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GERMANY SEEKS RELEASE OF MILLION TEUTON PRISONERS TAKEN BY RUSSIA

Representatives of German General Staff in Petrograd To Negotiate for Their Return—Bolsheviki Demand Freedom of Two Russian Prisoners Held by England.

Washington, Nov. 28.—That the Lenin government in Russia will conclude a separate peace with Germany is believed now to be a matter of days only. But officials here today are in receipt of information indicating that such a peace will not be accepted by the Russian people and that the army as a whole will stand out against desertion of Russia's allies.

Dispatches from Ambassador Francis at Petrograd, detailing the situation there, have been received, which have not been made public. It is understood he has reported the result of various conferences which have been held between the Entente diplomats in Petrograd. It has been learned that a definite program has been arranged, which calls for insistence that the existing government recognize the treaty pledges of Russia, and for a general withdrawal should these pledges be violated and a separate peace consummated.

Trouble with Britain.

The demand by the Bolsheviki foreign minister, Leon Trotsky, that the Russians, Chicherin and Petroff, held prisoners in England, be at once released and sent back to Russia, has been accepted with the threat that the Bolsheviki will be arrested, if the demand is not met.

Officials said today. They declared that this emphasizes the anti-entente sympathies of the Bolsheviki faction. It is not believed that United States citizens or interests are in any danger at this time, as the Bolsheviki leaders still hope they will be furnished money and supplies, despite the plain warning that Lieutenant Colonel William V. Judson of the military mission has given, that all aid will be withdrawn if negotiations with Germany are continued.

Germany After War Prisoners.

Stockholm, Nov. 28.—Representatives of the German general staff have gone to Petrograd to negotiate for the release of German and Austro-Hungarian prisoners of war, according to an unconfirmed report from Haparanda today.

Political conditions in Russia continue to grow more chaotic. Latest advices say that the Socialist revolutionists are trying to win over the chief army officers and get their support for the formation of a new coalition government.

Many Russians are dying from starvation. (The number of Teutonic prisoners of war in Russia has been variously estimated at from 600,000 to upwards of 1,000,000.)

THREE BOATS MISSING OF TORPEDO VESSEL.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The American steamer Actaeon, torpedoed Sunday off the coast of Spain carried an armed guard of 13 naval men. Dispatches from London say 21 survivors have been landed at Port Camarinas, but that three boats are missing. The Navy department had no news today whether the armed guard of the Actaeon were among those saved.

A school teacher's salary is so small that she often is justified in marrying.—Capper's Weekly.

RESULTS.

John Albiston of Roosevelt street lost his eyeglasses. What might have worried another man did not worry Mr. Albiston. He had heard of THE EVENING HERALD'S remarkable facility for finding lost articles. So he inserted a little tea cent ad in the BARGAIN COLUMN.
No use telling the end of the story.
Of course the eyeglasses were found and returned.
DOES IT PAY TO ADVERTISE?

GERMAN JEERS FLAG IN RIDGEFIELD AND INTERRUPTS A LECTURE

Dr. W. S. Rainsford, Noted Former New York Rector and Hunter, the Speaker—Constable Locks Fellow Up—Sedition Charge Probably Awaits Him—Scene at M. E. Church.

Ridgefield, Nov. 28.—Benjamin Brenneman, aged 35, a German resident of North Wilton, Conn., is under arrest here charged with breach of the peace and disturbing a public meeting and will probably be held to await action of the federal authorities on a charge of sedition. The arrest has caused a sensation here and throughout this section. Brenneman attended a patriotic meeting at the North Wilton Methodist church last night, at which Dr. W. S. Rainsford, former pastor of St. George's church, New York city, who is a local resident, made an address. When the audience rose to sing the "Star Spangled Banner" Brenneman is said to have jeered and made unpatriotic remarks about the song and the country. Constable John Knapp went to the disturber and ordered him to be quiet, and when Brenneman continued his tirade the constable seized him and ejected him forcibly from the church. Later Brenneman continued his tirade the church that he wanted to see the constable, and when the latter appeared he struck him over the head with a club. The constable placed him under arrest and brought him to the lockup here, where he spent the night. In the lockup Brenneman continued his seditious talk, it is alleged and was held for trial before a justice here.

AVIATOR BUCKLEY WOUNDED AND PRISONER

Illinois Man Heard From—Brought to Earth by German Albatross. Airplane Burned.

Paris, Nov. 4. (By mail to New York.) Nov. 28.—A post card has been received from Sergeant Everett F. Buckley of Kilbourne, Ill., an American aviator fighting with the French army, stating that he is wounded and a prisoner of war in Germany.

Buckley was brought down inside the German lines at Verdun on September 5, and as his machine was on fire, it was reported he had been killed. The news today was received by the French captain in command of the Escadrille N-125, to which Buckley was attached, and it caused great rejoicing among his French comrades and the Americans. The card was dated Mayence Hospital prison camp, but gave no details. Although he had been flying only a few weeks and was making his fifth "sortie" when "knocked down" Buckley gave promise of making a fine fighting aviator. Buckley was racing his machine to the rescue of a comrade when a fleet, heavily Albatross D-3 type of German aeroplane carrying two men, attacked him and he was hit in the first volley. His machine dropped, beaking into flames, just before touching the ground.

WATERBURY WELCOMES CAMP DEVENS BOYS.

Waterbury, Nov. 28.—The welcome sign is on every door here today for the 775 Waterbury boys of the 304th Regiment, who will arrive here tonight from Camp Devens to spend Thanksgiving Day at their homes. The city is dressed in its glad rags and is prepared to give the boys a rousing greeting when their train rolls in. Tomorrow there is to be a parade and review by Mayor Scully and his official family, and the officers of the 304th who are to accompany the boys here. Seventy-five or more soldiers, who are without homes, have been invited for their Thanksgiving dinner to private homes and lodge rooms.

Announcement of the marketman, "Watch our turkey prices this week," cannot but produce anticipation, whether hopeful or otherwise.—Hartford Times.



STATE UNDERMINES DEFENSE THAT MRS. KING KILLED SELF; NO POWDER MARKS ABOUT WOUND; WITNESSES OF RICH WOMAN'S DEATH TESTIFY

Court House, Concord, N. C., Nov. 28.—The state plunged deep into the evidence against Gaston B. Means, on trial for the murder of Mrs. Maude A. King, when court opened today. According to North Carolina practice the state makes no opening statement of its case. The first task of the state was to establish the fact that Mrs. King was murdered, when she met her death by gunshot at the Blackwelder Spring on the night of August 29.

The first witnesses were L. A. Weddington, undertaker, and Captain W. S. Bingham, one of the party which went target shooting with Mrs. King. Weddington's testimony concerned the condition Mrs. King's body was in when he received it to prepare for burial. The state, in its examination of Weddington laid the basis for its first circumstantial evidence that Mrs. King was killed. Weddington testified that there were no powder marks about the wound from which Mrs. King died. This was the first step by the state to prove that under the circumstances Mrs. King could not have killed herself. Weddington was also closely

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TROLLEY CAR INSTANTLY MAID OF DE SAULLES KILLS CHESHIRE MAN

Dr. E. W. Karrmann's Auto Is Struck This Morning; Survivors.

PROMINENT IN CHESHIRE

Struck By New Haven-Waterbury Car—Exemption Board Official, Well Known in Vicinity.

Cheshire, Nov. 28.—Dr. E. W. Karrmann of this place was killed today in trying to cross the tracks in front of the trolley car from Waterbury to New Haven, which leaves the junction here at 8:30. His automobile was struck by the car at Higgins' Corner, overturned, dragged a long distance and smashed to pieces. Dr. Dennison, the medical examiner, was called, but stated that Dr. Karrmann had been killed instantly. The physician was returning from a trip toward New Haven and was hurrying to visit other patients in town. He had a large practice here and was the physician member of the exemption board in the Naugatuck district. He was about 60 years of age, and is survived by a widow and one son, David. It is stated that the doctor evidently miscalculated the distance at the corner as he could not but have seen the trolley approaching.

"GUNBOAT" SMITH BEATEN.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 28.—"Gunboat" Smith is one notch lower in the heavy weight ranks today as the result of a technical knockout in the second round of his bout with Fred Fulton last night. Smith's seconds heaved in the sponge to save him from further punishment.

PROVIDENCE STRIKE SETTLED.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Settlement of the strike of 200 workers at the plant of the American-British Manufacturing company, of Providence, R. I., engaged on a government contract for anti-aircraft guns, was announced by the Department of Labor today. The terms of the settlement were not reported by John J. Casey, the department's conciliator, but it is believed the workers were granted the eight hour workday for which they were striking.

DE SAULLES THREATENS TO STRIKE, MAID SAYS

Defendant's Sister Also Is On Stand; Her Counsel's Tears—Progress of Trial.

SAMMIES FULL OF "PEP," SAYS BRITISH OFFICER

Gritty and Eager to Get Into Fighting Game—Visited U. S. Camp in France.

London, Nov. 28.—Splendid tribute to the American soldiers was paid here today by Colonel A. M. Murphy of the British army, who has just returned from a visit to the American camp in France. "It was a pleasure to talk to them and to see how earnestly they are going about their work," said Colonel Murphy. "They are thin lipped and full of determination and purpose. No boastful word comes from them, for they are too busy to talk. Their grit and eagerness give promise of future success when they get into action."

CALLS PRESIDENT "CHIEF BREWER OF AMERICA"

Prohibitionist Says He's 10 Years Behind Congress and 25 Behind the Nation.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—President Wilson was called the "chief brewer of America," by Virgil G. Hinshaw, chairman of the Prohibition party, in a statement condemning the President's decree that beer may contain no more than three per cent of alcohol. Hinshaw declared the President is 10 years behind Congress and 25 years behind the American people in considering beer a relatively harmless beverage. "It is the evident aim of the administration," said Hinshaw, "to stem the tide of prohibition. If the President had given the food administration full sway national prohibition would now obtain."

GERMANY THREATENS TO OCCUPY DENMARK

Copenhagen, Nov. 27.—It has been learned from official sources in Germany, speaking unofficially, that Germany will occupy Denmark if Norway permits the British or the Americans to establish a naval base on the Norwegian coast. The Norse are angry over the sinking by German cruisers of convoys in the North Sea, and popular sentiment is running high.

The meeting of the monarchs of Norway, Sweden and Denmark at Christiania this week was really for the purpose of adjusting this latest difficulty.

A leading Dane has had the report confirmed by Secretary of Foreign Affairs von Kuchemann, in Berlin, who is quoted as saying that he was powerless to adopt moderate measures, now that the Pan-German party again is in control.

PRESIDENT TO APPROVE WEBB EXPORT BILL

Annual Message to Congress, Which He Began Today, to Recommend More Freedom for Corporations in Foreign Trade—Probably Won't Touch Suffrage.

Washington, Nov. 28.—President Wilson began writing his message to Congress today. For several weeks he has been making notes and reviewing the various subjects to be touched upon in his mind. The President's message will not be devoted entirely to the war, it became known authoritatively today, but will give attention to several domestic problems he believes to be of pressing importance.

The Webb export bill, suspending the anti-trust laws to permit American manufacturers to combine for foreign trade probably, will be recommended for passage by the President. Conservation legislation will be touched upon and railroad legislation desired by the administration will be outlined.

The President was expected to recommend action on the Susan B. Anthony amendment giving the vote to women—but that he will recommend affirmative action is doubtful.

Tonight the President will attend a ball, given for the benefit of a local hospital, with Mrs. Wilson. Tomorrow night he is to attend another ball given to secure funds for naval relief.

23 MURDERS CHARGED TO NEW YORK GANG

Eighteen of 23 Verified, Police Say. Eight Men Held—Headquarters in Brooklyn.

New York, Nov. 28.—Eight men were held in New York and Brooklyn today on information given by Ralph Daniello regarding 23 alleged murders by members of a gang with headquarters in Brooklyn. Eighteen of the alleged murders have been verified, the police say. Through Daniello's story the workings of three alleged bands of criminals who have levied tribute and exacted vengeance in the Italian section of the city were revealed. They include 10 bosses and about 60 gunmen. Daniello is said to have confessed participation in six of the 23 murders he disclosed. Daniello was returned to Brooklyn recently from Reno, Nev., where he was arrested.

"I. and R." BILLS ARE ADOPTED.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The initiative and referendum bills were adopted for submission to the people by the state constitutional convention today.

The DeSaules trial gives the sob sisters a chance to shine, but the difficulty is that the country is too busy with other matters to pay much attention to them.—Hartford Post.

NO HERALD TOMORROW

Following its custom of many years, The Herald Printing Co. will not publish a paper tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

ALLIES AND FOES BOTH HURRY AID TO ITALY; CAMBRAI NEARER

Men and Guns Pouring Over Alpine Roads From France—Help Has Come More Quickly Than Germans Estimated—British Violently Cannonade Cambrai—German Guns Active East and Northeast of Ypres—Fontaine Notre Dame and Bourlon in Bloody Dispute.

London, Nov. 28.—The night on the Cambrai front in northern France was given over to violent cannonading.

British positions in the sector of Bourlon Wood, three miles west of the German base of Cambrai, were heavily bombarded by German guns, the war office announced at noon. There were no infantry actions.

East and northeast of Ypres the German guns were active, and British trench lines around Passchendaele were showered with shells of all calibers.

In the Cambrai sector of the Arras front the artillery activity reported by the war office followed a burst of savage hand-to-hand fighting between British and German troops for the possession of Bourlon and Fontaine Notre Dame.

Two Villages Disputed.

Violent fighting with bayonet and bomb for the possession of the villages of Fontaine Notre Dame and Bourlon, three miles west of Cambrai, was reported from northern France today.

Advices from the front told of fierce struggles among the houses of these villages, amongst storms of sleet and snow.

The Germans are constantly being reinforced, many of the fresh troops coming from the eastern front, and are evidently determined to fight to the last gasp before they give up their key position at Cambrai.

When Cambrai falls, as British military critics believe it soon will, the fate of Lens will be sealed and Lille will be in grave danger. There is every indication that another big battle is pending in Belgium.

Terrific artillery duels have been raging in the sector of Houtholst Wood, north of Passchendaele, where British and French armies have been battering the German positions with sledge hammer blows.

ENLARGING FORCES.

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London, Nov. 28.—Germany's great plan to crush Italy, as Serbia and Roumania were conquered, has ended in failure, according to belief expressed in military and diplomatic circles today.

However, the end of the struggle in northern Italy is not yet in sight, and the Germans and Austro-Hungarians can be counted upon to make even mightier efforts than they have up to date to break through the Italian lines on the Piave river and on the Asiago plateau.

Both sides are preparing for a greater struggle. Reinforcements of men and guns are pouring across the Austrian frontier into Italy to strengthen the invading hordes, while the Alpine roads leading down from France into Italy are choked with masses of French and British veterans, trains of supply wagons and long lines of artillery.

Germans' Oversight.

An oversight in two directions has helped to frustrate the carefully laid plans of the German general staff. First, they failed to count upon the true fighting spirit of the Italian soldiers; second, they failed to take into consideration the possibility of quick aid being given to the Italians by the British and French.

Even should the Italians and the French and British allies fall back to another line, the defenses of which are already being prepared, it is confidently believed that the Germans would be unable to advance farther than the Venetian plain and a line lying from Lake Garda through the mountains to Verona. Such a retirement by the Italians is not yet indicated, but even if it is made the Austro-German armies, for all their sacrifices, would dominate only the extreme northeastern corner of Italy.

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A WOMAN'S BACK

The Advice of This Manchester Woman is of Certain Value. Many a woman's back has many aches and pains. Ofttimes 'tis the kidneys' fault. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills are so effective. Many Manchester women know this. Read what one has to say about it: Mrs. G. Norton, 4 Oakland St., says: "About two years ago I used Doan's Kidney Pills for continual dull, nagging pains across my back and they certainly proved very good. Soon after I started using them the pains left entirely. Sometimes, since then, overwork has caused my back to get tired and achy. I have kept Doan's Kidney Pills on hand and they have always given me great relief."

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MANCHESTER TO SPEND THANKSGIVING QUIETLY Residents To Go To Church in the Morning or See Football Game.

ALL OUR STORES CLOSED Post Office Open Till One O'Clock—Many Turkeys Sold—No Sugar For Cranberries.

Today's snow gives the real New England Thanksgiving touch to the festivities that will mark the day in Manchester tomorrow.

Many Turkeys Sold. The local stores report many turkeys sold yesterday and today.

Unclaimed Mail. Unclaimed letters remain in the Manchester post office for the following named persons:

Dance Tonight. Hose Co. No. 1 will hold its annual dance this evening at Cheney hall.

The Recreation building will be open all day tomorrow, from 9 a.m. to 1.30 p. m.

Wonderful woman, for her age, that Sarah Bernhardt! She's still able to travel with 30 handbags and 32 trunks.

With meat going still higher the boarders will look back remorsefully on those happy days when they spoke disrespectfully of hash.

The better kind—that hot chocolate at Quinn's fountain. adv. Delectious, the hot chocolate served at Quinn's fountain. adv.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

Excellent Opportunity For a trustworthy man to establish himself with one of the greatest life insurance companies.

Belvedere Restaurant Corner of Spruce and Maple Streets French and Italian Cuisine Family Dinners Served on Orders Open from 6 a. m. to Midnight

What is Your Boy Doing Now For His Uncle Sam?

Washington, Nov. 28.—There can never be a heroic "Charge of the Light Brigade" in the present war. America's dashing cavalry is no more. It is true there are a number of cavalry units in the regular army, but they will not be detailed for foreign duty.

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

AT THE PARK. The Thanksgiving spirit fairly drips from the programs John F. Sullivan has arranged for tonight and tomorrow at the Popular Playhouse.

OUTLAW BOWLING LEAGUE. Two Birds Missing at Weekly Session Last Night.

Two birds were missing at the weekly session of the Outlaw Bowling League at the Center alleys last evening but good scores were made nevertheless.

Last night's scores follow: Parrots. J. McGonigal .79 76 77 232 Holmes .96 83 112 291

Eagles. A. Pagani .80 82 81 243 Gabby .81 89 76 246

Owls. L. Pagani .81 110 98 289 J. Chapman .87 83 72 222 Johnston .84 87 85 256

Robins. Nighthart .107 85 86 278 H. Chapman .89 81 81 251 W. McGonigal 103 84 97 284

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MRS. HOFFMAN'S CONDITION. Mrs. Samuel Hoffman of Rockville, who with her husband was struck by a train yesterday at the Parkerville crossing, is still in a critical condition at the Hartford hospital.

There is, however, a chance for Mr. Hoffman. It develops that he sustained only a severe scalp wound and not a fracture of the skull as at first reported.

Go good these cold days—the hot chocolate served at Quinn's fountain. adv.

WANTED. A capable woman for work as janitress for Cheney Brothers main office.

WANTED: You to know that we set, repair and sell window glass; any size cut to order. Hours, 6:30 to 11 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. Apply at Employment Bureau.

WANTED: Work by the day; cleaning, or any such work. Mrs. Hattie Field, 293 Spruce street.

WANTED: Counter about 15 feet long. The Herald Printing Co., Phone 126.

WANTED: Used roll top desk, in good condition at low price. Address, giving particulars and price, Desk, care Herald.

WANTED: Sorters, sizes, 12 to 18, shade tobacco, good pay. Lewis Bros., Manchester. 5012

WANTED: A waitress-chambermaid. Apply James W. Cheney, 21 Forest st. 4911

WANTED: Old False Teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 5007 So. Fifth St., Philadelphia, Pa. 46125

WANTED: Everything to know that Jack "Lucky" Margarine is sold by the Burt Company, 229 West Center street, Phone 218-12. 4715

FOUND. A gold bar pin, keystone design, on Park street. Finder, please return it to Herald branch office.

FOUND: A purse on 4300 trolley, Sunday, between 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th streets. Finder please return to 39 Ridge street.

FOUND: A place where you can have your sewing machine repaired. Hall, Moden & Co., 24 Birch street. 5012

WANTED: Ambitious Young Men To take the test for timekeeping and clerical work, Saturday at 8 a. m., at Employment Bureau of Cheney Brothers. 5112

NISTERN BURN TO DEATH. South Windham, Maine, Nov. 28.—Two sisters, Cora and Vera Jewett, 12 and 10 years old, were burned to death in their bed early today by a fire which started from a stove in the house.

PHONE YOUR ADS. FOR THE HERALD'S BARGAIN COLUMN

20 WORDS FOR 10 CENTS

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FOR SALE: Overland Model 88 Runabout, in fine condition, good tires. Price \$350. Leonard J. Richman. 48015

FOR SALE: A good work horse. Apply Mrs. A. W. Cone, Manchester Green. 5012

FOR SALE: Modern 7-room house on Church street; ideal location for party looking for quiet home; large lot. Price and terms from Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg. 5112

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TO RENT: 6-room tenement on Center street, to be vacated Dec. 7. Apply James Lassett, 214 Center street. 5012

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FOR RENT: On West Center street, house arranged for one large family or two small families. Plenty of trees and land for garden. Walker O'Leary, South Manchester. 4712

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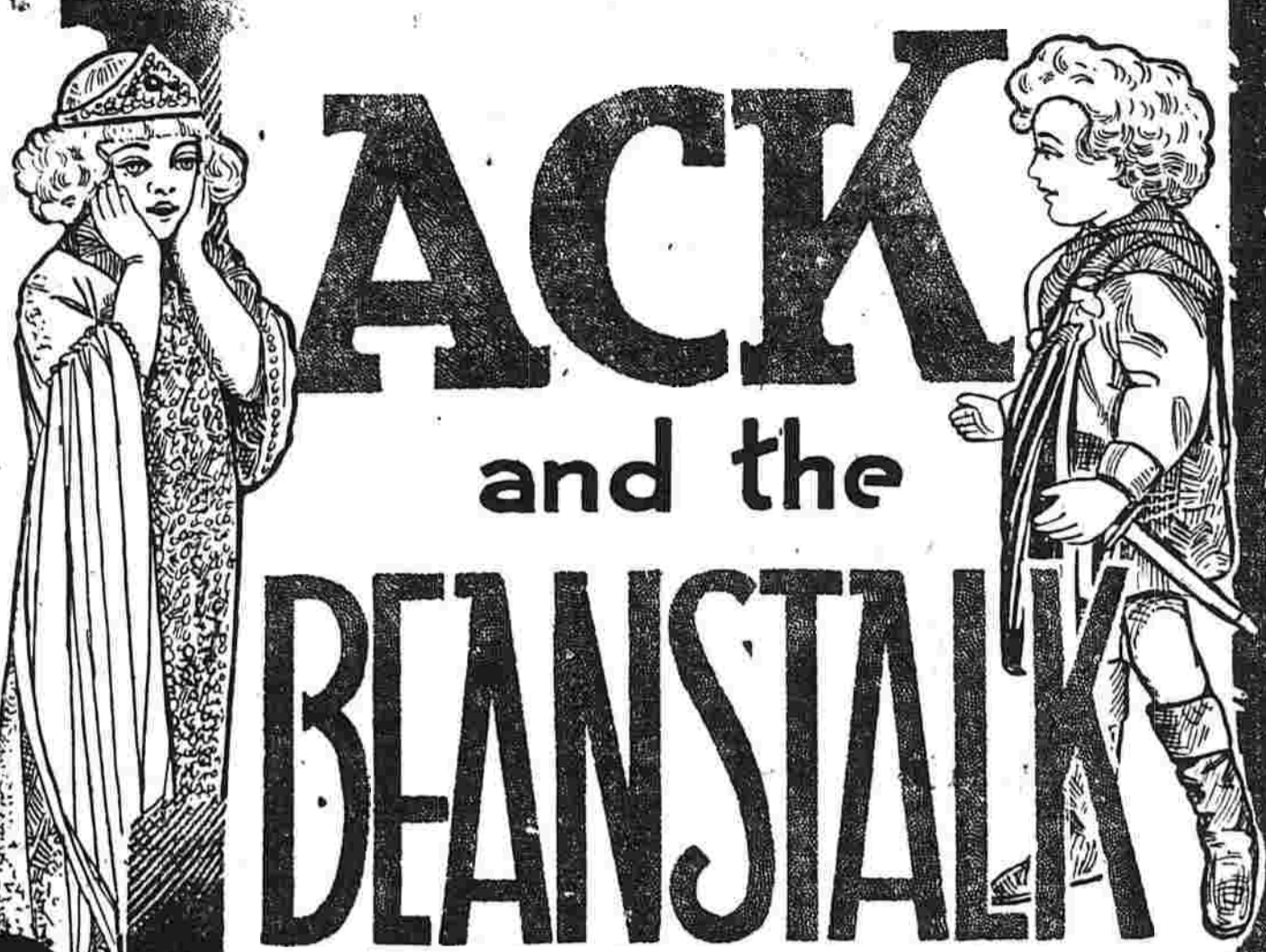
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MANY BIG WAR PROBLEMS FACE NEW CONGRESS WHICH CONVENES ON MONDAY—FOR INSTANCE

WAR PARAMOUNT AS CONGRESS CONVENES

Washington, Nov. 28.—Here are some of the important matters to be settled by Congress at the session beginning on Monday:

- Expulsion proceedings against Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin.
- New war taxes.
- Bond issues probably exceeding \$25,000,000,000.
- Peace debates.
- New draft legislation.
- Webb export bill.
- The administration civil rights bill.
- Nation-wide prohibition.
- Woman's suffrage.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Confronted by a war budget staggering the imagination, an accumulation of problems directly and indirectly related to the war surpassing in volume and importance any legislative programme in American parliamentary annals, the Sixty-fifth Congress will begin its regular session next Monday.

Politics, too, will come out of its seclusion of the past year and threaten to take a conspicuous place in the proceedings of the session. Much of the non-partisan team work which characterized the last session will disappear and the conduct of business will be shaped with an eye to the Congressional campaign soon to be launched.

The Republicans have seen many things to criticize, but they have kept silent in the concerted preparation for the great conflict. Now, having joined in giving the administration everything it wanted and professing their willingness to continue giving it everything it needs to win the war, they nevertheless will feel free to criticize methods and results.

Greater efficiency in the conduct of the war will be their keynote, their leaders say. Whether they will be able to make this a real campaign issue remains to be determined by the developments of the next few months.

Foremost in the list of legislative needs are the gigantic money bills, involving bond issues, increased war taxes and appropriations, probably exceeding the unprecedented figures of the last session.

Another Bond Issue.

Total appropriations, including loans to Allies and contract authorizations for the present fiscal year have already reached \$21,390,000,000. Senator Martin, the majority leader of the Senate and the chairman of the Appropriations Committee, has predicted that the expenditures for the next year would bring the total up to \$50,000,000,000. This would mean additional appropriations of nearly \$29,000,000,000.

One of the first bills likely to come before Congress will be a measure, authorizing another big bond issue. The bond issues and estimated revenues of the past session fell short some \$3,000,000,000 of the amount of the total appropriations, and this deficit must be met immediately.

In order to better balance the ratio of bonds and taxes the Treasury Department, it is reported, will ask the enactment of a supplementary war revenue bill. The amount of the tax bill rests with Congress for final determination, but it is said to be the wish of Administration leaders that the measure be constructed so as to provide approx-

mately \$2,500,000,000, substantially the amount of the War Revenue law passed in October.

The passage of such a bill means that heavier levies, probably a billion dollars additional, will be imposed upon war profits, and that the government will reach out into heretofore untouched sources of taxation to obtain additional revenue.

LaFollette Proceedings.

Popular interest in the Senate will be centered during the early days of the session on the outcome of the proceedings against Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, against whom charges of disloyalty, filed by Governor Burnquist and members of the Public Safety Commission of Minnesota, are pending. The action of the Senate in Senator LaFollette's case will establish a precedent for Congress in dealing with the activities of the pacifists throughout the session.

The victory of the suffragists in New York will bring the so-called Susan B. Anthony resolution to submit the question of nation-wide women's suffrage to the states into the foreground. Promise was made at the last session to give the measure a favorable position on the calendar and to permit a vote early in the session. Although the outcome of the New York election will have a powerful influence, it is still a question whether it will be sufficient to give the suffrage advocates the necessary two-thirds vote unless the administration should favor the resolution.

The House will be called upon to vote on the Sheppard resolution submitting a constitutional amendment for national prohibition to the states. The Senate has already passed the resolution with a proviso that it shall become null and void unless ratified within six years. Indications are that the House will adopt the resolution, glad of the opportunity of "passing the buck" to the states.

Soldiers "Moratorium."

The Administration will put forward a new civil rights bill, sometimes called the soldiers' and sailors' "moratorium" bill, designed to protect men in both arms of the service against the annoyance of legal complications while at war, and to prevent unscrupulous persons taking advantage of their absence in the courts. The measure sent to Congress at the last session, was believed unconstitutional and it will be presented in a somewhat changed form to meet the objections raised against it.

Several important measures relating to the draft are ready for presentation. Among these are the Chamberlain bill declaring aliens, with certain exceptions, liable to the draft. The measure has been passed by the Senate, but was held up in the House at the Administrations' request to avoid international complications. Efforts will be made to have it passed at once in order to make more than a million aliens available for the army.

NEW CLUB IS ORGANIZED BY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Called "The Columbus Club" and Will Stimulate the Social Life of the Council.

A new club has been formed in connection with Campbell council, Knights of Columbus. It has taken the name of "The Columbus Club," and its object will be to stimulate the social life and activity of the local branch of the Knights of Columbus. The membership of the new club is made up of a big percentage of the members of Campbell council, including many of the council's most active and hard-working members and it is the intention of the new organization to carry out the objects for which it was formed with the energy and vim which insure success. The meetings of the Columbus Club will be held in the assembly rooms of the Knights of Columbus in the Ferris block.

The Officers.

- President, Fred H. Wall.
- Vice President, P. J. Hutchinson.
- Recording Secretary, Walter Gorman.
- Financial Secretary, Edward Foley.
- Treasurer, P. J. O'Leary.
- Ways and Means Committee, Dr. Edward G. Dolan, Thomas J. Quish, Edward F. Taylor.
- Committee on Constitution, P. J. Hutchinson, Frank Balkner, Dr. Edward G. Dolan.
- House Committee, A. R. Campbell, chairman.

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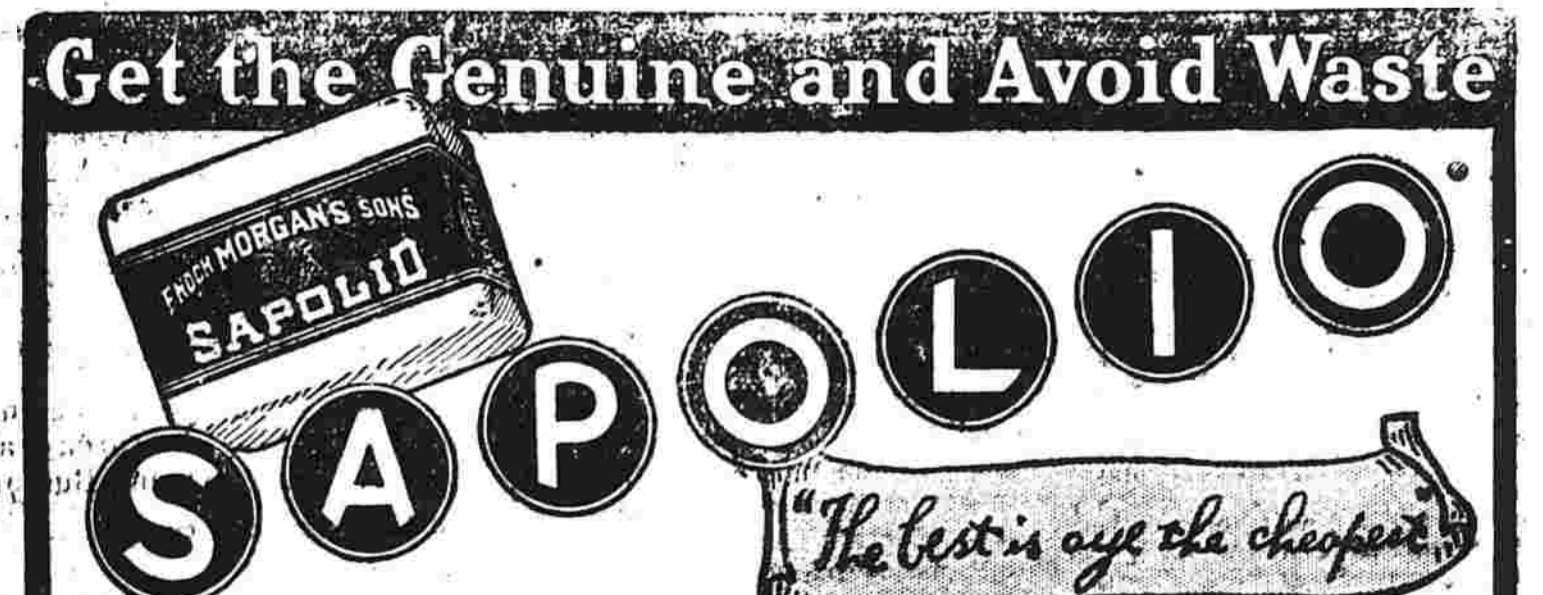
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NO HERALD TOMORROW

Following its custom of many years, The Herald Printing Co. will not publish a paper tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

REASONS TO BE THANKFUL

Americans have reason to be thankful for much that conditions of the war have brought, despite various physical unpleasantnesses, and also for much that, in the callousness of satiety, they did not fully appreciate before.

The growth of sobriety in eating and drinking, brought about by public sentiment and necessity, has brought realization of the value of good things to eat, and later is likely to result in a healthier nation.

Money-giving has come to occupy as large a place in the public eye as money-getting, and that also is worth being thankful for. Generally speaking, a brain without a heart is like a pan of coals without a fire beneath them.

Americans can be thankful that they have been mainly responsible for taking the leadership in and changing the issues of the war. It is America more than any other country that has made this a war for democracy and against the silly caste system of autocracy.

The war has brought greater unity within our borders now, and partisanship is becoming a thing of the past. Sectarian barriers of many kinds are being shown up in all their hollowness, and the country's necessity has become the mainspring of action instead of factional economic greed.

Connecticut and Manchester have particular reason to be thankful for their uninterrupted prosperity and comfort. RUSSIA'S MANY GOVERNMENTS. Absolute anarchy implies a condition in which every man is self-governing and there is no government in a social or political sense.

The only semblance of unity is that the Bolshevik control at Petrograd, Kieff and Moscow, but their control is not firm or at all complete.

For instance, in Petrograd, several of the ministries of the former Provisional government still hold office and exercise authority. It is a safe hypothesis that a similar condition obtains in Moscow and Kieff to a greater or less extent.

The Caucasus has its own Socialist parliament, and repudiates an Bolshevik control. In Siberia local revolutionary organizations have made a treaty of neutrality, and there is at least physical order.

Violent disturbances have taken place near the southern border which is under the Kieff government, and much destruction of property has resulted. Strangely enough, the Cossack territories are the most orderly.

Lithuania is in the hands of the Poles. Finland is setting up its own government.

Elections to a constituent assembly, it is true, are now in progress, and every man and woman over twenty has a vote, while eighteen is the voting age of soldiers. But even if the Bolsheviks command the largest number of votes, they may not obtain a majority.

FREE NEWSPAPER NOTICES.

The following notice appeared in a recent issue of the "Manchester Evening Herald": "Hereafter all notices for dances and social affairs of a public nature for which admis-

sion is to be charged will be considered as advertisements. Notices of this kind will be published in the heading 'Future Events,' at the rate of 10 cents per line for each insertion."

Our esteemed contemporary is to be commended for taking the above step. Eventually all newspapers, including the weeklies and semi-weeklies will follow the example set by the "Herald." There is absolutely no reason why free reading notices should be given to the various organizations or individuals conducting dances, socials and other public functions, at which a profit is expected. It's purely a commercial proposition and any notice of such events should be paid for.

The people are expected to pay who attend these events. True, there are any number of apparently well-meaning people who look on the newspaper as an "easy mark" and they have been so in the habit of working some of them that it is difficult for some publishers of newspapers to cut away from the custom of boosting everything and everybody, helping others to make money through the free use of the advertising columns.

It should stop, and nothing of a public nature, where there is a profit in it for the promoters should get into any newspaper free. The stand taken by some newspaper publishers is belittling and humiliating. If they do not respect their profession and themselves, they must not expect anybody to respect them.

The sooner the newspaper publishers take a firm stand on this all-important matter the better it will be for them and the public. No man in business today is giving away his stock in trade. Why, a newspaper? Echo answers why. It isn't business; it's utter foolishness. Stop it. Let the newspaper publishers get together to protect themselves and their profession, one of the noblest, though least appreciated on earth.—Rockville Leader.

MILK PRICES AND THE WAR.

The threat of a high official in the New England Milk Producers' association that milk at twenty-five cents a quart was coming is rapidly sinking below the horizon of possibilities. The organization, like certain others, became too powerful and too conspicuous for its own welfare, and now the government will step in. In combination with other big producers' associations marketing in New York—as it does in Boston—in Philadelphia and Chicago and Detroit, a monopoly of the milk supply in the northeast was threatened.

That now appears to be out of the question. The federal food administration has arranged for the appointment of a commission on which the "N. E. M. P. A.", the dealers and officials of the administration are to be represented, to fix the prices of milk after January 1.

The progress of the N. E. M. P. A. hasn't been as spectacular as that of the New York Dairymen's League, which also is coming under control, but it had come to the point where the association had its understanding with the chief dealers, by coercion in part, and left the public largely out of consideration.

In other words, in trying to right an obvious wrong, and to keep the producer from being driven out of business by the rising prices of feed and labor, the association went beyond itself. It even raised prices during the summer while pasturage was at its best.

How much the fact of the country's being at war has to do with the intended regulation is a question. It is more than likely that Massachusetts like New York, if not Boston, would have taken things into its own hands had the price-boosting continued much longer. A producers' monopoly would have been the logical ending of the projected understanding among the big producing associations from Chicago to Boston, and then the government would have had something to say, war or no war.

THE SUGAR SHORTAGE.

The temporary shortage of sugar has caused a good many people to change their habits, but, unlike the coal famine, it has not caused any real suffering. Some foods and drinks are less palatable without sweetening but they are no less wholesome. For the sugar which the body requires there are still plenty of sweet substitutes. Such fruits as oranges, grapes and bananas contain a good percentage of sugar. Molasses and syrups are still obtainable, and candy, sweetened cookies and biscuits are still offered for sale in apparently unlimited quantity. Sugar itself is coming along slowly. Grocers are receiving it in small quantities and are distributing it as far as it will go in pound lots. Probably within a week or two the worst of the shortage will be over.

We can see no reason for the sugar riots which are reported from some of the cities, or even for the urgent pilgrimage from store to store which some housewives are making. It is convenient to have sugar in the

THE WAR CORNER

News From Manchester Men Who Are Serving Uncle Sam on Land and Sea

THE EVENING HERALD, eager to gather every bit of news of our soldier boys, wherever they may be, invites its readers to contribute personals, portions of letters, and any information about them they may possess. Such portions of letters as are personal or which may give information to the enemy, will, of course, not be published.

A letter was received yesterday from Corporal George Glenney of the 101st Machine Gun Battalion, now "somewhere in France." Corporal Glenney says they have had no sunshine since their arrival and it is very muddy over there. A big part of their time is spent in going into woods after wood for fires.

The American soldiers, Corporal Glenney says, are unable to buy any bread, but they have some bread, which is baked by the company cooks. As in America, everything costs "like everything" over there, the price on candy being prohibitive.

Corporal Glenney speaks of the great work being done among the soldiers by the Y. M. C. A. and says he does not know what they would do without the association. They can buy candy, soda and other things there, and, as everybody now knows, it is at the Y. M. C. A. huts where the boys write their letters to the folks at home. Amusements and entertainments also are provided for the soldiers.

In speaking of conditions in France, Corporal Glenney says the women are doing about all the work. They work on the cars, in the factories and in the fields, all the able-

bodied men being at the front.

Edward Modean of Ridge street received a letter this week from his brother, Julius Modean, who enlisted a month or more ago in the Aviation Corps and is now with the 140th Aero Squadron at Park Field, Memphis, Tenn.

When Modean enlisted he was accompanied by William Barron and Paul Fitzgerald and they first went to Fort Slocum, N. Y. Fitzgerald failed to pass the examinations, but Modean and Barron were accepted and sent to San Antonio, Texas. On the way to Texas they were in a train wreck at a place called Thornton and had to wait about five hours. During the wait, the people of the town turned out and gave the soldier boys a reception and general good time, the girls bringing candy and dainties.

After being at San Antonio for a time, Modean was again transferred to Memphis, Tenn., but Barron was left behind. Modean was glad to get away from the dust down in Texas. At Memphis, they have new barracks, with hot and cold water and he likes it much better than in Texas.

MEMBERS OF INTER-ALLIED WAR COUNCIL IN PARIS.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The work of preparing for the supreme inter-Allied war council is being rushed to completion.

According to present plans the first preliminary session of the council will be held tomorrow. Among the latest arrivals were Premier Lloyd George of England and the other members of the British mission, who held a number of conferences today.

The keynote of the council will be "unity of action" and no time will be wasted in laying down decisive plans for the future conduct of the war.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to our neighbors and friends for their many words and deeds of kindness during our recent bereavement in the death of our wife and mother. We also would thank those who contributed flowers.

JAMES MCCANN AND FAMILY.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Of the Manchester Trust Company, South Manchester, Conn., at the close of business on the 20th day of November, 1917.

Assets.	
Bills discounted	\$352,502.69
Demand loans (without collateral)	139,741.65
Collateral loans (time and demand)	143,074.78
Other loans	64,300.00
Overdrafts	5,417.13
Stocks and Securities	161,206.44
Foreign coin and currency	380.14
Revenue stamp account.	34.23
Due from other banks, bankers and trust cos.	13,770.43
Due from approved reserve agents	61,453.66
U. S. and national bank notes	53,165.00
Gold coin	11,380.00
Silver coin	6,810.25
Minor coin	360.31
Checks and cash items	476.97
Other Assets—	
3 1/2 p. c. Liberty Bond account	28,516.04
4 p. c. Liberty Bond account	25,117.51
Total Assets	\$1,067,707.23
Liabilities.	
Capital stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Other undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	34,139.28
Due to banks, bankers and trust companies	14,764.72
Dividends unpaid	216.00
General deposits	833,587.23
Bills payable	60,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$1,067,707.23

The selectmen have recently inspected the walks laid in town by Contractor Potter. They were looking for defective block in order to have them replaced by the bonding company. In their tour of the town the board found but seven defective blocks which were laid by Mr. Potter. Three of these blocks were on Oakland street, three on North Main street and one on Main street. This is quite a difference in number from those walks laid by Contractor Grady. There were about 150 blocks found defective under his contract.

AGREEMENT REACHED.

The Majors and Independents reached an agreement last night relative to the percentage basis on which their football game will be played tomorrow, it being decided that the winners take 60 per cent of the receipts and the losers 40 per cent. If the weather does not interfere, the game will be played at Mt. Nebo at ten o'clock in the morning. Edward McCarthy will be the referee.

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Here are the prices:

1 Tropic Crawford	\$18.95
1 Treasure Crawford	23.00
3 Treasure Crawfords	24.50
1 Wood Crawford	26.00
1 City Glenwood, No. 14	26.00
1 Crystal Crawford	27.75
2 City Glenwoods	29.50
1 Tropic Crawford	29.75
1 Crystal Crawford	32.75

OIL HEATERS FROM \$5.50 UPWARDS.

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P. O. EXAMINATIONS.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission will hold a competitive examination at South Manchester on December 8, 1917, for the positions of clerk and carrier in the post office at South Manchester.

Applicants must have reached their 18th birthday, but not their 45th birthday, on the date of examination, and must be citizens of the United States. Male applicants must measure not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height in bare feet. No male applicant who passes the examination will be eligible for appointment either as clerk or carrier who does not weigh at least 125 pounds, without overcoat or hat. It will be inadvisable for male applicants whose normal weight is less than 125 pounds to enter the examination. Female applicants are not required to be of any specific weight or height.

Each applicant will be required to submit to the examiner on the day of examination a photograph of himself taken within two years. For pamphlet of information and the required application blank address the local secretary at the South Manchester, Conn., post office, or District secretary at Boston, with whom applications must be filed in time for him to arrange for the examination.

NOTICE OF TAX COLLECTOR.

All persons liable by law to pay taxes in the South Manchester Fire District of Manchester are hereby notified that I shall, on the 5th day of November, 1917, have a rate bill for the collection of two mills on the dollar, laid on the list of 1916, due the collector on the 5th day of November, 1917, and payable into the treasury.

I will be at No. 4 hose house, School street, November 5th and each day (Sunday excepted) from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. until December 5, 1917, for the collection of said taxes.

Take notice that the law provides that if any taxes shall remain unpaid one month after the same shall become due, interest at the rate of 9 per cent shall be charged from the time said tax becomes due until the same is paid, also lawful fees for travel or collecting after December 5, 1917.

Dated October 23, 1917. WILLIAM TAYLOR, Collector.

I'm Thankful--

That the Demon Rum got soundly trounced at the last town election.—The Local "Drys."

Ditto—The Saloon Keepers out Bolton and Rockville way.

That invalids make up the Benedicts' bowling team on the Herald force.—The Bachelors.

That the "Boy Bandits" are gone for good from Manchester.—Chief Gordon.

That I'm over 31 years of age.—The Conscientious Objector.

That we've had a moderate fall and late winter.—The Coal Shovel Brigade.

That I don't use sugar in my coffee.—The Exceptional Man.

That the cross town run is not more popular to the older employees.—Gus Waltz.

That there are not many more trees in Manchester in the way of sidewalks.—The Board of Selectmen.

That the Selectmen's meetings don't come more often.—Clerk George Waddell.

That we haven't been forced to put on our heavy winter coats yet.—The Police Force.

That Manchester's got a Hotel de Gink at last.—General Bum.

That we haven't got to eat a three dollar dinner this year.—Chamber of Commerce members.

That we've got a place to spend our nights.—Members of the Recreation Center.

That Christmas is coming.—The Little Kids.

That I've got a good team this year for the basketball season.—Manager McKay of the High School.

That the position of guard on the basketball team doesn't require much running around.—Winfred Fox of the High school team.

That I can't find a football suit to fit me.—"Dick" Tinker.

That I can shoot pool some times.—"Jackie" Hayes.

That business is not so rushing but what I can find time to read two or three magazines a day.—"Dinny" Murphy.

That the Majors are not a bit heavier.—The Independents.

That the people turned out so well at the Second Liberty Loan parade.—Frank Anderson.

That turkeys are so dear they ain't sending them by mail.—Tom Quish.

That Manchester is dry.—Judge Arnett.

That Cheney Brothers are building tenements.—The Homeless Rent Seekers.

That I was able to buy that flock of turkeys.—John F. Sullivan.

That Manchester is still the 100 per cent. plus town.—Everybody in Town.

That the Circle is still getting the big ones.—Robert E. Carney.

That Cambridge street has been improved.—The Pinehursters.

That the price of water has not yet gone up.—The Consumer.

That my soldier boys are so prompt on drill nights.—Captain Rich.

That the people don't beg me for the best cut of turkeys and chickens.—Bill Clegg.

That we don't have to work tomorrow.—The Herald Staff.

That corned beef tastes as good as turkey and is not so expensive.—The Great Majority.

That The Herald bowlers don't use my alleys oftener or my gutters would be ruined.—Manager Kesh.

That I'm not on the force these cold nights.—Frank Quish.

That my IVD. runs some of the time.—Benny Haskell.

That the Paramount scouts have not located me yet.—Page Potter.

That we haven't Kaiser Wilhelm to tell us who's who and what's what.

That we have enough sunshine to keep our dispositions bright and not compel us to ask for "a place in the sun."

That turkey isn't the only meat worth surrounding.

That the Huns have bitten off more than they can chew in northern Italy.

That Lloyd George is at the helm in England.

That the Allies, like the nation, are working more and more together for the war.

That the airplane has received a development from the war that would have required a generation without it. The United States, Great Britain, France and Italy have each and all mapped out air routes for mail by airplane.

Why Gamble With Your Health?



Did you not wish, when you started for work this morning, that you had a good pair of Rubbers to wear? On arriving at your work you found that your feet were wet. You are taking a big chance of getting pneumonia.



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DE SAULLES THREATENED HIS WIFE, MAID SAYS

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saw the tragedy, did not weep." He was referring to Marshal Ward, chum of Jack de Saulles, who testified he was a witness to the shooting.

The maid's most damaging statement was that "de Saulles acted as though he was going to strike her 'meestress' just before the shots were fired."

Try as he may the district attorney could not shake her from this testimony.

D. Stewart Iglehart, of Roslyn, to whom Mrs. de Saulles appealed on the night of the shooting to accompany her to the de Saulles home as the first witness called today.

A Telephone Call.

He told of a telephone call from Mrs. de Saulles asking him to accompany her in which he testified she said:

"I have just heard little Jack is being put to bed at 'The Box,' (the de Saulles country home) and that his father is at the Meadowbrook Club. I must go over and bring my boy home."

The object of the defense in this testimony was primarily to show that the defendant did not expect to meet her husband when she went after the boy.

Defendant's Sister Testifies.

Amalia Errazuriz, 27, sister of the defendant was called on to tell of the injury received by the defendant in an automobile accident in Chile in 1915.

The defense contends that the injury on the head subsequently resulted in a diseased brain which brought about temporary lapses of memory. Mrs. de Saulles was thrown from the car and struck on her head, the witness said. The witness was strikingly picturesque, in a large black picture hat and a close fitting dress, topped with a high flaring collar, which opened low in front.

She told of how the child, Jack de Saulles, Jr., returned from the de Saulles home and often repeated these words to his mother:

"Oh, I forgot 'Booby,' (the nurse employed at the de Saulles home) told me I should not love you any more. She told me I should be bad."

The defense succeeded in bringing out the fact that the defendant suffered from chronic headaches, inferring they dated from the automobile injury.

Mineola, L. I., Nov. 28.—With promises by Judge Manning of probable night sessions and the possibility of holding court on Thanksgiving Day as well as next Saturday, opposing counsel in the trial of Mrs. Blanca de Saulles, charged with the murder of her husband, Jack de Saulles, speeded up today.

Judge Manning is decidedly displeased over what he terms "inexcusable delay". After learning that 24 witnesses in all are to be introduced, the court was convinced the trial would be out of the way by Thanksgiving.

The defense is ready to introduce five additional witnesses today before bringing in its expert testimony. The testimony of three expert alienists will be used in further support of the theory of temporary irresponsibility.

To Use Alienists.

The prosecution also will introduce three alienists who have been watching the defendant for three days and who, it is understood, are ready to give damaging testimony against the lapse of memory theory.

The counsel for the defense contends that the testimony of the defendant completed yesterday afternoon, was a ten strike. It was pointed out that she clung tenaciously to the "lapse of memory" story as to leave no doubt as to the condition of her mind.

Mrs. de Saulles stood the grueling cross examination remarkably well. After being on the witness stand for nearly two whole days, she walked to her seat with the sprightly step of a school girl of 15.

Attorney Uterhart, counsel for the defense, plans to conclude the testimony of the three alienists by putting them a hypothetical question of approximately 10,000 words.

The question will embrace practically all of the important testimony regarding the condition of the mind of the defendant, ending with the query, "If you knew such evidence had been introduced and if such were the acts of the defendant would you hold that she was of sound mind when the act was committed."

It is a foregone conclusion their answer will be "No." Should the plan of the court be realized, the case will be ready for jury consideration probably Saturday night, and in all events, not later than next Monday.

8 SUFFRAGE PRISONERS RELEASED IN CAPITAL

President Believed to Have Ordered Their Freedom—Entertained by Compatriots at Cameron House.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The eight suffrage prisoners who remained in jail when 22 militants were released yesterday were unconditionally freed today.

The women released today and the sentences they were serving:

Miss Maude Jamison, seven months, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. C. T. Robertson, 30 days, Salt Lake City; Mrs. R. B. Quay, 30 days, Salt Lake City; Miss May Jungling, 30 days, Buffalo; Mrs. George Scott, 30 days, Montclair, N. J.; Miss Dorothy Day, 30 days, New York; Miss Ella Findelsen, 30 days, Lawrence, Mass.; and Miss Hilda Blumberg, 15 days, New York.

Advance notice that the women were to be released was given the headquarters of the militants and they were met with automobiles. Then they were hurried to Cameron House, where an informal reception was held and tea and cocoa served to the released prisoners. The prisoners believed President Wilson himself was responsible for their release.

HIST! HIST!

Here is a Real Dark Plot For a Drama.

Customer enters grocery store in search of sugar.

"I would like a half dollars' worth of sugar," he said. The clerk looked at the customer somewhat surprised at the request and with a sarcastic smile tells him that he is very sorry but that they are all out.

The proprietor, who heard the request, knowing that the man is a good customer and leaves him a good many dollars in the year saw at a glance that the man will be very much offended and manages to get his eye. He gave him a knowing wink and the customer got "wise" at once.

The proprietor took him to one side and very confidentially told him that he could not give him a half dollars' worth all at one time but would accommodate him with two pounds. When he requested the customer to wait for a few minutes until some of the other customers who had heard the request have left the store. Finally the proprietor disappears in the back room and emerges with a small bag in which two pounds of sugar is hidden and sneaks it to his man as though it was being stolen. The man paid his 24 cents and went home happy.

TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER OF RUSS CITIZENS.

Copenhagen, Nov. 28.—Terrible slaughter resulted from fighting between the Bolshevik forces and loyal troops at Kiev and Moscow, it was stated in dispatches received here today. About 200 persons were killed at Moscow, including nearly 150 army officers, it was reported, while twice that number were slain at Kiev.

NORWALK CARPENTERS WANT MORE.

Norwalk, Nov. 28.—Norwalk journeymen carpenters, last night, ratified a new scale of wages to be submitted to the bosses, to go into effect on April 1, 1918. The new scale calls for sixty two and a half cents an hour for an eight hour day. The present scale calls for 50 cents an hour.

FIRST WHITE THANKSGIVING.

Philadelphia, Nov. 28.—Philadelphia will have a white Thanksgiving this year for the first time in 18 years. The snow, which made its appearance last night, fell to a depth of several inches.

FIRST SNOW IN BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, Nov. 28.—For the first time this season Baltimore streets were covered with snow this morning. The fall began last night and continued till early this morning.

Lieut.-Gen. Sir Julian Byng is in command of the British forces that are smashing the Hindenburg line. Putting the bing into the attack, as it were.—Waterbury Republican.

Railroads say they are willing to provide cars for coal. Now, if someone can be found to provide coal for the cars we may be saved the necessity of sewing newspapers on our bed-clothing this winter.—Brooklyn Standard Union.



PAY A DOLLAR A WEEK. NO "EXTRA" COSTS.



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For every man, woman and child—those who are going away for the holiday and those who are going to stay at home and entertain—we offer the needed garments. No Money Down!

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Odds and Ends of Month's Business Transacted—Star Chamber Session Part of Evening.

Alex Duncan of Bissell street was appointed superintendent and sexton of the East cemetery at a special meeting of the board of selectmen last night. It is understood that Mr. Duncan is not to go into the headstone business. The position will pay Mr. Duncan \$20 a week.

Last night's session was carried on for the larger part of the evening in secret. The Main street question was discussed with Attorney Arnott and newspaper reporters were refused admission.

After the executive session the reporters were admitted and routine business was taken up. Wm. Spencer complained that a dog had killed a large turkey belonging to him and the board voted to pay young Spencer \$5.

Capt. Campbell of the police force had some valuable capons killed by dogs but because of his failure in having some one of the selectmen see the birds 24 hours after the killing he cannot be paid for them.

Abram Orenstein, keeper of the town dump as well as a yard that is a nuisance to his neighbors, was put on trial. Aaron Johnson, who was a special committee for the board to investigate conditions at the Orenstein property questioned the man. After some discussion Orenstein promised to clean up his yard. If it is not cleaned by the first of January his contract as dump keeper will be taken away from him.

A communication was received from the board of police commissioners asking that a special town meeting be called at the time of the next regular town meeting. The commission wishes authority to act on certain traffic laws.

The town needs some new dump carts. The old carts are nearly worn out. This matter was referred to the highway committee with power.

The State Highway Commissioner has agreed to fix building lines on state highways through the town when the local board petitions him to do so.

Frank Quish was reappointed constable to fill the vacancy made by himself. Quish failed to give his bond in on time. Thus the position was made vacant.

The state notified the town that its allotment for state aid roads would be \$2200.

A special meeting will be held by the board on Friday, Dec. 7, after noon and evening along with the regular December meeting. The special meeting will be for the purpose of hearing property owners on Spruce street regarding sidewalks.

MOVIES' HANDSOMEST MAN IS SUEED.

Baltimore, Nov. 28.—H. Holton Crowell, of Pithburg, Mass., has filed a suit in the circuit court at Towson, Md., against Francis X. Bushman, the movie actor, claiming \$1,200, the price alleged to have been agreed upon for the purchase of two dogs. The declaration avers that the dogs were sold to Mr. Bushman last September and were delivered at Thaca, N. Y.

Mr. Bushman's reason for refusing to pay for the dogs is not disclosed in the declaration.

It would serve Daniels and Baker right not to get any slippers for Christmas, after what they have said about the soldiers' and sailors' sweaters.—New London Day.

PAN-GERMAN PARTY IN SADDLE AGAIN, LOOKING TO PREPARATION FOR FUTURE WARS—A NEW BOOK

The Hague, Nov. 28.—With Germany facing inevitable defeat in the great world conflict now raging, Prussian militarists are already looking forward to the "next war."

There is a big question whether the German people will be in a frame of mind after this war to tolerate preparations for another holocaust of arms, even if the Entente governments would permit it.

Nevertheless indications are filtering out of Germany that the war lords, both great and small, are looking, even at this time, when Europe runs red blood, into the future with belligerent glances.

An insight into the war-sodden minds of Prussian militarists is given by a book just published in Germany called "Deductions From the World War", a copy of which was received here today from Berlin.

New Book For Preparedness.

It is written by Lieutenant General Baron von Freytag-Loringhoven, who was quarter-master general of the German army when General von Falkenhayn was chief of the German general staff. General von Freytag is now stationed in Berlin as deputy chief to the general staff. His book breathes blood-and-thunder preparedness.

After arguing that the German army must be expanded after the present conflict is over Freytag continues:

"We shall have to continue to pursue this road in the future quite apart from the necessary increase in garrison artillery and technical troops. Moreover, when the number of those who have fought in the great war has fallen away, we shall have to aim at subjecting at least to a cursory training the men of military age who are at first rejected, but who, in the course of war, have turned out to be fit for service, so that when war breaks out they may form a generous source of reserves. Only so can we arrive at a real people's army in which every one has gone through the school of the standing army."

As to Future Wars. "What is the use of all this? it may be asked. Will not the general exhaustion of Europe after the world conflagration put the danger of a new war in the background and does not this terrible murder of peoples point inevitably to disarmament to pave the way to permanent peace? The reply is that no one can undertake to guarantee a long period of peace. Lasting peace is guaranteed only by strong armaments. Moreover, world power is inconceivable without striving for expression of power in the world and consequently for sea power.

General von Freytag then argues for a greater German navy to cope on the sea with the increase of the army on land. He says:

"Should Maintain Wars. In the future, as in the past, the German people will have to seek firm cohesion in its glorious army and in its be-laurelled young fleet. Our business is to maintain the fundamental ideas of war as they lived in the German army up to 1914, to soak them in the experiences of the present war and to make the fullest technical use of them. But we must do all this without giving an entirely new direction to our thinking on strategy and tactics."

"Still Ready For War."

The last chapter of the book is called "Still ready for war" and ar-

gues that Germany must be ready to plunge into fresh conflict after the present whirlwind of bloodshed and horror is over. Von Freytag expresses the opinion that because of Germany's position in Europe and in world politics "German soldiers must reject all ideas of pacifism and internationalism."

"Germany did not have hearty enough armaments on land and sea when the present war began," writes von Freytag, "and this must be remedied in the future. More money will be unconditionally required to equip the Fatherland as she should be equipped."

In one chapter on "Training" the writer says that the sports of German boys must be utilized for military purposes and that the military training must be continued.

LEONARD MEETS KIRKE AT DENVER TONIGHT.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 28.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, meets Sailor Kirke in a 10-round bout at the Stock Yards Stadium here tonight.

Leonard announced today that he was getting in great shape. Kirke has been training hard for tonight's affair and his friends declare the champion will get a surprise when he tackles the Rocky Mountain title holder.

A large portion of the receipts of the bout will go toward the war fund of the Elks. Delegations from Wyoming, Oklahoma and New Mexico were pouring into the city and 10,000 persons will witness the match.

SIX DUTCHMEN DROWN WHEN LAUNCH TOPPLES OVER.

Baltimore, Nov. 28.—Overturning of their gasoline launch early today threw 15 members of the crew of a Dutch vessel into the harbor, six of them drowning. The others were rescued by the tugboat Uncle Sam. The men were returning to their ship from shore. The accident happened aboard of Thompson's Sea Girt House, about five miles from Baltimore. The bodies of the drowned men were recovered and taken to the city morgue. It is not known exactly what caused the accident. One report says the launch sprang a leak. Another report says the engine stalled; that, without its power the boat began to wallow in the waves and that, while attempts were made to keep it righted, it turned over.

PLENTY OF SUGAR IN COLORADO.

New York, Nov. 28.—F. G. Bonfils of Denver, Colo., one of the owners of the Denver Post and the Kansas City Post, expressed surprise at the sugar situation in the East. "I thought," he said, "that the whole thing was a joke until I came to New York." The warehouses in Colorado are filled with sugar, but there is a shortage of freight cars. Colorado, by January 1, will have more than eight hundred million pounds of sugar in warehouses.

2,500 STRIKE IN BOSTON.

Boston, Nov. 28.—In order to enforce their demands for a five per cent increase in wages 2,500 members of the cigarmakers' union refused to return to their work today following an ultimatum sent to the manufacturers last Wednesday.

STATE UNDERMINES THE SUICIDE THEORY

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examined as to the orders he was given by Gaston B. Means as to the preparing of Mrs. King's body. The state attempted to show that Means evinced haste in the disposal of Mrs. King's body.

Captain Bingham Called.

Captain W. S. Bingham is the sole member of the fated party who has been called to appear for the state. Bingham offered testimony that he went with the defendant, Mrs. King and Afton Means to Blackwelder Springs to shoot at targets. He told of wandering away from the party "to shoot a rabbit." Then as he turned to join the party he met Afton Means, and in a moment they heard a shot and Gaston Means called "come here quick Afton, Maude has shot herself."

The state hopes to bring out condemning evidence from Captain Bingham on cross examination.

The state has thirty witnesses to offer and it is expected it will take them several days to present their case.

T. Canslo, attorney for the defense, was at his best and his cross-examination was gruelling and pitiless.

Mrs. King's Sister Appears.

For the first time Mrs. Marie C. King, sister of Mrs. King, appeared in court. She was heavily veiled and sat beside the defendant with bowed head.

Dr. John McFayden told of the bringing of the dead body of Mrs. King to the Concord hospital. He testified that Mrs. King was not only shot in the head but her left ankle was broken, which he believed was caused by a sudden turning of the ankle.

When the defense produced the clothes offered by the Means' family as those worn by Mrs. King on the night of her death, Dr. McFayden could not identify them. He said Mrs. King wore a purplish gray gown. The dress produced was brown.

PUTTING BARBED WIRE DEFENSE ABOUT PIERS.

New York, Nov. 28.—With 120 soldiers of the regular army guarding the Southern Pacific and Chesapeake piers on the North River, erection of barbed wire defenses around the big piers began today.

The placing of regular army guards around the Chelsea and Southern Pacific piers is only the initial action in the government's intention to put the entire New York water front under martial law. The number of soldiers will be increased as rapidly as the barred zone is extended.

Enemy aliens residing in, or employed in the barred zones here are leaving as quickly as possible, it was stated today.

In this city also the Kreisler concert appears to be "on the Fritz."—New York Daily News.

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NO HERALD TOMORROW

Following its custom of many years, The Herald Printing Co. will not publish a paper tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

ABOUT TOWN

TONIGHT IN MANCHESTER.

Hose Company No. 1 social, Cheney hall.
Grange, Thompson's bungalow. Memorial Lodge, K. of P., Orange hall.

Manchester Lodge of Moose, Forsters' hall.
Sons of St. George, Tinker hall.
Park theater, turkey distribution.
Circle theater, Marguerite Clark in "Still Waters."

Lighting Up Time.
Auto lamps should be lighted at 4:52 p. m.
The sun rose at 6:55 a. m.
The sun sets at 4:22 p. m.

A union Thanksgiving service will be held at the North Methodist church this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Selectman W. B. Rogers is around town again after an illness which kept him at home for fourteen days. Auditors Porter and Limerick were busy at the Hall of Records going over the town books.

Town Engineer J. Frank Bowen was confined to his home yesterday because of illness.

Mrs. C. A. Jones of Depot square has gone to Jersey City to spend Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Hoffman.

Money is going fast and the town needs more of it. The selectmen voted to borrow \$10,000 more last night.

Signs are to be placed at all the railroad crossings in town in keeping with a recent law. The railroad company is to furnish the signs and the town must place them and maintain them.

Rev. Charles M. Calderwood of the North Congregational church returned last evening from Lee, Mass., where he spent two days. Mr. Calderwood has accepted a call to the First Congregational church of that town.

James Schaub of the City Restaurant has received a letter from Henry McCann who is now in France. McCann is a member of the 101st Machine Gun Battalion which was formerly stationed at Niantic. McCann said that the trip over was quiet. He reports London as being "some city." He says that they got a great reception when they landed. The letter was written in a Y. M. C. A. camp.

The continued hearing of the assault case in which Mecca Stets was stabbed in the face by John Preshevolke ten days ago, will come up for trial in the police court tomorrow morning. Attorney Harry M. Burke will represent the accused. In the trial Monday, Stets apparently forgot all he knew about the affair as he was unable to talk English. An interpreter will be on hand tomorrow morning to assist him in telling his story.

According to the state register there are today in Manchester 692 automobiles that are used for pleasure. There are also 105 commercial cars, 98 motorcycles and 35 additional motorcycles with side-car attachments. This is an increase over that of last year.

The trolley company will not run special cars to Hartford or Rockville tonight to accommodate the thrifty ones. However, the company has made arrangements whereby every husky conductor and motor-man will be made a trolley policeman in order to take care of the more hilarious ones coming home.

The demand for turkeys for Thanksgiving has been much less this year than formerly. That is what the marketmen say. Most of them did not stock up with turkeys but just bought the birds on order. It is almost impossible to buy the native turkeys. Most people have been satisfied to make home chickens the special dish for the Thanksgiving dinner.

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OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

The Swedish Gymnastic club, the men's class, will meet on Friday evening at the Recreation building.

This weather would pass very well for Christmas time rather than for Thanksgiving.

The Manchester post office will close at noon tomorrow for the remainder of the day.

The annual ball of Hose Co. No. 1 will be held in Cheney hall this evening.

Now the shovel brigade will have to get busy in keeping the concrete sidewalks free from snow.

This is the first Thanksgiving eve that Manchester has been without the saloons in a period of ten years.

Oscar Swanson, formerly employed by O. F. Toop, has been assisting at the store during the Thanksgiving rush trade.

Otto Nelson has returned to his work in the spinning mill office, having been out for two weeks, following an operation for the removal of his tonsils.

Raymond Johnson, a graduate of the South Manchester High school, and the Boston Law School, has opened a law office in the Cheney block.

All the men in the employ of the town will have a holiday tomorrow. That means that the business at the Hall of Records will be suspended for Thanksgiving.

Have you tried to buy any sugar in town recently? If you have and were successful then it would be advisable to take a half hour off and shake hands with yourself.

Chester Wilson, who has been training at the Pelham Park naval training station, has been transferred to a coast patrol boat. He spent the past week at his home in town.

It was reported about the middle of the forenoon yesterday that a local grocery store had received a barrel of sugar. The news spread rapidly and by noon all the sugar was gone.

The trolley cars were late again last night. One car burned out its fuses in Rockville and it had to be towed back to the barns. When the crippled car reached Love Lane there was a tie-up.

Ralph Thrall who is a second lieutenant at the Plattsburg training camp is among the soldier boys who are home for the holiday. He has recently been commended for a second lieutenant in the cavalry.

The town road force is giving Spruce street, from Birch street to Charter Oak street, a course of trap rock. This street has been very much improved and is now one of the best in town.

Ernest Brown is visiting at his home on Main street. He is instructor in Latin at the Lake Mohogah school near Peekskill, N. Y. When he left there yesterday morning it was just 15 degrees below zero. He will return to his work tomorrow evening.

At the rummage sale held yesterday in the Ferris block by the members of the Woman's Foreign and Home Missionary Society of the South Methodist church, over \$75 was cleared. There was brisk business all through the day and almost every article was sold.

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SUGAR CAUSES RIOT.

Derby, Nov. 28.—A big crowd of women and a few men today stormed a local store which got in four barrels of sugar last night. The windows were broken and a door smashed before the police, who were called, could control the crowd. A small boy was injured by the breaking glass.

Thanksgiving suggestion—Apollo, Huyler's, Page & Shaw's and Farm House Chocolates at the Balch & Brown Pharmacy. Adv.

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HECKLERS WANTED.

Old English Custom to Be Introduced at Open Forum.

The ambition of the Manchester Single Tax Club is to introduce hecklers at their Open Forum meetings, each Sunday afternoon in the Parish house of the Center church. It has been said that heckling in England educated more persons than the textbooks in the schools. In open meetings in the old country no speaker, from the highest to the lowest, speaks without someone in the audience trying to stump him on his remarks. This causes good natured debates that are educational and bring out the subject clearer to the remainder of the audience.

On Sunday, as previously announced, Rev. Dr. Hesselgrave will speak on "Democracy and Free Speech." The Sunday following, Dec. 9, C. M. Gallup of West Hartford will make an address on "Tagging the Tax Dodgers." This will be an explanation of the Somers System of Taxation which will be given a try out in that town. On the Sunday following, Frederick Duffy will speak on "The War and What Sacrifices We Must Make to Win It."

These Open Forum meetings will be held each Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and all are welcome. There will be a different speaker and a different topic each Sunday during the winter months. Any subject may be discussed. Admission is free.

EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League was held last evening at the North Methodist church when four new members were received into the league. A short program was rendered after the annual reports had been read. A "Mystery Tea" was the feature of the program.

The League is preparing to entertain members of the Manchester District League at the meeting to be held at the North Methodist church on December 5.

The next monthly meeting of the League which falls on Christmas will be held on December 18.

EPIDEMIC OVER.

The whooping cough epidemic, which has been prevalent in Manchester for several weeks past, is clearing up satisfactorily and is now considered well under control. Most of the cases have been at the south end, there being about 100 school children in the Ninth district afflicted with the disease. Very few new cases have developed during the present week and about a dozen children have recovered and been readmitted to the schools.

There have been about a dozen cases in the Eighth district and probably not more than two or three cases in the outlying districts.

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The new government thrift plan is arousing attention all over the country. The plan is a Liberty Loan on a small scale. The money put into the thrift plan will help lick the kaiser as much as the money put into Liberty bonds.

The plan has been put in the hands of a state committee whose duty it is to "put the plan across." Howell Cheney of this town is the chairman of the state committee.

Briefly, the plan is this: Thrift stamps are to be sold for 25 cents each. Anyone who wishes can get a government thrift card holding sixteen of these stamps. When all the spaces are filled, that is, when \$4 has been invested in thrift stamps, the card may be exchanged by the payment of a few cents for a \$5 war savings certificate stamp, and a new card will be issued with spaces for twenty of these \$5 stamps. The holder may then start a second thrift card.

During the month of January, 1918, the payment required for a \$5 stamp, in addition to the \$4 invested, will be 12 cents, and this will increase one cent each month during the year 1918. The plan is based on 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly, and the investment is for five years. On January 1, 1923, the government will pay \$5 for each stamp which individuals had bought at a cost of \$4 plus a few cents. The war savings certificate may be turned into money at any time prior to the date

of maturity, and the holder will receive back the money invested together with a slightly smaller interest payment.

An active campaign for the sale of these stamps, which may be obtained at any post office or a number of other places which will be announced later, is to begin at once in this state, and it is hoped by Mr. Cheney that in this, as in all other war activities to date, Connecticut will set the pace for the whole nation.

A. E. BOWERS BUSY.

Still Getting Speakers for Patriotic Rallies.

A. E. Bowers is still busy gathering speakers for state-wide war rallies. It is the plan of the Council of Defense to hold rallies in every village, town and city in the state. These rallies will be held in the smaller towns first. It is the belief of Mr. Bowers, who is the chairman of the Speakers' Bureau, that the large towns and cities have had enough of the rallies. They have had war enthusiasm pumped into them rather strongly and it is feared that they will tire of the rallies. It is expected that another large rally will be held in Hartford some time in January. Manchester's date has not as yet been chosen. Two or three prominent men must be secured for every place where a rally is to be held. This necessitates a great deal of communication.

Mr. Bowers does a large part of his work by telephone. He has a complicated system arranged for placing the different speakers. The large amount of work connected with this office keeps Mr. Bowers at the state capitol almost all his time. Many times he is forced to work into the evening.