



MANCHESTER
In the southwest corner of Washtenaw County, 22 miles from Ann Arbor, the County Seat and University City; 25 miles from Ypsilanti and the Normal School; 20 miles from Jackson, the Prison City; 54 miles from Detroit; 50 miles from Toledo.

At Junction of Jackson and Ypsilanti Branches of the Lake Shore Railway, Bell Telephone, W. U. Telegraph, Municipal Electric Lighting Plant, Three Good Water Powers, Rich Farming, Fruit and Stock Section. Everything Up-to-Date.

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MERIDIAN CHAPTER No. 48, R. & A. M., meets at Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening on or before full moon. Companions cordially welcome. E. E. Root, Sec. F. E. Spafard, H. P.

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CHARLES E. REBERT
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Shaving, Shampooing, Haircutting, Etc., done in first-class manner.
Hot and Cold Baths.

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MANCHESTER, MICHIGAN.
Sales in Village or County will be promptly attended to on reasonable terms.
Dates can be made at Enterprise Office.

No Food Takes Place of Potato, Says Department of Agriculture Bulletin

"There is no food which exactly takes the place of the potato when one is accustomed to it," says a statement issued by the United States department of agriculture, urging an increased consumption of this vegetable, now that the markets of the country are well supplied.

"It has come to be such a part of our dinner that we miss it when it is not served. Besides, any left-over potato can be used in many very palatable ways for breakfast or supper, and this is a convenience from the housekeeper's standpoint, since it helps her to make palatable meals. Not only is it useful from the ease with which it can be prepared and the number of palatable ways in which it can be served, but it is very important for the food material it supplies. It is one of the most wholesome sources of starch, and is also fairly rich in the mineral matter which the body needs. Of the mineral salts one must not overlook the importance of the mild alkaline salts it contains, because these are greatly needed by the body to counterbalance the acid salts which meats and eggs produce when assimilated. In this we have a justification of the use of potatoes in the diet in liberal quantities and of our common custom of serving them with meats. When the price permits potatoes should by all means be made a part of the diet."

CHRISTMAS GREETING
WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

RECEIVED AT CON. CONGRESS & SHELBY STS., DETROIT, MICH. ALWAYS OPEN.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 3, 1917.

"I am in heartiest sympathy with the Red Cross Christmas campaign for 750,000 members in Michigan. This war is coming home to every man, woman and child in the United States, and the only way to meet it is for every one to back the Red Cross which is caring for the boys who go forth to fight for us. It is a privilege, as it is a duty, for us who cannot go into the trenches to help save the lives and care for the families of those who do go. Michigan will furnish her share of Red Cross members just as she is giving her share of fighting men and of money.

"Let us make this a Red Cross Christmas"
ALBERT E. SLEEPER,
Governor.

TEAM WORK



The Red Cross Goes Wherever the Flag Goes. Your Membership Fee Will Help the Good Work Along.

MODEL WAR KITCHEN OPENED IN WASHINGTON



This is the first war kitchen established by the United States food administration in Washington and intended to be the model for many others just like it to be opened from coast to coast to show housewives how to co-operate with the food administration. War bread was the first product turned out by this kitchen. Meat substitutes, cheap meats, conservation of fats, sugar and dairy products are subjects to be illustrated in each city. Mrs. Frank P. Wilcox, shown in the picture wearing the uniform of the food administration, is directress of the first kitchen.

A RED CROSS CHRISTMAS
The Keynote Of The Big Membership Campaign in Michigan

The greatest advantage will come to the Red Cross and to the country by linking together the spirit of the Red Cross and the spirit of Christmas. In order to attain this purpose, the membership campaign was set for the week prior to Christmas and a plan adopted as a basis for developing a concrete evidence at Christmas time of the significance of the Red Cross in the spirit and festivities of the CHRISTMAS SEASON.

THE AIM OF THE RED CROSS

1. To be ready to care for our soldiers and sailors on duty wherever and whenever that care may be needed.
2. To shorten the war—by strengthening the morale of the allied peoples and their armies, by alleviating their sufferings in the period which must elapse until the American army can become fully effective abroad.
3. To lay the foundations for an enduring peace—by extending a message of practical relief and sympathy to the civilian population among our Allies, carrying to them an expression of the finest side of the American character.

Your Red Cross dollar makes you a member and helps to save the life of, perhaps, YOUR soldier at the front.

Everybody Help to make it a Red Cross Christmas

Many Thousands of Horses and Mules Are Used in War.

Despite the fact that the great war is being waged largely by means of mechanical devices, horses and mules have played an important part in it. Up to the present time, says Popular Science Monthly, 920,000 horses and 330,000 mules have been sent to the theater of war from the United States. The value of the horses which have been exported is 194,000,000, and of mules \$66,000,000.

The number of mules being sent to the war is increasing from year to year. The sagacity of the mule makes

him very valuable in war work. Most of the horses and mules shipped from this country go directly to France. Others are sent to Great Britain and Canada and a few to some of the other European countries.

Get Wax From Trees.

From prehistoric time the Indians of Ecuador have utilized a wax found on certain species of tall palms for making candles, writes Frederic W. Goding, United States consul general at Guayaquil. This wax occurs on the tree trunks in granular form, each tree furnishing 50 pounds. The tree

grows in great numbers on the mountains along the coast. Mr. Goding has sent a sample of the wax to the department of commerce, saying from 15 to 20 tons a month of it can be supplied.

Your dollar will help end the war. Join the Red Cross.

Your dollar will help put our soldiers "over the top."

Make this a Merry Red Cross Christmas.

Wanted—Men to cut timber, by Manchester Handle and Turning Co.

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

An intensely practical Christmas gift. One for which the family would willingly forego the sort usually received. One that will be a year-round satisfaction because of its goodness; a year-round delight because of its economy.

An order placed now will insure delivery Christmas morning.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car.

The gasoline consumption is unusually low. The tire mileage is unusually high.

The price of the Touring Car, Roadster or Commercial Car is \$885. Winter Touring Car or Roadster, \$1050. Sedan or Coupe, \$1350. (All prices f. o. b. Detroit)

F. W. KALMBACH

January Sale of HATS

beginning Jan. 4th and continuing until the winter stock is sold

Regardless of Price

Come early and have first choice.

SOMERS, RIEDEL & CO.

Make It a Red Cross Christmas

Join the association that's doing so much for our boys in war. Apply personally to any officer of the American Red Cross:

Mrs. Louis Lonier, chairman
Miss Elizabeth Farrell, secretary
Mrs. A. J. Waters, treasurer

Or cut out and mail the coupon in another column of The Enterprise.

For Your Holiday Baking Be Sure To Use Manchester Flour
LONIER & HOFFER

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. Our preparations are complete. We are ready to serve you.

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. Included are—

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.

THE ENTERPRISE

Published by the Manchester Enterprise Co. ... Subscriptions: Single Copy 5c, 15 Cents a Year, Single Copy 5c.

Three Days Only three days left in which to select your gifts. Toys, Dolls, Games, Kodaks, China, Toilet Goods, Books, Baskets, Bibles, Fountain Pens, and many other items.

"MAKE THIS A RED CROSS CHRISTMAS" SNOWMAN'S Christmas is the fourth anniversary of the birth of Christ since the people of France and Belgium began the custom of their lands and homes from the North and South.

Toyland Is Wide Open A great wonderful place brimful of interest for every boy or girl—and for grown folks. Hundreds of new dolls and playthings from ingenious American toy makers.

BANK FOR ALL THE PEOPLE INDIVIDUAL SERVICE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS Nothing In Luxuries SPENDING money on luxuries is just like burning it. There is absolutely nothing to show for it, not even the feeling that you have gotten your money's worth.

Get it for the Baby Every baby in this vicinity under one year of age is entitled to membership in our BABY CLUB and receive a BANK ACCOUNT OF \$1.00 FREE.

The Peoples Bank THE BANK WITH THE CHIME CLOCK SAFETY COURTESY SERVICE

Make it a Red Cross Christmas The Red Cross is endeavoring to enroll 2,000 more members in Washtenaw County. Application for Membership. Mrs. Louis Lonier, Chairman Manchester Branch of Red Cross.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1917.

Personal Mention.

Louis Lonier went to Toledo Monday on business. Foss has returned from his excursion in South Dakota. Howard Macomber is enjoying a vacation at home with his wife.

SHARON

Hazel Comstock visited Camp Custer last Sunday. Mahlon Smith and Henry Kulenkamp are in Detroit this week to attend the poultry show.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The mail carriers resemble old Santa Claus these days, with the numerous packages they carry. Next week our boys and girls will be coming home to spend Christmas.

ANSWERS NOT OPEN TO PUBLIC.

Answers of registrants on the selective training law are being checked to health and answers under the head "dependency," with the exception of the names and addresses of the registrants.

FROM GERMAN WAR DIARIES

The 24-page booklet "German War Diaries" contains the diary of a German soldier in the front lines. It is a very interesting and revealing work.

YOUR LAST CHANCE

to get the above model at the old price which has raised from \$50 to \$57.50. We have two left to sell at \$50.00. Give your friends Record Certificates for Christmas. Then they can select the records they like.

MAKE IT A RED CROSS CHRISTMAS

The Red Cross needs you, the boys need the Red Cross, you can help the boys by joining the Red Cross. Don't hesitate, your son, brother or sweetheart may soon be called to the colors. Boost the Red Cross.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas

We have not given you any special on Jersey Gloves this fall, we have a special that ought to make you stock up for the rest of the winter. Look: 3 pr. Slate Jersey Gloves, 35c Saturday, Dec. 22

WHY SUGAR IS SHORT

Nearly Two-Thirds of Our Sugar Comes From West Indies Plantations. The sugar planters are suffering from a shortage of labor due to the war.

WUERTHNER BROS.

The Store that Makes Good. We are still giving you Saturday

CLUBBING RATES

Table with columns for Club Type, Duration, and Rate. Includes options for The Enterprise, Detroit Daily Journal, and McCall's Magazine.



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STUFFED CALVES' HEARTS. Take two calves' hearts, one-half pound of pork sausage, one small onion, one bay leaf.

Brief News Items. The mail carriers resemble old Santa Claus these days, with the numerous packages they carry.

TOOK LOAD OF COAL. Drestle efforts to keep Manchester Public Business Place in operation.

LIKE REGULAR AMERICAN. The German would fight Kaiser who never helped him—As Against Uncle Sam.

MEMBERSHIP GROWING. The Red Cross membership is increasing rapidly. Many new members are joining.

HOME MARKET. APPLES—\$1.00 per bushel. BUTTER—40c per pound. EGGS—\$2.00 per dozen.

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RED CROSS NEWS. What Manchester and Vicinity Are Doing for Suffering Humanity. Let there be no misunderstanding. Our present and immediate task is to win the war.

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USE SMALL POTATOES. State Market Director McBride Now Makes Good Suggestion for Saving. Let there be no misunderstanding.

A Sensible Gift for a Woman is a Modish Coat. This is an intirely practical gift. You, sir, as a business man, know that the gift with the value of usefulness today outranks the merely sentimental gift of those of short life.

Christmas or New Years. Bed Blankets offered during Christmas week, 10 per cent Off.

A Watch, Clock or JEWELRY. come in and see what I have to offer. Remember I do all kinds of repair work.

LET NOTHING HAPPEN ON CHRISTMAS DAY TO DAMPEN THE SPIRITS OF ALL SOBER MEN.

WE SELL THE INGREDIENTS. "Make It a Red Cross Christmas"

R. G. CONKLIN. "Make It a Red Cross Christmas"

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King of the Khyber Rifles
By TALBOT MUNDY
The Most Picturesque Romance of the Decade

CHAPTER XIV—Continued.
"Where none dare look, the King of the Khyber Rifles..."

CHAPTER XV.
"As they disappeared after a scramble through the mouth of the same tunnel..."

SHARON
Daniel Comstock visited Campster last Sunday.

CHAPTER XVI.
"Artheistlan!"
She pronounced his standing name...

ESTATE TRANSFERS
Ally have been good to the English, they have had no thanks.

When your brain works like a dog with three legs walks—you need BEECHAM'S PILLS

An active brain must have pure blood, not poisoned with products of indigestion—or liver and kidney laziness.

NEW REAL AMERICAN WONDER
Is Really Examined in an Unexplored Region May Be Biggest in the Rockies.

ABSORBINE
Will reduce Itching, Strained, Swollen, Muscular, Ligamentous, Pain from a Splint, Sida Bone or Bone Spine.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER
Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver.

CHRISTMAS CANDLES.
It may be necessary to cut down some of the expense of Christmas.

Orange Dainties—Disolve three cupsful of orange extract...

Prune Dainties—Take a cupful of four sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder...

On the car recently, says an exchange, two young ladies carried on this conversation:

Tricks of Worms.
Ministry in animals, "hitherto an unexplored mystery," is explained by Hudson Maxim.

Great Men Never Die.
The career of a great man remains unaltered by the passage of time.

Crushed Possibilities.
Jones, the cup reporter, was fat, but he looked as melancholy as a fat man...

Change of Heart.
"Tom is no good heartier," "You fell down on it!"

GREATER EFFICIENCY. REDUCED COST.
Grow Grain in Western Canada, Make Profits, and Show Greater Patriotism.

Try Kondon's to clear your head (at no cost to you)
KONDON'S CASARAL PILLS

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IF YOU CAN'T GET THE CABINET LESSON
THE STORY OF THE FIRST CHRISTMAS.

GOOD FORTUNE.
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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
THE STORY OF THE FIRST CHRISTMAS.

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No Raise in Price of This Great Remedy
CASCARA QUININE

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