

**SAYS PHILIPPINES CAN'T BE VACATED**

**U. S. LAW IN AGAINST PLAN**

**National Republic In Article Shows How It Is Impossible to Desert Islands**

That the Philippines as a part of the sovereign territory of the United States cannot be separated from the republic is the contention of the National Republic which in its current issue quotes editorially a number of authoritative opinions to sustain the position. The editorial says in part: "The National Republic has on several occasions called attention to the fact that the discussion of Philippine independence is useless, because neither congress nor the executive has any more right to alienate American sovereignty in the Philippines than in Alaska or the states carved out of the Louisiana Purchase.

**Acquired by Purchase**  
The Philippine Islands were acquired by the United States not only by conquest from Spain, but by purchase; we paid twenty million dollars for the Philippines as against three millions for the Louisiana territory and seven million dollars for Alaska; in all cases the United States acquired complete sovereignty which under our constitution is inalienable. The Supreme court has decided that the Philippines are "territory of the United States," not in the sense of fee simple title in our government, but in the sense that our sovereignty exists there. That sovereignty can be alienated only by the affirmative action of the people or the states, to whom, under the Ninth and Tenth amendments to the federal constitution, all rights not specifically conferred on the federal government by the constitution are reserved.

**Authority Quoted**  
"Authoritative support for this position is found in two recently published opinions. Judge Daniel R. Williams, who was secretary of the Taft commission in the islands has published a brief in the Virginia Law Review holding that no power is vested in congress to alienate sovereignty over any territory of the United States. George H. Fairchild, of Manila, until recently publisher of the Manila Times, supports the same position with quotations from the debates on the constitution in the Virginia convention of 1788 which ratified the constitution, and where this very question was discussed by some of the men most influential in the

framing and adoption of the federal charter.  
"On page 258 of these debates James Madison is quoted:  
"It will, moreover, be contrary to the law of nations to relinquish territorial rights. To make a treaty to alienate any part of the United States will amount to a declaration of war against the inhabitants of the alienated part and a general absolution from allegiance. They will never abandon this great right."

**MONEY NOT ALWAYS THING MOST NEEDED**

**Applicants to United Charities Often More In Need of Advice and Help**

Money is not everything. It is needed to pay bills, get conveniences and necessities, to pay doctors and street-car fares and buy Christmas gifts. It gives one security, confidence and social faith. But many people slur over the fact that money is not an end in itself. Money is a means to another end. If one regards money as the end of existence, his life is miserly. Sometimes a person, in need of something beside money, is so discouraged, unhappy, and confused, that he thinks he does need money. Then he begins to want what he does not need. He thinks and worries about money. It becomes an obsession.

The need of many people is friendliness. People often come to the United Charities for money, when they do not need it. In a recent study of the experiences of 184 families coming to the United Charities of Chicago, it was found that in 16 families, there was no need of material or money help. They needed advice, sympathy, information, friendliness, some understanding with whom to talk. Among these 184 families, seven of them were self-supporting during the entire time of contact with the Charities.

During the year October 1st, 1925, to October 1st, 1926, there were 9,505 families experiencing difficulties, but not in need of material relief that were served with friendliness, advice and encouragement by the United Charities of Chicago.

If you would enjoy some of the real spirit of service, the next time some worried person appeals to you, why not take the time to copy the kind of service of the United Charities of Chicago and you, personally, show some friendliness, understanding and encouragement; even though the stranger asks for money.

The fellow who won't take no for an answer is greatly to be admired in a way, but sometimes he's an awful pest to have around.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

**LONDON TELEPHONE DIRECTORY NAMES**

**Include All Titles and Honors and Is Confusing to Most Americans**

In the past, the names and addresses in the London telephone directory were printed in full so that frequently a listing would require two lines, sometimes even more. However, to save space, London is now copying the United States' system of telephone directories, but even when abbreviated, the result is somewhat startling to American eyes, as, for example, the following:  
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Another interesting feature of the London telephone directory is the listing of members of the peerage and of army officers with many titles. These titles appear in the telephone book in the following manner:  
Hunter-Weston Gen. Sir Aylmer, K. C. B., D. S. O., M. P.  
Abel-Smith Lt.-Col. Geoffrey, S., G. M. G., D. S. O.  
Roberts-Wray Capt. T. H., C. B., O. B. E., V. D., A. D. C., R. N. V. R.

The same effect might be obtained in the United States by listing after each name the degree, honorary or otherwise, which had been conferred upon the party named.

Nebraska and Iowa are having some dispute over a boundary question. But they won't settle this the way it is done in the Balkans.

**NOTICE OF LETTING CONTRACT ASSESSMENT NO. 298**

**BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND PARK:**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that bids will be received for the construction of a system of cast iron water mains in Central Avenue, Deerfield Avenue; Deerfield Road, Ridge Road, County Line Road, Clavey Road, Sko-

kie Valley Road, Compton Avenue, along the west line of the northeast 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 and the west line of the southeast 1/4 of the northwest 1/4 of Section 22, Township 43 North, Range 12 East of the 3rd Principal Meridian, Half Day Road, Summit Avenue extended south, all in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, as a whole in accordance with the ordinance therefor.

Said bids will be received by the Board of Local Improvements at its office in the City Hall, Highland Park, Illinois, until 5:15 o'clock p. m. on the 25th day of February, 1927, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

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sals will be furnished at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the City Hall of said City.

The contractor will be paid in bonds which bonds will draw interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

The successful bidder for the construction of said improvement will be required to enter into bond in a sum equal to one-third of the amount of his or their bid with sureties to be approved by the President of the Board of Local Improvements when entering into the contract for the construction of said improvement.

All proposals or bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park for the sum of not

less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal.

Said proposal must be delivered to the President of the Board of Local Improvements, in open session of said Board at the time and place fixed herein for the opening of the same.

No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by check herein provided.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any or all bids if they deem it best for the public good.

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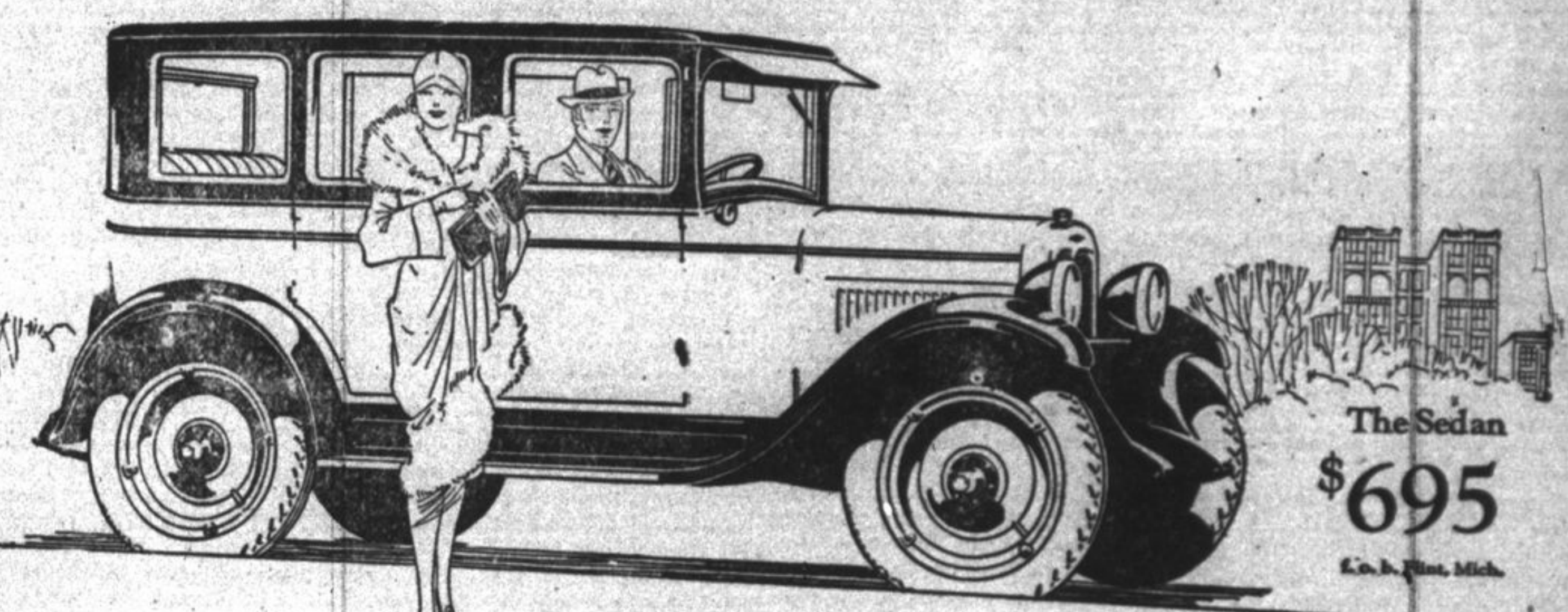
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