CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

## A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

#### WAR NEWS.

The first shipment of cotton from the United States bound for Germany since the war began has reached Rot-

A report from Fredrichshafen by way of Geneva says that in the recent British aerial raid on Cuxhaven one of the latest super-Zeppelins was destroyed by bombs.

The loss of the French submarine Curie is confirmed. The Curie was engaged in an attempt against the warships at the Austrian naval base of Pola and ventured there alone.

The Belgian borders have been closed by the German administration to all persons except those holding special military passes. This measure, it is understood, has been taken to prevent espionage

Four German aeroplanes flew several times over the city of Dunkirk, dropping bombs as they went. Soldiers in the streets fired on the machines and one tube seemed to be hit, but all got safely away.

Italy has ordered the cruiser Calabria at Beirut, Syria, to render any of office at 1,544. necessary aid to the American Cruiser North Carolina should there be further demonstrations against the departure of Europeans from Turkish territory.

The British government, through the naval and military authorities, apparently fearing a raid over British towns by German airships, has issued a warning to the people to take to cover should the sound of firing be

The Russian government has author ized the official news agency to de ny in the most categorical manner the statement that Russia has ceded to Japan half the island of Sakhalan, in exchange for heavy artillery. It is asserted that the report is absolutely un-

Total losses to Scandinavian shipping through mine disasters were as follows up to mid December: Sweden, eight ships and sixty lives; Denmark, six vessels and six lives; Norway, five vessels and six lives: Holland three vessels and fifteen lives. The total financial loss for the twentytwo ships and their cargoes will reach nearly \$10,000,000.

The United States has invited the South and Central America governments to send representatives to Washington to confer with the treasury department officials and American financiers on financial and commercial problems arising from the European war, with the idea of bringing the two continents into closer commercial relations.

### GENERAL.

From 10 to 11 o'clock in the morning and from 10 to 11 o'clock at night are the hours when a boy or girl can do the best work in school. according to Prof. Frank E. Lake of Boston, who spoke before the National Commercial Teachers' federation at Chicago.

More than 150 prominent prelates of the Catholic church throughout Minnesota, Wisconsin and North and Washington to revise or supplement South Dakota, paid honor to the right | the rules of international law respect-Rev James McGolrick at a dinner at ing the rights of neutrals in the presthe Kitchi Gammi club at Duluth, in ent war. celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration to the bishopric of Duluth.

Republican leaders of Minnesota, seeking rehabilitation of the party in this state, met at St. Paul and perfected an organization to be known sworn statements filed with the secas the Republican league, elected tem- retary of senatorial honors from thirporary officers, issued various plans ty-one states. for strengthening the party, and decided to hold a state convention not later than July 1, 1915.

Brigadier General Robert Henry Hall, retired veteran of the civil and the Spanish wars, died at Chicago. He was born in Detroit seventy-seven years ago.

Foot and mouth disease is held responsible for a decrease from last year of \$19,000,000 in the value of live stock received during 1914 at the Chicago Union Yard the largest in the world, according to a report by the Union Stock Yards and transit company.

Two big fleets of aircraft are being built by France for attacks next spring on Germany, according to Pedro Chaps, Mexican aviator, who has returned to New York after four years vember, compared with that month a in Europe.

. . . Members of the prohibition party from Kansas, Iowa and Missouri will meet in Kansas City January 3, to present session. Officials close to the launch a new campaign to last 120 days, in an effort to get the names of 5,000,000 voters on petitions for national prohibition before the question quieting reports received by the War again comes up in congress.

The receivers of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad were authorized by Judge Sanborn in the St. Louis district court, to borrow \$3,000,000 on receivers' certificates, paying 6 per cent interest.

It is stated by Chicago charity peo-

Another new high price record for wheat was attained at Portland, when a sale of 5,000 bushels of red fife was made at \$1.23, and 5,000 bushels of red Russian sold at the same price.

Mrs. Margarite Snyder of Rockford, Ill., was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary for conspiracy to de fraud the estate of John Robert of Tacoma. Her claim as granddaughter of Robert was thrown out of

The utilities bureau, through which it is proposed that municipalities throughout the country may co-operta in exchanging data concerning rates, service standards and cost factors in public utilities, was permanently organized at Philadelphia.

Rules of conduct of amateur athletes, the violation of which will be considered unsportsmanlike, ungentlemanly and dishonorable, were recommended by a special committee of the athletic research society in annual session at Chicago.

A motion by eastern railroads to enjoin a new freight rate on granite effective January 1 was denied by three judges sitting in the Omaha federal court. The tariff had been or dered some time ago by the Interstate Commerce commission and a stay of execution had been asked by the railways affected.

Fifty-five new year pardons, paroles and communitations were granted by Governor Blease of South Carolina, reduced the number of prisoners in the state penitentiary, at the state farms and in county convict camps to 149. The governor's action put the total number of prisoners to whom he has granted clemency in his four years

#### WASHINGTON.

Another warning was given by the State department to Americans contemplating travel abroad that they must provide themselves with proper

The Interstate Commerce commission has ordered a hearing to be held at Omaha on January 14 in the case of Abel Roberts against the Missouri Pacific Railroad company.

American farms during 1914 eclipsed all records for combined value of their products, with a total of almost ten billion dollars, announced Secretary Houston, of the department of agricul-

The German government has noti fied the state department that Ameri can consuls in Belgium must be ac ceptable to the German military authorities, and that it is desirable that some of the consuls be withdrawn.

Advancs of approximately 2 cents a hundred pounds in the freight rates on cement from all the principal cement-producing points west of the Mississippi river in trunk line territory, were sustained in part by the interstate commerce commission.

A bill to authorize the legislature of Hawaii to extend the right of suffrage to women was introduced in the house by Delegate Kalanianolo. The measure would permit the legislature to submit the question to a popular referendum.

Creation of a tariff board to be composed of one member appointed by the president and four named, respectively, by the majority and minority of the senate finance and house ways and means committees, is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Mann.

Venezuela has formally proposed to all the neutral governments of Europe and Asia, as well as the two Americas, that a conference be held in

Nearly half a million dollars was spent by candidates of all parties last November in the first popular election of United States senators in the history of the government. To be exact \$460,777.25 represents the total of

Woman suffragists who called on Representative Henry, chairman of the house rules committee, learned that the proposed suffrage constitutional amendment probably would be voted on in the house January 12. Mr. Henry said he expected to see the amendment defeated by more than a two-thirds vote.

Mediation by the federal department of labor in the eastern Ohio coal strike was sought by Representative Francis of Ohio. About 15,000 men are idle in this territory and Secretary Wilson was asked to make an effort to adjust the dierenffces and put the miners back to work.

A 300 per cent increase in exports of foodstuffs from the United States, due principally to the European war, characterized the foreign trade of Noyear ago.

. . . President Wilson favors the passage of the Jones, Philipino bill during the White House believe that the recent troubles would not affect Mr. Wilson's advocacy of the bill, in view of the department.

The \$135,000,000 cotton loan fund plan to finance the surplus cotton crop was approved unanimously by representatives of committees which are to aid in handling the fund in the southern states.

15,000 TON VESSEL DESTROYED BY GERMAN SUBMARINE.

Other Vessels Near At Hand But Orders to Look Out for Own Safety Prevented Further Loss.

London.-One more British battleship has paid toll to the Germans for the patrol of the English channel and North sea coast

Struck by a torpedo from a submarine operating with Zeebrugge as its base, the Formidable, of 15,000 tons, went to the bottom of the channel New Year's Day, taking with her 600 of her crew.

It is believed the battleship was acting as flagship of the squadron that for weeks had been co-operating with the allied land forces against the Germans on the Belgian coast.

Submarines frequently have made unsuccessful sorties against this squadron. As a flagship the complement of the Formidable was 810 officers and men. Eighty survivors were picked up by a British light cruiser. Of the rescued eight are officers and six midshipmen. For days a gale, decreasing gradu-

ally in violence, had been whipping the waters of the channel and the North sea into foam. Without the slightest warning the 800 men aboard the battleship felt their great craft thrown from the water, and then came a tremendous explosion that seemed to tear the steel structure apart as though it were a ship of cardboard.

The fact that the vessel disappear ed almost immediately led the survivors to conclude that the explosion of a mine or torpedo detonated one of the ship's magazines. The estimates of the time she floated after receiving her death wound vary from five to twenty minutes, but the shorter space is regarded as the more probable since the casualty list concievable might be smaller had she remained above the surface for any appreciable time.

The Formidable, while an old war ship, having been launched in 1898 and completed in 1901, nevertheless had already rendered useful service in fighting. Off-coast losses to the British navy have been expected daily owing to the fact that the British war vessels deliberately were taking risks to aid the land campajgn

The admiralty statement indicates that other vessels of the squadron were near the Formidable when she sank and it is the firm belief that only the orders for each vessel to look out for its own safety prevented

#### Constantinople Fears Attack.

Athens .- According to Constantinople advices which have reached here the Austrian and German embassies in the Turkish transferring their archives to Asia Minor, fearing that action is imminent by the British and French fleets against Dardanelles and the capital. Foreigners, it is stated, are also preparing to quit the capital for the in-

### Boy Killed Coasting.

Salt Lake City, Utah-One boy was killed, two probably fatally injured and three others seriously injured when a bobsled on which they were coasting crashed into a street car. The sled, which was travelling at a terrific speed down a steep incline, got beyond control and at the foot of the hill hit the car as the latter came to a stop on a curve. The motorman saw the sled coming and stopped his car, hoping thereby to avoid confusing the coasters. Before he had opportunity to back his car from the corner the sled hit the front truck and the boys were thrown against the car and to the pavement.

Kansas Will Join in Rate Fight. Topeka, Kan.-Kansas will join Nebraska, Oklahoma, Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas in opposing the increased freight rates on grain ordered by the western railroads and suspended by me interstate commerce commission until March 31, it has been announced by the Kansas board of public utilities. The increased rates would cost Kansas farmers more than \$500,000 yearly, members of the commission said.

Austrian Dreadnaught Torpedoed. London.-A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Venice contains a report that a French torpedo boat has torpedoed the Austrian dreadnought Viribus Unitis at Pola.

### Distress Among Prisoners.

Washington.-American relief for 70,000 German and Austrian prisoners of war scattered through Siberia, in prison camps and said to be in need of clothing and medical supplies, is being sought by the American Red Cross relief society.

Navigation Meet. Omaha.-St. Joe, Nebraska City. Plattsmouth and Sioux City and some other river cities will send délegates to the navigation meeting here, Janu- future. ary 8.

## New Arkansas Liquor Law.

Little Rock, Ark.-Ushering in of the new year witnessed the temporary closing of every saloon in Arkansas, and marked the second annual statewide closing under the provisions of the Going law, which went into eeffct more than a year ago.

### Report Untrue.

Tokio.-The foreign office says the reports in circulation that Japanese troops have landed at Vladivostok, or at any other place on their way to Europe are absolutely untrue.

# NEBRASKA

From a census taken last June Al-

sacks of flour toward the relief of the Total Number of Deaths 10,735 Dur-

liance shows a population of 5,110. Horse disease in Cass county has carried off \$10,000 worth of animals.

The Wymore pet and live stock show was held December 21 and 24. Citizens of York contributed 286

Belgians. Governor Morehead is now preparing his message to the legislature. He urges economy.

Price records for wheat at Hastings were broken Saturday when prices reached \$1.08.

Fifty-one Hastings families who total number of children born was went to Colorado beet fields last summer, have returned.

A human finger, apparently torn from some person's hand, was found in an alley at Lincoln.

Over thirteen hundred more boys Nine hundred and seventy of these were born in Nebraska in 1914 than in the previous year. Plans for a new armory building to with 635 attempts at divorce, of

be erected at Hastings, are being which only 438 were successful, as drawn by an architect. Five petitions for divorce have been filed in the Johnson county district

court in a little over a week.

Plainview. He homesteaded where the town of Plainview is in 1851. Fire destroyed the garage owned by R. A. Duff at Nebraska City, with Juring the year, a better showing all of its contents, including ten au-

W. H. Shilvers, 79, died recently at

tomobiles. The West Point Milling company total was 600 above that of 1913, has shipped 100 sacks of flour, the donation of the citizens of West Point, below that of last year.

to Belgian sufferers. C. W. Harper, Holdrege cigarmaker, accused of passing worthless checks to obtain funds for Christmas shopping, has been returned to Holdrege

from Hastings. Harvesting of ice is in progress at Table Rock. Ice from eight to ten inches thick is being obtained. The ice harvest at Tecumseh is expected

Convicted of embezzlement, M. J. O'Connell, former justice of the peace at North Platte, was sentenced to the Boston company, which is the main state prison for a term of from one company making the deal. The Bosto seven years. Charged with attempting a \$25,000 part of the bond is the Massachus-

etts Bonding and Insurance comswindle on the D. V. Sholes company. real estate dealers of Omaha, with a worthless mortgage, J. W. O'Connell of Purdum, Neb., was arrested. R. A. Wylie, formerly district man-

ager of the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company at Hastings, has resigned his position as a special agent to enter the insurance field. Henry Heidelk, constable and spe-

cially deputized marshal at Jansen, was probably fatally wounded when he attempted to stop a family quarsecretary of state for several years, rel at the home of Rock Island section **新 多り広告 2001年** Paul Reed, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reed of Hastings, was

unconscious for several hours after

missing his grip on a "flying ring" and falling to the floor of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, recently. William Hayward, formerly of Nebraska and well known in Omaha and him to make the appointment. the state, will become legal adviser to Governor-elect Whitman of New liam H. Murray as deputy, is all that

York on January 1, according to offi- Mr. Hall has made so far. cial announcement from New York. Presumably to keep himself from deteriorating physically from the inactivity of jail life, Roy Roberts, being held at North Platte on a ably be a candidate for the position charge of killing Vernon Connett August 2, spends much of his time in

clog dancing. The Peru Commercial club gave a banquet to members of the legislature from that section of Nebraska. Wednesday evening. A number of leading senators and representatives and prominent men from other parts

of the state were present. One of the largest amounts ever asked for personal injuries in the district court at Omaha, is \$250,000, Gladys E. Short against the Clarkson Memorial hospital, Dr. A. B. Somers and Ellen Stewart, head nurse.

John C. Byrnes of Columbus, chairand divides the several items so they man of the democratic state central are kept separately. committee in 1909, 1910 and 1911, was recommended to President Wilson by Senator Hitchcock as internal revenue collector for Nebraska to succeed Ross Hammond of Fremont.

President J. A. Ollis and Secretary prevent them from having a spirited H. J. Gramlich of the Nebraska Im- race for the floor leadership. J. H. proved Live Stock Breeders' associa- Mockett of Lincoln, veteran of the tion have announced an important series of programs for the live stock opponents in the persons of James section of organized agriculture. These Nichols of Madison and Dennis meetings will be held in Lincoln, Cronin. January 18-23.

One of the Christmas presents which came to Governor Morehead was a large oil painting of a buffalo cow and her calf, showing a characteristic western scene, with a light mantle of snow on the earth, and mountains in the background. The gift came from Miles J. Maryott of Oshkosh, who made the picture.

Superintendent Fast of the institution for feeble-minded at Beatrice, in his annual report favors more extensive training.

The number of silos in Dawes county has been doubled this year. A silo day was observed by many of the farmers.

court. With practically a whole year gone by since the electric light, power and heat rates of the Hastings municipal Commercial grape-growing in Neplant were cut fifty per cent, Mayor braska will be discussed in detail at Ingraham as well as Light Commisthe session of the state horticultural sioner Cloyd are positive that other society Thursday morning, January cuts will be possible within the early 21, during the week of organized agriculture, January 18 to 23.

Hazel Boop, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boop, living near Johnson, sustained a, badly broken limb by being run over by an automobile, while returning from school.

Walter Sammons and Delbert Smith, both of Kearney, were sentenced in federal court at Omaha for the robbery of the Kearney postoffice last Christmas. Sammons had been found guilty and Smith plead guilty to the charge. Sammons was sentenced to two and one-half years in the penitentiary, but has asked for a new trial.

# BIRTH RECORDS SHOW BOYS

LEAD BY 1,300.

ing Year, 519 Less Than

Last Year.

Lincoln.-There were 14,002 boy

babies born in Nebraska during the

year 1914, and 1,300 fewer girls. The

26,704. The figures are given in the

annual vital statistical review of the

In the year there were 12,157 wed-

lings and 2,159 attempts to separate.

were based on charges of cruelty.

Douglas county led other counties

far as obtaining the decrees was con-

Two couples in the state who

were listed in this category had been

narried between forty and forty-five

years. A total of 1,375 couples had

There were a total of 10,735 deaths

than was made during the last year.

when the total was 11,254. The birth

while the marriage total was slightly

There were 175 suicides reported

this year, as against 169 last year.

Railway accidents were responsible

or seventy-four deaths in 1914 and

Finishes Big Bond.

George Hall has completed his bond

or \$1,000,000. The subrogated insur-

by nine other companies besides the

on company which receives the main

pany and carries \$235,000 of the

The bond has not yet been filed, al-

though it has been approved by the

insurance commissioner. The aggre-

gate capital of the ten companies car-

rying the bond is over \$10,000,000 and

Mr. Hall has made another appoint-

ment for his office force, having se-

ected Miss May Holland, who has

been stenographer in the office of the

as stenographer in the office of the

state treasurer. In making the ap-

pointment Mr. Hall says he expects

to cut down the office force somewhat

and the ability of Miss Holland to do

clerical work of all kinds besides that

of stenographer, with the strong dem-

ocratic endorsement in her favor, led

This appointment with that of Wil-

Ollis for Senate Scribe.

to information given out by some of

Ollis' very close friends. Ollis has

served several terms in the state

senate: was a leader in all of them,

being closely allied with the farming

New Bookkeeping Plan Urged.

new system of bookkeeping for state

counts. It classifies the departments

Race for Floor Leadership.

minority of the coming house will not

job for several sessions, is to have

May Secure Dr. Condra.

Virginia are dickering with Dr. G. E.

Condra of the state university, in the

hope that they can land the Nebras-

kan for the presidency of their insti-

tution. No definite offer has been

made, it is said, but negotiations may

Before Supreme Court.

quiring public service corporations

to elevate their overhead wires when-

ers, is to be tried by the supreme

Will Discuss Grape Industry.

College Steers Sell for 11.5 Cents.

Stock Yards were broken the other

day when the college of agriculture

received 11.5 cents a pound for two

steers. One sold for \$178.25. The

carcass of one of the steers when

Live Stock Exposition at Chicago had

It not been cancelled on account of

the foot and mouth disease.

All records at the South Omaha

Validity of Omaha's ordinance, re-

extend that far within a short time.

The fact that republicans are in the

and stock interests of the state.

Senator J. A. Ollis of Ord. farmer,

they have assets of over \$38,000,000.

Lincoln. - State Treasurer elect

sixty-six last year.

been married less than five years.

state board of health.

cerned.

EFFECTIVE WORK ON ROADS

Pulling a Drag Through Mud When Soil Is Sticky Is Waste of Time-Farmers Work Together.

We have a road drag club of 33 members that has been in existence for nearly two years. About a third of the members own drags and these are in use nearly all the time. It is understood that any member has a perfect right to hitch to anybody's irag that is not in use.

We have learned a good many things about road dragging since we started, writes W. D. Dennis of Missouri in Farm Progress. Dragging a road is not quite as simple as it looks and there are some kinds of dragging that are not worth doing. For instance we have found that pulling a drag through the mud when the soil is sticky enough to cling to the drag is waste of time. Nor do we ever drag a road that is

bone dry. All the good that does is to heap the dust in the center of the highway. Of course, we have no one in the club who has authority to send a man home if he wants to drag a road in dry and dusty weather, but it is understood that such road work is foolish and no one does it.

Drive the team at a walk, always is another of our unwritten rules. You don't want the drag bounding and hopping along, leaving the road sur-



Harrisburg Road, Near Houston, Texas

face dragged in places and skipped in others. Slow and steady does the best

We have no heavy drags. A few months' experience showed us they were not what we wanted. We use light drags, pulled over the road at about the regulation angle of 45 degrees. This pulls a small amount of

stockman and statesman, will probof secretary of the senate, according the sides.

We drag the roads as soon as pos-George Weidenfield, bookkeeper in other side is smoothed up on the rethe Board of Control, has prepared a turn trip. Half a dozen drags on a road after a spring rain will work asked in a petition filed by Mrs. Institutions which is said to be along wonders. Keep this up a few weeks and you are able to build the center Adv. the lines of a better keeping of acof the road up to a height of from of each institution under four heads ten to twelve inches above the level of the edges. This gives a good drainage and makes the future dragging

easier and much more effective. Road dragging is something that must be kept up continually. Eternal dragging is the price we have to pay for dirt roads that are above the average. If we paid for the work put on them it would probably cost us all of \$10 and maybe \$12 a mile for the year. Some years the roads will re- ping. quire much more work than in others because of the weather conditions. The amount of traffic and the nature of the soil on which the road is built are other factors that affect the Officials of the University of West

amount of dragging necessary. There are some spots in every road that should be graded and filled before you can expect to do very much with the drag. A drag will not help these bad spots much. Get them fixed up once, though, and you won't have much trouble in keeping them in shape with the drag.

Reduce All Grades.

Reduce all grades to at least five per cent if possible. In some states roads are laid out on section lines and hills ever required to do so by house movmust be gone over, but where possible avoid steep grades, as these are a constant cost for maintenance and dangerous to travel.

> Work Systematically. The way to build a good road is to work at it systematically and continuously. You can't do a little now and then and have it come out the

Ask Aid of Commissioners. If there is a highway commission in

way you want it in the long run.

your state have them help you improve your roads. They can offer suggestions that will be a lasting benefit if observed.

freshly dressed, weighed a trifle over Cement for Culverts. 70 per cent of its live weight. Five of Nothing is better for culverts and the steers of the lot sold for \$750. small bridges than cement. Re-enforce Some of the stock sold was to have all over a two-foot span. been entered at the International

> Make Permanent Improvements. It never pays to patch a poor road or a poor bridge or culvert.

It is impossible, to be strong and robust if handicapped by a weak stomach or lazy liver; but you can help Nature conquer them with the assistance of

## HOSTETT STOMACH BIT

WHY NOT TRY PEPHAM'S

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, O. PARKER'S HAIR BALSA

ALMOST THE WHOLE SH

Prompter Had Done Much for the Actors, but It Seemed It Wasn't Enough.

In the production of a play there is an important person who is never seen and should not be heard by the audience, and yet he may speak more lines than the principal actor. It is the prompter.

Here is a description of a prompter's labors, written by one of the genus:

"I, as prompter, had been kept busy throughout the piece. In tion to keeping the actors on, lines, it was my duty to make outside noises. I had screame I had shouted 'Kill him!' I had planks to cover up deficient ports. I had thundered, harled, ? sung like a woman, marched like an army, and howled like an infuriated rabble inflated by drink. The last straw came when the hero, supposed to be pursued by hounds, sidled to the wings and hissed:

"'Bark, you fool, bark! Why don't you bark, you idiot?"

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HER GRAY HAIR

She Made Up a Mixture of and Sulphur to Bring B Gloss, Thickn

Almost everyone knows out Sage earth over to the center of the high. Tea and Sulphur, properly compoundway and firms the whole wheel path. ed, brings back the natural color and We have a 60-foot highway. Natur- lustre to the hair when faded, streaked ally we do not try to drag all of that or gray; also ends dandruff, itching surface. What we try to maintain is scalp and stops falling hair. Years a roadway of about twenty feet in ago the only way to get this mixture width. We begin in the center and try was to make it at home, which is to first get a good wheel track width mussy and troublesome. Nowadays, in fair shape. As soon as this is done by asking at any store for "Wveth's the drags are lapped a little farther | Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." you over into the undragged roadway at will get a large bottle of the famous

old recipe for about 50 cents. Don't stay gray! Try it! No one sible after every rain. The best work | can possibly tell that you darkened is done after a rain and just before your hair, as it does it so naturally the road surface begins to harden as and evenly. You dampen a sponge or it dries. One side of the wheel path is soft brush with it and draw this taken going in one direction, and the through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy .-

> A Different Thing. "Did Bill break his poor old father's heart by his gambling?" "Not much; he broke the bank."

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licious. All the family

willlike Van Houten's

Rona Cocoa. Big red

can - half-pound -

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