

# To Our Xmas Savers

If you will be good enough to come to the bank on Saturday, December 8, with your Christmas savings card we will be glad to deliver your Christmas check.

We congratulate you sincerely on the nice saving you have accumulated during the year.

Cape Girardeau's Big Bank for Savings, the

## FIRST NATIONAL

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### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Weather forecast: Fair today, rising temperature.

Mrs. Herman Roloff underwent an operation at the St. Francis Hospital yesterday morning. It was the third within the last six months. She was reported to have stood the ordeal well.

James Davis and Harvey Harper, two young men who were drafted into the national army three months ago, have been discharged because of physical disability. Davis suffered an injury to his right thumb some time before the draft took place, and has been unable to use his thumb. Harper, was discharged on account of a defect of the heart. He had been pronounced sound by the physicians of the registration board.

Have your Sewing Machine Repaired while this great expert is still here. He is located at Taylor, Masterson and Linton Hardware Co., 418 Broadway. People say he makes them better than new. Don't miss this chance. Phone 422 right now. John De Polzer, Chief expert from St. Louis.

City Counselor Kachians spent the day in Benton on legal matters.

Gen. Freeze, the well known saloonkeeper, is able to be around again following his discharge from St. Francis Hospital where he underwent medical treatment for several weeks.

Mrs. Ernest Goehring is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young, in Belleville, Ill.

Mrs. R. G. Meadows of Essex, who was brought to the Cape a week ago, underwent an operation at the St. Francis Hospital yesterday morning.

Will Newton, a drag line worker, was brought to the Cape from near Delta yesterday afternoon and taken to St. Francis Hospital.

County Collector J. Frank Caldwell will be in the city Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday to collect the county taxes. He will be glad to receive the taxpayers in the office of City Collector George Meyer.

Mrs. H. C. Burns, wife of the proprietor of the Aquamus Hotel was taken to the St. Francis Hospital for treatment Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Burns has been bedridden for seven weeks. It is hoped that the treatment at the Hospital will relieve her of her ailment.

Martin Roth, Jr., who was stricken suddenly with appendicitis Saturday evening underwent a successful operation at the St. Francis Hospital yesterday morning. The boy, who is ten years old, felt the first effects of the painful attack Saturday night and upon advice of the attending physician was immediately removed to St. Francis Hospital for the operation.

### CAPE HAS CHANCE TO LAND LARGE CLOTHING PLANT

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city alone can not furnish the necessary number of women for the new factory, the business men of Illinois, Foenfelt, Jackson and other towns nearby will send the missing number to this city.

The Marx-Haus Clothing company manufactures wearing apparel of all kinds such as corduroy suits, khaki, winter suits, and also summer suits, all of a moderately priced clothing.

A number of towns in Missouri have offered the clothing company a location for the branch factory. Mr. Goldstein has visited Sedalia, Hannibal, Moberly, Columbia, Mexico, and left yesterday afternoon for Poplar Bluff where he will meet the business representatives this evening. Because of its central location in southeast Missouri and its accessibility by either rail or water, it is believed the Cape will be given preference to the other cities, if the business men can make an acceptable offer to the clothing company.

The industries committee of the Commercial Club is expected to make its report to the Commercial Club tonight and ask that the report be approved by the entire club.

The meeting tonight has been called for the purpose of opening the ballot boxes and announcing the results of the election held last Friday night. Because of the inclement weather this meeting was postponed last Friday night to Tuesday evening.

### ROCK LEVEE WILL BE CUT MONDAY

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property owners living in the township affected by the cutting of the road, would come to the rescue by assessing themselves according to the value of their property, then the matter could be adjusted.

If such an agreement could not be reached, then a bond issue would be the only solution of the problem. This matter has been viewed from all angles, but no solution was offered by anyone. The difference of opinion of the attorneys representing the county and the drainage company has added to the entanglement in this matter. While the attorneys for the county contend that the drainage district must build the permanent bridge and then collect the expenditures from the property owners living in the township, the attorneys on the other side maintain that the law does not contain any such provisions.



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### SAVE TIME FOR PLEASURE

TOO busy to take a rest?

Let the telephone lighten some of your burdens.

Utilize the long distance and toll line service.

The time saved will give you an opportunity for rest and recreation.

Get the results the quickest way and with the least possible effort.

Conserve time and energy.

**Cape Girardeau Bell Telephone Co.**



### How Thin People Obtain A Plump Strong Robust Body

"Before I took tonoline people used to call me 'skinny,' but now my name is changed. My whole body is stout. Have gained 15 pounds and am gaining yet. I look like a new man." declared F. P. Smith, Pittsburg, Pa., who had just finished the tonoline treatment.

Would you, too, like to quickly put from 10 to 30 pounds of good, solid "stay-there" flesh, fat and muscular tissue "between your skin and bones?" Don't say it can't be done. Try it. Let us send you free a 50c package of tonoline and prove what it can do for you.

Every druggist is dispensing a great deal of tonoline.

More than a half million thin men and women have gladly made this test and that tonoline does succeed. Does make thin folks fat even where all else has failed, is best proved by the tremendous business we have done. No drastic diet, flesh creams, massage, oils or emulsions, but a simple, harmless home treatment. Cut out the coupon and send for this Free package today.

Take Tonoline with your meals and watch it work. This test will tell the story.

**50c BOX FREE**

**FREE TONOLINE COUPON**

This coupon with 10c in silver to help pay postage, packing, etc., and to show good faith entitles holder to one 50c package of Tonoline free. Address the American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

## RIVALS EXPLOITS OF JESSE JAMES

Career of Walter Blevins More Sensational Than Any Dime Novel Hero.

### IN LAW'S CLUTCHES

Killing of a Holdup Victim in Montana Brings to Close Remarkable Record of Daring Criminal Experiences.

Knoxville, Tenn.—Rivalling the exploits of Jesse James were the thrilling experiences and adventures of Walter Blevins, alias Walter Curtis, alias Walter Dean, who recently was taken from this city to Anaconda, Mont., to be placed on trial at Anaconda charged with murder and highway robbery.

Blevins belonged to the famous Harvey Logan clan.

Investigation by secret service men, post office inspectors and other federal officers at Knoxville has disclosed deeds and crimes attributed to Blevins which are unparalleled in the most popular "Diamond Dick" and "Nick Carter" stories.

Many Desperate Deeds.

Gold nuggets were stolen in Alaska by Blevins, and on this charge and jail-breaking at Juneau, Alaska, he was sentenced to the federal penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth by the territorial court in Alaska.

He was released from Leavenworth prison on October 15, 1916. He then went to Chattanooga and worked for two or three weeks as a structural steel worker.

For two months he remained in upper East Tennessee. During that time the post office at Johnson City was entered, the vault therein, as well as the large safe inside the vault, were blown open with nitroglycerin and nearly \$10,000 worth of postage stamps and several hundred dollars in money stolen.

In the latter part of February, 1917, Blevins left East Tennessee and returned to Montana, where he had lived for several years before going to the penitentiary. While in Montana he was arrested by state authorities.

mother died while the lads were very young, leaving one to be adopted by a neighbor named Kaufmann and the other child to be taken to Serbia to live with an uncle named Albala. Thus the brothers received different names.

As the boys grew older they corresponded, but never met. At the age of fifteen Kaufmann came to America and while he was working his way up in the business world his brother became a noted physician, distinguishing himself in the Balkan war and gaining prominence in Belgrade. With the outbreak of the present hostilities he gained fresh laurels and was selected to serve on a commission to America.

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upon a minor charge and was given six months in jail. While in jail at Malta, Mont., he made his escape, in connection with two men, who it is claimed were Western highwaymen.

Shortly after his escape from jail in company with those men and another party, he went to Anaconda, and while at Anaconda this quartette held up ten or fifteen automobiles on a highway about three miles from Anaconda.

Because one of the parties, a prominent business man, failed to hold up his hands as quickly as Blevins ordered, it is claimed Blevins shot him, and also shot a woman who did not respond immediately to his command. The man lived a few weeks and died.

Blevins made his escape and was afterwards recaptured at Minot, N. D., and returned to Malta, Mont., on the old charge for which he was serving a sentence when he escaped. It was claimed part of the stolen goods and jewelry was found upon him.

Confesses to Robbery.

Blevins confessed to the robbery of the Johnson City post office at Malta, Mont., and before the Montana state authorities suspected that he was connected with the Anaconda robbery he was brought to Tennessee for trial for the Johnson City robbery of the \$10,000 in postage stamps and several hundred dollars in money.

He was tried on that charge at the session of the United States district court in September, at Greenville, Tenn., when he repudiated his alleged confession, claiming it was forced from him by the sheriff in Montana, and the federal government being unable to rebut his claim at that time, he was acquitted by the jury, there being no other evidence of his robbing the Johnson City post office except his reputed confession.

Sheriff J. R. Crabb and Deputy Sheriff Percy Ingalls of Montana took Blevins back to Montana with a 20-pound boot on his foot, which has a combination lock which takes about three minutes to open, and strong handcuffs.



Blevins Shot Him.

## PARTED FOR YEARS, REUNITED BY WAR

Brothers Separated When Told in the Balkans Brought Together in Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—The great world war which has separated thousands from their families brought together here recently two brothers who were separated while tots in the Balkans 25 years ago.

Today the elder of the brothers is Capt. David Albala, a member of the Serbian commission to the United States. The other is Joseph Kaufmann of Pittsburgh.

Both men were born in Roumania and their family name is Covo. Their



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### MISDEMEANOR IN WIGWAM OF NOKOMIS

Pueblo, Colo.—Lo! the pale Indian has the distinction of blazing the trail in one more direction—forging a thumbprint signature.

Kick-One-Big-Hole-in-the-Sky, sometimes using the English name of Lang, a Ute Indian, is under indictment here and will be tried before a United States district court charged with forging the thumbprint of a former redskin companion, one Wicked Snake, to a government pay check.

Three-Broken-Ribs and Big-Little-Hat, also Utes, known as Jones and Clark, were indicted at the same time for burglary in Montezuma county.

### TWINS EATEN BY ALLIGATOR

Swallows Boy and Girl, and Bodies Were Later Found in Animal's Stomach.

An alligator swallowed twin babies, a boy and girl, while the mother washed clothes on the banks of a river near Belize, British Honduras.

The mother had left her babies in a basket near where she was washing, and failed to notice an alligator that stole up on the bank and suddenly gulped down the twins. The woman notified her husband, who was working in a nearby field, and he led a band of men to the spot.

The alligator was captured before it succeeded in getting back into the water. When its stomach was cut open the dead bodies of the twins were found, almost unmarked.

### BLAME GYPSIES FOR JAZZ

Music and Dance Originated With Romany Tribe in Southern Part of Europe.

Akron, O.—Most folks thought the jazz bands and the jazz music came from somewhere around New Orleans and that New York finished the job by introducing the jazz dance. But Dr. Oscar Junek, educator of this city, says the music and dance come from the Isgane Gypsies, who roam the southern part of Europe.

Doctor Junek was born in Silesia, Austria, and says he often saw the Gypsies stop to do the jazz dance. He thinks some American dancing master must have visited that country, too.

## Cocotone Skin Soap A 25c Cake Free

Have you tried this famous soap for the skin, if not send the coupon below in at once and try this wonderful soap. It will cleanse the skin and give it the delicate color and freshness so much desired by everyone.

Cocotone Co., Pittsburg, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

Your Cocotone Skin Soap is perfectly delightful. It makes the skin soft and velvety, removes oily appearance and gives wonderful results in improving the complexion. Kindly send me six cakes by return mail for the \$1.50 money order enclosed.

Yours truly,  
Miss Jos. M. Johns.

**CUT THIS OUT**

**COCOTONE CO., ATLANTA, GA.**

I have never used Cocotone Skin Soap but if you will send me a 25 cent cake free, will be pleased to try it. I enclose six two-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing, packing, etc.

Name .....

Address .....

Agents Wanted.

## DANDRUFF QUICKLY STOPPED

There is only one way to cure dandruff and that is to kill the germs. There is only one hair preparation that will kill the germs and that is Mildredina Hair Remedy. This unusual hair restorer with its record of thousands of cures will grow hair on any head where there is any life left. It cures dandruff, stops falling hair and itching of the scalp in three weeks or your money back.

It is the most pleasant and invigorating tonic, is not sticky or greasy and is used extensively by ladies of refinement who desire to have and to keep their hair soft, lustrous and luxuriant.

Your druggist is selling Mildredina Hair Remedy on a positive guarantee to remove dandruff or money refunded at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Out of own customers supplied by mail.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of Lemuel G. Dillman, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, by the Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas of Cape Girardeau county, Missouri, bearing date of the 28th day of November, 1917.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me, the undersigned administrator, for allowance within six months from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the granting of letters on said estate they shall be forever barred.

A. J. DILLMAN  
Administrator.

### State of Missouri, County of Cape Girardeau—ss:

I hereby certify that I, A. J. Dillman, was granted letters of administration upon the estate of Lemuel G. Dillman, deceased on the date above written.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 28th day of November, 1917.

(Seal) BEN VINYARD,  
Clerk, Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas.

### NOTICE TO REMOVE SNOW FROM SIDEWALKS.

Notice is hereby given that impounded snow will be turned to enforce compliance with that part of Section 138, Ordinance No. 1173, pertaining to the removal of snow from sidewalks, which is as follows:

"No person being the owner or occupier of any lot or land within this city shall permit or allow snow to remain upon any sidewalk in front thereof to a greater depth than one inch, ten hours after the same has fallen.

Every person violating any provision of this section of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction be fined not less than one dollar nor more than fifty dollars."

Issued by order of Mayor Will Hirsch, this 11th day of December, 1917.

R. W. Frissell,  
City Clerk.

### Malaria or Chills & Fever

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### WOMAN DIES AFTER OPERATION

After an illness of a few days, Mrs. Blanch Seabaugh, wife of the grocer on North Main street died at St. Francois Hospital early Sunday morning following an operation for an internal disorder. She had been ill only a short time, and the operation was believed to have been successful. At midnight Saturday she elapsed into unconsciousness and expired two hours later.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at Lorimer Cemetery. Services were held at the house by Rev. J. P. Struggs, following which the body was taken to the cemetery for burial.

Mrs. Seabaugh was 23 years old. She was Miss Blanch Gonz, of Neely's Landing. The couple were married about six months ago.

### OH MY STOMACH

"I had stomach trouble so badly that nothing I ate would digest as it should," said Sadie E. Hamilton, Portland, Me., as she began a remarkable story of the relief she has secured through Argo-Phosphate, the new reconstructive stomach tonic and system purifier.

"Everything that I ate would lie in my stomach like a lump," she explained. "Gas would form and I would suffer distress all the time. I got so I could hardly keep anything down. Trying to get relief, I had my stomach pumped out, but even this did not help me as I continued just as bad.

"I kept hearing so much about Argo-Phosphate that I thought maybe it might help me and I decided to try it. I have taken two bottles and to my surprise I am already feeling fine. I can eat anything and I am not troubled at all.

"I am completely rid of my old stomach trouble that I had for three years. I have not felt so well for years and I am certainly glad to endorse Argo-Phosphate because I want others to be helped by this wonderful medicine."

"The spirit of wanting to help others is what makes suffering men and women give these splendid public endorsements of Argo-Phosphate," said a local druggist.

### KIDNEY DISEASE IS FATAL

Kidneco is a Wonderful Protection

When disease gets into the kidneys it is just as certain to take a person off as leprosy, unless it is checked before it goes too far. If people just knew the danger that lurked in diseases of these delicate organs they would be as careful of them as they are of their eyes. People who have sound kidneys should know how to protect and take care of them. Kidneco is a sure remedy for treating kidney diseases because it removes the poisons that collect in the blood through the inactive kidneys.

Just go to any drug store and get about a dozen Kidneco Tablets. They are inexpensive and will relieve your kidney trouble quickly. Mailed by the Kidneco Co., Boston, Mass.

### MILK IN WINTER

Why do your cows give less milk in winter than they do in summer? Just because nature does not supply them with grasses and green food. But we have some to the assistance of Dame Nature with E. A. Thomas' Stock Remedy which contains the very ingredients that the green feed supplies in season, only of course, in a more highly concentrated form. We guarantee that this remedy will make your cows give more milk and better milk with the same feed.—F. F. Braun & Bros.