

LIKELIHOOD FADING THAT U. S. WILL SEND ARMY OF HALF MILLION TO FRANCE. WAR DEPT. ORDERS FEDERALIZED NATIONAL GUARD TO FULL WAR STRENGTH

TO TOUR SEVERAL STATES OF UNION

Four Members of the British Ministry of Munitions to Help Council of National Defense in Forestalling Labor Difficulties—Carry a Letter From Secretary of War Baker, Chairman of Council—Conferences Planned for Many Cities.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Great Britain's blunders with labor in war time are to be thrown before the American employers and employees. While black clouds, presaging serious labor trouble, gather in the United States, the Council of National Defense is attempting to forestall serious labor difficulties by sending out members of the British ministry of munitions to tell of England's mistakes.

To Tour Several States. Four members of the British munitions ministry will leave Washington early next week to tour the Middle Western and Eastern states. They will meet with industrial leaders, both employers and employees, and will tell of England's experience in promoting the production of munitions. They will deal particularly with distribution and effective employment of labor. Informal conferences will be held in many cities.

The members of the commission will carry with them a letter of introduction from the British ministry of munitions. The letter will introduce the following gentlemen from the Ministry of Munitions of Great Britain: Sir Stephenson Kent, K. C. B., a member of the council of the ministry and director general of the labor supply department.

G. H. Baillie, chief technical division officer of the labor supply committee. Captain Cyril Asquith, director of the artificer's allocation of the labor supply department. "All of these gentlemen have been, and now are, in the active work in England under the ministry of munitions which has had to do with the administration of the agreements and laws which have been adopted there for the purpose of promoting the output of munitions of war in the largest sense of the word. They have come to this country at the official request of the government, in order to give us the benefit in detail of the great amount of experience which England has acquired on this subject in the conduct of the war.

Consulted With Defense Council. "They have been in consultation with the council of national defense and an advisory commission here in Washington for the last four weeks, and we have endeavored through interviews and discussions to understand and make use of the information they have given. "It is now my pleasure to give to you and your associates the opportunity of meeting the members of this mission, to obtain from them an account of how the problems relating to labor have been handled by them for the British government, pursuant to the general policies which they and others in the government have formulated for the war emergency."

TWO HELD AFTER SENTRY IS ATTACKED. New York, Oct. 13.—Two men are under arrest at Fort Wadsworth today, following the attempt to kill a sentry from ambush at the fort last night. Extra guards that turned out at the first alarm sounded by the sentry captured the men who were in civilian clothes. The sentry was fired on twice, but the bullets went wild.

SOUTH CONSUMES LESS COTTON IN SEPTEMBER

Census Bureau Report, Issued Today, Compares Well With Same Report of 1916.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The census bureau report issued today shows cotton, exclusive of linters consumed during September 2,273,524 bales in 1917, compared with 2,288,288 in 1916, of which 299,430 bales were consumed in cotton growing states in 1917 and 304,392 in 1916. Linters consumed during September 89,088 bales in 1917, and 61,949 in 1916.

Cotton held in consuming establishments on September 30, 959,324 bales in 1917 and 72,723 in 1916, and in public storage and at compresses, 99,241 bales in 1917 and 82,426 in 1916. Exported during September 40,799 bales in 1917 and 27,571 in 1916.

GERMAN-AMERICANS ARE BACKING LIBERTY LOAN

Cleveland Bank Takes \$1,000,000 in Bonds—2,000 Foreign Born Solicitors.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The foreign-born of the United States, including those born subjects of the German empire, are rallying to the aid of the American government in its war financing.

The Treasury has records of subscriptions to the loan from Germans and other foreigners. The German-American Savings Bank of Cleveland, whose depositors are largely foreigners, has subscribed \$1,000,000. Other German banks and banks catering to the native born of other countries are subscribing fully up to their capacity.

"Spanking" Fatherland. "If the Fatherland needs a spanking I am ready to help administer it although I do it with tears in my eyes," wrote Rev. Christian Hohn, a German minister of New Ulm, Minn., the scene of some recent disloyal meetings.

There are 2,000 foreign born solicitors working for the Liberty Loan in Chicago. Negroes of the South also are investing their meager savings. An 80 year old Texas negro has purchased a \$200 bond with the savings of a life time.

In many cities bonds are being bought for infants to be held in trust for them to give them auspicious entrance upon business careers or college educations.

Saving to pay for Liberty Bonds is to protect your old age. They are the soundest investment in the world and pay four per cent. Where can you find a better investment?

MANY TRANSFERS ARE ANNOUNCED

8,000 Men to Leave Camp Devens for Camp Gordon, Part of 30,000 Which Will Go To Other Camps—50,000 Members of National Army Ultimately Affected.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The National Guard, now federalized, will be brought up to full war strength at once. The War Department today ordered approximately 30,000 transfers of men from the new national army to fill vacancies in the guard. Before the movement is complete 50,000 nationals will be affected and the guard will have been made ready for early service "over there."

Simultaneously the Secretary of War has ordered transfers of white selected men to fill the gaps in the camps at Atlanta, Ga., and Little Rock, Ark., caused by the redistribution of negroes from these camps. In substance the telegraphic instructions issued the commanding generals are:

8,000 Go From Ayer. Camp Gordon will receive 8,000 white men from Camp Devens, 7,000 white men from Camp Upton, 5,000 white men from Camp Dix, 5,000 white men from Camp Meade, and 3,000 white men from Camp Lee. Commanding general, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., is directed to transfer 8,000 white men to Camp Gordon, when accommodations are ready.

Commanding general, Camp Upton, Yaphank, L. I., is directed to transfer 7,000 white men from Camp Upton to Camp Gordon when accommodations are ready.

Commanding general, Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J., when requested by commanding general of the 29th Division, Camp Dix will send 1,000 white men to New Jersey to the 29th Division. Also 5,000 white men are to be sent from Camp Dix to Camp Gordon when accommodations are ready.

Commanding general, Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., is to transfer 1,000 white men of the Pennsylvania quota to the 28th National Guard division. Also to transfer 5,000 white men to Camp Gordon.

Commanding general, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., will transfer 2,000 white men of the West Virginia quota to the 37th National Guard division. When informed accommodations are available will transfer 3,000 white men of the Pennsylvania quota to Camp Gordon.

125 LEAVING CAMP DEVENS DAILY. Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., Oct. 13.—It was officially announced today at division headquarters that 125 recruits are being sent away from this camp every day for overseas service. These men volunteer for im-

mediate transfer to the front. "On to the coast!" is now the battle cry of the Anglo-French armies, that are driving to break the German hold on their submarine bases in Belgium. The fresh victory of yesterday has given the British gains of the greatest strategic importance, and the Germans on the greater part of the West Flanders front will henceforth be compelled to fight in the open country.

Rains Cause Vast Morass. Up to the time the autumnal rain storms set in, Passchendaele Ridge was the main obstacle in the path of the advancing allied armies, but now they have to contend with miles of terrain that has been turned into a vast morass.

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LIBERTY LOANS TODAY MANCHESTER'S BIT \$83,250

"ON TO THE COAST!" IS CRY OF THE BRITISH

Latest Gains Are of Strategic Importance for Further Advances.

MORASS IMPEDES TANKS

Rains Have Turned Huge Area Into Plain of Mud—New Ground Consolidated.

London, Oct. 13.—Field Marshal Haig's latest thrust, which was evidently launched with the double purpose of breaking the British line of communications and of driving the German army back to the sea, has now become a matter of not a short but of a long duration.

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More than 600 prisoners were taken in the fighting, according to press advices from the Belgian front. The strongest of the allied assaults were made south of Houtholst Road, where the Germans were driven from strongly fortified positions over a wide front. The attackers had to wallow through mud to their knees, all the time being subjected to a pitiless rain of fire from German machine guns.

Bombardment Followed. The infantry action was followed by an intense bombardment. The British remain in undisputed possession of the ground gained. The war office announced today that no German counter attacks were made.

The lull in the fighting gave the British an opportunity to strengthen and consolidate their new ground although the work was hampered by the heavy rain which fell throughout the night. The weather was cold as well as wet.

Bad weather and demoralization have both contributed to the inability of the Germans to strike back. Every man who can subscribe for Liberty Bonds and does not sit a slacker. Every man can subscribe. Don't be a slacker.

\$5,000 TO AVIATOR WHO BOMBS BERLIN. Manchester, Eng., Oct. 13.—W. H. Veno, a wealthy resident, today offered \$5,000 to the first British aviator who drops a bomb on Berlin.

FIRE AND EXPLOSIONS WRECK CHEMICAL PLANT

College Point, L. I., Factory Loss Estimated at \$100,000 To \$150,000.

35 WORKMEN ESCAPE.

Fire Spreads to Other Factories But Latter Are Saved—Investigation Is On.

New York, Oct. 13.—Fire, believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion, and followed by several loud explosions early today destroyed the large plant of the British-American Chemical company, manufacturers of hospital supplies at College Point, L. I.

The damage was estimated at from \$100,000 to \$150,000. Thirty-five men were at work in the plant at the time, but so far all are said to have escaped injury.

The explosions, which started at 4.30 o'clock this morning, aroused the entire neighborhood. The fire spread to an aeroplane factory on one side and a rubber factory on the other, but neither was seriously damaged.

No cause has been assigned for the blaze, but because the company is a contractor it was suspected that some spies might have been at work.

"SCARFACE" RILEY CALLED KIDNAPPING RING'S AGENT.

Marshfield, Mo., Oct. 13.—That the mysterious "Mr. Scarface Riley" is the man responsible for the actual kidnaping of Baby Keet will be the testimony of Claude J. Piersol, alleged "brains" of the kidnaping ring on trial here.

Counsel for the defense made this announcement today. "Scarface" Riley, a strike breaker, was in Springfield, Mo., during the street car strike a few weeks prior to the kidnaping. The day Piersol, Taylor Adams and others were arrested, Riley dropped from sight. A nation wide hunt has failed to reveal him.

Piersol will testify he knows absolutely nothing about the kidnaping of the baby. Because his wife was dying last night, James Hurst, one of the jurors, was sent to his home in the custody of a deputy sheriff. This probably means Piersol's trial will go over until Monday.

HURRY CALL FOR FOOD.

Contributions for French Food Fund Must Be in October 17.

All contributions for the French Food Fund must be received by next Wednesday, October 17, as the shipment will go forward the following day. Nothing in glass jars should be sent. Contributions should be sent to Watkins Brothers' store, and remember, not later than Wednesday, October 17.

RED CROSS WORKERS NEEDED.

More women are needed to work on surgical dressings at the Recreation building on Tuesday and Friday afternoon from two to five o'clock. This work is very simple and can be picked up readily by any one.

DRAFT LEAVES ONLY ALIENS IN W. VA. TOWN.

The Selective Draft will leave only foreigners in Weirtown, W. Va., of the 950 registrants there it has been found that 700 are aliens, who are exempt from military service. Practically every physically fit American will be taken in the first National Army.

E. C. FITCH DEAD, SON OF WALTHAM CO.'S HEAD

Hartford, Oct. 13.—With his parents and other members of his family at his bedside, Private Ezra Fitch, 36, of the Fifth Canadian Royal Highlanders, the Black Watch, and a son of Ezra C. Fitch, millionaire president of the Waltham Watch company, of Waltham, Mass., died at the Hartford hospital early this morning of pneumonia.

Young Fitch, the son of millionaire parents and himself wealthy, was taken ill on the trip of his regiment to Connecticut to do recruiting duty. Yesterday his father, who is a resident of 246 Beacon street, Boston, his mother, another brother, Conover Fitch and his sister, came to this city and were hurried to the hospital where they began a watch at the bedside of the Canadian private. They remained until death claimed the young man early today. Young Fitch leaves a wife at Chestnut Hill, Mass.

When this country declared war he was the Montreal representative of his father's watch company. He tried to enlist in the army of Uncle Sam but the recruiting officers refused him on account of defective eyesight. After consulting with his wife he decided to enlist in the Canadian Regiment and was accepted.

Fitch is a direct descendant of Thomas Fitch, who came from England and settled in Norwalk in 1638. His grandfather was a native of Connecticut and a sea captain.

ALLIES WANT SPECIALISTS

Pershing Asks for Mechanicians—Danger of Too Heavy Fighting Forces Without Sufficient Support Pointed Out by Members of British Mission—Vocational Census Nearly Finished.

Washington, Oct. 13.—America's national army will be an army of specialists. Officials of the War Department admitted this today as they see their dreams of an army of half a million infantrymen gradually fading.

The United States is gradually learning that the major part of an army under present war conditions, is not the front line. There are ten men behind the line for every man in the trenches. These are the men that keep the trench fighters in the trenches.

It is understood that General Pershing has strongly advised the War Department to make the National Army a specialized army. With his forces already in Europe he has seen the need for trained men behind the lines.

500,000 BUSHEL OF WHEAT BURN

New York, Oct. 13.—Approximately 500,000 bushels of wheat destined for the Allied armies were ruined today in a spectacular fire which destroyed one of the three big grain towers surmounting the storage warehouse of the Dow's stores in Brooklyn.

Two explosions previous to the breaking out of the flames leads the superintendent to believe the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion. No estimate has been placed by the owners on the damage.

Six mill men were in the tower preparing the machinery for the day's activities, escaping injury by narrow margins. The fire boat New Yorker and a dozen tug boats joined the city fire department in the fight to keep the blaze from spreading.

PICK UP SHIPWRECKED.

An American Port, Oct. 12.—Twenty-six shipwrecked sailors, the crew of the steamer New Orleans, were landed in an American port today by a coastwise steamer. They were picked up along the Jersey shore, after abandoning their vessel.

SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

LUTHERANS TO OBSERVE 400TH ANNIVERSARY

Churches From Nearby Cities To Hold Union Services Here.

AT THE CENTER CHURCH

Half of Services Will Be in English and Half in the German Language.

The German Lutheran churches of Manchester, Glastonbury, Hartford and Rockville will hold a union service in the Center Congregational church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in observance of the 400th anniversary of the Reformation. It will be a double service, partly in German and partly in English. Rev. J. Jahn of Bloomfield, N. J., will give the German address and Rev. Fred Schumm of New York city, the English address. Music will be provided by a choir of about 150 children and the united choirs of the four churches. The older choir will be comprised of about 100 voices. The public is invited to this service. The Swedish Lutheran church has decided to omit its evening service, that its members may attend the union service in the Center church. The services at the other churches in town follow:

EVANGELIST ABBOTT.

"The Three Heavens; The Three Worlds; And the Third Coming of Christ," will be the subject of Mr. Abbott's address to be given Sunday evening in the Odd Fellows' hall. This sermon will be one of the most interesting and instructive that will be given. The usual song service will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

NORTH METHODIST.

Sermon by Rev. J. J. O'Connell, Pastor. "The Four Prophets." Sunday school session at 12:15. Missionary day, postponed from last Sunday on account of Rally Day, will be observed with short program. Epworth League service at 6:30, led by Leon Holmes. Subject, "Country Boys in Crowded Cities." (Dan. 1:3-16.)

With an eye to the fact that October is the month in which Columbus discovered America, the pastor will preach a series of sermons on Sunday evenings at 7:15 on "The Principles of Great Discoveries," as follows: October 14.—A Revolution of the Old World. October 21.—An Epoch-Making Voyage. October 28.—The Discovery of a New World. November 4.—The Development of a Continent. These sermons will be illustrated by facts from the history of Columbus and his times.

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. C. M. Calderwood, Pastor. Rev. Harwood Catlin of Hartford will preach at the service of morning worship at 10:45. The musical program is as follows: Prelude, Adagio in A flat, Volckmar; Anthem, The Earth is the Lord's, Hamilton; Trio, I Will Lay Me Down, Brown; Postlude, Dubois. The Sunday school will meet at 12:10. The meeting of the Christian Endeavor society will be held at 6:30. The topic is, "What is Committed to You?" Leader, Ruth Tracy.

SALVATION ARMY.

Adjutant J. H. Abrams, Commander. Staff officers from Boston and New York will conduct the service at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The local Salvation Army band will furnish music for the "corner stone laying" of the Salvation Army building on Trumbull street, Hartford, at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The local corps also will attend. Commander Miss Eva Booth will be the prominent figure in the ceremony. She will be assisted by Colonel William Peart, Colonel Parker and Colonel Daman of New York. Colonel Jenkins of New York, the

chief of the United States publications of the Army, will conduct the service in the local citadel at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. Colonel Jenkins is one of the best of the Army speakers. All friends are invited to attend. The Sunday school will convene as usual at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The Harvest Festival was a happy success, socially and financially, and Corps Officer Adjutant Abrams and all members of the corps are grateful to the friends who so kindly contributed toward the sale. Despite inclement weather, there was a good attendance and everything was disposed of. Bert Perrett, as usual, was the efficient auctioneer. All returns from the Harvest Festival workers are not in yet.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Rev. W. C. Schmidt, Pastor. No services will be held in this church tomorrow, because of the union service in observance of the 400th anniversary of the Reformation to be held in the Center Congregational church at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

SOUTH METHODIST.

Rev. W. H. Bath, Pastor. "Courage for Dark Hours" will be the subject of Rev. W. H. Bath's sermon at 10:45 o'clock tomorrow morning. At seven o'clock in the evening, he will give the second of a series of sermons on "The Meaning of Protestantism," his subject being, "What Protestants Believe." The musical program for the morning service will be as follows: Prelude, Largo, Hande; Anthem, Venite, Thayer; Anthem, Sun of My Soul, Reyne; Postlude, from Persian Suite, Stoughton. All departments of the Sunday school will convene at 12:15 o'clock tomorrow. "Christianity and Property" will be the subject for discussion in the young men's class. "Country Boys in Crowded Cities" will be the subject of the Epworth League meeting at 7:15 o'clock tomorrow evening. Rev. C. Pillsbury will be the leader.

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PENTECOSTAL.

Rev. A. C. Goldberg, Pastor. The Sunday school will convene as usual at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and will be followed by the regular morning service at 10:45 o'clock. The evening service will be omitted, because of the union service to be held by the German Lutheran churches of South Manchester, Rockville, Glastonbury and Hartford in the Center Congregational church in the afternoon in observance of the 400th anniversary of the Reformation.

CENTER CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Dr. C. E. Hesselgrave, Pastor. In the absence of the pastor, who is at the convention in Columbus, O., the sermon at the Center Congregational church tomorrow morning will be preached by Rev. Dr. G. W. Reynolds, a former pastor of the church. This service will be at 10:30. At noon Sunday school will convene, as also the bible classes for women and men. At 3:45 the Junior Endeavor will meet in the church parlors, and at 6:30 the Christian Endeavor meeting will be held. The topic at this meeting will be, "What is Committed to You?" and Miss Ruth Porter will be the leader. In the afternoon at 2:30 the local Lutheran churches will use this church to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the Reformation.

The music at the morning service will be as follows: Prelude, In Paradisum, Dubois; Anthem—God to Whom We Look Up Blindly, Chadwick; Offertory—How Long Wilt Thou Forget Me, O Lord? Phleguer; Duet, Mr. Russ and Mr. Anderson. Postlude—Hosanna, Wachs.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL.

Archdeacon H. S. Harte, Acting Rector. Services at St. Mary's church tomorrow will be as usual, senior school at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, morning prayer and sermon at 10:45 o'clock, junior school at 12:10 o'clock and evensong and sermon at seven o'clock. The musical programs, arranged by Organist John Cockerham for the morning and evening services, will be as follows: Morning 10:45. Prelude, Mendelssohn; (a) Pastoral, Stainer; (b) Pastoral, Stainer; Te Deum, Biggs; Anthem, Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled, Foste; Postlude, March, Calkin; Evening 7:00. Prelude, Tschalkowsky; (a) Romance, Turner; (b) Romance, Turner; Anthem, One Sweetly Solemn Thought, Ambros; Postlude, March, West.

FOR FLAT FEET. Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—Owing to the number of otherwise splendid applicants rejected from the United States Marine Corps for flat feet, Marine Corps examining physicians have issued the following simple exercises and pointers, which if followed, they say, will remedy that ailment: During exercises at all times turn the toes in. Walk with toe of each foot pointing to the front; in straight line, if possible. Stand with toes turned in; raise body on toes, slowly, as high as possible. Rest a second, then lower weight of body borne on toes, lower slowly down to floor, and repeat.

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When in the house in stocking feet, walk on toes; heels not touching the floor, and toes turned in. When sitting, cross the legs, the foot always resting on the outer side. The wearing of broad toe shoes absolutely abandoned, also is advocated.

SPINNING MILL LEAGUE. The Spinning Mill rolled its weekly games at the Center alleys last evening but owing to the fact that a few of the best bowlers have deserted their teams to join another league which will start next week, some fair scores were made and we expect larger scores in the near future when the Rookies get going. The standing remains the same as last week. The Pirates won two games from the Giants while the Tigers won two from the Cubs. R. Matchett got high single of 99 while O. Nelson got high three string of 283.

The scores:

	Tigers.	Cubs.	Pirates.
Brennan	67	73	80
Petitjean	83	79	86
O. Nelson	96	98	89
Matchett	246	250	255
Saidella	71	79	88
McCaun	70	74	80
Matchett	88	86	99
Cone	229	239	267
Ritchie	82	76	69
Lamenzo	82	90	80
	72	84	81
Doherty	236	250	230
Mart	73	58	74
Coggeshall	83	85	84
	86	87	70
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FOR SALE: Hamlin street, large 12-room house with heat and other improvements, extra large lot. Robert J. Smith, Bank bldg. 3161

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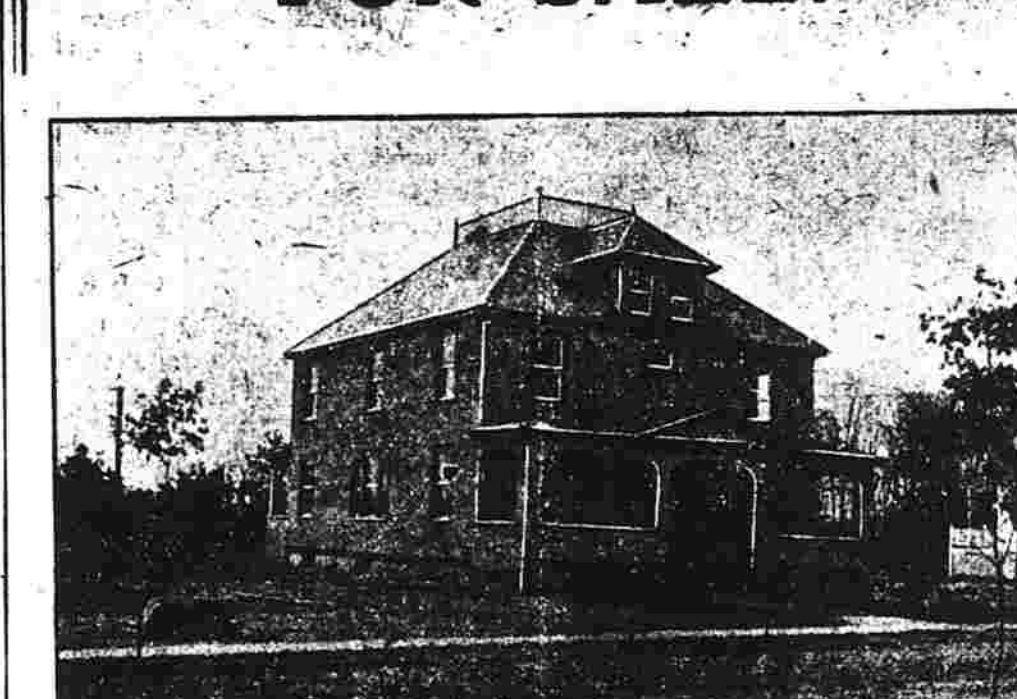
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AMUSEMENTS

WHAT'S WHAT AND WHO'S WHO IN MANCHESTER MOVIE HOUSES

AT THE CIRCLE.

A Paramount picture, "The Evil Eye" with the popular photoplay star Blanche Sweet as the star in the headline attraction at the Circle Theater this evening. It is a story of love and romance and of the adventures of an American girl in the west. The picture has many powerful situations and gripping moments and is of the calibre that is sure to please everybody. The second episode of the melodramatic western serial, "The Fighting Trail" will also be shown this evening. The thrills that marked the opening chapter are maintained throughout this serial and patrons will find that the serial grows better as it increases. A duel with knives, followed by a fall hundreds of feet down a mountainside which results in the death of one of the duellists is one of the many thrills of this episode. The plunge down the rocky mountainside of these two is one of the most gripping and realistic scenes ever put on the screen and one that is certain to make the spectator hold his breath. A special edition of the "Hearst-Pathe" will also be shown on the same program. Tomorrow evening Ethel Barrymore will be seen in a tremendous patriotic spectacle, "The Greatest Power". This monster production is considered one of the best pictures that Metro has ever released, and ranks far ahead of many of the so-called special features. The latest two reel Fox comedy direct from the Fox studio is included in the program tomorrow evening; other reels will be shown.

AT THE PARK.

Two double bills in succession are promised the patrons of the Popular Playhouse tonight and tomorrow night and each of the four headline plays are big features. Tonight a Brady-Made in five acts will be "As Man Made Her", a synopsis of which appeared in this column yesterday. Besides this there will be a Keystone called "The Dog Catcher" that from the title tells what a funny subject it will be. For tomorrow besides "Do Children Count?" Charley Ray the man who made such a hit here in "The Pinch Hitter" and who, by the way is now being starred with the biggest stars in the moving picture element, will be shown in that famous Saturday Evening Post story, "Sudden Jim". Millions have read the story, either in serial or novel form, concerning the boy who was given \$50,000 by his father and told to play or work, just as he might choose. Playing didn't appeal to Sudden Jim. He took over his father's clothes pin factory up in Michigan, made things hum, fought down a combine that was trying to force high prices on the market and earned the title "hell on wheels."

Those who have read the exploits of Sudden Jim and learned to love him for his quick, decisive action, his altruism with a punch, will see him perfectly realized in Charles Ray. In fact, Ray's own personality is so identical with that of Sudden Jim's that the Triangle producers purchased the story particularly to feature him. On next Wednesday and Thurs-

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day the peerless photodramatic phenomena, "Her Fighting Chance", with Jane Grey in the leading role, will be the feature.

ONE LONE PRISONER. Charles Johnson of Oak street was the lone prisoner before Judge Arnot in the police court this morning. He was charged with intoxication and breach of the peace. He has been arrested three times within a comparatively short time and only returned from jail one week ago last Monday. He has a wife and four children and he has done nothing toward supporting them for some time. The judge found him guilty as he had pleaded and made the penalty 15 days in jail on each count, together with the costs of the court.

If you subscribed to the first Liberty Bond issue that is the best reason for a repeat order.

I FOUND HIM BY THE SIDE DOOR OF GROGAN'S SALOON - HE WAS IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER!



BUT THIS IS HOW HE DID IT!



Giants Score!

Comiskey Park, Chicago, October 13.—Only one-half of the first inning came over the wire up to press time this afternoon, but in that half of an inning the Giants made two runs and Russell was knocked out of the box. Cicotte then took his place on the mound.

The lineup follows: WHITE SOX. J. Collins, rf. McMullen, 8b. E. Collins, 2b. Jackson, lf. Felsch, cf. Gandil, 1b. Weaver, ss. Schalk, c. Sallee, p. GIANTS. Burns, lf. Herzog, 2b. Kauff, cf. Zimmerman, 3b. Fletcher, ss. Robertson, rf. Holke, 1b. Rariden, c. Sallee, p.

First Inning. New York.—Burns walked. Herzog singled to center. Burns went to third. Kauff up. Burns scored when Kauff doubled to center. Zimmerman knocked a grounder to Weaver and Herzog was thrown out at the plate. Fletcher up. Russell out of the box, Cicotte pitching. Kauff out, McMullen to Schalk. Zimmerman went to second. He scored when Robertson singled to center. Robertson went to second and Fletcher held third. Holke out, Cicotte to Gandil. TWO RUNS, three hits, no errors, two left.

ABOUT TOWN.

There was to have been a civil service examination for the positions of postal carrier and clerk at the High school today but not a single person put in an appearance nor were any applications for the positions filed. Higher wages in munition factories is thought to be the cause.

The reception to Mrs. R. K. Anderson, the organist and choir leader of the North Congregational church, Monday evening, will doubtless be well attended. She has just completed 25 years of service in this position and the Ladies' Aid society under whose auspices the reception is being held, is planning to make the event one long to be remembered. The affair will take place in the parlors of the church.

The selectmen will meet tonight to pay the monthly bills that accumulated. The meeting was adjourned yesterday because of the lack of a quorum.

ORFORD COMPANY IN LINE.

The Orford Soap company, which manufactures Bon Ami, has offered to let its employees subscribe for Liberty Loan bonds at the rate of a dollar a week for fifty-dollar bonds, two dollars for hundred-dollar bonds, etc., the weekly sum being deducted from wages or salaries. When 90 per cent. of the value of the bond has been paid in, it becomes the property of the employees without further payment. The plan is the same one which the company executed during the first loan.

MANY TRANSFERRED TO NATIONAL GUARD

(Continued from Page 1.)

mediate service abroad. They are used to fill up the ranks of organizations scheduled for early sailing. The points to which they are transported from here are kept secret.

They are given two days' rations. A detachment was sent away early today, including Boston men, but the names are not made public. They represent the more eager and adventurous who are impatient to get to the battle front. Officers in their commands look upon them as they do the dare-devils, who, in time of danger, volunteer to carry dispatches in the face of death.

152nd Reviewed. The 152nd Brigade of Infantry was reviewed early today by Major General Harry F. Hodges, cantonment commander, on the cavalry field near the barracks camp. It was the first brigade review held here since the opening of the camp.

This scheme of course practically means a bonus for such employees as are able and willing to buy the bonds, a handsome bonus if the bonds are regarded as an investment, for there can be no question about their rise, and four per cent. interest will be paid from the date of issue.

If we were Orford company employees we would put every available surplus dollar we had into these same bonds.

AN HONEST MAN FOUND AT LAST.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Hey there! Dig-ones! Here's the man you have been looking for. Theodore Masten, 1448 West Madison street, Chicago, Illinois, U. S. A., telephone number Monroe 362, has found a ticket to today's game between the White Sox and Giants and wants to sell it to the rightful owner.

Stamper, of this city, Homer S. Cummings' law partner, declined today to be a candidate for the Democratic nomination as Congressman. He issued a formal statement to that effect. His declination is due to the fact that owing to the absence of two members of the Cummings and Lockwood law firm in the service of the United States army and to the activities of other members in the Home Guard service, he does not think it fair to the remaining members to accept nomination. It is known that Judge Lockwood keenly regrets his inability to make the run.

MARKET CLOSED. New York, Oct. 13.—The stock market, cotton, coffee, curb and metal markets were not in session today.

RESOLUTIONS. At a regular meeting of South Manchester Council, No. 49, F. B. L., held Thursday evening, October 11, 1917, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we sincerely mourn the death of our late brother, whose noble character, sunny disposition, devotion and strict adherence to the principle of our noble order have endeared him to our members.

Resolved, That the members of this Council tender to the sorrowing family their heartfelt sympathy and condolence in this their hour of affliction.

Resolved, That through respect to our deceased brother our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, that these resolutions be entered upon the records of this Council and published in the local papers and the F. B. L. Record, and that a copy be presented to the family of the deceased.

ARTHUR GERRICH. Whereas, By his death his bereaved wife, brother, sister and children have lost a loving husband, brother and father, and this Council a loyal and faithful member.

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BULBS FROM HOLLAND.

Bon Ton Flower Shop at Last Receives a Great Big Shipment.

In an advertisement today, the Bon Ton Flower Shops announce that they have at last received a big consignment of bulbs from France and Holland. Because of the war, florists everywhere feared that there would be no bulbs this year. Tulips, daffodils, crocus, hyacinth and iris came in the shipment from Holland. The narcissus which grow in water, comes from France.

DISMISSES SONG SUITES.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—The Jazz situation is still jazzed up today and nobody knows just who is the author of the "Livery Stable Blues." Federal Judge Carpenter has decided that "Blues are blues" and has refused to differentiate between the blues produced by Dominic LaRocca and the indigo harmonies concerted by Alcide P. Numez. The only point definitely settled by Judge Carpenter was that the "Livery Stable Blues" is not real music. The judge admitted, however, that the tune has an uncanny power of stimulating the terpsichorean impulse in the feet of the youthful.

After hearing about "blues" until the atmosphere of the court room assumed a tinge distinctly curleean, Judge Carpenter terminated the jazz war between LaRocca and Numez by declaring neither of the litigants had any grounds for suit.

BURSTED WATER MAIN IMPERILS LABORERS.

New York, Oct. 13.—With a roar that brought tenement dwellers out of their beds a 4-inch high pressure water main gave way on North Seventh street early today. The lives of 100 subway workmen between Sixth and Seventh streets were temporarily imperilled, but all were rescued.

Hundreds of window panes were broken by the concussion, and scantily clad men, women and children rushed into the streets. The police experienced much difficulty in restoring order and preventing injuries.

HAS BROKEN BACK BUT IS TAKEN IN DRAFT.

Although his back was broken five years ago, George Whipsy, a farmer, of Laurelville, Pa., has been accepted for service in the National Army. Whipsy has only a lump show where the vertebrae were broken.

13 LAKE VESSELS FOR SEA SERVICE. Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 13.—Thirteen vessels, formerly engaged in lake trade are being cut in two today preparatory to the trip through the Welland Canal to the coast, said F. A. Eustis, head of the United States Shipping Board's office here. They will be put together again on the Atlantic coast. Other vessels are to be taken over soon.

WADE A. SNOW. Wade A. Snow of Wapping died at noon today. He was in his 67th year. He leaves a wife and four children. Mrs. Olin Matson, Harry W. Snow, Mrs. Walter Battey and Walter G. Snow. The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Wapping cemetery. Mr. Snow lived for the past three years in Wapping, having come to that place from Andover.

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FOOT-BALL WEATHER GREETES CHICAGO WORLD SERIES FANS

Four hundred fans were bivouacked at the gates of Comiskey park in Chicago at 8 o'clock today, defying the assaults of the early morning frost in their determination to be among the spectators at the fifth game of the world's series. Reinforcements for the hesitating fans were arriving on every street car and indications were that there would be a sufficient force, on hand to carry the gates by storm, when the ticket sale begins.

Huddled beneath blankets or hunched up with their heads pulled down in the collars of their overcoats the line of waiting fans fought valiantly to stave off the chill weather. They blew on frigid fingers, stamped deadened feet and sang songs to drive off the cold.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Clear, cold weather greeted the Giants and White Sox today, as they prepared for the fifth game of the world's series at Comiskey Park. The teams came through several young snowstorms and much frapped weather en route to Chicago, but on landing there found that the terra firma was comparatively dry and that they could at least play football.

The importance of winning today's game has not been overlooked by anybody. The Giants realize it, and it was driven home to the White Sox by those two lusty knocks they received at the hands of McGraw's men in New York. So it looks like a battle to the finish in the fifth game.

Sox Have Advantage. Firmly entrenched in their own ballwick the White Sox will walk into the game this afternoon with the realization that they hold a slight advantage over their New York rivals. The Giants must play before a hostile crowd, and as they are a temperamental league of players they are liable to balk, even at baseball.

But the Sox will have no cut and

dried clinch to perform. In order to win they will probably have to play the best brand of baseball they have exhibited so far in the series and the same goes for the Giants, should they be returned the victors.

Capacity Crowd Again. Every indication early pointed to another capacity crowd at Comiskey Park. The weather, though cold, was cheerful and there are still a good many fans in Chicago from all parts of the mid-west, who have been lingering here to get a glimpse of the battling teams.

Chicago is really enthusiastic over the world's series, and now that the rivals have settled down to fight it out to a finish the interest here is at fever heat. Speculators have managed to secure a good many tickets for the game for today and they are asking fancy prices for them. The tickets held by the speculators now—at least many of them—were secured from out of town fans who left the city after witnessing the first two games.

Winners Today Win Series? Consensus of opinion here is that the winner of today's game will win the world's series. If a seventh game is necessary, the winner of the toss will hold an advantage, and it is expected that the presidents of the two clubs and the members of the National Commission will meet some time during the day to decide the question.

The question of pitchers is the big question now, even though McGraw handled his hurlers poorly in the second game. They have Sallee, Perritt and Benton, all ready to step on to the rubber, where the Sox only have one pitcher available who has faced New York.

Some of the critics are pointing out that Rowland would make a ten strike by pitching Reb Russell today and saving his ace for Monday because Cicotte, like Sallee, does not care whose back yard he is playing in, just as long as there is a ball game going on.

AUTOS IN POOR TASTE.

New Haven, Oct. 13.—In view of the fact that the country is at war, the faculty of Yale College, told a

NOT A DESERTER.

Launce Harding is now on way to trenches in West Flanders.

150 MINES STAY CLOSED. Lexington, Ky., Oct. 13.—More than 150 small mines in the Tennessee-Kentucky coal fields will be unable to resume operations, it was declared today by officials of the Southern Appalachian Coal Operators' association, because the cost of production exceeds the price fixed by the fuel administration. Mine owners, it was declared, will appeal to Fuel Administrator Garfield.

PANIC ON TROLLEY IN WATERBURY. Waterbury, Oct. 13.—A panic on a crowded trolley car occurred here early today when a Waterville car started to roll down the steep Willow street incline. A frightened rush for the doors by women and children resulted in injury to several attempting to jump. The car was brought to a stop after it has travelled 100 feet. Another 100 feet and it would have crashed into another electric car, which was coming along the same track up the hill.

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of the matter is that Harding is on his way to the first line trenches in France.

Harding registered in Hartford but a short time afterwards enlisted in New York in Section 46 of the U. S. Ambulance service. In June he went to Allentown, Pa., for a period of training and on August 22 sailed for Europe. He arrived in France on September 15 and only a few days ago posts and letters were received from him when he said that his section was going to the first line trenches.

MANY LOAN SALES NOT YET REPORTED.

Washington, Oct. 13.—With thirteen days to go, liberty loan workers all over the country were hitting a stride today that was expected by Treasury Department officials to carry the total far over the \$5,000,000,000 mark.

Official figures made public by the Treasury Department showing that less than 10 per cent of the load had been subscribed during the first half of the campaign were declared today to account for not more than a third of the subscriptions to date. Delay in reporting the tabulating returns made it impossible for treasury officials to give any accurate estimate of the total bond sales.

Men in various military training camps have subscribed for more than \$2,500,000 in liberty bonds and the total is fast being swelled.

Something over \$300,000,000 must be subscribed daily until the campaign ends if the \$5,000,000,000 total is to be reached.

SKOBIELEFF NAMED.

Petrograd, Oct. 13.—Former Minister of Labor Skobieleff was today chosen to accompany the Russian delegation to allied conferences in Paris in place of former minister of posts and telegraphs Zeretelli.

The conference will consider a revision of allied war aims. General Alexieff, former Russian chief of staff, will accompany the delegation as the representative of the Russian army.

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F. B. L.'S WHIST COLLECTS GOODLY SUM FOR WIDOW Receipts To Be Turned Over To Mrs. Arthur Gerrich—List of Prize Winners. South Manchester Council, Fraternal Benefit League, expects to realize a goodly sum as the result of the benefit whist given under its auspices Thursday evening. The whist was at first planned for the benefit of one of its faithful members, Arthur Gerrich, who had been sick for several months. He died a week ago today, but the whist was held as planned and the money realized will be sent to his widow and family. Just what the sum will be is not known now. There were 17 tables of players at the whist. That would mean \$17, but there were many tickets sold in advance and all the re-

turns are not yet in. A contribution also has been received from the Hartford council and it is expected other councils in this district will contribute toward this worthy cause. The winners and prizes at the whist were as follows: Lady's first, Mrs. Krob, a white scarf; second, Miss Ellen Lennon, two embroidered towels; third, Mrs. John Anderson, lady's dressing jacket; consolation prize, Mrs. Kendall, a Halloween toy. Gentleman's first, Daniel Griffin, pair leather slippers; second, William Jones, half dozen linen handkerchiefs; third, Peter Wind, shaving stick in silver case; consolation prize, Mr. Pitkin, toy cat. The prizes were donated by different members of the council. Hnyler's Genuine Old Fashioned Mollasses Candy at Packard's Pharmacy. adv.

"The Meanest Child on Earth." The tired child whimpered as his mother jerked him by one arm into an elevator. It was plain that his short legs had been taking three steps to her one for hours up and down the long aisles of the big department store. Shocked women in the elevator gazed in astonishment at the impatient mother. "What a pretty boy," ventured one of them sympathetically. "Pretty enough when he's asleep," grumbled the mother, "but when he's awake he's the meanest child on earth;" And all the other women wondered if they could believe their ears. What needless miseries a three-year-old must endure at the hands of a mother who could say that! "The earth is full of anger, the seas are dark with wrath"—which makes it doubly necessary for reasonably human beings to cut down the great score of the world's small unnecessary griefs. Hundreds of people say they can't; but they can reduce the average of human sorrow greatly by being tender in all small ways to all things great and small.—Waterbury Democrat.

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A MODEL CITIZEN.
 In the death of John Howard Hale of Glastonbury, Connecticut loses one of its most valuable citizens. He was not a financier nor a politician. He was just a farmer who made the most of his opportunities and in doing so he showed the people of the United States how to increase their food supply by a great expansion of the fruit growing industry. On the rocky hills of Glastonbury he grew unheard of peach crops and then he went to Georgia and showed the Southerners what could be done with their climate and soil by developing there the largest peach orchard in the world.
 Mr. Hale was not only a successful farmer, but he was also a model citizen. He was gentlemanly and cordial in his demeanor, generous in his aid to others and devoted to the public interests of his town and his state. The legacy he leaves to the world in the system of fruit growing and distribution which he originated will be of more lasting value to mankind than the swollen fortunes acquired and bequeathed by more pretentious financiers.

PARKING AUTOMOBILES.
 The proposal of the police commissioners that automobiles parking on Main street be required to back to the curb seems to us impracticable under local conditions. A car in order to back to the curb must stop in the middle of the street and maneuver for position, thus obstructing traffic. Nothing would be gained in the way of saving room by this plan unless the cars were parked fronting in the same direction. That would mean that half of them would have to be turned around in the street, which would be still further obstruction of traffic. At the same time when the curbs are crowded with automobiles the street is filled with noise and the proposal is a source of confusion and accidents. In cities where this plan is followed, Middletown for instance, the streets are wide and have curbs on both sides, whereas the busy part of Main street in Manchester is narrow and, owing to the location of the trolley track, has parking space on only one side.
 We have side streets leading to the east at short intervals all along Main street and these might be utilized for parking cars more than they are, thus relieving pressure on Main street. We might go even farther, as Hartford has done, and make these side streets one way streets. Then with the cars all headed one way it would be easy to park them on an angle with the curb.

BACK TO INTRINSIC VALUES.
 The concerted resistance of metropolitan banks to further "bear" raids on reputable stocks, which began Thursday, came none too soon. The banks are said to have pledged all told about \$200,000,000 in order to restore public confidence in the market, and the result was evident at once. Unfed States Steel, which has been the market leader ever since its sensational rise from around 80 to a high of about 130, received "inside support" sufficient to prevent further depression.
 The railroads are many of them in bad enough shape, but when stocks that have been paying 7 per cent. per annum, without passing a dividend, for 20 to 30 years—not to mention extra dividends in some cases—go down with their fellows, there is something radically wrong. The earlier depression was to be expected, when thousands of shares of gilt-edged stocks held abroad were dumped upon the market. The first declines were then assisted by the refusal of the Interstate commerce commission to aid the roads, despite the increased cost of equipment and labor, with higher freight rates. The "bear" element, evidently believing that the toboggan might prove profitable, continued their attacks, which, in Wall Street's concentration on war stocks, were not checked.
 Now it looks as if the 15 per cent. flat increase in rates, for which the roads' committee asked three months or more ago, might be granted. The Interstate commerce commission has been changed by the appointment of several new members, some of them known to favor the increase, making a majority of its

members so disposed. Incidentally the habit of certain newspapers in quoting the average price of a large group of railroad or other stocks doesn't increase public confidence in any roads as things are now.

A WAR WORK RALLY.
 If each of the 48 states in the Union had a state chamber of commerce, represented in the United States chamber of commerce, what a work could be accomplished! Connecticut has a state chamber which represents 43 local chambers and it will meet at the Hartford club next Thursday in the 21st annual convention. The meeting will precede a rally of members of the state and local chambers, lasting October 19-24, in the interest of the Liberty Loan.

The loan is only one of several war problems and conditions which the rally is meant to solve or ameliorate. Hoover pledges is another important topic on the program. The visitors will be the guests of the Hartford chamber, which has a committee at work, and Mayor Frank A. Hagarty and President Daniel M. Wright of the Hartford body will welcome the delegates. The attendance is expected to rival that of any previous convention.

President Edward P. Jones of Winsted, who originated the rally idea, will preside. Wadill Catchings of New York will speak on "What the government should do for the business man, and what the business man should do for the government" and Major Frank H. Johnston of New Britain, a director in the national chamber and former head of the state organization, will tell of "Laws passed by the legislature because of the Connecticut Chamber of Commerce." There will be various other speakers.

The gathering of 43 local chambers of commerce and civic organizations, representing almost every important community in Connecticut, is an event of moment. Presumably these are the substantial men of the towns they represent—at least two Manchester men are leading spirits in the state body—the men who embody the initiative and energy of the various points. If there is any way to get things done, it is by and through the principal business men of the community.
 The coming convention ought to mean much for the state's usefulness in war work, and the rally ought to rouse a response that will last for months to come.

The big job of the war is the results of his efforts are slow in making their appearance. Although we are assured there is plenty of coal the supply fails to show up and prices remain at the high level. New England householders have not near enough anthracite to keep them warm this winter and are getting anxious.

The new board of selectmen gets a poor start. At the first regular monthly meeting of the year, with two months' bills waiting to be paid, there was not a quorum.

Many individuals with German names have had them changed by the courts, and now the big insurance corporations are finding it advisable to eliminate all suggestions of German connections from their titles. The German American Insurance Company of New York will hereafter be known as the Great American Insurance Company.

"T. R. hopes to see less of himself" runs the caption in a New York paper, over a "story" telling of Teddy's reducing weight at Stamford. "Colonel at health farm so his too, too solid flesh may melt."
 Doesn't Teddy know that a certain professor and former rival well-known in New Haven holds the record in this respect?

"During exercises at all times turn the toes in; stand with the toes in; when in the house in stocking feet walk on toes, heels not touching the floor and toes turned in; the wearing of broad toe shoes with the mental 'arch supporter' is absolutely abandoned."

These are some "pointers" given by examining physicians of the United States Marine Corps to correct flat feet. We can imagine the horror of shoe dealers.

We knew that bromide would come out sooner or later: "There were Giants in those days." The World of New York is responsible. But it hastens to explain that "those days" means Wednesday and Thursday.

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JOHN CAIRNS RESIGNS; DEMOCRATS DISRUPTED

All Sorts of Rumors Follow Letter Sent to Town Committee.

WAS NOT TREATED FAIR?

So Rumor Says—Facts Are Guarded Closely by Committeemen—Resignation a Week Old.

The expected has happened. John Cairns, for many years one of the leading spirits of the local Democratic party, has resigned from the town committee. The letter of resignation was sent a week ago but so close did the other members of the committee hold this secret because of its effect on the rank and file of the party, that only by chance did the news leak out. And from end to end of Manchester in political circles, the tongue of Dame Rumor is wagging continuously.

Some Rumors.
 Rumor No. 1 says that John was never in sympathy with the other members of the town democratic committee.

Rumor No. 2 says that at the last two elections secret orders were issued by the powers that were, telling the boys to "slash Cairns".

Rumor No. 3 says that the "wet" and "dry" fight proved to be the last straw that broke the camel's back as the democratic machine was not in favor of John speaking for prohibition, at all, at all.

Rumor No. 4 says that there has never been a baker's dozen at the meetings of the local Democratic club for ever so long and there is grave doubts if this month's meeting will not be the last.

Rumors 5, 6, 7, ad infinitum, say all kinds of other things but they all simmer down to the one fact that the local democratic club is sadly disorganized.

Looking Backwards.
 A local Democrat in retelling some of the rumors today took a glance backward in political history in Manchester and also looked a bit into the future. He said that he saw no use for a democratic machine in Manchester, politically speaking, for all of the jobs that were in view were clinched "for lifetime."

The democratic high score made at the presidential election last year was made not by anyone here in town but by one Woodrow Wilson whose name at the head of the ticket swung the lever with the local ticket to heights never dreamed even. The democratic ticket is hopelessly outnumbered by over two to one in the town, its leaders seem not to co-operate to any extent and there is a woeful lack of interest among the democratic voters themselves that gives little encouragement to the leaders who try to get out the vote.

With the "wets" and "drys" out of the race the democrats have no ambition to put up a fight. Rumor again must be quoted when it says that the men holding down the aforementioned "lifetime jobs" which the democrats have to hand out, take very little interest in what the party is doing locally and that is another thorn in the democratic side that rankles.

Taken in all, hard times loom ahead big for the Manchester democratic machine.

TO RELEASE DRAFTED MEN.
 Selectman Willard B. Rogers went to Hartford this morning to see

The Open Forum

ANOTHER SATISFIED BARBER.

Editor of the Evening Herald:
 Please announce following letter. I wish to thank you, Mr. James V. Farrand, for the letter you announce in Herald regards to local barbers, and the prices that they want, or going to charge for hair cutting. I am a barber myself, and I don't feel shame at all to state that the price which most of us are getting for hair cut is good. At ain't worth any more to cut a man's hair than 25c. anyhow. It only takes about 10 min. more than shave, and barber is getting 10c. more, which is one cent a minute. And he also have less expenses. And so far as the shears, why if they don't last any longer than three weeks, it must be that the barber bought them at a bargain sale, and got stuck. I only wish I am busy cutting hair for 25c. a head all day long and every day for about 2 years, then I would retire, and be comfortably fix. And I would buy me a Tin Lizzie also, and wear a stove pipe hat and live happy with my family for the rest of my life. It is very bad, that some people are dissatisfied, don't matter how much they have. The more they have, the more they want. Some people don't relize that this town all though rich and very prosperous is working town, with working people that we barbers got to depend on for living. These working people, people working in mills or business men are all working people (we are no millionaires.) working for they living and at ain't no need to bleed them as Mr. Farrand state in his letter.
 Live, and let live!
 Respectfully yours,
 William Paluska.
 Proprietor of the Popular Barber Shop, 1087 Main street.
 South Manchester, Oct. 13.

Manchester 25 Years Ago



E. T. Carrier had enclosed his saw mill built on the site of his burned paper mill near Highland Park.
 The town board of health was organized with John S. Risley as president and B. F. T. Jenney clerk. All the local physicians were made members of the board.
 A telephone was placed in the Manchester freight station. It was so close to Agent Tucker's ear that he did not have to get off his seat to answer the call.
 N. T. Pulsifer had engaged Alexander McClunne of Hartford, the landscape gardener, to make a survey of Depot square and prepare plans for its decoration.
 A new water motor was placed in St. Mary's Episcopal church to blow the organ.
 B. S. Carrier bought the interest of Mr. Lincoln in the Highland Park store and became the sole proprietor.
 Terrance Hilderbrant welcomed twin boys to his family.
 Charles E. Norton bought the Wheeler property at the corner of Main and Woodbridge streets.
 Thomas Best bought the Bridget Murphy place at Parkerville.
 Miss Clara Sweet had returned to the Boston University of medicine.
 Norman Burke died suddenly at his home on the Hartford road.
 The Peter Adams Paper Co. was building an addition to its stock room.
 Samuel E. Dart and Miss Maria Louise Robertson were married by Rev. C. H. Barber. The wedding took place at the home of George B. Slater.
 Joseph L. Barbour of Hartford was the principal speaker at a Republican rally in Apel's opera house. Judge Olin R. Wood presided.
 Jerry Sullivan had bought the Dawson place on Woodland street.

High School Notes

The first Boethia was held this afternoon. The program was arranged by Miss Olson. It was a "Pantomime." A number of the seniors acted out the story which was thrown on a screen by shadows.
 Mary Quinn spoke for the debating club. Raymond Bowers gave an amusing talk on the history of Boethia and Josephine Keith spoke on Girls' Basketball.
 The officers for the first half of the year in Boethia were elected. Victor Gordon was named president. Gladys Knowles will be the vice president and Ruth Harris was named secretary and treasurer. The executive committee was made up of Anna Maguire, senior, George Gould, junior, Russell Appleby sophomores and Ethel Richmond, freshman.
 Manager McKay has arranged the following basketball schedule for the 1917-18 season. The schedule is not complete but it will give an idea of the coming games. There are still some open dates. McKay went to Torrington today to attempt to complete his schedule. The schedule now reads:
 Friday, December 7, Hartford at South Manchester; Friday, December 21, Middletown here; Saturday, December 22, Manchester at St. Thomas; Tuesday, January 1, Windham here; Friday, January 4, Manchester at Waterbury; Friday, January 11, Manchester at Middletown; Friday, January 18, Naugatuck at Manchester; Saturday, February 2, Manchester at Windham; Friday, February 8, Waterbury here; Friday, February 15, Manchester at Hartford; Friday, March 8, Manchester at Naugatuck. The game with the Alumni team will be played Saturday, December 1.

Join Our Christmas Victrola Club



Christmas is only ten weeks away, and with it will come a demand for Victrolas which we cannot supply. You know how it was last year. Although we tried our very best to get enough machines we could not supply the demand, and many were disappointed. This year conditions are even worse. Not only is there actual shortage of Victrolas, but freight and express shipments are both very slow. There is no hope of getting anything through at the last moment. THE ONLY WAY you can be sure of getting your Victrola for Christmas is by PLACING THE ORDER WEEKS AHEAD.

How You Can Help Us Get the Machines.
 We stand a good deal better chance of getting machines if we can show a number of definite signed orders from customers. With these orders in our hands we can put it right up to the Victor people that we HAVE TO HAVE the goods.

How Our Christmas Victrola Club Helps You.

The Club Plan is this:
 Beginning at once, or not later than next week, you pay us 35c, 50c or \$1.00 each week and continue it for ten weeks.
 As soon as we receive your first payment we will go about getting a Victrola for you. If we haven't one in stock we will get it somehow—mark it with your name and put it away in our storehouse until Christmas. The day before Christmas we will deliver it to your home.
 35 Cents a Week entitles you to a \$17.50 or \$27.50 Victrola.
 50 Cents a Week entitles you to a \$45.00 or a \$55.00 Victrola.
 \$1.00 a Week entitles you to a \$75.00 or \$100 Victrola, or to any Piano up to \$350.
 It is understood that after Christmas you are to take up regular payments—\$1.00 a week for the smaller machines, and \$7.50 to \$10.00 a month for the larger ones.
 THE ADVANTAGES TO YOU ARE GREATEST, because not only will you be sure of having your Victrola for Christmas but it will help a lot to be able to make only these very small payments during the next two months, when there are always so many demands on your purse.

You May Buy a Piano This Way Too

Pianos are going to be almost as hard to get as Victrolas, and we do not KNOW what the prices will be. The only way to make sure of your piano and to protect yourself against a certain advance in price is to come in on this Christmas Club. If you arrange for a piano, we will guarantee the price, whether in supplying you we have to pay an advance or not. Payments of the 35 cent, 50 cent or \$1.00 class may begin at once. When the Club opens, impulse is strong in your mind.



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German cabinet, was that "a man of sterner stuff is needed." This evidently means that von Capelle was held responsible for not nipping in the bud the mutinous outbreak in the fleet.
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NEW CHANCELLOR PREDICTED.
 Amsterdam, Oct. 13.—A sensational report that Germany will have a new chancellor by the time the Reichstag reconvenes on December 5th, is in circulation today. It is evidently based upon a dispatch from Berlin, quoting the Tageblatt as saying that another Chancellorship crisis is imminent.
 The explanation given regarding the resignation of Admiral von Capelle, as Minister of Marine in the

4,000 IN DEMONSTRATION
 Buenos Ayres, Oct. 13.—About four thousand persons, mostly Spaniards and Germans, took part in a pro-neutral demonstration on Friday. A procession passed through the principal streets, but there was little enthusiasm.
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Why Is Food Pledge Week?

Conservationist Explains

By C. F. Coykendale.
(Food Conservation Director for Wisconsin.)

Ten million food conservation pledges! Twenty-two million homes visited! A National campaign projected so large in its scope that the work to be accomplished is as great as though a census of the country were to be taken in a week!

Such is the program outlined for the Food Pledge Week Campaign, October 21 to 28.

What is it all about? Why so much fuss? What are the motives back of such a tremendous drive?

In every state thousands of people are asking these questions, while thousands of others are preparing themselves to furnish a complete answer to the query.

The Why of Campaign.

The reasons why the Food Pledge Campaign has been projected upon such broad lines are simple enough, plain enough.

So simple and so plain that they have been stated in the compass of a card—a card that it is proposed to hang in every home of the land—a card that is the "war creed of the kitchen," because, so closely are the people of this country linked to the world-war that one of the phases of the struggle must be fought out in the American kitchen.

If soldiers are to fight they must be fed. For the past three years, one by one, our allies across the sea have been taking the men from the farm and from the factory and sending them to the firing line. Each man sent to the firing line meant one less who could be relied upon to help produce the food that "will win the war."

Allies, Importing Countries.

England, France, Italy and Belgium, says the war creed of the kitchen, which, after all, completely states the problem and presents the solution, taken together, even in times of peace, import 40 per cent. of their foodstuffs, but now, with their millions upon the firing line, they must import more heavily than before.

There are stores of wheat in Australia, there is food in South America, but ships are scarce. Time is a

factor to secure as a result of voluntary agreement pledges insuring the general support for a well-defined program of food conservation. The Food Pledge Week Campaign represents an effort to induce as many of the American homes as possible to unite in a common policy. Our wheat reserves can be conserved if everybody helps. Our meat reserves can be conserved if the whole public co-operates.

Wholesale Conservation.

The Food-Pledge Week Campaign, therefore, turns out to be simple enough in its outlines. The American people are asked to join together in a common conservation policy. As evidence that they are supporting this policy they are asked to hang a card denoting membership in the United States Food Administration in their window. In order that the conservation policy may be understood, the reasons for it made plain and the manner of observing it rendered certain, instruction cards, "The War Creed of the Kitchen," are to be hung in the home.

BENGOUGH'S CARTOONS.

Artist Who Comes to Manchester, October 20, Praised Highly By Critics.

The ticket committee of the Manchester Single Tax Club will meet at the regular meetings of the members at Tinker hall next Thursday when it will submit a report on the tickets sold for the lecture to be held here on October 26.

In speaking of the artist, the following is clipped from the San Francisco Star when Mr. Bengough was lecturing along the Pacific coast last year:

"John W. Bengough in his Single Tax talk at Scottish Rite Hall on the evening of Monday, March 18, justified the praise of the critic who declared him to be 'witty as an Irishman; humorous as an American and sane as an Englishman.'"

A pleasing element in Mr. Bengough's style is the elegant and rapid-like play of humor which precedes everything he says and does. "Laugh and you will live," he said.

that sustains these nations must come from this country.

Feed the Fighter.

If the laborer is worthy of his hire, surely the fighter is worthy of his food. That is a principle universally accepted by the American public. However, warns the United States Food Administration, it is not every product that can be sent across the sea. Corn will not serve the need; our Allies have never used it as a food; they have no mills to grind it; turn it into meal in this country and it would spoil before it could reach a European port. There are just four classes of products, the expert says, that we must send to our Allies if our duty to them is to be discharged. They need meat, wheat, sugar and dairy products. But, say the experts, who have gathered the figures, unless American consumption of those foodstuffs is reduced below the normal consumption our reserve will not be large enough to meet the need. And so the problem becomes a simple one, at least when studied. We can conserve our wheat by increasing our consumption of other grains. We can conserve our meat by making a greater demand upon the resources of the fish market. All of these expedients are known to the American housewife.

People Here Control.

If the United States were an autocratic country there would be no popular appeal for the conservation of food. There would be an autocratic food control. The mailed fist would rule in the kitchen. Imperial food decrees would be enforced at the point of the bayonet. But ours is not an autocratic country. Food control is in the hands of the people themselves, and it is to the people that the Food Administration has appealed in the Food Pledge Card Campaign. Herbert Hoover has termed this appeal an "unprecedented adventure in democracy," an adventure that will determine whether or not a democratic form of government is, after all, fitted to engage in a death grapple with an autocracy.

Enroll the Homes.

The appeal in the Food Pledge Week Campaign is that the homes of this country be enrolled as members of the United States Food Administration. Broadly speaking the United States Food Administration includes every man, woman and child in the United States because food control is in the hands of the people. The Food Pledge Week Campaign, therefore, resolves itself into an effort to secure as a result of voluntary agreement pledges insuring the general support for a well-defined program of food conservation.

speaker's words, and the light touch of his happy sentences have greater convincing power than the weighty bludgeons of many of our opponents, who seem to think that they have to be gloomy in order to be erudite."

WAR PENSIONS EXPLAINED.

Congressman Augustine Lonergan of the First District today explained how the new war risk insurance law affected pensioners of former wars. "Congress on October 6, last," he said, "adopted an amendment to the pension law increasing the rate of pension for a widow of an officer or enlisted man of the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States who served in the Civil War, the war with Spain or the Philippine Insurrection, to \$75 a month. This does not include widows of the men in the regular army, Navy or Marine Corps, who did not serve in the wars mentioned; it does not include widows of men in the war of 1812, the war with Mexico, the Indian wars or army nurses, because they are not named in the amendment. 'Applications,' added Mr. Lonergan, 'are not required from those entitled, as the increase is automatic, and prompt action will be taken in the pension office to make payments of the increased amounts.'"

SEVEN KITTENS GET JOBS IN CONGRESS

A job has been found for Congressman Austin's secretary's cat's seven kittens. They will be welcome down on the floor below Representative Hubert's office. Mice are overrunning the place. They are as bold as bulldogs. Frank McEnany, Mr. Hubert's secretary, says they climb on the big leather chair and watch him deservingly as he tries to work. Night before last the mice ate up all the free seeds that Mr. Hubert had for distribution among his constituents. That is not much of a disaster, in view of the fact that his district in New York is one of the most thickly populated in the greater city and the people wouldn't know what to do with the seeds if he sent them on. What is of importance though, is that the mice also ate up a bag of seed of the East River. Hell Gate and Ward's Island, being attracted by the excellent quality of the glue in the paper mache. Hell Gate is a most precious thing in the eyes of this Congressman.

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Talcottville

Allie Ward has returned from the Hartford hospital where he has been confined for the past two months. His many friends will be glad to know that he has recovered and is able to be at home again.

Dr. Eliza Talcott, who has been spending a few weeks with Miss Ruth Talcott, has returned to her home in Danbury.

The local Drum corps attended the Stafford fair Friday.
Mrs. Clara Rivenburg of Manchester was taken seriously ill last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith. Dr. Sharpe of Manchester was called and he ordered her to be removed to the Wilson Sanatorium in Hartford at once. She was taken to Hartford Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Rivenburg had been housekeeping for Mrs. Smith since Mrs. Smith returned from the hospital.

Thursday afternoon the Ladies' Home Missionary society finished packing the barrel that they are going to send to Talladega college.

DEATH RATE IN WAR REDUCED BY SCIENCE

Better Chance for Coming Home Safe Than in Any War Yet Fought. The boy who goes to war today faces torpedoes, bombs, liquid fire, deadly gases, quick-firers and siege guns. Never before have the means of dealing death been so numerous or so ingenious, or so terrible, yet he has a better chance of com-

ing back home, safe and sound, than he would have had in any great war that has been fought. Base hospitals, as they have been evolved in the present war, together with superior methods of surgery, are responsible for that.

Roger Babson, the statistician, is quoted as saying that fourteen out of fifteen men have been safe hitherto in the Great War—and the losses at first were vastly greater than the losses now. He continues: "Under present conditions, where man power is being saved, not more than one in thirty is killed. Only one man in 500 loses a limb, a chance no greater than in hazardous conditions at home."
M. Andre Tardieu, French High Commissioner to the United States has given out figures showing that the percentage of casualties in proportion to the mobilized strength of France has fallen from 2.39 in the first six months of 1915 to 1.23 in the last six months of 1916.

How does it happen that soldiers today are safer than ever before? The answer, as suggested above, is that the nations, have learned how to take care of their soldiers. Camp sanitation, scientific rationing, business organization of the supply service—these things count, but the big vital factor in saving husbands and sons for the women who wait at home is the efficiency of the medical service.

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ABOUT TOWN

TONIGHT IN MANCHESTER.
Sega, Swedish Benevolent Society, Orange hall.

Revival meeting, Pentecostal church.
Park theater, "As Man Made Her."
Circle theater, "The Fighting Trail."

Lighting Up Time.
Auto lamps should be lighted at 5.45 p. m.
The sun rose at 6 a. m.
The sun sets at 5.15 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elliott spent yesterday with relatives in town.

The independent football team will play the Empires of New Britain at Mt. Nebo tomorrow afternoon.

George W. Smith has had his Stearns Knight car newly painted.

The selectmen will hold the meeting adjourned from yesterday to pay bills, tonight at 8 o'clock.

Victor Bronke is home from Brooklyn on leave until Monday morning. He is with the naval reserves.

The rain last night made the trolley ride slippery because of the falling leaves. Cars were twenty minutes late.

Conductors say that since the six cent fare started they collect just about four times as many tickets as previously.

The last of the assessments for the concrete sidewalk on the east side of Main street was paid to Town Treasurer Waddell yesterday.

Miss Ruth Chapman, who teaches in East Orange, N. J., is spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Chapman of Chestnut street.

A son was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Couch of Hartford, former residents of Manchester. Mrs. Couch, before her marriage, was Miss Anna Persch.

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The Three Worlds;
AND THE
Third Coming Of Christ"

Address by Forrest L. Abbott

Sunday, October 14, 1917
Odd Fellows' Hall

7.30 P. M.

ALL WELCOME!

G. H. Hall of North Elm street went to New York today for a stay of a month with his daughter, Mrs. H. B. Brandt.

A number of young people, friends of Reuben and Eva Britton, were entertained at a frankfort roast at their home on Avery street last night.

The town gang is repairing Cambridge street between Oxford and Alton streets. This stretch of street has been impassable all summer because of the deep sand.

The good weather of today sent a lot of people hunting and consequently the call for licenses to hunt were in demand at the town clerk's office.

The rain storm and high winds last night broke down some electric light wires near Summit street and Supt. Heebner's men were working on them until nearly 10 o'clock.

Miss Beatrice Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Shaw of 25 North Elm street, left for Syracuse, N. Y. Thursday for a vacation. She will be with Mr. and Mrs. Wells Wetherell.

The improvements which are being made in the City Restaurant will be complete Thursday. The kitchen will be enlarged, the partition in the rear moved back and more room for tables made.

A number of young people, mostly members of the class of 1919 of the local high school, surprised Edward Lynch, Jr., last night at his home on Vernon street. Lynch is popular among the young people. The usual program carried out at surprise parties was well planned.

Another car went off the track on the crossover on the East Hartford boulevard yesterday afternoon. Manchester people working in the city were late for their evening meal.

This crossover is necessary because of the repairs being made in the road and is an easy place for a car to run off. In a short while a string of a dozen cars had piled up.

It is important that every member of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce who intends to be present at the meeting next Monday night, notify the secretary, H. B. House, so that provision can be made for the dinner which is to be served in Tinker hall at 6.30. The meeting promises to be of special interest and will doubtless be well attended.

COTS SUBSCRIBED FOR.

The four emergency cots, expected from the local Red Cross, have now been subscribed for. As previously reported, the first two cots were subscribed for by Miss Mary E. ... The third one has been subscribed for by the Girls' Friendly society of St. Mary's Episcopal church and the fourth by "A Friend."

74 MORE PUPILS.

Seventy-four more pupils registered for the Manchester evening school last evening. On the first night of registering, 50 pupils were enrolled, making a total of 124 for the two nights. Of the 74 registered last evening, eight enrolled in the new Industrial-Clerical course. The first announcement of this course was in yesterday's Evening Herald and the first man to register last night asked to be enrolled in the new course. The evening school will open in the high school building at seven o'clock Monday evening.

ORFORD SOAP CO. TO AID EMPLOYEES TO BUY BONDS

Help May Pay \$1.00 a Week and Company Will Contribute 10 Per Cent.

Following the example set all over the United States, the Orford Soap company today posted the following notice before its employees:

The Orford Soap Company will be glad to facilitate the purchase of Liberty Bonds, second issue, by employees of the company on the same terms as those given previously, namely:

The Company will purchase the bonds and withhold salaries at the rate of \$1.00 per week for each \$50 bond which an employee authorizes us to purchase on his behalf. Interest will be credited in proportion to the amount of completed payments and the bonds will be delivered when a total of 90 per cent. is paid, the balance* being contributed by the company in recognition of the co-operation of the employees in helping the company make a good showing.

These Liberty Bonds are like \$50 bills, being Uncle Sam's promise to pay but with the difference that Liberty Bonds pay 4 per cent. interest and are likely some day to be worth more than you paid for them. The first Liberty Bonds are already worth a few cents more than their face value.

Liberty Bonds can, if necessary, be used practically like money and are always easily converted into cash. U. S. Government bonds usually pay only 2 per cent interest and command a premium even at that low rate. After this war is over the chance to buy U. S. Government Bonds paying as much as 4 per cent will probably never come again during our life time.

The official closing date is October 27th. In order to handle the operation the Company must receive your authorization to purchase bonds for you not later than October 22nd.

R. S. Childs, General Manager.

*On one \$50 bond.

POLICE BOARD PUTS O. K. ON NEW SIGNAL SYSTEM

To Regulate Parking of Autos on Main Street—New Patrolman Appointed

The first meeting of the police commissioners since John P. Sheridan was reappointed to the commission was held in the police room of the Hall of Records last night. Chairman Willis was renamed and George Keith, the new member of the board, who fills the position vacated by Philip Cheney, was made secretary. John P. Sheridan was the former secretary and he felt that he could not devote enough time to the work.

The Signal System.

The much talked of signal system was discussed and the members approved the plan. This system, if installed, will make it possible to call a policeman by flashing lights.

It was decided to find out what authority the board has in dealing with the question of parking automobiles on Main street. It is proposed that all automobiles parked in the business sections of Main street be backed to the curb at an angle. The street is wide enough for the plan and the idea has met with success in other towns and cities. If the board has the authority to do so, a by-law will be made making the parking of cars in this manner necessary.

New Patrolman.

The local police force was renamed with an additional regular. This is Michael Morris. The reserves, John Crockett, William Fitzgerald and Wm. McSweeney, were reappointed. The members of the police force feel that a raise in pay is due them, so they petitioned the commission for one. The matter will be given careful consideration and a decision made at the next meeting.

BIRTH RECORD SMASHED.

Manchester is making records these days. Last month a new record was established when 48 births were recorded at the town clerk's office. It is evident if this growth continued the town would shortly go over the 20,000 mark. And it is worth noting that while the birth rate was high the death rate was low, being only 11 deaths for the month of September. And to help things along the marriages numbered 20 so that the prospect for further increase is encouraging.

You don't have to have the dollars to buy a Liberty Bond. Your promise to pay will do. Call at any bank or brokerage office today and they will tell you how.

NO QUORUM; NO SESSION OF OUR TOWN FATHERS

Only Three Selectmen Present When Meeting Was Called to Order—Hearing Adjourned.

The board of selectmen met yesterday afternoon to pay bills. When the chairman called the meeting to order there were three selectmen present, Willard Rogers, Aaron Johnston and H. I. Taylor. James Johnston was in New Haven on business. Dr. Weldon was spending the week end at his cottage at Crescent Beach and Arthur E. Bowers had some pressing business connected with the Connecticut Council of Defense. Mr. Bowers' office is now at the capitol and his work keeps him there all the time. For this reason it was impossible for him to be present.

No Quorum.

As there was no quorum present no business could be done. An application for marriage made by an Italian couple through Angelo Bosco was signed by those members present. Various business points were discussed but no action was taken. The placing of poles by the Connecticut company on Oakland street was talked over and some definite decision will be made at the next meeting. The meeting was finally adjourned to reconvene in the evening.

The Evening Session.

At the evening meeting there was no quorum. The same members were absent as during the afternoon meeting and supposedly for the same reasons. This is the first publicly advertised meeting at which there has not been a quorum of selectmen. The purpose of the meeting was to lay assessments on property owners on Ridge street for sidewalks which have been laid there. No one was at the meeting to be heard, presumably, because of the weather.

Legality for Adjournment.

There was much discussion as to the legality of adjourning the public hearing and Town Counsel Arnold was called in for his advice. He said that the meeting should be called by the chairman and adjourned until a time later so that property owners might again be notified of the meeting.

The hearing on the assessments will be held Monday evening, October 22, at 8 o'clock.

Bills will be paid at the meeting which will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

TOBACCONIST'S TROUBLES.

It is hard for tobacco dealers in town to make customers who can hardly understand English know that they must pay extra for tobacco.

"One cent more, please."

"Oh. No. Ha! Ha!"

"Yes, sir. One cent more. War tax, you know."

"Everybody pay?"

"Sure. We've got to help the soldiers. Rich as well as poor."

"Well. A'right. Oh, dear."

Everywhere it is hard to make people understand that it is absolutely necessary to charge the extra penny. Even some intelligent Americans question the fact. The reason for this is given that the Revenue Law when passed was so long and complicated that no one took the trouble to even read it. The result is they do not know its effects until it hits the pocketbook.

MAJORS VS. MOHICANS.

The Majors football team will play the Mohicans team from Meriden with an unbeatable reputation tomorrow afternoon at Hickey's grove. The Mohicans defeated the Corinthians last year and also played the Hartford Tigers and were only defeated 3 to 0.

The local squad has been playing good football and a good game can be expected. There will be no change in the lineup only many of the Majors' rooters will be glad to see Did Mann back again at his old position. He has been away from town about a year and could not refuse the call of football.

Take Nux-I-Tone—Makes rich, red blood, improves the appetite and invigorates the whole system. 50c. Peterson the Druggist. Adv.

Insure Your Liberty-- Buy Liberty Bonds

If we cannot take part in our country's fight for "right over might," let at least our dollars do their share toward defeating Germany's attempt to rule the world. Many of our country's men may have to sacrifice their lives in America's struggle for liberty and democracy, and the least that we can do is to let our money fight for us.

Liberty Bonds can make us "bondage-proof" and can help to restore freedom to the world. Furthermore, they are a safe, convenient and profitable investment.

Insure your liberty as well as your money by buying Liberty Bonds at THE MANCHESTER TRUST CO.



The J. W. Hale Company

SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.

EXPECT MONSTER CROWD AT HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Over 500 Members of the Recreation Club Expected To Be Present On October 31.

Plans for the Halloween party to be held at the Recreation Center Wednesday evening, October 31, are well under way and everything points to one big time. Various committees have been organized and that will soon be remembered by the members of the association. It will be the first general get-together social of the members since the building was opened last spring.

The evening's program will begin at eight o'clock. Halloween games and amusements and dancing will be enjoyed and refreshments will be served. There are now nearly 500 members in the association and if they all turn out it will be a big party. Invitations will be mailed to all the members and these invitations will serve as admission tickets.

The Committees.

The committees in charge of the arrangements are as follows: Entertainment committee: Miss Nellie Dale, Miss Lena Parkin, Miss Walker, Miss Maude Russell, Miss Ruth Balsieper, John Tournard, Harold Alvord and Herbert Ingham. Decorations: Miss Elsie Bengs, Miss Mildred Anderson, Miss Gertrude Carrier, Miss Eva Bendeson, Miss Mary Cheney, Mrs. Herbert S. Loundsbury, Thomas K. Clarke, F. H. Anderson, R. V. Treat and Robert Craig.

Refreshments: N. B. Richards, F. A. Rolston, Paul Agard, Howard Carrier, Walter Olson, Mrs. Adelaide Williams, Miss Emily Cheney and Miss Elizabeth M. Bennet.

Invitations: Miss Doris Ahearn, Miss Ruth Beeman, Miss Millie Russell and Miss Marjorie Dunn. Music committee, W. C. Cheney. Press committee, G. E. Ferris.

American bullets and American soldiers have not gone over the top yet, but you can hit the Germans from your office chair with a subscription to the Liberty Loan.

Chocolates, Schraft's, Kibbe's and Green Seal in good assortment at Peterson the Druggist. Adv.

Bulbs! Bulbs!

From France and Holland

After several weeks of guess work, continually telling our customers, with a bit of hesitancy, that our bulbs would be here soon, it is now with the greatest of pleasure that we beg to announce that

Tulips, Daffodils, Crocus, Hyacinths and Iris From Holland Have Arrived

The beautiful Narcissus that grows in water and stones, from France, has appeared. Think of what these bulbs mean!

Victory for our bulb importers!
Victory for the poor women of Holland!
Victory for the orphans of France!
Preparedness and victory for America!

PLANT YOUR FALL AND SPRING BLOOMING BULBS NOW.

The Bon Ton Flower Shop

LEADING FLORISTS
OLD JOHNSON BLOCK 707 MAIN STREET
EVERYTHING IN FLOWERS

Men's Nobby Trousers

MEN'S TROUSERS—A lucky chance gave us the opportunity to get these bargains. In worsteds and other mixtures, blues, grays and other colors \$1.50 TO \$7.50

F. Eger & Co.

Fuel Shortage in Rockville.

The scarcity of coal in Rockville is becoming more alarming to many people who have not as yet been able to procure a single ton, and unless the situation is quickly adjusted by the placing on the market a sufficient supply to meet temporary demands, a serious condition will develop. The present shortage of all kinds has advanced in price. Many of the business blocks have not as yet been able to procure their winter supply. What little is available covered by advance orders is selling at \$10 a ton. Coal dealers