65c

MANCHESTER SAMPLE CLOTHING STORE

We Press Free of Charge Any Suit or Overcoat Bought Here at Any Time.

Ride in Comfort

these cold days. Come here for new

WARM ROBES

for auto or carriage. Keep the horses comfortable with

Blankets and Stable Blankets

You'll find our prices are not out of sight.

F. G. HOUCK

TAKES ONLY A FEW MINUTES



to get up a first-class meal with the aid of our canned and bottled groceries.

The most delicious soups, vegetables, fruits, relishes, etc., that need only heating to be ready for the table. The fish and meat courses are equally convenient to prepare. Good housekeepers always have a supply of such things on hand. The best of them obtain them at this grocery.

OYSTERS

Those large extra selected

CITY BAKERY & GROCERY