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FRENCH STRENGTHEN LOCRE GAINS—BAKER TO PROPOSE ARMY OF 3,000,000 MEN TODAY'S CASUALTIES 72—MARINE INSURANCE TO BE CUT; SUBMARINE FAILING

3,000,000 IN NEW U. S. ARMY PLANNED

Secretary of War Baker Will Urge Increase Next Monday—That Number is Minimum—2,000,000 More Auxiliary and Replacement Troops Would Be Necessary

Washington, May 1.—An American army of 3,000,000 combatant troops will be asked of Congress by Secretary of War Baker, when he appears in Capitol Hill next Monday to tell what he now finds necessary to make American arms successful in Europe, it was learned today. The whole question of increasing the American fighting strength has been thrashed out by the President and the entire cabinet details at yesterday's very minute sessions. It is expected that the Administration is now convinced, very largely through observations by the War Secretary during his tour of the battle front.

A fighting total of 3,000,000 would involve a total army establishment of approximately 5,000,000 men, it is pointed out. There would have to be 1,600,000 auxiliary and replacement troops and about 500,000 others for emergencies.

Already there are before Congress bills providing for drafts that would bring these totals, and it is doubted if any serious opposition to Baker's plan will develop, although details may be contested.

RIVER SHAD RUNNING BEST IN SEVERAL YEARS

Many Good Catches from Connecticut—Hadlyme Reports 40 to 50 to Net—1,500 at One Haul.

Saybrook, May 1.—The best run of Connecticut river shad in years is reported by fishermen who began hauling their nets last midnight, continuing the fishing through the early morning hours in a down-pour of rain.

At Hadlyme and other points it is reported that the shad were running from 40 to 50 to the net, which is considered excellent considering the fact that under the new law the fishing could not be begun at sundown as in previous seasons.

Ames & Bushnell, of Westbrook, reported this morning one of the largest catches in 25 years in their pounds of Salt Island, near the mouth of the river, 1,500 shad being taken at one haul.

MAN NAILED IN STORE WHEN HE DENIES DEBT.

Martinsville, Ind., May 1.—When Constable Frank Owen went to Hall, near here, to enforce a judgment of \$84.88 on M. C. McMorris, a drug-gist, McMorris denied both debt and possession of the store, it is said. So Owen just nailed up the door with the proprietor on the inside and returned to this city.

NATHAN STRAUS SLIGHTLY HURT

New York, May 1.—Nathan Straus, millionaire philanthropist, was struck by an automobile here today but declined medical attention. He was slightly bruised.

BUY ANOTHER BOND!
HELP MANCHESTER
DOUBLE ITS QUOTA
TODAY'S LIBERTY
LOAN TOTAL SALES
\$748,300

U-BOATS MUCH LESS EFFECTIVE, INSURANCE RATES TO BE REDUCED

War Risks Bureau to Lower
Them to Below 3 Per
Cent.

DIRECTOR TELLS HOUSE COMMITTEE THE FA

Washington, May 1.—The effectiveness of German U-boats against American cargo ships has been greatly reduced that a new reduction in marine insurance rates will be announced by the War Risk Insurance Bureau, probably late this afternoon.

"The U-boats simply are not getting the ships," William A. Delaney, director of the War Risk Insurance Bureau, told the House interstate and foreign commerce committee today. "That is the fact and it reflects an enormous amount of credit on the wonderful convoy system perfected by the Navy Department."

Since the formation of the war risk insurance bureau Delaney said it had made \$17,000,000 net profits. This had been possible in the face of a constant reduction in marine insurance rates. Starting at 6½ per cent the rate has now been reduced to three per cent, and it was learned, is slated for still further reduction.

Delaney spoke in favor of amendments to the War Risk Insurance Act which would permit the insurance of the shipping of friendly neutrals, as well as that of the United States, and its co-belligerents. This was necessary, he said, because American insurance companies, deprived of the assistance formerly given by the German companies operating in the United States, are not able to take care of the business.

MADE LORD JUSTICE.

London, May 1.—The Right Hon. Henry E. Duke, former secretary for Ireland, has been appointed a Lord Justice of the Appeal Court, it was learned today.

ALLIES' VARDAR RIVER ATTACK FAILS.

Berlin, (Via London), May 1.—An Allied attack, delivered between Lake Dolran and the Vardar river, broke down, according to an official report on Balkan operations issued by the German war office.

DRAFTED MEN LEAVE.

With but the immediate relatives present, our drafted men left early today for Fort Slocum. Several of the local men were sent to the Mechanics' School in Boston.

LESS THAN HALF BILLION REMAINS TO COMPLETE LIBERTY LOAN MINIMUM

Every State in Minneapolis District Has Subscribed Quota—Every County Has Topped Share Is Claim—Slackers Being Rounded Up.

Washington, May 1.—Less than \$500,000,000 remains to be subscribed to bring the third Liberty Loan up to the minimum quota of \$3,000,000,000. Actual subscriptions based upon returns received from the 12 federal reserve districts since last night were announced by the Treasury Department today as totalling \$2,509, 814,600.

That the drive is gathering force in the closing days is indicated by large daily news being recorded and Treasury officials were decidedly hopeful that the \$3,000,000,000 minimum would be exceeded by a large sum.

Every state in the Minneapolis district has subscribed its quota, it was officially announced, and the Minneapolis Federal Reserve Bank is unofficially claiming that every county in the district has topped its quota.

The remaining days of the drive will be spent in a thorough round-up of the slacker dollars. Every pledge is being run down by the loan commission. It is being encouraged.

PADDED PAYROLL, CHARGE.

Meriden, May 1.—Eugene Mischler, 44 years old, who succeeded his father, George Mischler, when the latter was elected first selectman a few years ago, as a foreman of the International Silver Company, was held in \$2,000 bonds by the police court today for trial Monday on charges of theft and fraud, following complaint of his employers that he had been padding the factory payroll. His alleged peculation is figured by the company at \$1,500.

LIBERTY LOAN RECORD.

Stamford, May 1.—It is claimed here today that the Yale and Towne Manufacturing Company, hardware manufacturers of Stamford has made a record in the matter of subscriptions of its employees to the third Liberty Loan.

Figures made public today by the company reveal that 84 per cent of its employees have subscribed to the loan.

MANY CHICAGO SALOONS CLOSE

Chicago, May 1.—With the opening of a new saloon license period today it is estimated over 1,000 Chicago "third parlors" will go out of business. Cabarets also go under the ban today. It is reported that the city treasury, already low, will be hard hit by the loss of the revenue from saloon licenses.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION SHAKES KENTUCKY TOWN

Lexington, Ky., May 1.—Several people are reported hurt today and the home of Riley Hall is a wreck, following a dynamite blast shortly after midnight. One third of the city felt the shock of the explosion of the dynamite. No arrests are reported thus far.

"NO NEWS, GOOD NEWS"

London, May 1.—"When the German high command claims victories the German wireless never jams, but it goes wrong when there is bad news," said the Daily Express today in its comment upon the war situation along the western front.

U. S. Casualty List Totals 72

Washington, May 1.—A casualty list carrying 72 names was announced by the War Department today. Eight men are listed as killed in action, three died of disease and one succumbed to wounds. One was the victim of an accident. Five were severely wounded and fifty-one slightly wounded, two lieutenants being reported as missing in action.

One man died from "other causes."

Killed in Action.
Sergeant Arvin A. Corderman,
Corporals John F. Giles, George Gritzback, Private James O. Carey,
Earl R. Clark, Clarence E. Cox, Clinton W. DeForest, James N. Boyce.
Died of Disease.
Private Louis Lorain Barnett, (lobar pneumonia); Private Charles H. Bolden, (lobar pneumonia); Private Benjamin J. Hill, (cerebral spinal meningitis).
Died of Wounds.
Private Lyndon L. Casey.
Died of Accident.
Private John Bess.
Died of Other Causes.
Private Howard A. Mowrey, (gunshot wounds).
Wounded Severely.
Corporals Walter G. Cull, John Murray, Private Raphael Capon, John J. Cook, Private Benjamin J. Hill.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DRY BY STATE STATUTE

Local Option Law Amended After 15 Years—Farmers Buy Liquor Enough for Summer.

Concord, N. H., May 1.—New Hampshire is on the water wagon today. After having had the legalized sale of liquor for 15 years the legislature of 1917 amended the local option law and placed the whole state under prohibition, starting today. This is the second New England state to go "dry", Maine having been prohibition for several years.

The famous Frank Jones brewery, operated by an English syndicate in Portsmouth, has moved its plant to Boston.

No license went into effect after a wild "night before" when farmers drove into the cities and loaded their wagons with wet goods to last them during the summer months.

Boston, May 1.—Boston opened its license year today with 60 less liquor establishments than were in operation yesterday. Two breweries also discontinued the manufacture of liquor.

FINNS DEFEAT BOLSHEVIKI.

Copenhagen, May 1.—The Red Guard (Bolsheviki) army in Finland has been defeated and dispersed, according to information received here today.

Famine prevails at Helsinki, the Finnish capital. The city has been without food for two days and many persons have starved to death.

CHURCH CUTS GERMAN NAME.

St. Louis, Mo., May 1.—The word "German" has been stricken from the name of St. Peter's German Lutheran Church of this city. The action was the result of a vote taken by the board of directors of the church. Rev. A. L. Bernthal has appealed to his congregation to purchase Liberty Bonds and announces the appointment of bond salesman to push the sale of bonds in the church.

Men in the employ of the local electric light company are today erecting the big flag pole in front of our War Bureau on Main street.

PREMIER CLEMENCEAU AND PARIS CRITICS GROWING OPTIMISTIC

Newspapers Echo Confidence of Head of Cabinet—German Offensive Believed Stopped—Cannonading at Amiens Continues Violent—Patrols Active.

Paris, May 1.—"The general situation on the battle front is clearing in favor of the Allies," Premier Clemenceau announced in the Chamber of Deputies.

This same sentiment is echoed in the press.

Marcel Hutin, one of the best known of the French war correspondents, declared today that "the German offensive in Flanders is in its last throes."

The Echo de Paris dwells upon the severity of the German losses, saying that losses of the Allies are only one tenth those of the Germans.

Big Guns Active at Amiens.

Paris, May 1.—Cannonading of extreme violence continues along the Picardy battle front, opposite Amiens, the French War Office announced today. There was some patrol activity elsewhere.

The text of the communique follows: "Artillery actions of the utmost violence have taken place in the region of Villers-Bretonneux and on both banks of the Aisne."

The night was calm.

HEAVY ARTILLERY POUNDING FOR AMERICANS AT FRONT

Our Men Between Amiens and Paris See Real Warfare—U. S. Batteries Acquit Themselves Well—Foe's Casualties Thought Large.

With the American Army on the French Battle Front, April 30.—Heavy artillery duelling, although not comparable to the gigantic gun battle further north in violence, has characterized the past 48 hours of fighting on the American sector between Amiens and Paris.

The American and French batteries have proved more active than those of the Germans during this period, the Boches contenting themselves with desultory counter battery work.

Certain of the American batteries concentrated their fire against a certain village which was known as a concentration point of the enemy. It was showered with shells, and aerial observation carried on subsequently showed that the result was highly successful.

Many buildings had been battered to pieces and it is believed that the Germans in that region suffered heavy casualties.

Infantry activity has been limited to patrolling during the hours of the night. The parties have been numerous but small.

Both sides have contented themselves with artillery pounding, mainly.

With the American Army on the French Battle Front, May 1.—Hun aviators have dropped bombs on a village in which American soldiers were billeted but there were no casualties. The roar of the anti-aircraft guns disturbed the slumbers of the doughboys.

The last stages of the forward movement to the front were made in cold, misty mornings of two days while rain was falling.

The nights have been generally colder.

One of the most popular marching songs while the boys were enroute was "Hail, hail, the gang's all here." But it had to divide honors with a sort of chant which ran: "Iodine and pills, iodine and pills, 'Good for rheumatism, good for chills."

LOCRE POSITIONS ARE CONSOLIDATED BY FRENCH—LONDON HAILS VICTORY

Germans Unable to Renew Attack Last Night—Foe Pushed Back for Distance of Mile and is Unable to Regain Ground Lost in Scherpenberg on Flanders Field—Fierce Bayonet Fighting Around Voormezele

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NEW HAVEN THIEF STOLE \$500 IN LIBERTY BONDS

Broke Into Yale Students' Rooms—One of Gang That Robbed College Boys.

New Haven, May 1.—Thefts of goods aggregating \$1,000 in value and including a \$500 Liberty Bond, from Yale students' rooms were charged against Solomon Schorr, one of a gang of campus thieves, who was arraigned in the police court here today.

Schorr was sentenced to 60 days in jail, and fined \$40 and held for trial in the superior court on four of eight counts of theft against him. The stolen Liberty Bond was traced to the Harve de Grace race track in Maryland, and the recovery of other stolen goods revealed numerous "fences" through which Schorr disposed of the goods and which participated in the proceeds of his thievery.

Schorr was arrested in Springfield, Mass., after a long chase by local detectives.

KAISER INSANE?

Newspaper Says He Has Become Victim of Hallucinations.

London, May 1.—The German imperial Tourage has become alarmed at the Kaiser's mental condition, said a Central News dispatch from Berne today quoting avian that had been received there.

The newspaper Epoch stated that the Kaiser has become the victim of hallucinations. His advisers are trying without avail to keep him away from the battle front.

The Kaiser constantly speaks of his "divine mission to save the world and humanity."

W. G. GLENNEY OF BIGLOW STREET RECEIVED WORD TODAY OF THE ARRIVAL IN FRANCE OF HIS SON JOHN G. GLENNEY.

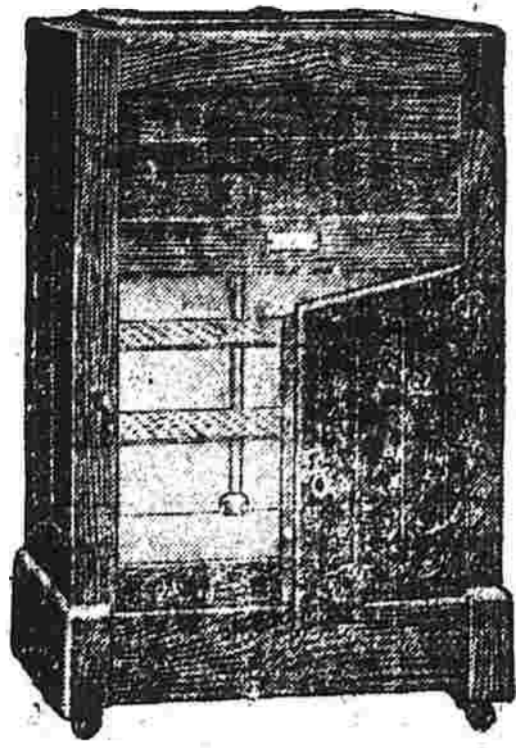
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Chairman of Democratic Congressional Committee



Representative Scott Ferris of Oklahoma, a youthful legislator with 12 years' experience in congress, has been made chairman of the Democratic congressional committee, the organization which is held responsible for the maintenance of a Democratic majority in the house.

LONDON NEWS CALLS FIGHT ANOTHER VERDUN

Germans Have Sustained Nothing But Failure for Two Weeks, Apart From Kemmel Hill.

London, May 1.—The German offensive is not yet over and a new thrust south of Arras may be anticipated, but there is reason to believe that the German drive is another Verdun, said the Daily News today in its battle column.

"For a fortnight the Germans have sustained nothing but failure, including defeats in four pitched battles, Kemmel Hill, apart from no progress elsewhere, has small value, the other hills in that sector remaining in our hands." "The conviction that the German offensive now under way will prove another Verdun is taking root in Germany. Verdun was disastrous for the Crown Prince, who disappeared for 18 months afterwards. This second edition will leave the Prussian militarists without any prestige. In addition the fight is proving a reaction on other anxieties. With Mesopotamia, Russia and Holland, Germany has her hands full."

NEW PEACE FEELER FROM POPE EXPECTED

Concrete Offer of Mediation, Say Cologne Papers, To Be Made About Whitsunday, May 19.

London, May 1.—Pope Benedict intends to put out another peace feeler to all belligerents, containing a concrete offer of mediation with the possible cooperation of neutrals, according to a Wireless Press message from The Hague, giving Cologne newspapers as the authority for the statement.

The dispatch added that the information of the Pope's contemplated offer was received sympathetically in Berlin.

The peace feeler, it was stated, would be put out about Whitsunday. Whitsunday begins on Sunday, May 19, and lasts until the following Wednesday.

LATEST STYLES IN SKIRTS BRING LOW-STEP APPEALS.

Spokane, Wash., May 1.—The new long skirt style edict is believed to be the cause of the demand of the Good Government League that the Spokane Street Car Company lower the steps on its cars.

It is declared to be difficult after two years of foot freedom during the short-skirted era for women to climb aboard cars encumbered by clinging drygoods.

If the company does not comply with the demand it is asserted the matter will be taken up with State Public Service Commission.

MEMPHIS HAS WAR BABY.

Memphis, Tenn., May 1.—Memphis has its first "war baby." It is a little girl. A feminine voice called police headquarters and asked that search be made for a watch lost in the park. The search was made. No watch was found but the little baby, but a few days old, was discovered wrapped in blankets. The infant has a happy home now.

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PARK THEATER

TOMORROW

John F. Sullivan and Goldwyn Pictures Corporation Find Great Pleasure in Presenting to you

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DODGING A MILLION

Matinees, 5c and 10c

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AMUSEMENTS

WHAT'S WHAT AND WHO'S WHO IN MANCHESTER MOVIE HOUSES BY THEIR OWN PRESS AGENTS.

AT THE PARK.

One of the largest studio scenes on record was constructed for Mabel Normand's newest Goldwyn Picture, "Dodging a Million," from the story by Edgar Selwyn and A. M. Kennedy, which is to be shown at the Park theater tonight.

It represents the foyer and reception hall of a big New York hotel. Ninety-five feet long and fifty feet wide, it covers almost two-thirds of the great Goldwyn studio at Fort Lee, N. J. To make the "long shots" Director George Loane Tucker and Cameraman Ollie Marsh had to stand in the cold on a gallery built out from the studio door while the scores of extra persons and the star worked in the cozy warmth within.

The taking of the scenes in his set signified a new experiment in studio lighting. The great glass roof of the Goldwyn studio has been painted black and all the daylight (including the kind that penetrates the cover the sets in which companies are working. Natural light, the cameramen say, only interferes with proper artificial lighting; and since they cannot have proper natural lighting at all times, they prefer to have it wholly shut out.

In the early days of the industry, before scientists had perfected electric lights that were powerful and uniform enough by which to photograph scenes, the daylight, or glass studio was a necessity; but now, with the many devices available, the glass studio has become more or less of a convention.

Daylight is altogether too arbitrary. Unless an interior setting is placed a certain way on the stage and rather well covered over, it is difficult to show the light coming correctly through the windows, for instance. A certain amount of daylight is valuable; but too much of it frequently destroys the very end for which it is employed.

This play is said to be the most extraordinary ever filmed.

AT THE CIRCLE.

A new star, Jewel Carmen will be seen at the Circle theater this evening. She will be seen with her own company in her latest screen creation, "The Kingdom of Love." A play that deals with the career of an extraordinary girl who is thrown into the vortex of life among the gold seekers of the North. It is one of the most absorbing and interesting pictures that has ever been presented here and some of the incidents in this play have been put on the screen in an entirely new way and there are many new and unusual features that will make the production long remembered after its showing. You must see this new and attractive star in this stirring play of the far North and the situations that happened after she had offered herself to the highest bidder among the Klondyke miners. Other high class reels will also be shown in conjunction with the "Kingdom of Love."

Tomorrow comes the ever popular Douglas Fairbanks in his latest and best Arctur production, "Headin' South." It's Fairbanks. That's all you want to know. That means that it's a riot. That means that it's thrilling and that you're going to have a wonderful time. Of all the screen plays that Fairbanks has ever done there has been nothing made by him that can touch this one. It is by far the greatest of his screen achievements and critics claim that he has never or ever will make a better picture. The play contains so many new and novel surprises that it is impossible to describe, but we just want to emphasize once more, it's Fairbanks' greatest picture and don't forget that. As an extra added attraction the management will present the latest Sunshine comedy, "Her Husband's Wife." This attraction alone is well worth the admission. The Hearst Pathe is also included.

Commands Germans on United States Front



General Von Gallwitz, the German leader who devastated Serbia, is now in command of the Teuton forces that are directly opposed to the American troops in France.

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FOR SALE—Three 2 family houses at \$3,400, \$3,800 and \$3,800 each. Cash owners of two to leave town. A. H. Skinner. 1814

FOR SALE—3 1/2 acre place. Building in perfect order, easy walking distance of silk mills, own a small stable, 2 room house. Bargain, low price and easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Chevy horse, 1,400 pounds, have no work for him, would trade for cow, poultry or anything useful on small farm. Griffins, Te. 1815

FOR SALE—At North end, nearly new cottage of 7 rooms, toilet rooms on both floors, steam heat, etc., beautiful interior finish and floors, built for a home and easily worth \$5,000. For quick sale, \$4,000. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Walking distance from factory, modern 3 family house, low price of \$3,200 on easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Cash business for a good live man, beautiful outdoor work. You have worked for the other fellow long enough. \$300 will buy it. The business has been established about 15 years and is guaranteed to be a paying proposition. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—100 acre farm, suitable for sheep or any general farm. 3 room house and small bungalow, large basement barn, over 50 acres of wood and timber, full line of tools, price only \$3,000 or will trade for house in town. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Tonsford truck, never been used, sold for \$1,200, will sacrifice at \$800. Will give demonstration. E. J. Foley, Box 3, Manchester. 1803

FOR SALE—2 large Bins suitable for grain. May be seen at 25 Foster St. or call 339-5. J. H. Keith, 60 Holl Street. 1817

FOR SALE—Hillard St., 12 minutes' walk from station, 2 family house, 6 rooms to each rent, good condition, artesian well water, electric lights on street 2 poultry houses, large frontage of 490 feet on Hillard St., 210 feet on Foster St. Property worth \$5,000, will sell for \$3,500. Walton W. Grant, 22 Cambridge St. 1817

FOR SALE—Single house, 6 rooms, all improvements except gas, good condition, good barn, water shed, 8 minutes' walk from station, post office, stores, etc. Price \$3,000. Could not be built for \$4,500 today. Walton W. Grant, 22 Cambridge St. 1817

FOR SALE—Cottage, 8 rooms, all improvements except gas, steam heat, built about 3 years, lot 66x185 feet, beautiful shade and shrubbery. Price \$4,500. Walton W. Grant, 22 Cambridge St. 1817

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland touring car, late model, in excellent condition throughout. W. Howard Barlow, Manchester Green, Phone 116-3. 1747

FOR SALE—Reo Seven passenger Six-cylinder car, late 1916 model, newly painted and in good mechanical condition. Tel. 586. Edward J. Holl So. Manchester. 1721

FOR SALE—White Birch wood. Now is the time to put in your supply before prices go up. \$5.00 for 4 ft. and \$10 for 8 ft. boards per cord. Orders delivered promptly. Also chestnut posts any length. C. H. Schell, Brookman Farm, Tel. 143-12. 1817

FOR SALE—Stone Cocks, 1 gal. 40c, 2 gal. 60c, 3 gal. 75c, 4 gal. 1.00, 5 gal. 1.25, 6 gal. 1.50, including covers, larger sizes up to 15 gallon. Manchester Plumbing & Supply Co. 1788

FOR SALE—Almost new garage suitable for 5 passengers car. Very cheap if taken at once. See E. L. Root, 36 N. School Street. 1793

FOUND—Somewhere in Buckland auto plate and tail light. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. at Herald main office, Manchester, Conn.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, only one year old. Tenement containing it, also for rent. Inquire 91 Charter Oak St. 1793

FOR SALE—Good cellar stone; also chicken coop. Cheap if taken at once. Owen McCann, 43 Clinton St. 1793

FOR SALE—Two building lots near East Center St., 85x130. Must be sold at once as I am leaving town. No reasonable offer refused. W. Howard Barlow, Manchester Green. 1817

FOR SALE—Farm, walking distance from mills, fine place for chickens or ducks, 20 acres of which over half is tillable, 2 room house, barn, etc. low price and easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

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TO RENT.

TO RENT—Six room tenement, with modern improvements, on Madison St., corner Hazel St. Inquire Mrs. Jenn. Smith, 16 Hazel St. 1812

TO RENT—Six room tenement with all improvements. Call on premises, 23 Russell St. 1814

TO RENT—Five room tenement on Wells St., and five room cottage on South Main St. Inquire Warren Taylor, 144 South Main St. 1817

TO RENT—A room for light housekeeping with all conveniences. Price very reasonable. Mrs. Edgar Stratton 478 North Main St. 1812

TO RENT—Six room tenement, all improvements except furnace. Inquire Fred Sandier, 134 Birch St. 1803

FOR RENT—Tenement, six rooms, modern improvements, also garage. Inquire at 78 Fine street. 1803

FOR RENT—4 room flat, Rose Block, 2nd floor, Walton W. Grant, 22 Cambridge St. 1787

TO RENT—3 room tenement, heat, electric lights, etc. Rent \$15. Apply to Edward J. Holl. 1751

WANTED.

WANTED—Woman for general work also woman for table work. Edgewood Inn, West Center St. 1812

WANTED—A second girl. James W. Cheney, 21 Forest St. 1801

WANTED—Two men to work on the golf links of the Manchester Country Club. Apply to Edward Conner on the grounds or to C. Elmore Watkins. 1803

WANTED—A painter and paper hanger. Steady work. Apply to Thomsen as Joyce at 78 Fine street. 1803

WANTED—Opportunity for ambitious men citizens to work for one of the most progressive Insurance companies in the country. Guaranteed salary and commission. Write Box 865, South Manchester. 1793

WANTED—Young lady to work in dental office. Address D. H., care Herald branch office. 1793

WANTED—Customers for heavy cream, pint and half pints, also two acres land to rent for garden. 303 West Center St., Phone 215-3. 1793

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. William Rush, 214 South Main St. 1787

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There are 1,773 draft age officers in noncombatant service in Washington. The heroes of 1776 are not likely to be as well and favorably remembered as the heroes of 1776. Springfield Daily News.

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DEBATE ON ELECTORAL REFORM BRINGS STORM

Prussian Diet in Uproar—Independent Socialist Threatens to Ask Troops to Stop Fighting if Reform is Delayed.

Copenhagen, May 1.—Stormy scenes occurred in the Prussian Diet on Tuesday, when a member of the Centre proposed that the question of electoral reform be postponed until after the war, said advices from the front today. Soldiers participated in the debate.

Liberal members strongly rejected the proposal for delay and predicted serious consequences.

Herr Hoffman, an Independent Socialist, declared that if the proposal to delay the reforms was accepted he would ask the soldiers not to fight any longer.

This caused great excitement and there were cries of "traitor." After excited debate the proposal was rejected.

Count von Hertling, the Chancellor, advocated general suffrage. Herr Porsch, a minority Centre member, spoke in favor of a general election.

The Prussian Diet is the law making body for the Kingdom of Prussia, aside from the Reichstag, which represents the German empire. The question of electoral reform has long been advocated in Prussia and has proved the vital question of domestic politics since the beginning of the war.

IF Games at Harrison, N. J., Suburb of Newark are Played, Latter Will Be Hard Hit.

New York, May 1.—With New York's three major league clubs drawing up a schedule of championship games to be played on Sundays at Harrison, N. J., a suburb of Newark, the status of the new International League, which had planned to occupy the territory, was a mystery today.

If the major leagues invade the Newark territory Sunday patronage at International League games scheduled in Newark and Jersey City would be nullified, and the International faces the alternative of suffering the consequences or reducing to a six club circuit.

John H. Farrell, president of the new league and secretary of the National Association, refused to comment on the status of his league today, saying there were no new developments. His stand in the matter indicates that the status of the affairs of the new league are in a status of turmoil, according to baseball men here.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT DRAFTED.

Ansonia, May 1.—Among the drafted men who left here this morning for Camp Upton, was John F. Pickett, superintendent of schools in Derby. Mr. Pickett was a member of the Holy Cross College football team in 1913 and one of the best tackles ever playing with that college. He will soon be able to tackle a German on the west front in France and sure he can "get his man," he said upon departing.

BRITISH CATHOLIC UNION FOR CONSCRIPTION.

London, May 1.—The Catholic Union of Great Britain today adopted a resolution protesting against the action of Catholic clergy in Ireland involving themselves in the conscription questions. The resolution says:

"It is just that people of every portion of the United Kingdom should take their share in the defense of the empire and the liberties of mankind."

The resolution adds: "We regard with serious misgivings any ecclesiastical interference in questions purely temporal and political, that are in no way connected with faith and morals."

WIDOW CHANGES NAME.

Seattle, Wash., May 1.—Because a German name was distasteful to her, Mrs. Mary I. Engler received permission from the Superior Court here to drop it and take the name of her first husband, and is now Mrs. Mary I. Parsons. Mrs. Parsons is a widow, Engler having died in 1910.

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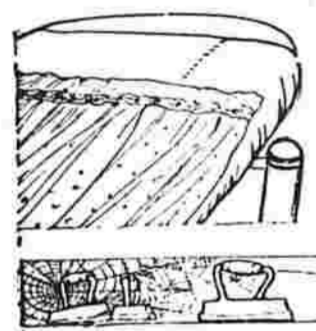


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Latest portrait of Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, wife of Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio. She has spent the winter in Washington, where her entertainments are always popular.

BARONESS HUARD TO BE HERE THIS EVENING

Distinguished Lecturer Due in Manchester at 6 p. m.—To Speak in High School Hall at 8 O'clock.

Information was received this afternoon to the effect that Baroness Frances Wilson Huard will arrive here shortly before 6 o'clock this evening. At 8 p. m. she will be at the high school hall to deliver her lecture on "My Year Among the Fighters" under the auspices of Manchester Chapter, American Red Cross. During the afternoon addresses were received stating that there had been a request for Baroness Huard to stop in Hartford while en route to Manchester and address the large Red Cross meeting which is being held there today and which is being attended by several local Red Cross workers. There was a question as to whether it would be possible for Baroness Huard to favor the Hartford meeting on account of the tight schedule which she has found it necessary to adopt on her lecture tour. Upon her arrival in Manchester she will be entertained by Mrs. A. L. Crowell.

Owing to the widespread interest in Baroness Huard's lecture here this evening, due to the fact that this distinguished lecturer will tell from the standpoint of an eye-witness her experiences in war-devastated France and her hospital work in Paris for wounded soldiers of the Allies, there have been heavy demands on the supply of tickets. As all of the seats in the high school hall are desirable seats, the tickets at the War Bureau in the Ferris block which are still available will afford holders a good opportunity to hear Baroness Huard this evening.

TWO DEAD IN LACKAWANNA R. R. WRECK.

Scranton, Pa., May 1.—Two trainmen were killed when a light engine crashed into the caboose of a Lackawanna freight train at Nayaug today. The dead: William Green, conductor, Binghamton, N. Y., and James Jennings, flagman, Scranton, Pa.

Mr. Burleson's Daughter Working for Uncle Sam



Miss Lucy Burleson, daughter of the postmaster general, who is serving Uncle Sam as a clerk in the navy department. Miss Burleson is very popular in Washington society circles and is an accomplished linguist.

SELECTMEN RAISE PAY OF TOWN'S ROAD FORCE

Remainder of Special Session Was Devoted to Routine Business—Special Policeman Appointed.

The selectmen met last evening at the Hall of Records in a special session to clean up routine business that had accumulated since the last meeting.

Most important of the matters discussed was the wages of the road foreman and the road gang. It was voted to increase by ten per cent all of the wages.

The remainder of the meeting was routine.

The selectmen accepted the invitations of the Red Cross to take part in the parade on May 18 and the chairman and secretary were directed to prepare resolutions endorsing the Red Cross drive here.

A letter was received from the United States Attorney General giving the latest rulings on enemy alien cases. This was turned over to Chief of Police Gordon.

Clifton B. Macomber was appointed a special policeman to act in guarding the Cheney mills.

Engineer Bowen was ordered to lay out the curb lines and fix the curb for the new Cheney settlement on the West side.

The local Post, G. A. R. was given permission to hold a parade on May 30.

A letter was received from the state highway commissioner stating that he had no jurisdiction in fixing the boundaries on the Middle Turnpike.

OUR PERSHING CLUB IDEA "CATCHES ON" INSTANTLY

Residents Rushing to Join Honor Organization—Plan Will Help Double Our Quota.

Today our Liberty Loan total jumped to \$748,300 with the amounts brought in by members of the Pershing Club still to be added this evening.

The Pershing club has met instant favor in Manchester. Last evening when R. La Motte Russell explained the idea to the members of the Flying Squadron one of the workers said she could get five members at once. And so it was among the other workers today. The Pershing Club idea will do wonders with Manchester's total before the campaign ends on Saturday night. Today in the War Bureau window a large picture of Pershing drawn by a local artist, is displayed.

Friday's monster victory parade still is the chief topic for conversation on the streets and in the mills. It is now stated that there will be floats used in the parade.

Arm bands may be procured tomorrow and Friday at the War Bureau. Pershing Honor badges may be procured at the War Bureau and at the office of the Manchester Trust Company by those who buy another bond of the Third Liberty Loan.

Bonds are being bought freely in the towns surrounding Manchester; these towns being in our district. Today reports of big sales came over the telephone. Tonight Rev. J. S. Neill will speak at Bolton in aid of the Liberty Loan.

APPROPRIATE.



Special Writer—I have an article on the kind of milk the farmers give the summer boarders. Editor—Oh! condense it.

WAR PLANS TOMORROW

Washington, May 1—Secretary of War Baker will appear before the House Military Affairs tomorrow to make known the War Administration's plans for the next fiscal year. Chairman Dent announced today. Provost Marshal General Crowder will appear with the secretary to submit estimates of the number of men that can be raised under the draft during the next twelve months without interfering with industrial necessities to the prosecution of the war.

MARKET IRREGULAR DECLINE FOLLOWS RALLY

Liberty 4's Traded in Largely—U. S. Steel Common Fluctuates at Over 95—Quotations.

New York, May 1.—The stock market made a substantial response to the favorable news and to the good showing of the U. S. Steel Corporation for its March business published last night, at the opening today, there being general advances ranging from fractions to over one point in the active issues.

There was a scramble to buy steel common as soon as business commenced, the opening sales being 6,000 shares from 95½ to 96, a gain of 1%. Afterwards trading settled down with the price reacting to 95½, later rallying to 95½. Baldwin opened ¼ up at 79, but lost most of this gain in the next few minutes, and American Car & Foundry, after advancing ¼ to 77½, reacted to 76¾.

Distillers made a gain of 1½ to 5½ from which it reacted to 51¼. Republic Iron & Steel advanced one point to 81¼. Reading rose 1½ to 79¾. Inspiration Copper made a gain of ¼ to 52.

Liberty Bonds were in good demand, the 3½'s selling at 99.06, while the fours sold at 96.80.

There were further advances in many of the leading issues after the first 15 minutes, but later in the forenoon, the tone became irregular with some stocks under pronounced pressure. Marine Preferred dropped 1-1-2 to 85, while Atlantic Gulf fell over one point to 105. Steel Common, after reacting to 95 1-2, rallied to 95 7-8. Reading held steady around 79. Baldwin reached nearly one point to 79 1-4. There was active trading in the Liberty Bonds with large amounts of the second fours traded in from 96.80 to 96.74. The 3 1-2's sold around 99.06.

Cotton. Encouraged by firm cables and the more favorable war news, speculative buyers of cotton were more aggressive at the opening today, and the cotton market had quite a steady start, prices being 12 to 29 points net higher. Wall Street and trade interests bought after the opening.

Stock Quotations.

Reported for the Evening Herald by Richter & Co., 6 Central Row, Hartford. 2.30 p. m. prices:

At G & W I	105
Alaska Gold	105
Am B Sugar	78
Am Tel & Tel	96
Anaconda	64
Am Smelter	77
Am Loko	83 3/4
Am Car Foundry	77 3/4
A. T. & S. Fe.	39 1/2
B. R. T.	39 3/4
Cons Gas	33 1/4
Col Fuel	39 3/4
C. & O.	55 1/2
Crie Electric	14 1/2
Gt Northern	142
Illinois Cent.	96 1/4
Keenecott	31 1/2
Mexican Pet	33 3/4
Mer M Pfd	85 1/2
National Lead	23 3/4
N. Y. Cent.	98 3/4
N. Y. N. H. & H.	28 1/2
Press Steel Car	53 1/2
Penna.	43 3/4
Repub I & S	81 3/4
Reading	79
Southern Pac	81 1/2
St Paul	144
Tex Oil	118
Union Pac	118
U. S. Steel	95 3/4
U. S. Steel Pfd	111 1/4
Utah Copper	79
Westinghouse	40 3/4
Liberty Bonds 3 1/2's	99.02
Liberty Bonds 4's 1st	96.70
Liberty Bonds 4's 2nd	96.65

UKRAINE PROTESTS TO BERLIN.

The Hague, May 1.—The Ukrainian government (in Russia) has protested to Berlin against German interference in the affairs of that country, according to a report received here today.

The Ukrainian authorities are said to be discontented over the situation and the officials at Kiev, (the capital of Ukraina) threaten to resign unless General von Eichorn, (evidently the commander of the German forces in Ukraina and Herr Schwartzstein, (who was named German Ambassador to Ukraina) are replaced.

HEART SPECIALIST DEAD.

Chicago, May 1.—Dr. E. Fletcher Ingals, known for many years as a national authority on angina pectoris, is dead here today of the disease which he studied for the greater part of his life. In a recent article in a leading medical magazine on this disease, the experiences of "Dr. X" are believed to have been those of Dr. Ingals. He was 70 years old.

Those great engines on the New Haven road which can haul 120 freight cars ought to do much towards relieving the congestion if there are only enough of them.—Ex.



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Middletown	25c.	45c.
Bridgeport	40c.	65c.
Hartford	30c.	50c.
Winsted	25c.	50c.
New London	40c.	60c.
No. Manchester	25c.	45c.
So. Manchester	20c.	40c.

In order to maintain the class of service to which our patrons are accustomed, the following prices will be effective May 1st, 1918, for FOLLY BROOK ICE.

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We have taken over his business for a term of years, and will continue to serve his trade indefinitely.

If any doubt our ability to render favorable service we refer them to any of our patrons of the south end. It has been our policy to carry over from year to year 1,500 to 2,000 tons of ice so as to be able to meet any shortage that might arise.

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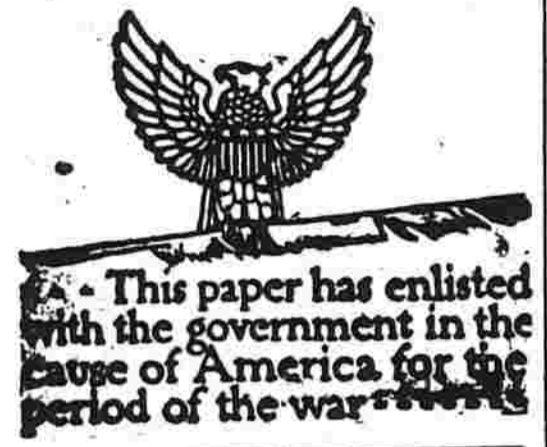
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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.

WET OR DRY.

It looks now as if the main issue before the next Connecticut legislature will be the passage or the rejection of the national amendment to the constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors.

In Manchester the candidates are already beginning to line up. The Republicans, who as a matter of course elect the representatives from this town, have announced two candidates who will receive the support of the prohibition wing of the local party.

Men, men and more men is the cry now in France, and this is responsible for the acceleration of the stream of reinforcements that America is sending overseas.

SHAD SEASON OPENS Some good catches of shad are confidently expected down Farmington river by the fishermen, who were up early this morning, preparing their nets.

There is a great moral value attached to a record number of subscribers to the third Liberty Loan, but a big total is what is wanted now.

There is no discounting the fact that this war will become in fact the people's war to an increasing degree, as the electorate become financial partners with the government in the enterprise.

An American Liberty Bond, issued by the old state of Massachusetts Bay, and dated September 25, 1777, brought a Liberty Loan subscription of \$250,000 from Brown Brothers & Co. yesterday at a rally in front of the sub-treasury at Wall and Broad streets, New York.

Mrs. August Belmont recently spent six months in France, and her address at Foot Guard Hall, during the State Red Cross conference, should prove of exceptional interest.

did as its record is, can afford to sit back satisfied with its efforts in the present loan campaign. There are scores or hundreds of men and women here who haven't yet subscribed, but can do so.

MAN POWER VS. TERRITORY.

The battle about Ypres and to a less degree about Amiens is simply, as observers have declared repeatedly, a game of men against territory.

It is highly characteristic anyhow of the Prussian temper, this calculating preference of positions to humanity. Thirty thousand men were sacrificed in the siege of Liege in Belgium, before the big guns hammered that fortress to pieces.

A rout is one thing, and a carefully planned retreat quite another, as one critic points out. The British have not been routed yet in the fighting about the French-Flanders border, nor have the French farther south.

Colonel Billings reports excellent progress in the rehabilitation of these men, but stated that plans for enlarging the work have been held up because priority in construction work has been denied by the war industries board.

CHICKEN STEALING IS FELONY AT MEMPHIS

Memphis, Tenn., May 1.—Chicken stealing is no longer regarded as a misdemeanor by Memphis courts. It is a crime—a felony. Persons who visit hen roosts between two days and make away with fat pullets intended for the Sunday dinner when the preacher comes, have had ample warning through the sentence imposed upon Bud Allen, confessed king of all chicken thieves.

Every ton of coal saved now, with but slight if any discomfort to the householder, is another ton added to the huge coal reserve that is the only protection against acute suffering in the closing weeks of next winter.

There is a great saving in cooking with gas, as a ton of coal turned into gas by the gas company has a greater fuel value than a ton and a half of coal burned in the kitchen range.

LINE ON BOOTLEGGERS.

Memphis, Tenn., May 1.—To determine whether negroes were in Tennessee or Mississippi when they were caught selling whiskey a survey of the State line, near Memphis, is being made. If the negroes were in Tennessee they will be prosecuted in the local courts; if in Mississippi they will probably escape prosecution.

72 DAYS OF BELOW ZERO WEATHER WERE RECORDED. St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 1.—Charles Butler, of this town, has kept the weather record and snowfall in his diaries for forty-four years and reports that the past winter was the coldest during that period. There were seventy-two days during the winter when the mercury registered below zero.

Spring hats are usually the most charming and the most simple. This sailor with a black satin crown and the white shirred brim make an irresistible combination.

FUEL ADMINISTRATORS APPEAL TO COAL USERS

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If You Don't Situation Next Winter Will Be Even Worse Than Last Year.

An appeal to the householders of Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, to observe May Day this year by putting out all coal fires, wherever possible, and thereby add to New England's reserve coal pile next winter, was issued today by the Federal Administrators of the three states.

At least 1,000,000,000 tons of coal may be saved this year in New England, according to a conservative estimate, by putting out the furnace fires at once.

170 SOLDIERS ARE BEING "RECONSTRUCTED"

Pershing Has Sent Over That Number to American Hospitals, Since Our Men Began Fighting.

Washington, May 1.—General Pershing has sent back a total of 170 soldiers to receive treatment in reconstruction hospitals in this country, according to a statement by Lieutenant Colonel Billings, M. R. C. in charge of that section of the Medical Department, here today.

These men have been received at different times at the depot of the corps at Ellis Island from which they are distributed among the several hospitals set aside for reconstruction purposes in this country.

A King of Chicken Thieves Gets Five Years for It—Burglary as Well as Petit Larceny Charge.

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Spring Sailor Hat With Shirred Brim

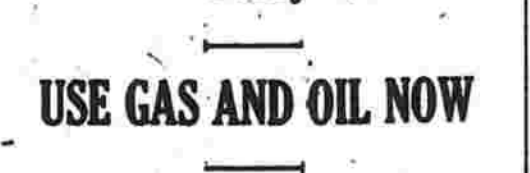


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"My old Kentucky Home," etc.—Maud Powell.

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"Long Boy"—A Fox Trot.

"Sweet Emalind, my girl"—A One Step.

"While the incense is burning"—A Fox Trot.

TOWN ADVERTISEMENT.

ELECTORS' MEETING.

Whereas, a vacancy will exist in the office of Probate for the District of Manchester on May 29, 1918, occasioned by the fact that the present incumbent will on that day become seventy years of age.

And whereas Marcus H. Holcomb, governor of the State of Connecticut, under the provisions of the General Assembly of said State, as appears by Section 1475 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, has ordered and directed the Town Clerk of the Town of Manchester in Hartford County and State of Connecticut, to warn a meeting of the electors of the town of Manchester in said County and State, to be held on the eighth day of May, A. D. 1918, then and there to give in their votes for a person to fill the office of Judge of Probate for the remainder of the official term commencing the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1917.

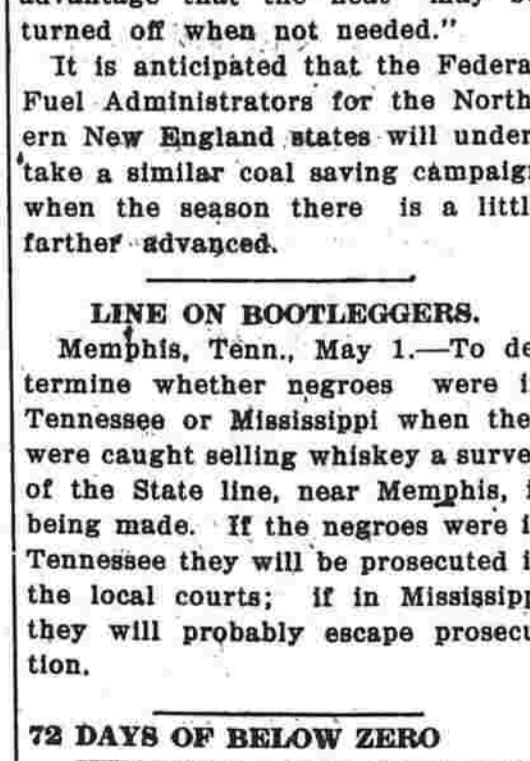
Now, therefore, the electors of the town of Manchester are hereby warned to meet at the Town Hall in said town of Manchester on the eighth day of May, A. D. 1918, at six o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of casting their ballots for a Judge of Probate for the District of Manchester for the unfinished term as aforesaid, commencing on the third day of January, A. D. 1917.

The polls will be open for the reception of ballots from six o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Dated at said Manchester, Connecticut, the 30th day of April, A. D. 1918.

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25 French Hats and copies of original models. Regular prices in this lot up to \$50.00. Take your choice at one-half the marked price.

SPECIAL PRICES

On our Ladies' Suits and Coats to close them out this week.

A few very desirable Blue Serge Suits sizes 36 to 38, worth \$35.00 each at \$22.00 to \$29.00. Just seven beautiful coats, all new models and desirable shades, \$25.00 values at EACH \$20.00. Silk Skirts. A few sample skirts, no two alike. Special values at \$3.75 TO \$8.75.

LADIES' SHOP

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SEES "KAISER MOVIE, SO CHANGES NAME OF FIRM.

Kansas City, Mo., May 1.—The photo play "The Kaiser—The Beast of Berlin," shown at Convention Hall here, was the cause of at least one firm changing its Germanic name to an American name.

M. Wicker, head of the firm known as the "Berlin Chemical Cleaning and Dyeing Company", saw the film. The next day he announced that the firm would be henceforth known as the "Midwest."

WIFE RETURNS ALIMONY LAND IN RE-MARRIAGE.

Bellefonte, Pa., May 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Steppich entered into an agreement when they were married here recently by which Mrs. Steppich agreed to deed back to her husband nineteen acres of land in Monroe County which Steppich was forced to give her as alimony when she divorced him in 1911.

The Armenians might just as well talk to the winds as to plead with Germany to stop the Turkish massacres.—Ex.

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HOW TO GROW

Spinach.

Spinach thrives in a rather cool climate and attains its best development in the middle South where it can be grown in the open ground during the winter. Farther North it is necessary to protect the plants during the winter with a mulch of straw or leaves. To produce good spinach a rich loam which will give the plants a quick growth is required. Fall planting is to be recommended wherever this is possible, as the fall-planted spinach is not as much inclined to go to seed as that planted in the spring. One ounce of seed is sufficient for a 100-foot row, and this crop may be sown in drills about 1 foot apart.

Spinach is an easily grown garden crop, and there is perhaps no other of its kind that will give as good satisfaction. In gathering spinach the entire plant is removed rather than merely cutting off the leaves. The larger plants are selected first, and the smaller ones are thus given a chance to develop.

Squashes.

There are two types of squash—the bush varieties, which may be planted, and 6 seeds to the hill, in hills 4 or 5 feet apart each way, and the running varieties which require considerably more room for their development. Squash may properly be grown in the garden, as three or four hills will produce all that is required for the average family. They require a rather rich soil, preferably one that is well mixed with rotted manure.

Squash for summer use should be planted as soon as the ground is thoroughly warmed up which will be about one month after the last killing frost. Such varieties as the Hubbard for fall and winter use may be planted at any time during the spring after the ground is thoroughly warmed up and will grow for the entire season. They should be gathered in fall, as soon as hard frosts occur. They may be kept in a storage room in the basement, or in any cool dry place. It is necessary to handle them carefully to avoid bruising, or rot is liable to occur.

Turnips.

The turnip requires a rich soil and

may be grown either as an early or late crop. For an early crop, sow the seeds in drills 12 to 18 inches apart as early in the spring as the condition of the soil will permit. A half ounce of seed is sufficient for a 100-foot row. After the plants appear thin to about 3 inches apart. The roots will be ready for use before hot weather.

For late turnips, the seeds are usually sown broadcast on land from which some early crop has been removed, and for this reason the turnip is a good crop to grow for storage for winter. They are quite hardy, and the roots need not be gathered until after the first frosts. They may be stored in banks or pits or in the outdoor cave or cellar, and keep best when kept rather cool.

The turnip is a good crop for interplanting between rows of late corn or late beans.

POTATOES.

The culture of the Irish potato is familiar to almost everyone who has ever had a garden. In brief, the potatoes should be planted as soon as the ground can be worked in spring, two weeks before the average date of the last killing frost being none too early. The tubers should be cut so that each piece contains from one to two eyes, and the pieces planted in rows from 24 to 30 inches apart, and from 10 to 15 inches apart in the rows, depending on the variety. Cultivation should be frequent and thorough. It is an excellent idea to work soil up to the plants as they develop, so that there will be plenty of soil to cover the potatoes as they form.

Early potatoes in the central and southern sections of the country will mature in sufficient time for the gardener to grow a crop of sweet corn, late cabbage or turnips on the same ground. It is often possible to plant the second crop between the potato rows before the potatoes are dug. Early potatoes may be used as soon as large enough, an old rule being to begin using them when they are as large as a hen's egg. The usual method is to dig them as needed, leaving the main part of the crop to develop to maturity.

In the central portion of the United States, the crop may be planted from June 15 to July 1, but in the northern sections the main crop is planted earlier than this, no attempt being made to produce early and late potatoes, as in many sec-

tions the growing season is too short for the production of but one crop. Late potatoes are allowed to grow until they mature or until the frost kills the vines. The cultivation of the late crop is similar to that employed in the case of the early crop.

GARDEN PEAS.

Early peas require a rather rich sandy loam with good drainage in order that the first plantings may be made early in the spring. Fertilizers that are high in nitrogenous matter should not be applied to the land immediately before planting, as they will have a tendency to produce too great growth of vines at the expense of pods. Land that has been manured the previous year will be found satisfactory without additional fertilizer. While the sandy loam is to be preferred for early varieties, a good crop can be produced on almost any good soil.

The first plantings should be of such varieties as Alaska, or some of its modifications, which make a small but quick growth and may or may not be provided with supports. These should be planted about two weeks before the date of the last killing frost, or in fact may be planted as soon as the ground is in condition. The tall-growing sorts of the Telephone type are desirable for still later use, on account of their large production and excellent quality.

Peas should be drilled in rows, one to two pints being sufficient for a 100-foot row. The individual peas should be placed about 1 inch apart in the rows. The distance between rows will depend upon the kind of cultivation to be employed, and upon the varieties used. The dwarf varieties need not be any farther apart than necessary to insure cultivation, while the tall-growing sorts should not be planted closer than 3 to 3 1/2 feet apart.

A good scheme is to plant two parallel rows of peas about 6 or 8 inches apart, then leave a space of 18 inches, or two feet and plant two more rows of seed close together. Fewer strings or less brush will be required to support them than when planted in single rows at the greater distance.

If peas are to be grown for immediate use only, a quart will be enough to plant at one time. However, if it is desired to grow peas for canning, large plantings should be made. If space is available, it is an excellent plan to make con-

siderable planting at one time of some one variety, so that the peas for canning will be available in considerable quantities. This enables the housewife to get the canning out of the way in a comparatively short time. Successive plantings of the various varieties of peas should be made at intervals of about two weeks, until the weather begins to grow warm, when the plantings should be discontinued. It is possible in some sections to grow a fall crop of peas. When this is done, early varieties should be used.

Otto Eidlitz Is Made
Director of Housing



Otto Eidlitz, New York architect and builder, has been named director of housing, it was announced by the department of labor. Mr. Eidlitz will be in charge of the government's activities in providing living facilities for industrial workers other than those employed in the shipyards. He was president of the Mason Builders' association in New York from 1900 to 1904 and organized the Building Trade Employers' association.

With prisoners in Wethersfield, including four life convicts, buying Liberty bonds, it shows what a great example those who are deprived of liberty can set for those who are free and should want to keep so.—Ex.

When a French commander praises the Americans for the manner in which they broke up a German assault it is of course only what was expected, even though Germany figured that America would be of little help in the war.—Ex.

LOCAL BOY SCOUTS BUSY IN LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE

Raise Tent as Headquarters at the Center—Youngsters To Do Their Bit.

The local Boy Scouts are making an earnest endeavor to increase the number of Liberty Loan sales here. Their task is an extremely difficult one as they were required to remain out of this campaign until last Saturday, this being in strict accordance with plans outlined by the Scout officials at National Headquarters and which received the approval of the Treasury Department at Washington.

Our town has been well canvassed by the different selling agencies here and it is not difficult to understand that selling bonds at this late period is a big job for a small boy.

However, the Boy Scouts are going after more sales and will continue to do so the remainder of this week. A Scout tent has been erected on the lawn in front of the Center Congregational Church for the sole purpose of selling Liberty Loan Bonds, and is under the care of Troop 3. A second tent will be erected south of the center, for the same purpose and will be cared for by Scouts from Troop 2.

This is Boy Scout week and the proper observance of it for those who have not yet subscribed and are able to, and for those who can subscribe for a little more, is to go to one of the Scout tents and fill out an application for a Liberty Bond. If you are unable to do this a Scout will see you at your home or place of business this week.

As representatives of our future men, these boys are worthy of, and should be given, our heartiest support. Their work this week is a war time service. They are helping their country and in doing this, are helping you.

CLUB BANS EVENING DRESS.

Spokane, Wash., May 1.—Until after the war no evening clothes will be worn by the men and women at the Spokane Country Club. Decision to bar formal dress has been made by the entertainment committee, and it is declared to be in keeping with other war economies.

Do Your Roofs Leak?
No matter whether shingle, Tin, Steel or roofing composition of whatever nature

STORMTIGHT LIQUID will make it tight.
We put it on and absolutely guarantee it from 5 to 10 years according to the nature of the roof.

STORMTIGHT LIQUID is lots cheaper than a new roof—it will put off the day of renewing for years.

ABOUT THOSE WINDOW SCREENS?
Better let us take the measure and make them up NOW. We are equipping lots of houses this spring. You won't be able to get it done as cheap in years. We use only Genuine Pearl Wire Netting.

Barber & West
Shop 29 Bissell Street.

CLEVELAND'S WASTEBASKET CATCHES GERMAN TRASH.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 1.—The most popular wastebasket and the largest in this city has been placed downtown and is daily receiving great contributions of "trash" and "refuse." It is called the patriotic wastebasket and into it people are dumping hundreds of German books, pamphlets and song books daily. At first it was planned to hold a public bonfire of all the "refuse" collected, but permit for this was refused, for fear that disorder might result and unwarranted attacks be made upon persons of German extraction who are truly Americans. Some of the books, it is thought, may be sent to Germany for use by Servian and Slav

prisoners, who are allowed to read nothing that is not printed in German.

HARVARD CLASS DAY TO BE SIMPLE THIS YEAR.

Boston, May 1.—Class day by Harvard will be somewhat simpler this year than heretofore. Instead of holding the customary senior spread and dance on the previous evening, it will be given Tuesday, June 18, with the remainder of the class-day exercises. While only 160 seniors are still in college, the committee hopes that many of their absentee classmates in the war service can get furloughs and return to Cambridge, to fittingly complete their university days.

JOIN MANCHESTER'S PERSHING CLUB!

Any Manchester
Resident

Who buys Another Bond before
close of the campaign on Saturday
night, will be presented with a

Special
PERSHING
Badge of
HONOR

These Honor Badges may be
obtained at the War Bureau
or Manchester Trust Co.



Don't Forget
The Big
Victory Parade
Friday Eve'g

Starts 6 o'clock at Center

Everybody who has bought a
Bond of the Third Liberty
Loan is entitled to march.

Speeches
Flag Dedications
All the Bands in Town
Floats Novelties

Get your Arm Band for the parade
at the War Bureau either Thursday
or Friday. Show your colors!

BUY ANOTHER BOND!

HELP DOUBLE OUR QUOTA!

DO IT NOW!

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.

Mrs. Joseph Morrison, of 27 Char-
ter Oak street has received the fol-
lowing letter from Thomas Morrison,
of Co. G, 102nd Infantry, now in
France.

Dear Brother and Sister:

Just a few lines hoping it finds
you all well as this leaves me in the
best of health at present and enjoy-
ing myself as best I can. As I write
this letter I am in the Salvation
army hut somewhere in France, and
I may tell you they are doing a great
work over here in helping to com-
fort the boys in every way they can.
One can get a nice cup of hot coffee
for a few cents. I have had the op-
portunity of speaking to one of the
Salvation army lassies from Man-
chester, a Miss Myrtle Turkington,
and it surprised me very much, as
we entered the village and see the
girls from home doing their bit over
here.

Well, she and I had quite a talk
about France and she told me that
she liked the work and that her
health was good so I bid her good
bye and we wished each other good
luck. Well, as Friday was my birth-
day I did not enjoy it so much as

if I had been at home, but it went
by all right and I hope I will spend
the next one with you with God's
help. Well, you can tell all the
folks around that I am well and
that we are all doing our best to
finish the war and finish it quick.

Tell Paul and Emma I was ask-
ing for them and also the family.
And tell Kenneth to be a good boy
and go to school every day, and if
I get back I will tell him lots of
stories about the little boys in
France.

So hoping you receive this let-
ter in due time, I will close
With love to all,
Tom.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sargent of
Chestnut street have received a let-
ter from their son, Private William
H. Sargent of Company L, 102nd U.
S. Infantry, stating that he is in a
hospital somewhere in France, re-
covering from the effects of gas. The
letter in part follows:

My Dear Mother and Father,
Just a few lines, hoping to find
you all well. I am in the hospital.
I got gassed, but am coming along

nically. It effected my eyes, but
they are getting better now. I could
not see to write you for five weeks,
but I can see now pretty well.

How is everything in Manchester?
I got the cake you sent, mother, and
it was fine. I also got the other
things. Well, if father was up in
the front line trenches, he would
hear lots of singing at night. There
are all kinds of singing in the air.
The Victrolas would not hold a
cracker to it. We have movies in
the Y. M. C. A. pretty near every
night.

Well, I think this is all for this
time, so I draw to a close by sending
my best love to you all. Hoping to
hear from you soon and hoping to
see you all again soon.

From your loving son, to father,
mother and sister. Write soon!
Private William H. Sargent.

Rev. and Mrs. P. J. O. Cornell
have received two letters from their
son, Corporal Adolph Cornell of
Company G, one written under date
of March 29 and the other on April
9. The second letter came through
in exceptionally quick time, being
posted on April 12. Extracts from
the first letter follow:

March 28, 1918.
I have been in the trenches and
came out with a whole skin, so far,
so good. I surely have had some feel-
ings and it makes a fellow feel
funny and queer when the shrapnel
and shells are bursting around him.
I don't mind the shells half so much
as I do the gas, but we have gas
masks and if a fellow doesn't get rat-
tled he don't have to fear the gas.
We had a gas attack, and I suppose
you saw by the papers where some
of the boys were wounded. The pa-
pers had us all wiped out, but I am
very much alive and so are the rest.
Going into the trenches the first time
sure makes a fellow feel queer and
I know the first night that I stood in
the trench looking out into No
Man's land I could hear all kinds of
queer noises and when a fellow is up
there at the front he thinks of a lot
of things he never gives a thought

to other times. But so far luck has
been with me and I am feeling fine.

I got the last box you sent and it
sure was good to get the smokes and
candy. Thank Dick Rich for the
smoke.

I have a little airplane that was
made up at the front by French sol-
diers in their spare time. It is made
of German shells and is a souvenir
worth getting. I am going to try
to send it home, maybe I can't, but
I will try.

Well, I will close for this time
with love to all and I am well and
very much alive.
Adolph.

In the second letter, under date
of April 9, Corporal Cornell writes as
follows:

Dear Father and Mother,
Just a few lines to let you know
that I am well and getting along
nicely. I would write more, but I
haven't much of a chance. Will
write as often as I can, though, so
when you don't hear from me for
some time, you will know that it is
because I haven't had a chance to
write.

I suppose you saw in the paper
about us being in the trenches. This
trench life is a great deal different
from drilling. The trenches are
about half full of water and every-
where you go the mud is about a foot
deep.

About a week ago I was in a Sal-
vation Army hut and two girls from
South Manchester were working
there. I didn't know them, but a lot
of the fellows did and it seemed
good to see some one from the home
town.

I suppose you have been getting
a lot of false reports about us here,
as I saw in a Waterbury paper how
they had us all shot up, but I am
still very much alive. We sure had
some experience when we were in
the line. When you heard the
shrapnel bursting all around you it
was time to keep your head down
and I sure had many a chance to
keep mine down.

Well, if luck is with me, I will

have a lot to tell when the war is
over and I hope that it will be be-
fore many more months.

The weather is getting warmer,
but the rain and wet weather make
it so "rotten" to be out. But I hope
we will get some good weather soon.

Well, I don't know of much more
to write, so I will have to close.
Please don't worry about me, as I
am all right and doing fine. With
love to all at home.

Your loving son,

Adolph.

A letter has been received by mem-
bers of the staff of The Evening Her-
ald from Lance Harding, now with
an ambulance corps in France. Hard-
ing conducted an advertising service
here for about a year and later was
advertising manager for all of Wat-
kins Brothers' stores. Extracts from
the letter follow:

"Doubtless you know of the big
German offensive. I am not far
away from it. Recently the Kultur
enthusiasts dropped us a souvenir in
the form of a shell which destroyed
two of our cars. The concussion re-
lieved me of my breath but fortunately
no one was injured.

"Then, above all incidents of the
war, came a great surprise to me.
An American division came into our
village and behold the members were
Hartford and Manchester boys,
Captain Harry Bissell was in charge
but I was unable to see the boys
personally because I was on duty.

"One night the Huns threw over
a number of gas shells and quite a
number of the boys were gassed and
that kept us busy. Next the Hart-
ford and Manchester men made a
raid on the Germans and brought
back prisoners.

"Another incident of my stay here.
On going up to the first dressing
station which is situated immedi-
ately behind the first line trenches, a
shell came right into the middle of
the road on the exact spot where I
had been a few seconds before and
strange to say at the same spot an-
other shell fell on my return trip.

"You will wonder at the myste-

rious address at the end of this let-
ter. Well, although I enlisted with
an American ambulance corps I was
transferred to a French corps and
thus the French address."

**Y. M. C. A. SHIP TORPEDOED
BROKE IN TWO.**

London, May 1.—The steamship
Orissa, which was torpedoed by a
German submarine while carrying
American Y. M. C. A. workers to
Europe from the United States,
broke in two immediately after be-
ing struck, her commander, Captain
Hobson, stated today.

She had to be abandoned immedi-
ately and the fact that all of the
passengers were saved was due to
frequent boat drill and fine weather.
Among those on board was the
American wife of an Australian
named Harry Holmes. She and her
husband were on their honeymoon
to France. Holmes had served as a
soldier on three continents. Upon
his return to Europe he was invali-
dated and became an attache of the
British Y. M. C. A.

**INDIANA HAS TWO TOWNS
WITHOUT ALIEN ENEMY.**

Indianapolis, Ind., May 1.—Only
two of the fifty-one Indiana cities
having a population of 5,000 or more
are without German alien enemies,
according to figures just compiled by
Mark Storen, United States Marshal.
They are Hartford City and Craw-
fordsville. Alien enemies regis-
tered in the state number 10,849.

**SAWMILL CLOSES DOWN,
BUT BURNER CONTINUES.**

Vancouver, B. C., May 1.—Al-
though the big Hastings sawmill here
is closed for repairs and will not be
operated again until August 15 the
refuse burner that has served as a
beacon for vessel masters for fifty-
two years will not be extinguished.
In all these years the fire has burned
constantly, and it is declared there
is enough refuse on the pile to keep
the fires fed until after the mill re-
sumes operation.

WAR BUREAU NEWS

Liberty Song Books are on sale at
the War Bureau for 10c per copy.

Any Shipyard Volunteer who has
not yet received a button may have
same by calling at the War Bureau.
The following letter has been re-
ceived from the Connecticut State
Council of Defense, signed by the
Director of Child Welfare:

"Next to the duty of doing every-
thing possible for the soldiers at the
front, there could be, it seems to
me, no more patriotic duty than that
of protecting the children, who con-
stitute one-third of our population.
"This quotation from President
Wilson is our warrant for dedicating
a large percentage of our time to the
nation's program for saving 100,000
children.

"The Children's Bureau has outlin-
ed a program that will enable Con-
necticut to save her share of these
precious lives. On May 8th there
will be a State-wide meeting in the
Hall of the House of Representa-
tives, Hartford, at which time the de-
tails of this program will be outlin-
ed. The meeting will open at
11:30; luncheon will be procurable
in the cafeteria of the Capitol at
1.00, and the afternoon session will
be called together at 2.00.

"Dr. Peixotto will bring a message
to us from the Federal Government,
while Commissioner of Health, Dr.
John T. Black will speak for the
State of Connecticut. From those
addresses you will be able to gain
the knowledge that is necessary if
you are to do your part in making
the Connecticut campaign a suc-
cess."

"Every person who has the wel-
fare of the nation at heart should
enlist in this movement, which will
care for and protect the children
who are to perpetuate the democracy
for which our soldier boys are
paying the supreme sacrifice.
"We count upon you to be present
without fail."

Domestic and Shopping Hints for Housewives

Pretty Morning Frock Made of White Voile

New Sleeveless Coat for the Coming Summer



Here is one of the new sleeveless coats developed in rose velvet and worn with a white cloth skirt and silk shirt.

Simple but Charming Girl's Graduation Dress



Charmingly youthful in its simplicity is this graduation frock of fine white net with cordings of white utache and tiny pink silk rosebuds.

Pretty Afternoon Frock of White Georgette Crepe



Delightful afternoon frock developed in white georgette crepe, featuring a tunic skirt. Gay colored hand embroidery in an attractive border design is introduced, affording a summery note.

The excessively sheer fabrics used in the summer frocks this year makes the choice of an underdrip to be worn with it of considerable importance.

Rubber soles are replacing leather more and more, because of the war, and the summer shoe with a leather sole this year will be nearer the exception than ever before.

With white cotton goods going "sky high" and "no more flour sacks," because "flour can only be bought in small quantities," a mother told me today, she didn't know what we were to do for the kiddies' underwear.

Silks and taffetas don't gather and hold the dust like heavier fabrics. Before buying that summer dress see Eger. Black, greys and many other shades.

Cretonne may be very effectively used in the garden or for a farm dress. It keeps fresh in appearance surprisingly well, and is bright and attractive.

Why buy a brand new gown, unless you need it, if your old one can be altered? Save the difference and put it into your first payment on a Liberty Bond.

Large bead necklaces in quite elaborate designs promise to be popular this summer. They lend a bright touch to the sombre suit and are really artistic and charming decorations.

Summer furs are certainly jaunty little affairs, judging by those I saw at Elman Brothers' store today. One, a half crepe effect, was a clever com-

SHE TAKES UP HUSBY'S DUTIES AND SUCCEEDS.

Denver, Colo., May 1.—Mrs. Stanley S. Outwater today is living evidence that at least one wife can take care of a \$100,000 business.

DAYLIGHT SAVING PLAN IS IGNORED BY FIREMEN.

Holyoke, Colo., May 1.—Holyoke is all worked up over a factory whistle that won't behave. And as a result an appeal has been made to the State Council of Defense to force a fireman, whose duty consists in part in operating the whistle, to turn his watch up in accordance with the latest style in time.

BOOSTS U. S. PLAN TO SPEED SHIPBUILDING

London, May 1.—The American plan of speeding shipbuilding by encouraging rivalry among workmen at various yards by posting construction speed scores, is advocated by John Hill, a trade union leader.

Districing the country and the appointment of a committee for each, composed of three workmen and three employers, is proposed, the aim being to settle all labor disputes within twenty-four hours after trouble arises.

bination of figured silk net and fur. Others were equally pretty and I really can't imagine a more attractive warm weather wrap.

May Day—sure enough, did you think of this morning? Well, you may rest assured the Dewey-Richman Co. thought of it several days ago, and they have a fascinating window full of May baskets—all shapes—done in the daintiest pastel shades of some really artistic blending effects.

The Park Hill Flower Shop, 539 Main street, are ready to put the flowers in your lawn or cemetery urns.

There was difficulty at the Dewey-Richman Co.'s store getting just the style service pins wanted, but they were well worth waiting for. Instead of the usual flag pin, they are well proportioned oblong shapes in solid gold or gold filled, with a tiny rim of deep red round the edge and the star or stars through the center.

War Time Recipes.

Lamb Stew—1 1/2 lb. breast lamb, 2 onions, 4 large potatoes, 1 pt. white beans, 1 tbsp. flour. Have beans soaking on back of stove.

Stuffed Cabbage (Kaldalmar)—After removing the outer leaves, parboil a cabbage head. In the meantime parboil cup rice. Prepare 2 lbs. Hamburg with crumbs, 1 egg, salt and pepper.

Potato Patties—Take 3 qts. of potatoes and peel and boil until tender. Drain and mash them fine. Then cook 3 eggs until hard and peel and chop them into six bits and add to the potatoes.

The dominant note in this pretty little frock for a pretty little tot is one of daintiness and charming simplicity. It is fashioned of plaid gingham, beautifully stitched about the yoke from the top of the skirt to the collar.



Practical summer morning frock developed in white voile and effectively trimmed with hand embroidery in pastel shades.

Daintiness Dominant in This Pretty Frock



The Air Line Is a Versatile Veil



It's all in the way you wear it. As it is shown here gracefully draped in the back it gives the impression that the wearer has just come down from a spree in the clouds, and midday looks quite charming.

THE VIGILANTES

The following articles are written by the Vigilantes. Who are the Vigilantes? The Vigilantes is an organization of America's brainiest men and women, who receive fabulous prices for their contributions to magazines.

OH LOVERS OF ERIN!

By Abbie Farwell Brown of The Vigilantes.

I am a lover of Erin. O, Lovers of Erin! Americans of Irish blood! Friends of Liberty!

The one thing now is to beat Germany! Nothing else counts for the moment.

For if we don't beat, there won't be any future!

You needn't pretend to be a Friend of Freedom, or a Friend of Humanity, or a Friend of Peace—Or a Friend of Ireland, unless you are first of all an American; and America has declared herself to be an enemy of Germany, and an ally of England.

Germany isn't for Freedom or Humanity or Peace, or for any small nation. Does she act so? She is utterly selfish. Don't expect anything of her friendship or promises.

America is going to need every bit of power, every bit of her Allied help, to beat Germany. If we let Germany beat we are done for!

With this hard job before us, we can't have any division among us, just now. We can only win if we all stick together!

Don't you see, Friends? Won't you see, all of you, that we must forget for a time, our lesser differences, our lesser hopes? For everything is less, now, than our NEED TO WIN IN ORDER TO LIVE!

Some of you want Ireland to take advantage of this moment and try to get—what? Would it last if Germany won? Never!

They should have waited! You can't build till the earthquake has stopped rumbling. You can't put up the second story till the first is laid strong.

If you Americans with Irish blood persist in being anti-English more than you are anti-German you are not true Americans! For when America is at war with Germany,

Be careful what you do! You must not jerk the rein while we are driving this skittish beast, this war, to a safe stable.

What a disgrace if Irish blood were to be generally suspected of sympathy with Prussianism!

No, it isn't thinkable! Friends of true Irish Freedom, how could you hope to make the good world espouse your cause in the days of reckoning, if you do not join wholeheartedly now with all the enemies of slavery?

Your day is coming! Be good Americans first, Friends of Erin! Fight with thought, word, and deed, as so many of your brave fellows are doing Over There, against

the common foe of America, France, Italy, England and the rest.

So that there may be a FUTURE for us, and for Ireland,

"PUT NONE BUT AMERICANS ON GUARD."

By Pauline Worth Hamblif of The Vigilantes.

We have always been taught that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link, yet we continue to allow Germans to occupy positions of trust and in consequence are having almost daily fires of suspicious origin and other peculiar things for which no one seems able to account.

Tell me this—How many Americans occupy positions of trust in Germany today?

Let the innocent be classed with the guilty, it is the only safe way. There are enough Americans to attend to America's business, and it is about time they were put on the job!

BIG DEMONSTRATION BY ST. JAMES'S PARISH

Patriotic Assembly and Parade Sunday at Service Flag Raising

141 STARS IN FLAG

Hartford Speakers to Give Addresses—Band and Church Societies in Line—Gala Day for Congregation.

Next Sunday will be a notable day in the history of St. James's Roman Catholic parish, in the South end.

The surprisingly large number of one hundred and forty-one young men of that parish have gone out from their homes and daily occupations to take men's parts in the world war and to fight the good fight of democracy as opposed to German aggression.

The flag will be raised, and the addresses given, on the lawn in front of the church.

Parade at 2 P. M. One of the big features of the program will be the parade.

Arrangements for the event were outlined at a largely attended committee meeting presided over by the pastor, the Rev. W. J. McGurk.

The marchers will meet at St. James church at 2 p. m. Sunday, and will fall into line under the direction of the marshal on St. James street.

It wouldn't take long to raise an army if all those who are offering General Fox advice could be recruited.—Ex.

deliver their addresses and the service flag will be raised.

The service flag is the gift to the parish of the three societies referred to above. It is a source of satisfaction to the entire congregation that no less than 141 stars appear on this flag, indicative of the determination of the young men of the parish to do their full share in upholding their country in the great test of citizenship and loyalty.

A pleasing feature of the parade will be the fact that along the entire line of march, as a mark of respect and veneration the flag will be borne by sixteen little girls garbed in white, each girl being sister, daughter or other relative of one of the soldiers or sailors of the parish who are in the active service.

The exercises at the flag raising will be most impressive. The speakers will be the Rev. Father McAuliffe, vice-president of St. Thomas's Seminary, of Hartford, and Judge Edward L. Smith, of the Court of Common Pleas, of Hartford.

It is planned to have the service flag suspended in a prominent position in front of the church. A platform for the speakers, representatives of the War Bureau, and other guests, will be in position on the lawn. The east front of the church and the speakers' platform will be decorated with flags.

The various church societies have committees at work on the arrangements and they are impressing upon their respective organizations the very general character of the parade and the fact that every man in the parish, English-speaking and foreign-speaking, will fall into line behind the service flag next Sunday to honor the soldiers and sailors of the parish who have gone out to fight for their country.

Additional details for the big parade will be announced by the committees in charge in a day or two.

"NO SLACKERS", GOMPERS SAYS, "IN ORGANIZED LABOR'S RANKS"

Brings Optimistic Message From Montreal—Finds Canadian Doing Bit Enthusiastically—Points to American Ideas—Says May Help Fight Labor's This Afternoon.

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ABOUT TOWN

TONIGHT IN MANCHESTER. Baroness Huard's lecture, High School hall. Ladies of Maccabees, Spencer hall. Home Guard drill. Temple Chapter, O. E. S., Odd Fellows hall. Linne Lodge, K. of P., Foresters hall. Circle theater, "Kingdom of Love." Park theater, "Dodging a Million."

Lighting Up Time. Auto lamps should be lighted at 5.10 p. m. The sun rises at 5.48 a. m. The sun sets at 7.48 p. m.

P. J. O'Leary has purchased a motorcycle delivery outfit to use in his ice cream and bakery business. Mrs. George W. Finlay of Park street left today for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Robert Chapman of New London.

The Dorcas society of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet at eight o'clock this evening with Miss Gertrude Carlson of Ridge street.

Loyal Circle of King's Daughters held a fairly successful rummage sale in the town hall last evening. The net receipts, however, are not yet known.

Another raise in tobacco is predicted. Six cent packages of smoking tobacco are being gradually replaced with ten cent sacks in the local stores.

Arthur Sullivan, who has been training with the Medical Corps at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., has been transferred to the Field Hospital at Ellington Field, Houston, Texas.

The Automobile Bowling League will wind up its season at the Recreation Center Wednesday evening, May 8 and the Hoover League will close its season a week later.

Following the warm rain of last night and early morning, the sidewalks this morning were strewn with angle worms and it was difficult to walk without stepping on the crawlers.

Moving vans were busy in town yesterday and so were the men in the employ of the electric light and gas companies, changing the readings on the meters when the families moved out.

The bi-weekly session of the Hoover Bowling League will be held at the Recreation Center this evening. In the first match, beginning at seven o'clock, the Meatless and Wheatless teams will be the opponents. In the second match, the Heatless and Sweetless teams will bowl.

Hose Co. No. 2 of the north end fire department will have another of their patriotic card parties at their quarters tomorrow evening. Thrift stamps will be the admission fee and a Hoover lunch will be served after the games. Thrift stamps can be bought at the company quarters.

Police court cases in Manchester are becoming such a rarity that when the officials are called together the judge shakes hands with them. Even the prosecutor and the chief of police say good morning. The town is surely making a record for its lack of disturbers and the police say that never in the history of the town have the people been so well behaved. Cheney Brothers are having their troubles at present with a shipment of poor coal. It is difficult to keep up steam with the coal they have been using the past day or two and after the power went off twice yesterday afternoon in the spinning mills, the employees were dismissed shortly before four o'clock. The power went off again before 8.30 o'clock this morning, but started up again in a little while.

BELGIUM AND ITS PEOPLE. All men interested in Belgium and its people are invited to the Monthly meeting of the Methodist Young men's club in the South Methodist church this evening, when E. H. Gumbart, superintendent of the East Hartford schools, will give a talk on his travels in Belgium and the people of Belgium as he knows them. There will be other numbers on the program, which will be followed by a social hour. The meeting will start at 7.45 o'clock.

NOTICE. My wife, Mildred Chapman, having left my bed and board without just cause and provocation, I hereby give notice that I will pay no bills of her contracting after this date. Rufus Henry Chapman, Vernon, May 1, 1918.

Don't think because your purchase may be small that it will make no difference whether you subscribe to the third Liberty loan or not. Every subscription is wanted.—Ex.

RADIO EXPERT TO SPEAK HERE TOMORROW EVENING

Signal Corps Officer From Camp Devens to Explain Work at Recreation Center.

A patriotic meeting in the interest of Signal Corps work for the government is being arranged for tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, at the Recreation building. An expert Signal Corps officer from Camp Devens will explain the technical side of the Radio Buzzer code work, and the kind of service expected from such operators.

The government is calling for a large number of radio operators and several schools throughout the country are being conducted to provide the preliminary training for conscripted men or men who are eligible and willing to be inducted into service. After these men have acquired a proficiency of ten or more words sending and receiving, they will be enlisted as privates and sent to special training schools conducted by the government at various training camps.

Already several members of the first term class at the State Trade School have been sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to perfect the training leading to non-commissioned officers or if sufficient progress made, to commissioned officers.

At the meeting Thursday evening, opportunity for enrollment in the second term class will be provided. This class is already organized.

Equipment is ready for handling a large number.

Letters are being sent to men due for immediate draft and to a few others.

All who may be interested in this work are urged to be present Thursday evening.

OUR NEW FIRE PUMP HERE.

Latest Addition to Our South End Dept. is Last Word in Fire Apparatus.

Our new fire pump, shipped from Elmira, N. Y. last week, arrived in town this afternoon and was placed in No. 3's house. It arrived in Hartford yesterday and was kept over night at No. 2's fire house in that city. This afternoon Chief Atwood and several men went into Hartford and brought out the apparatus, under its own power. The old Pope engine at present in No. 3 house here will be kept there until the district sells it. There is room enough for both apparatus.

The new pump has a six-cylinder motor of the same size and power as that on the pump of No. 4 company and is practically a duplicate of that machine except that the water pump is smaller, being known as a junior pump. The capacity is about 350 gallons a minute and there are connections for two lines of hose. The hose body will carry 1,000 feet of regulation fire hose and there is a chemical tank and small hose besides. In addition there is a connection between the pump and the chemical outfit so that water from the pump can be sent through the chemical hose if the chemical supply is exhausted.

TWO GAMES THIS WEEK.

Local High School Plays Hartford Friday, Winsted, Saturday.

The local high school boys will stack up against Hartford in Hartford Friday afternoon and they expect to come home with the bacon. They have played three games so far and won them all and they don't mean to let Hartford stop their winning streak. It is expected that "Rabbit" Finnegan will be in the box for the locals and that spells "Good Night" to Hartford. "Gill" Wright will do the receiving.

Saturday afternoon, the locals will have a game in town, Winsted high being the opposing team. Winsted was one of the two teams to defeat South Manchester high last year, but it was by a single run and the locals mean to make up for that defeat Saturday. It is expected that Ballsieper will be on the firing line Saturday.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Unclaimed letters are held at the South Manchester postoffice for the following persons:

- Edward J. Callahan, Edgewood Inn. Miss Sarah Gibbons. Mrs. Kues, 8 Flower street. Dr. H. R. Laach. Mr. Loeffler, Bissell street, corner Spruce. Miss Agnes Prendegast, Main street. Mrs. Mary Thornton.

With prices advancing it suited the consumer much better when there were meatless days.—Ex.

TOWN TAX AND DOG TAX KEEP COLLECTORS BUSY

Hall of Records Does Rushing Business—720 Dog Licenses Have Been Issued.

The Hall of Records was a busy place last evening. Tax Collector G. H. Howe was there doing a rushing business in taking in the town tax. So was the assistant town clerk in taking in the money for dog licenses. Up to this morning 720 dog licenses had been issued. This is fully up to last year's record. It is estimated that there are about 780 dogs in town.

But, strange to say, there are always a few dog owners who neglect to pay on time and are forced to add \$1 to the price of the dog license. The people of Manchester pay the sum of \$1200 for the privilege of keeping dogs. The tax on female dogs has been increased this year and when some of the owners appear at the Hall of Records and find out that it will cost them the sum of \$10.25 for a license, some of them falter and say that they will go home and kill the animal rather than pay the price. But they do not always carry out the threat. A little later they appear before the town clerk and get the license saying: "My wife would not let me kill the dog."

This is the last day the taxpayers of the town can pay their tax and save the percentage of interest money that must be paid. The tax collector will be on the job this evening to accommodate all those who have put off this duty until now. The town clerk will also work overtime tonight so that any dog owners who have neglected to take out a license may do so.

INTEREST IN HOMERS.

Peter Vendrillo Has Some Fine Birds—Another Race.

Peter Vendrillo of 138 Maple street, owner of The Fearless Twin Loft, is one of the most enthusiastic members of the Manchester Homer club. All of his old birds are of pedigree stock and some of them have won diplomas. He has one black check hen, which won a diploma in a 250 mile race, travelling 1,548 48-100 yards per minute. Nearly all of the birds were bought in Philadelphia and Red Lion, Pa. One of his birds got out and flew back to Philadelphia and another went back to Red Lion. He has birds that have flown from 100 to 600 miles and one blue check white bird has flown 500 miles three times, coming back home in the same day.

Mr. Vendrillo has started as many as nine birds as far as 75 miles from home and have all but two get back safely. In tests held up to date, his average has been as follows: From Berlin, 100 per cent from Meriden, 88 per cent; New Haven, 87 1-2 per cent; Bridgeport, 100 per cent. In the Stamford race last Sunday, Vendrillo's birds scored 100 per cent, but lost first place by a few seconds.

Persons wishing to visit Vendrillo's loft will be welcome, if they notify him before hand.

The next race by the Manchester Homer Club will be held Saturday and will be from New York, a distance of about 100 miles.

FEW VOTERS EXPECTED AT OUR NEXT ELECTION

But One Candidate in The Field—One Voting Machine to be Used.

In today's Herald will be found the warning for the special Elector's meeting which will take place in Manchester one week from today. The election is for the choice of a successor to Judge Olin R. Wood as judge of probate. There is only one candidate in the field, William S. Hyde, who has been named first by the Republicans and endorsed by the Democrats. The election next Wednesday will therefore be a very tame affair. It is planned to have only one of the six voting machines set up for use. One machine will without doubt be sufficient to take care of all the voters who will show up at the town hall. As this is an electors' meeting and governed by the state laws rather than the town laws, the polls will be open at six o'clock in the morning and will remain open until five o'clock in the afternoon.

It will be necessary to have a moderator, a machine tender and a checker on duty all day, even though not more than a hundred voters appear to vote. As far as can be learned this will be the first special electors' meeting ever held in town.

MRS. W. F. TAYLOR.

The Evening Herald received a telegram from Rev. William F. Taylor yesterday afternoon just after the paper had gone to press, announcing the death of his wife, Mrs. Taylor died Monday afternoon. It was known by some of her friends here that she had been in poor health for some time.

Mr. Taylor, it will be remembered, was the pastor of the North Methodist church for about six years. His wife was a hard worker in the church and a woman who had many firm friends in Manchester. Besides her husband she is survived by four sons, and two daughters. The funeral is to take place Friday afternoon with burial in Cincinnati.



WILLIMANTIC THREAD SATURDAY ONLY, SPOOL.

- Basting Thread 4c spool 5c Common Pins 4c each 10c Common Pins 8c each 5c Hook and Eyes 4c each 10c Snap Fasteners 7c card 5c Thimbles 8c each 5c Snap Fasteners 8c each 24 yard Roll Tape 1/4 in. 19c pc. Merrick Darling Cotton . . . 3 for 5c 5c Pearl Buttons 8c doz 10c Pearl Trimming Buttons . . . 7c 10c Pkg. Mending Tissue 7c 10c Sew-On Hose Supporters . . . 7c 25c Trylite Dress Shields . . . 10c pair 4c Cotton Tape (3 yd roll) 2 for 5c 10c Delong Hook and Eye . . . 8c card 5c Safety Pins 8c card 10 yd. Superfine Tape, 1/4 in. 10c; 1/2 in. 15c; 3/4 in. 17c; 1 in. 25c. 5c Thimbles 8c each Taffeta Seam Binding, black or white . . . 17c pc. 1/2 lb. Boxes Dressmakers' Pins 19c box.

TOILET SPECIALS

- 25c HAIR BRUSHES 19c Each 25c Palm Olive Face Powder . . . 25c 10c Empress Corylopsis Talcum Powder 10c Marvis Talcum Powder 10c Absorbent Cotton (14 oz.) 30c Cheney Tooth Powder 15c Hard Water Castile Soap 5c 10c Tooth Brushes 7c Pebecco Tooth Paste 25c 10c Toilet Soap 7c each

36 INCH VOILE FLOUNCING 45c YD.

One lot of 120 yds. of voile floouncing worth 59c a yard. Six patterns to select from for scalloped edge deep embroidery effect. New and fresh for this sale.

12 1-2c and 15c TORCHON LACES 10c YD.

300 yds. of pure linen insertions and edges, good patterns, wide and narrow width.

ALL WOOL DRESS GOODS.

You no doubt realize the wool situation! All wool goods will be a luxury and hard to find in a short time. We have not a large stock of fancy materials, but we have a fair stock of plain color cloths at prices under today's market. Let us show you what we have.

EXTRA SPECIAL.

\$1.25 WOOL SERGE (Part Cotton) 85c YD. Black and Navy only, 3/4 inch wide.

89c WOOL AND COTTON SERGE 69c YD. 36 inches wide, Navy and Black only.

BETTER DRESS GOODS \$1.50 to \$3.00.

A fair assortment of plain goods in Black, navy and brown.

BUY LIBERTY BONDS! THE CAESAR MISCH STORE 687-695 MAIN STREET. Simply Say "Charge It" Pay A Dollar A Week. All dealings confidential and NO extra to pay! It's a "man's store that you will enjoy coming to. Honest advertising—honest merchandise—honest dealings. Hundreds of Men's New Suits \$12.00, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00 to \$37.00. Top Coats, \$15, \$20, \$25 to \$35. New Hats \$2.00 TO \$3.00. Shoes \$4.00 TO \$10.00.

A Boon to Farmers The Avery Tractor 5-10 H. P. Weight, 2,250 pounds. It will pull 2 plows, or a Harrow, Grain Drill, Grain Binder, Road Drag, or 2 loaded farm wagons. It will drive a silo filler or ordinary size feed Grinder. THE AVERY 5-10 H. P. TRACTOR costs less than a good pair of Horses and will do the work of a 3 or 4 horse team and do it quicker and better. COME IN AND LET US TELL YOU ABOUT IT. The F. T. Blish Hardware Co.

Royal Tailored Clothes. This means a good deal to a man buying a suit today. The stocks of high grade fabrics are being rapidly depleted—and they cannot be renewed. Order a suit NOW while you are sure of getting good materials. We can make up a suit to your individual measure for less money than you can get a first class ready-made suit—and we guarantee fit and fabric.

Glenney & Hultman

ADVERTISE IN THE HERALD

STYLISH LOW FOOTWEAR. Ladies' Summer Footwear Oxfords and Pumps. in the newest and most desirable models, brown, black and patent leather, high and military heels. These shoes are all Goodyear welts, made of selected stock, with the very best workmanship. City stores ask \$5.50 to \$6.50 for these shoes—OUR PRICE \$4.50 to \$5.50. CHILDREN'S GENUINE WHITE BUCK HIGH CUTS Sizes 8 1/2 to 11 at Pair \$3.00 Sizes 11 1/2 to 2 at Pair \$3.25 Headquarters For Ladies' Comfort Shoes. Park Shoe Store NEW JOHNSON BLOCK, 697 MAIN STREET.

J.W.H.C.