

BRITISH GAIN NORTH AND SOUTH OF FRENCH-FLANDERS BORDER--BAY STATE CASUALTIES MANY--FOE TAKES RUSSIAN FLEET--WILSON PROBES AIRCRAFT MIXUP

MASSACHUSETTS WORST HIT ON NEW CASUALTY LIST OF EIGHTY-SIX

Connecticut Has Only Three Victims, Including Two Deaths in France

NEW BRITAIN AND BRISTOL MEN DIE

East Granby Man Slightly Wounded --New England Continues to Fig- ure Heavily Among Killed, Hurt and Missing.

Washington, May 6.—Eighty-eight names are in the casualty list announced by the War Department today. Six men were killed in action, three died of wounds and fifteen are reported missing in action. Nine succumbed to disease and two were victims of accidents, one dying "from other causes." Four were severely wounded and forty-eight slightly wounded. The New Englanders were:

Died of Wounds: Private Nicholas Bernardino, Joseph Bernardino, 214 Elm street, New Britain, Conn.

Died of Disease: Private Charles F. Hall, 28 Emory street, Attleboro, Mass.

Died of Accident: Lieutenant Robert P. Cross, Huntington, Mass.

Wounded Slightly: Sergeants Royal Bates, Benjamin G. Bates, 24 Worthington street, Roxbury, Mass.; John D. Cleary, Elizabeth A. Cleary, 34 Herbert street, Lynn, Mass.; Matthew C. O'Brien, Mrs. Tessie G. O'Brien, 333 Haverhill street, Lawrence, Mass.

Russell P. Samuel, Medford, Mass.
Corporals Thomas E. Birmingham, Mrs. Julia Birmingham, 25 Hampden street, Roxbury, Mass.; David Doherty, Charles A. Cronin, 9 Hoitson street, Lawrence, Mass.; Michael A. Sullivan, 89 Eustic street, Boston; Richard W. Whipple, Mrs. Mary Whipple, 108 Castle street, Boston.

Cook, George J. Mullis, Rosinadale, Mass.
Privates Royal Allan, Dorchester, Mass.; Ernest H. Appleton, Mrs. Ada Appleton, Brightwood, Mass.; John A. Gibbons, Joseph L. Gibbons, 144 Holly street, Framingham, Mass.; William F. Graham, N. Cambine, Mass.; Charles A. Hayes, Waltham, Mass.; Carl A. Hokansen, Hudson, Mass.; John J. Joyce, Plymouth, Mass.; John J. Joyce, Mrs. J. M. Joyce, 232 Main street, Lawrence, Mass.; John M. Keeley, 68 P. street, South Boston, Mass.; Mike Kiecha, East Granby, Conn.; Lester C. Leach, Worcester, Mass.; Angus J. McDonald, Jackman, Me.; Charles L. Thomas, Malden, Me.

Missing in Action: Privates Michele Defargo, Patsy Ritz, 4 Pine Grove Terrace, Roxbury, Mass.; Wilfred Marquies, Fall River, Mass.; Carmelite R. Puopolo, Avon, Mass.

ENGLISH WOMAN SERBIAN SERGEANT.

London, May 6.—Sergeant Major Flora Sandes, an English woman who has been serving with the Serbian army, is leaving England today for Salonika to join her regiment after a furlough here. She joined the Serbians as a nurse, later becoming a private soldier. She won her promotion through bravery at the front and has been decorated.

6,000 PORTO RICANS TO COLORS.

An Atlantic Port, May 6.—On his way to Washington for a conference with the Spanish Ambassador and Major General Crowder in Washington, Francis H. Dexter, a lawyer and organizer for the American Defense Society in Porto Rico, arrived here today. Dexter said that 6,000 of Porto Rico's young men will be called to the colors by the draft this month. He said that 250 officers will be graduated from the training camp on the island May 15.

GERMANS SEIZE BLACK SEA FLEET OF RUSSIA; 40 DESTROYERS, SUBMARINES ETC. INCLUDED

London, May 6.—The Russian Black Sea fleet has been captured intact, it was officially announced in Constantinople, according to a News Agency dispatch received here today.

The dispatch quoted the Turkish statement as saying further that the former German cruiser Goeben was at Sebastopol, where the capture was effected.

According to the Clowes Naval Manual the Russian Black Sea fleet consisted approximately of ten battleships, four cruisers, over 40 de-

stroyers, torpedo boats and submarines, two gun boats and other small craft. When the German and Ukrainian forces began their march upon Odessa the Russian fleet was in that harbor. It took flight as the Germans approached the city, going to Sebastopol, in the Crimea. During the turbulent days after the Bolshevik assumed control of the Russian government a mutiny broke out in the fleet and it was seized by Bolshevik sympathizers.

There was a terrible massacre of naval officers.

"MOST VICIOUS GERMAN PROPAGANDIST" CAUGHT

Gerard Liebisch Promised Would-Be Army Deserters Rich Rewards

WORKED IN PORTO RICO

An Atlantic Port, May 6.—Characterized as the "most vicious German propagandist," that the authorities have yet caught, Gerard Liebisch, 45 years old, arrived at this port today on a ship from Porto Rico in the custody of United States Marshal W. R. Bennett. Liebisch is en route to the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta, where he will serve four years at hard labor for his seditious utterances.

As Liebisch was led down the gang plank, he shouted:

"You Americans are a pack of rotters. You cannot beat the Germans, who are the finest people in the world. The Germans already have killed all the soldiers you have sent over to France."

Shouts Defiance.

"You Yankees had better keep out of this war and mind your business, otherwise you will all be killed."

The evidence offered at Liebisch's trial showed that he carried on a most vicious German propaganda among the young men of Porto Rico. He advised those who were subject to the draft to obey the call to the colors, but to desert as soon as they got to France and go to the German lines. Each deserter, he promised, would be paid \$2,000 by the German government, would be treated "like a King" and would have his pick of attractive German girls for wives.

Besides, the propagandist declared, each renegade would be given a pension of \$1,000 a year for life by the Prussian autocrats.

Numerous photographs of places of military importance in Porto Rico also were found among Liebisch's effects.

DRAFT CONSTITUTIONAL.

Washington, May 6.—In a sweeping decision upholding the right of Congress to take steps "without limit," in prosecuting a war, the supreme court today overruled the appeal that under the selective draft law a man could not be forced to go abroad to fight. The attempt to have General Leonard Wood cited in contempt of court for sending Robert Cox abroad while his appeal in this case was pending was automatically lost.

ANNA HEID BETTER.

New York, May 6.—Following an operation yesterday for blood transfusion, Miss Anna Heid, the actress, was reported resting comfortably in her apartments here today.

ARTILLERY DUELS STILL IN ITALY

Amsterdam, May 6.—The Austrian War Office announces that heavy artillery duels continue all along the Italian front today. The text follows:

"On the lower Piave River Italian reconnaissances were frustrated. Artillery duels continue all along the southwestern front."

NEW GERMAN PEACE TERMS ARE MODERATE

Belgian Autonomy Balkan Solution at Council Board Are Items

EAST'S STATUS SAME

Austria-Hungary to Make Concessions in Trentino to Italy—The Hague Authority for Statement.

London, May 6.—Germany has made her first move in the new peace offensive by sending out a peace feeling to England, consisting of a list of terms, some of which promised

the peace that Germany is said to have set to London is commonly supposed to be a former war minister of Holland, said a Central News dispatch from the Hague.

Peace Terms.

Advices from the Dutch capital this afternoon outlined the German terms as follows:

1—Germany renounces all claims in the west.

2—Belgium to be restored to autonomous independence.

3—Alsace-Lorraine to receive autonomy within the German federation.

4—The status in the East to remain as at present.

5—Austria-Hungary to make concessions to Italy in Trentino.

6—The Balkan questions to be decided at an international conference.

7—All questions affecting Africa and Asia-Minor to be solved at the peace table.

8—Germany to abandon all claims to Kiaochow, but to require certain economic concessions from China.

There is a disposition in German circles to speak freely of the new proposals which, it is reported, have already been made known to the British foreign office, the dispatches from The Hague added. It is regarded as certain that they were inspired from Berlin.

Kiao-Chau, which Germany promised to give up was a lease held on the Chinese coast. Germany secured a 99-year lease on the tract and built a strong fort there. The fort was attacked by Japanese and British forces at the outbreak of the war and it was reduced. The Allies then occupied Kiao-Chau.

LOAN FOUR BILLIONS.

New York, May 6.—Registering a gain of \$3,766,950 over the official total announced by the bond issue division of the Federal Reserve Bank yesterday, total Liberty bond subscriptions filed here today amounted to \$953,700,000. It will not be possible to ascertain the New York district's total contribution until Thursday, when all reports will have been returned.

The total of the national loan is expected to be fully four billions.

BELGIANS NEXT WILL BEAR BRUNT OF FOE'S PRESSURE

London, May 6.—Renewal of German activity against the Belgians at the extreme northern end of the western battle front indicates that a blow is impending there, having the two fold object of infiltrating southward along the North Coast menacing Dunkirk and of driving in the northern flank of the Ypres salient.

Belgian Official Report.

An official report issued by the Belgian War Office said:

"In the night time an enemy party that was attempting to approach our advanced posts in the region of Neuport, (on the coast), was dispersed by our fire.

"There was moderate artillery activity during the day in the sector of Mercken and Boesinghe and towards Neuport."

The operation on the northern end of the line probably would be carried out in conjunction with converging attacks from the south, the Germans striking from the Kemmel sector. The Germans had been protecting the Neuport sector with a naval division composed of marines. But these were transferred to the Somme and took part in the German grand offensive, which began on March 21. The marines were held up in the fighting in the Somme.

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PRESIDENT ORDERS AIRCRAFT PROBE

Directs Attorney General to Work With Senate Committee

BORGLUM CHARGES

Chief Executive Wants Claim Sifted That Ring Controlled Output of Aircraft — Sen. Chamberlain's Views.

Washington, May 6.—The White House this afternoon took a hand in the aircraft situation.

President Wilson, it was officially announced, has directed the Attorney General to cooperate with the Senate military affairs committee in a sweeping investigation and specifically it is understood, with reference to the charges of Gutzon Borglum, who made an inquiry into the work of the Aircraft Board at the request of the President.

It was made plain that in the event the Senate committee is not inclined to proceed with such a probe, it would be conducted by the Attorney General independently. It is evident that the White House is not

that a ring of contractors controlled the output of aircraft and that the President has no great program to be carried out thoroughly sifted.

The Senate committee is disposed to give the department of Justice a free hand in conducting the aircraft investigation, unless the Senate specifically instructs it otherwise.

This was the attitude of Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the committee and Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who has taken the leading part in the committee's inquiries into the aviation situation in the past. A meeting of the committee probably will be held tomorrow definitely to decide the course to be followed.

"The committee will do whatever the Senate instructs it to do," said Senator Chamberlain. "But in the absence of definite instructions, it is my personal opinion that the aircraft situation is more properly adjunct for investigation by the Department of Justice."

PITTSFIELD WORKERS THREATEN STRIKE

Department of Labor Trying to Bring General Electric Co. Man- agers and Employees Together.

Pittsfield, Mass., May 6.—The United States Department of Labor today took a hand in the controversy between employers and employees of the General Electric plant, which is engaged on war work.

The employees, of whom there are 7,000, were dismissed at 9 o'clock today in order that they might vote on a proposition presented by Federal Conciliator Harry Skeffington. If his plan is not accepted a general strike will be declared tomorrow.

The employees demand a new working agreement, the abolition of individual contracts submitted by the company, and a wage increase of 20 per cent. They have a joint agreement with the employees of the Schenectady plant of the same company, who have voted to back them in everything except the wage increase demand.

ALLIES TO GET TIMBER OF SWISS.

Berne, May 6.—The Allies have reached an agreement with Switzerland to obtain Swiss timber. It will be used chiefly by the American army.

BRITISH PUSH AHEAD IN FRANCE AND FLANDERS

Lines Extended in Sectors of Somme and Ancre Rivers and Near Morlan Court— Locon Positions Also Im- proved—Today's War Of- fice Statement

London, May 6.—The British lines have been advanced and improved on both the Picardy and Flanders battle fronts, the war office announced today.

The British lines were extended in the sectors of the Somme and Ancre rivers and in the neighborhood of Morlan court, which is three or four miles south of Albert, while the positions were improved in the Locon sector, also on the Flanders front. (This district lies between three and four miles north of the British railroad position of Bethune.)

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BRITISH PATRIOTIC RALLY AT H. S. HALL TONIGHT

Speakers Who Were Wounded in France To Tell Their Experiences - Tickets Free.

Tonight at the High school assembly hall, there will be held a British-Canadian Recruiting rally under the auspices of the local Citizens' committee with O. F. Toop as chairman and W. C. Cheney, ex officio.

Like the last rally here, tickets of admission will be issued at the War Bureau for those who wish to attend. The tickets are free. The idea behind the tickets is that those of Irish, Scotch and English blood should be given preference. After that the general public is admitted.

There will be music provided and the speakers will be Lieutenant J. W. Norworthy, of the Royal Highlanders who was wounded at Vimy Ridge. In his talk he will illustrate trench fighting. Then there will be Sergeant D. T. McKenna, of the Canadians who will tell of the Battle of the Somme. The other speaker will be Sergeant J. B. Pimlott, of the Cheshire Regiment who was wounded at Vimy Ridge.

The British Mission in this state is represented by Henry F. Marendaz who is in town today completing the details of the rally. He is being ably assisted by the local committee and a monster crowd is expected at the High school hall this evening.

THRIFT STAMP CAMPAIGN IS ON IN MANCHESTER

Local Merchants to Ask Customers If They Want Their Change in Stamps This Week.

Manchester merchants, in common with the merchants throughout the state, are observing this week as War Savings Week. Special window displays have been arranged and special prices or discounts are to be offered. The merchants have the thrift stamps on sale and when the customer turns in a bill he will be politely asked if he wants the discount or the change in thrift stamps instead of cash. In this way, it is hoped the sales of thrift stamps and war savings certificates will be swelled during the week.

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OVERPOWERS THIEF, THEN LETS HIM GO.

Stamford, May 6.—Nineteen year old Frederick Reid, son of W. H. Reid, a wealthy New York business man is no Hun. Last night a thief who was trying to steal one of the Reid automobiles, throttled young Reid in the Reid garage at Shippan Point. The boy broke away. Then the thief tried to brain the lad with a tire pump. The boy, a crack shot, merely took the pump out of the thief's hands and coolly watched him run away through adjoining fields. "I did not have the heart to shoot him," said the boy.

NEW HAVEN DEATH AN ACCIDENT.

New Haven, May 6.—Coroner Mix, while he has not completed his formal finding, announced today that he would declare that the death of George Johnson, killed while examining a revolver which was discharged on the platform of a Southington trolley car, where he was riding with the motorman, Ellery Johnson, last Thursday, was an accident.

BELLANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

AMUSEMENTS

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

AT THE PARK.

Well, tonight at Popular Playhouse will be an attraction that everybody likes. Musical comedy, good, clean and lots of it.

This morning the main part of the company arrived with trunks and prop cases. The girls of the pony chorus arrived in town last evening and the most of them are boarding at the Orford. The comedians, the character parts and the prima donna are stopping at private residences in town. This afternoon a full dress rehearsal of the music cues and the spot light cues will be held at six tonight and then everything will be in readiness for the big show.

The name of the company which will hold down the boards at the Park for tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday, with matinees beginning tomorrow, is "O! Girls". There are fourteen in the company. Advance notices received here are loud in their praise of this troupe which came here from Middletown. The booking office reports that the "O! Girls" company is among the best troupes going out from Boston.

An augmented orchestra will play the incidental music and multicolor effects will be worked with new spot light.

The show starts tonight promptly at 8 o'clock. The bill will open with a seven reel feature called "The Answer." This big picture is big enough to play as a two day attraction but Mr. Sullivan believes in free for tonight's performance. The leading part is played by R. Alma Reubens who has quite a following in Manchester.

On Thursday and Friday, the girl with a local reputation, Elsie Ferguson, will be shown in an Artcraft Special entitled "Rose of the World." With the possible exception of Mary Pickford, Elsie Ferguson is the most popular screen star today among the actresses. This is only her third picture and it can be seen how instantly she has become a favorite.

MANCHESTER "OVER TOP," MILLION MARK REACHED

Exact Figures Will Not Be Ready Until Tomorrow—Town's Glorious Record.

We did it! Manchester went over the top!

Without being able to give the exact figures, R. La Motte Russell announced this afternoon that this town has reached the one million dollar mark in the Liberty Loan campaign.

With but \$60,000 still to go, the last day of the campaign opened under most favorable auspices Saturday. The rank and file responded so generously to the eleventh hour appeal of the executive committee that the Flying Squadron was literally swamped with small subscriptions on Saturday night.

The exact figures will not be available until tomorrow. Extra clerks are working all day today and will work far into tonight to clean up the details of Manchester's Liberty Loan campaign.

Manchester has now the privilege of adding an honor star on each of her Honor Flags.

The executive committee wishes to take this means of expressing its thanks for every resident of this town who has bought a Liberty Bond. Were it not for them the town would not have made so glorious a record.

OMAR KHAYYAM AT PIMLICO.

Baltimore, May 6.—Omar Khayyam, Wilfred Viau's champion three year old of 1917, will make his debut at Pimlico today, starting in the sixth race, a handicap at one mile.

WATERBURY MEN DECLARE SELVES PACIFISTS.

Waterbury, May 6.—Four prisoners in city court today openly acknowledged their unwillingness to go to war. The men, who had been arrested in a gambling raid, declared they would claim exemption as aliens if they were called. "I will fine each of these slackers \$50 and costs," said Judge John McGrath. The prisoners appealed the decision.

Tony Markus, the proprietor and the only one who said he was willing to enlist received a light fine.

AT THE CIRCLE.

It is certainly hoped that no lover of good moving pictures will miss the splendid Fox production, "Cupid's Round-Up" which will be shown at the Circle this evening. It is a thrilling story of the Golden West and presents to Manchester movie fans a new star, Tom Mix, champion cowboy of the world. At the head of a fine company and with a brilliant red blooded drama, one cannot imagine anything so likely to give good entertainment.

The play has a clear and definite story to tell. It deals with a pair who have been betrothed since childhood but who have been separated since early youth. The man who has the prospect of marrying the girl he has never seen, promptly falls in love with one whom he believes to be a maid; and after rescuing her and nearly being killed himself through being mistaken for a cattle rustler, manages to get out of his difficulties. The exciting incidents he goes through in his unselfish regard for this girl and his oblivion to his own interests make this picture one of the most thrilling ever shown upon a screen. Single reel comedies and dramas are included in the same program.

Tomorrow and Wednesday the management will present Clara Kimball Young and her own company in her latest photodramatic triumph, "The House of Glass", a screen version of the highly successful melodrama of the same name which ran a full year on Broadway and broke popular records throughout the country. The critic of the New York American says of the picture, "Clara Kimball Young" appears at her loveliest, and her performance is perhaps the best she has ever given before the camera. A two reel Victor Moore comedy and the screen magazine will also be shown for the two days.

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D. A. R. MEETING.

The annual meeting of the D. A. R. was held at the Recreation building Saturday afternoon.

The meeting was opened by the regent, Mrs. C. E. House. The roll call showed that twenty-one members were present.

A report was made by the secretary, Mrs. A. A. Wassall. The large amount of knitting, sewing and work on surgical dressings for the Red Cross was referred to by the regent. With one exception the resident members of the chapter are members of the Red Cross society.

Mrs. C. E. Norton reported that the ladies had shown their patriotism by investing in many Liberty Bonds.

Two deaths have occurred during the year, that of Mrs. Charles S. Cheney and Mrs. R. G. Campbell, who was vice regent. Resolutions on the death of Mrs. Campbell were offered by Mrs. A. J. Straw.

Officers Elected.

Officers were then elected. Mrs. F. A. Verplanck was elected regent, to fill the office made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. C. E. House, who has held the office most acceptably for three years. Mrs. House was then elected vice regent in place of Mrs. R. G. Campbell, deceased. Mrs. W. B. Lull is to be secretary in place of Mrs. A. A. Wassall of Hartford. Mrs. F. W. Wolcott was reelected treasurer. Mrs. A. J. Straw registrar, and Mrs. Mary Cheney historian, were also reelected.

The Social Hour.

During the social hour Miss Lottie Treat, Miss Florence Skinner, Miss Carrie Lull and Mrs. Fred Hayes gave two eight-hand selections on two pianos—a Military Symphony by Hayden and a Concert Waltz by Natel. These selections were rendered in a most finished manner and were under the direction of Miss Jennie Hubbard.

Continental Congress.

Mrs. P. M. Schneider of East Hartford reported, in an interesting manner, the meeting of the Continental Congress at Washington, April 13th to 20th. She was accompanied by Miss Anna Olmsted, regent of the D. A. R. in East Hartford.

The committee for this meeting was Mrs. F. W. Wolcott, Mrs. C. M. Ely and Mrs. F. Hagenow.

PARK THEATER MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY Positively an Entirely New Show Every Day

A MUSICAL MELANGE OF MIRTH, MELODY AND MAGNIFICENCE

O! GIRLS

A REALLY TRULLY GIRLIE SHOW—BEST MUSICAL COMEDY TROUPE OUT OF BOSTON. Feature Picture "THE ANSWER" in SEVEN REELS—PERFORMANCE STARTS AT 8 SHARP. ADMISSION—Mat. 10 and 15 cts.; Evenings, 15 and 25 cents.

MARKET BULLISH WITH STEELS LEADING

U. S. Common Highest in Several Weeks, and Others Follow—Various Specialties Gain—Quotations.

New York, May 6.—General gains all through the list marked the opening of the stock market today.

Steel Common quickly rose to above 98 against 97 1/2 at the close on Saturday. Union Pacific rose 1/2 to 88 and Distillers' Securities 1/2 to 52 1/2, with other issues generally following these leaders in the various groups.

Specialties were also active and strong, with a good deal of interest attached to the trading in American Cotton Oil, which rose 1/2 to 38 1/2. Reading was actively traded in advancing 1/2 to 80 1/2. Anaconda moved up 1/2 to 64 1/2.

The feature of the trading during the forenoon was the vigorous buying of Steel Common, sales of that stock being more than one-third of the total sales. The steel stocks were active and strong, with a good deal of interest attached to the trading in American Cotton Oil, which rose 1/2 to 38 1/2.

By all the active specialties. Preferred moving 1 1/2 to 88 1/2 and Bethlehem Steel 1 1/2 higher at 80 1/2. Reading moved up one point to 80 1/2 and Republic Iron & Steel gained 1 1/2 to 84 1/2. Union Pacific was 1 1/2 higher at 119 1/2 and Distillers' Securities moved up to 52 1/2, a new high record on this movement. Gains ranging from fractions to over one point were made in many specialties.

Stock Quotations. Reported for The Evening Herald by Richter & Co., 8 Central Row, Hartford, 2-30 p. m. prices: AT G & W I 108 3/4 American Sugar 106 3/4 Am B Sugar 74 1/2 Am Tel & Tel 97 1/2 Anaconda 65 1/2 Am Smelter 75 3/4 Am Loco 64 3/4 Am Car Foundry 78 3/4 A T & S Fe 83 1/2 Balt & Ohio 52 Butte & Sup 19 1/2 Chile Copper 16 Col Fuel 57 1/2 C & O 57 1/2 Can Pac 141 Erie 1st 28 3/4 Erie 2d 14 1/2 Gen Electric 144 Gt Northern 89 1/2 Inland 39 1/2 Lehigh Valley 65 Mexican Pet 94 1/2 M K & T 4 1/2 Mer M Pfd 89 Mer M 24 3/4 Norfolk & West 104 New Consol Copper 81 1/2 N Y N H & H 30 3/4 Press Steel Car 59 1/2 Penna 44 People's Gas 45 Reub I & S 85 1/2 Reading 83 1/2 Southern Pac 83 1/2 Southern Ry 21 3/4 St Paul 39 1/2 Tex Oil 146 Union Pac 120 U S Steel 98 1/2 U S Steel Pfd 110 Utah Copper 81 1/4 Westinghouse 40 1/2 Liberty Bonds 3 1/2s 98.88 Liberty Bonds 4s 1st 96.08 Liberty Bonds 4s 2nd 96.00

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD

at Manchester, within and for the district of Manchester, on the 4th day of May A. D. 1918.

Present OLIN R. WOOD, Esq., Judge. Estate of Mabel G. Pilling late of Manchester, in said district, deceased. The administrator having exhibited his final administration account with said estate to this court for allowance, it is ORDERED: that the 11th day of May A. D. 1918, at 9 o'clock, forenoon, at the probate office, in said Manchester, be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said administration account with said estate, and this court directs the administrator to give public notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district on or before May 6th 1918, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in the town where the deceased last dwelt, six days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

OLIN R. WOOD, Judge.

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD

at Manchester, within and for the district of Manchester, on the 4th day of May A. D. 1918.

Present OLIN R. WOOD, Esq., Judge. Estate of Judson W. Nettleton late of Manchester, in said district, deceased. The administrator c. t. a. having exhibited his final administration account with said estate to this court for allowance, it is ORDERED: that the 11th day of May A. D. 1918, at 9 o'clock, forenoon, at the probate office, in said Manchester, be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said administration account with said estate, and this court directs the administrator to give public notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district on or before May 6th 1918, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in the town where the deceased last dwelt, six days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

OLIN R. WOOD, Judge.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to order of court of probate for the district of Manchester, on the 11th day of May A. D. 1918, I will sell at probate office, Hall of Records in said Manchester, on May 11th 1918 all of the real estate of estate of David W. Gunn described in the application for said order of sale. Dated April 27, 1918.

MARY F. GUNN, Adm.

FOUND.

FOUND—Bill on Main street yesterday morning. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. Apply War Bureau.

FOUND—A seven room cottage to rent with garage, garden and fruit, immediate possession. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg.

LOST.

LOST—A black ring stone with gold initial W, between Maple Street and High Street, Wednesday night. Finder please notify Walter Olson, Swedish Club Instructor.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DEBTS COLLECTED ANYWHERE, without charge unless successful; commission basis. Lewis Collecting Agency, 11 Vine St., So. Manchester, Conn. 1817

CONNECTICUT RIVER SHAD, Fresh daily. E. Seabrand, 91 South Main Street, Phone 304-4. Teams on road. 1817

COMBINATION STOCK, TOBACCO and fruit farm with stock and tools, owner would exchange for income property. A. H. Skinner. 1814

BRITISH CANADIAN WAR RALLY

High School Assembly Hall MON. EVE. MAY 6TH.

O. F. Toop, Esq., Chairman.

Officers from the Firing Line to speak

Lieutenant J. W. Norworthy 73rd Royal Highlanders

Sergeant D. J. McKenna of 19th Battalion.

Sergeant J. B. Pimlott, Cheshire Regiment.

The present German Drive will be explained. British Societies are invited to attend. Ladies are welcome. Admission Free. 1823

10 NORWEGIAN SHIPS TORPEDOED IN APRIL.

Washington, May 6.—Ten Norwegian ships, aggregating 13,704 tons, were sunk by German submarines during April, and 20 seamen lost their lives, according to cable information received today by the Norwegian legation.

The Herald's

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Rate.—One cent a word for first insertion, one half cent a word for each subsequent insertion. The combined initials of a name, or the figures of a number count as one word. Minimum charge 20 cents.

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FOR SALE.—Somebody having a very nice, modern, 1916 car, make money by selling it. Apply at the Buckland Store, 102-3 St. E. Stoughton, Wapping, Conn. Tel. 18513

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FOR SALE.—Sitting hens, also household furniture. Motorman Curtis Place, 32 Woodbridge St. 1817

FOR SALE.—One business wagon, one rubber tired buggy, 3 harnesses and 2 bantam chickens. Apply at the Buckland Store. 1817

FOR SALE.—Barred Rock Cockerels, bred from 200 egg hens, eggs for hatching. S. C. Hurlbut, 205 No. Elm St. 1817

FOR SALE.—The best 35 acre farm ever had to offer, buy now. A. H. Skinner, 1814

FOR SALE.—16 acre farm, ten minutes auto ride to the center house. Do you wish a farm? A. H. Skinner. 1814

FOR SALE.—A nearly new 3 family house better than ten per cent investment. A. H. Skinner. 1814

FOR SALE.—Black horse, good farm chink, weight about 1200, clever good worker, gentle. E. Seabrand, 91 South Main St., Phone 304-4. 1817

FOR SALE.—Walking distance from factory, modern 3 family house, low price of \$3,200 on easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg. 1817

FOR SALE.—Cash business for a good live man, healthy outdoor work. You have worked for the other fellow long enough. \$800 will buy it. The business has been established about 15 years and is guaranteed to be a paying proposition. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg. 1817

FOR SALE.—100 acre farm, suitable for sheep or any general farming, 9 room house and small bungalow, large basement barn, over 10 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. 1817

FOR SALE.—Up-to-date 2 apartment flat near Main street and Center, a real chance for an investment or home, easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg. 1817

FOR SALE.—2 large bins suitable for grain. May be seen at 85 Foster St. Tel. 339-5. J. H. Keith, 50 Hill Street. 1787

FOR SALE.—Hillard St., 13 minutes walk from station, 2 family house, 8 rooms to each rent, good condition, artesian well water, electric lights on street, 2 poultry houses, large frontage of 495 feet on Hillard St., 310 feet on Duval St. Property worth \$5,000, will sell for \$4,500 today. Walton W. Grant, 22 Cambridge St. 1787

FOR SALE.—Single house, 6 rooms, all improvements except gas, good condition, good barn, wagon shed, 6 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. 1787

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GOLF PLAYING RESUMED.

Country Club's Course Greatly Improved by Spring's Work.

Golf playing for the season has begun at the Manchester Country club. The grounds are in far better condition than they were last season, and are now said by experts to be exceptionally good for a one year old course. The greens have been leveled and the fairways have been closely trimmed. Much of the roughage at the sides of the course has been cleared away and in places where they were danger of the ball's getting away into deep grass or brush sand traps have been built to stop it.

Last year the combination of inexperienced players and an imperfect course caused the loss of many balls, and that interfered with the pleasure of the sport. This year the game goes much smoother. E. L. Connery, the professional in charge of the links, will be here until the summer season in Bethlehem opens and will give private lessons to beginners. Work has been started on the tennis courts but has been held up temporarily by the scarcity of labor.

The growing rye crop is estimated at 36,000,000 bushels, which looks a good deal like "coming thru"—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

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**DUTCH EMBARGO AGAINST
BRITAIN.**
Singapore, May 6.—The Dutch East Indies have put an embargo on exports with the exception of such as are needed in Holland. Dutch ships will refuse to call at British ports, it is said.

**ENGLAND BUILDS BIGGEST
ELECTRIC POWER VESSEL**
London, May 6.—The biggest electrically propelled ship in the world has just been built in England. It will be operated like a street car and will have ten per cent more cargo space than a coal fuel ship of the same tonnage.

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**Men Must
See**

clearly in order to work accurately. Both hand and brain are guided by the eye—and good vision necessarily means better work, more quickly and more easily done.

DEFECTS OF VISION often exist unsuspected—the sight may not be noticeably imperfect, but the strain of seeing may render work much more difficult than it should be.

HEALTH OFTEN SUFFERS also because eyestrain is one of the great causes of nervous derangements.

Competition is so keen nowadays in every walk of life that no man can afford to remain handicapped by bad vision.



**Women
Too**

are liable to have eye-troubles without realizing the fact. Women who enter into business life usually take up work which is peculiarly trying to the eyes.

SEWING AND "FANCY" WORK

of all kinds are especially trying to the eyes. The distressing headache which so often follows prolonged work of this kind is usually attributed to any cause but the right one, which is

STRAINED EYES Besides blurring and dimness of vision, there are many signs of strain, including aching and watering of the eyes and especially headache. No improvement can be hoped for until the sight has been tested, and accurate Glasses adapted.



**And Even
Children**

Parents should know that quite a large number of young children are troubled with defective vision. If this is neglected, school-hours become one long nightmare to the little one—who suffers much needless pain and undeserved blame for dullness when the fault lies in the eyes which obstruct the understanding.

ALL AGES AND ALL CLASSES NEED GOOD VISION

—it is vitally necessary to the welfare of everyone in these strenuous times.

No eye-defect is "too slight to trouble about," because it is a permanent tax upon the powers, and will almost certainly grow worse unless attended to.

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

17,000,000 BUY BONDS.

So far as the moral effect on the enemy is concerned, the number of subscribers to the third Liberty Loan is more important than a big over-subscription. During the month's campaign which closed Saturday 17,000,000 persons, roughly speaking, bought one or more of Uncle Sam's promises to pay. This is 7,000,000 more than in the second loan and 12,500,000 more than in the first.

Manchester sold its million dollars' worth and more, and will also make a magnificent showing in the number of buyers. The town got little publicity in the general news reports from Washington and Boston, but if every town had done equally well per capita, Mr. McAdoo would hardly have known what to do with the money.

STATE'S NEW CASUALTIES.

Sunday's list of 119 casualties contained again the names of many Connecticut men. Sergeant Frank Apper of Stamford, Privates George Bogue of Middletown, and John E. Dwyer, William J. Klingebiel and John B. Liffel of New Britain were included.

George J. Sullivan of New Haven are missing in action. And 22 men were among the slightly wounded, including two Hartford and one Rockville man.

Bristol figures comparatively heavily again among those hit, and New Haven, also. It is rather curious that New Haven should for days exceed both Bridgeport and Hartford in the number of casualties. That of course is due solely to the fortunes of the fight and location.

Not merely Connecticut, which on these lists probably stands first per capita in New England, but Massachusetts and others of the six states have been in the thick of the fighting apparently, and given their toll of death and injury.

SAMMY IS SAVING.

There has been more than one straw in the wind to show that our fighters abroad are not throwing away their money in prodigal living. We have all known, for instance, of their subscriptions to the Liberty bonds. We have suspected that various tobacco funds, which help to eke out their incomes by saving their expense, were popular partly on such account. Now comes the national war work council of the Y. M. C. A. with the statement that the average Sammy spends not more than six dollars a month.

The council asks: Who says that Uncle Sam's soldiers over seas are spendthrifts? Whoever it was that said it was all wrong anyhow. The latest word from France declares that our men in khaki over there are practicing an economy that makes the civilians back home seem wastrels by contrast. The average American soldier spends not more than 20 cents a day, and makes that modest sum pay for his toilet articles, his tobacco and sweets.

Nearly all our fighting men are saving money. Many of them are "paying for the privilege of fighting for Uncle Sam" by buying Liberty bonds and war-savings stamps enough to make the folks who aren't fighting ashamed of themselves. Almost all American soldiers send money home on pay day.

E. A. Huxford, one of the Y. M. C. A. men at the front, who helps the boys in khaki with their arrangements for sending money home, and who is in a good position to know how their finances stand, recently wrote back as follows: "The American soldier is the thriftiest American alive." "I have Liberty bonds, war savings stamps, military insurance, and have allotted \$15 a month to the folks back home," said an artilleryman who was in the hut last evening.

There are thousands of Uncle Sam's soldiers in France who can truthfully say the same thing. They just seem to have good sense about money matters. On pay day the rush is not to buy knickknacks, but to make some useful disposition of money.

"The average sale to the soldiers who come into our Young Men's Christian Association center—whether they are artillerymen, engineers, and doughboys—is almost exactly a franc a day, 30 francs, or about \$6 a month. The percentage that could be accused of unwise expenditure of money is negligible, much smaller than in civilian life."

BRISBANE'S PARAGRAPHS.

How much is the United States worth?

What security have you when you invest one hundred or a million dollars in Liberty Bonds? The present cash value of this nation's property, if it were sold tomorrow at a fair price, would be, according to Government statistics, at least two hundred and fifty thousand million dollars.

This sum does not include undiscovered gold mines, oil wells and other property worth, of course, many thousand millions. And it does not include the real value of vast unused tracts of land.

When you buy a bond you buy a first mortgage on two hundred and fifty thousand millions tangible property—very good security. The total issue of war bonds thus far in America is eight thousand millions—leaving Uncle Sam with a balance of at least two hundred and forty thousand millions for emergencies.

The Germans have borrowed for the war seventeen thousand million dollars—and it must be admitted that they have done wonders with it in the way of making the money go a long way.

If Germany can still raise billions after fighting for four years, this country ought to be able to raise a little money at the beginning.

Here's an interesting "judicial decision," which, fortunately, doesn't decide anything. The Santa Fe New Mexican, an energetic newspaper, attacked a local political boss and one of his assistants in the interest of the public. These politicians sued the newspaper for libel, and the editor, representing the public, very properly continued with his crusade against the politicians.

Now comes from a person called Justice Mechem an order declaring the editor is in contempt of court "because," says the judicial mind, "a newspaper which has been conducting a campaign against vice or corruption must discontinue its criticism as soon as suit is filed, either ill-founded or well-founded, by any one, based upon the charges made in the course of the newspaper campaign."

Would it not be pleasant for public rascals, big and little, if this learned decision of the interesting justice were taken seriously?

Under this decision it would only have been necessary for Bill Tweed to begin a suit against Harper's Weekly and Nast, the great cartoonist. Then, if Harper's Weekly and Nast had continued telling the truth about Tweed, some convenient judge or "justice"—of whom Tweed owned a dozen, tame and tractable—would have put Nast and George W. Curtis, of Harper's Weekly in jail.

Suppose, Justice Mechem, that a policeman arrested a burglar and commenced telling the truth about the burglar. Suppose a shyster lawyer stood up and said, "Your Honor, I am suing this policeman for libel on behalf of my client, the burglar."

Would you, Justice Mechem, say to the policeman, "Don't you dare continue your accusation against that burglar. He is suing you for libel, which is all that is necessary. If you say anything more against him I shall put you in jail for contempt of court?"

Because the old gentlemen who established this country realized the importance of the press as a police force, the Constitution carries a provision about liberty of the press.

This provision cannot be set aside even by learned justices who believe that freedom of the press is not a serious matter between friends. The newspaper itself is nothing. But newspapers as a whole are the national police force, watching public servants, from judges, on the bench to political bosses that often choose the judge—and wisely.

The best enemy of the Kaiser in its western offensive is the marvelous French artillery, excellent that of any other nation, and sending Germans in tens of thousands to a place where war will cease to interest them.

The work of French gunners is the most important part of the allied defensive now, except the thinking and planning going on in the brains of Foch, commander of all the allied forces.

HITTING OUR STRIDE.

The most encouraging news of the war today comes not from across the water nor indeed from the headquarters of the Liberty loan but from the shipyards of Pennsylvania and New Jersey. At Camden, N. J., Saturday a 5,500 ton steel ship was successfully launched just 27 days and three hours from the time that her keel was laid. Such an achievement is unheard of in the annals of shipbuilding, and the best of it is even better records are promised in the near future. Already ships are sliding off the ways almost every day in one yard or another of this country and yet the builders are only beginning to strike their pace.

There have been long and discouraging delays; but these were to be expected in the task of organizing enterprises of such unprecedented magnitude as we are undertaking in the determination to win this war. But the preliminary work is rapidly approaching completion and from now on the combination of resources and brains working together is going to show the world some surprising achievements. Even the arrogant war lords of Germany will have cause to tremble at the oncoming of America's mighty host.

It is difficult to see why the price of wheat should have been fixed even at an average of \$2.20 a bushel, even though the figures of the Department of Agriculture's monthly crop report are exact. The report lists 94 articles, among which food and rent are conspicuously absent. Mr. George W. Perkins' agricultural implements, also, last well, we are told. Food containers, it is true, have risen, and so has lumber, as usual. But we look in vain for a single article of the 94 that can show a price triple or quadruple that of 1914 or even 1909. Lard has gone up to a price 211 per cent of what it cost in 1914 and 226 of the 1909 price, but the farmers, most of them, raise or can raise pigs. Brooms cost 211, and 235 per cent of the former price, respectively, but they are a small item and one affecting the city as well as the farm. So with various other items. There's nothing the matter with Kansas, financially, nor with more than one or two of the other wheat states.

Hartford, May 11, are the place and time of Connecticut's State war conference, under the auspices of the State council's section of the Council of National Defense. Senator "Ham" Lewis of Illinois, Director Arthur E. Bestor of the speakers' division, Committee on Public Information; and Major Rutledge Smith, of the State council of Tennessee, will be the speakers for the eastern series. Senator Lewis has been mostly a name, heretofore, in most New England minds and Concord, N. H., Portland, Me., and Montpelier, Vt., as well as Hartford will be glad to see him in the flesh.

What can the government do with the railroads, if it manages them efficiently—a big IF? It can be an able second to nature itself, which has laid out the water courses, in effecting a more even distribution of population. Henry Ford forecasted that when he discussed the matter. It can break corners of food. If again it knows how, it can compel a wiser distribution of manufacturing throughout the country. But what it actually will do may be another matter.

Uncle Sam is going to enlarge his stock production because of the war. The Department of Agriculture announces that half a million more sheep and nearly quarter of a million more cattle will be cared for in the national forests this year than last. Here's a wise tip from the forest service to the Department of the Interior, which has plenty of vacant land it might use similarly.

Peter Vendrillo's bird won the race from New York City yesterday, held under the auspices of the Manchester Homer Pigeon Club. More than 100 miles in three hours, sixteen minutes isn't a record, but it is good time for a beginner and will be steadily bettered no doubt. The government is encouraging the keeping and training of the birds, which are useful for war purposes.

It's a novel plan which the towns' merchants, like these all over the country, begin today, to boost the sale of thrift stamps in town. One quota is \$320,000, an average of \$20 per person. Up to this week the average was about \$8, the second best record in Connecticut. Take your change in stamps, folks, and make your small currency work for you as well as your big.

ST. JAMES' HONOR FLAG FLYING TO THE BREEZE

Impressive Ceremonies at Raising of Banner With 161 Stars

PARADE IN SOUTH END

Judge Smith of Hartford and Head of Theological Seminary Make Patriotic Addresses.

Patriotism and loyalty to both church and country were well displayed yesterday afternoon when all the supporters of St. James Roman Catholic church turned out to honor the service flag of that church which was unfurled. Preceding the exercises which accompanied the unfurling of the flag the church members lined up and paraded through the streets.

Shortly after two o'clock the parade left St. James street. A representative committee of the church headed the parade. The Manchester Italian Band followed playing martial airs. This band is attracting a lot of attention in town not only for the music it plays so well but for the progress the members have made in such a remarkably short time. Following the band there was Sergeant Richards' squad of Home Guardsmen.

The Service Flag. Then came the honored service flag. It was borne by young girls, daughters and sisters of the men the stars on the flag represented. Then followed a group of the man members of the church, marching four abreast and all bearing small flags. They were headed by two young men of the church who are now in the service. They were Joe Dilworth who is in the regular U. S. army and Paul Fitzgerald who is in the Naval Reserve.

Just ahead of St. Patrick's Flute band, was another committee of nine men from the church. Another group of the men members of the church followed the parade.

An automobile carrying four mothers who have three sons each in the service. They are Mrs. Cain Mahoney, Mrs. James Egan, Mrs. John Dilworth, and Mrs. Thomas Hillery.

The line of march was down Main street to Educational Square, back to Main street to the Center, down Center street to Linden, down Chestnut street to Church and down Church street to the church again. Upon the return of the parade a large crowd gathered upon the lawn of the church where the services were to be held. When all had assembled upon the lawn a girls' chorus sang "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

Father McGurk Speaks. Rev. W. J. McGurk welcomed the large crowd which had gathered and said that this service was a cosmopolitan one and he welcomed those of every sect present. He considered the service a patriotic one and knew that all were together in the one cause. During his talk, Father McGurk mentioned the fact that yesterday was his 20th anniversary of coming to Manchester. His statement brought forth much applause from his parishioners. Rev. McGurk explained the service flag which was to be unfurled and what the stars represented.

Father McAuliffe. Rev. Father McAuliffe, vice-president of St. Thomas' Seminary in Hartford, was then introduced. Rev. McAuliffe gave a brilliant oration on Patriotism and the service flag. He spoke at length on the love of country and how it was made strong through the love of home. His excellent announcement made his talk easily audible on the other side of Main street.

Judge E. L. Smith. Following Father McAuliffe, Judge Edward L. Smith of Hartford spoke. Judge Smith delivered an excellent address on the service flag. He said the men who had gone would not be remembered alone by a star on a service flag but the loss would better be represented by the vacant chair at the table they had left.

Father McGurk read the list of names which the flag represented. There are 161 stars on the flag. There are three gold stars which represent those who have died in the fight for democracy. The gold stars represent Michael Moynihan, James Stange and Edward Brown.

The Honor Roll. The others represented are: Dominic Aceto, Albino Accorner, Matthew Ahearn, Umberto Agostini, James Campbell, William A. Campbell, Eugene Cavagnaro, John Cavagnaro, Amedeo Cavagnaro, George Carter, James L. Carter, Jacob Campbell, Daniel Chicola, Paul Clary, Edward L. Coleman, Henry T. Coleman, Thomas Conran, Harold Coogan, Frederick Corbett, Clifton Coter.

Frank Daglio, John Dilworth, James Dilworth, Paul Dilworth, Angelo Depent, Paul Donze, John W. Donze. Francis J. Edgar, Leo J. Egan, Thomas Egan, Walter Egan, Michael Ellis, Charles T. Evans. Joseph Farr, John Fitzgerald, Paul Fitzgerald, Cain Mahoney, John Gardner, Raymond Gardner, Edward Gaskell, Stefan Gauredor, Lari Genovese, Michael Gorman, Fred Gorman, Joseph Gorovich, Louis Grasso, Christopher Gray, William Gryck, Jules T. Geard.

Joseph Hackett, Edward W. Harington, Daniel T. Hayes, Martin Hayes, Perry Hayes, William Hefron, Frank Hillery, Thomas Hillery, Paul Hillery, James Holioran, John F. Hughes, Joseph Hughes, Patrick Humphrey. Arthur Jobert, Maurice Jobert, Frank Kaczmarzyk, Lawrence Kearns, James Keating, Harold Keating, William J. Keeffe, Francis Kennedy, Stanislaw Kuchewski. John Lawless, William Leahy, Charles Leister, Jeremiah Lovett. Joseph Madden, Cain Mahoney, Frank Mallon, John Mallon, William Mallon, Arthur McCann, Edw. McCann, John J. McCann, John J. McCann, Daniel McCarty, William P. McCarty, William J. McCarty, Alexander McDonald, Joseph M. D. McEvitt, John McStay, William McSwaney, James McVeigh, James H. McVeigh, Patrick McVeigh, Frank Merkel, John Mooney, William Mullin, Patrick Murphy, Eugene Murray, James H. Murray, Henry Mutria.

Frank Nakowski, Florino Negro, Henry T. Newman, John T. Newman, William S. Noonan. James S. O'Brien, Charles A. O'Connell, Joseph J. O'Connell, Columbus O'Gorman, Frank O'Malley. Edward Quish, Frank Quish. John H. Rady, James Rock. Jerry F. Saldella, Benny Sawadski, Joseph Schoen, Mike Shaw, Francis Shea, John F. Shea, James S. Sipples, Albert Broka, Louis Stange, John Stange, Frank Stange, Arthur Sullivan, Captain Daniel Sullivan, Daniel Sullivan, James Sullivan, William P. Sullivan. Antonio Tartaglia, Ashur Thompson, Paolo Toscano, Alexis Tournaud, Anthony Tournaud, Charles Trebbe, Rudolph Trebbin. Mike Waischawski, Joseph Waller, Thomas Wehr, Nicoline Zaccaro.

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Special for this week. This beautiful brass bed, guaranteed finish with heavy two inch posts and five spindles in head and foot as illustrated, regularly \$25.00, Special Manufacturers "close out" price

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Our Third Shipment of the splendid F. A. Whitney carriages has arrived. Be sure to see this new lot.

CIRCLE THEATER IS SOLD; JOHN F. SULLIVAN OWNER

His Brother "Jim", of Chicago, Will Manage New Venture—To Take Over Showhouse Saturday.

After the fadeaway of the last scene at the Circle theater on Saturday night, the theater will pass under the management of Sullivan Brothers, one of whom, John F. is now the owner of the Park. The deal was engineered by Robert J. Smith and the papers signed Saturday afternoon in the office of Labor Commissioner W. S. Hyde.

Sullivan Brothers plan to invest in movie ventures throughout the state of Connecticut. Plans have been discussed by them concerning a playhouse in the north end and preliminaries have been discussed concerning the purchase of a movie house in Willimantic. Both of these deals are still in the works.

To the local movie fan the fact that the Circle is under new management will be hardly discernable. The same policy will be followed that the Circle has been following under the Circle Theater Co. Inc. The same film companies and the same stars will be kept.

The manager of the Circle will be Jim Sullivan, of Chicago, who has been in town but a short time. His experience in theatrical ventures in the middle west will be exploited in his latest venture here. But few changes in the personnel of the staff at the Circle will be made by the new management.

"Why is a fellow that goes in civilian clothes to Washington to do clerical work, like a lemon meringue pie?" asks a correspondent. Answer: "Because he is yellow through and through, and he hasn't got crust enough to go 'over the top.'"

Food, rest and quiet and fresh air is the standard remedy, not only for tuberculosis, but for many a spring ill, as many of us are discovering now. The best thing the doctor can do is tell you what's the matter with you.

The government has distributed among contractors orders for 70,000 freight cars, making a total of 100,000. From \$250,000,000 to \$300,000,000 will be spent, figuring a profit of five per cent on the cost.

Rublnow's Specialty Shop requires extra salespeople for either whole or part time. Apply at once. 1857

APPEAL TAKEN

George Trueman Takes Local Police Court a Week ago on a charge of non-support and which was continued for a week, was disposed of by Judge Carney this morning. The young couple had not gotten together and Mrs. Trueman positively refuses to live with her husband because of the cruel treatment she has received at his hands.

The judge said that he would find the accused guilty. According to the story of Mrs. Trueman it was next to impossible to live with her husband. The judge therefore made the penalty 30 days in jail and agreed to suspend judgment providing Trueman would pay \$7 a week for the support of his wife and child.

William S. Hyde who represented the accused said that Mrs. Trueman was not entitled to any money so long as she would not return to her home but he agreed that his client should support the child and he was willing to give \$3 a week for this purpose. Accordingly he took an appeal and a bond of \$100 was furnished.

HOME PIGEON RACE. Local Birds Flew From New York City. The Manchester Homer club had another race yesterday, the distance being from New York city. It was not a particularly successful race, only two birds arriving at their coops up to last night and the time was not very good. The two birds to finish were owned by Peter Vendrillo. They were released at seven o'clock in the morning, and arrived at their coops at 10.16, showing they had made the distance of 100 miles in three hours and sixteen minutes. The other local fanciers having birds entered in the race were Thomas Johnson, John Hewitt and Jacob Krotach.

Chief of Police Samuel Gordon who also is a homer fancier, did not enter any of his birds in yesterday's race. He has only a few old birds and is using them for breeding. He now has 20 young birds and expects to have many more by fall.

New Haven Dairy Co. Quality Cream, 50c per 100 cc. at Post Office Pharmacy.

In making change THRIFT STAMPS will be given instead of cash to customers who desire them—Every Thrift Stamp you procure HELPS UNCLE SAM WIN THE WAR.

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Tailor-Made Suits in assorted sizes, leading spring colors; \$22.50 and \$25.00 values,

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Misses' and women's Coats of all wool serges and poplins in a good variety of colors such as rookie, tan, gray and navy; \$16.98 value at

\$10.50

Misses' and women's Coats, with inverted pleat back, all around belts and plain colors and mixtures, also military styles, \$25 values, at

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Tailor-Made Suits in a variety of colors, good range of sizes in all wool materials; \$27.50 and \$29.00 values, at

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Misses' and women's Coats of all wool delhi, serges and poplins in good variety of colorings; \$18.98 value, at

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Large Scarfs of Manchurian Wolf, in black, taupe and Lucille, silk lined, with natural head and tail; \$20.00 values, at

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Tailor-Made Suits in various materials and popular colorings and good range of sizes; \$32.00 to \$35.00 values, at

\$25.00

Misses' and women's Spring Coats in delhi, burella, poplins and serges, with contrasting collars and cuffs, button trimmed; regular value \$20.00, at

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Genuine Wolf Scarf, snake shaped, with original head and tail, all silk lined; worth \$35.00, at

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The largest and most diversified assemblage of practical stylish Coats for children in Hartford. Here are three special offers:

Children's Coats in sizes from 6 to 14 in checked materials, lined and button trimmed, belted all around and deep pockets, \$6.98 value, Special **\$5.00**

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Children's Coats in fine Wool Serge, plain colors, also fancy checks, lined throughout, with all around belts, tailored pockets and fancy broadcloth collars, \$11.98 value Special **\$9.00**

WARNING OF DANGER TO WOMEN

Hot Springs, Ark., May 6.—Sounding a warning to the dangers behind employment of women and children as a result of the war, Mrs. Minnie U. Rutherford-Fuller today called upon women of America to get behind legislation and propaganda for the betterment of these workers.

Mrs. Fuller, who is State president of the W. C. T. U., spoke before the Industrial and Social Conditions Conference of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, in session here.

"We cannot afford to have the lives of women workers depressed by unfair working conditions, thus destroying the 'seed corn' of the nation; making an utterly futile thing of the war for world democracy," she said.

"As Mr. Baker has said, we cannot afford, while we are losing boys in France, to lose children in America. Dangers of New Occupations.

"New occupations are being constantly entered by our women and girls, driven by the double demand of personal and national necessity, and because these occupations are new to women they are devoid of the safeguards which have been slowly built up for their protection in those occupations not new to women.

"I asked our Department of Labor recently how the wages of women, taking the places of men in our lumber mills, compare with the wages of the men replaced and the answer was favorably—but the somewhat quieting remark was added, frequently the men replaced had been demanding higher wages to meet the higher cost of living and there is not willingness on the part of the employer, nor efficiency on the part of the employed, to justify increase in wages.

HARTFORD SUGAR MEN MUST CONTRIBUTE \$1,000

U. S. Food Administration Orders Them to Give That Amount to Red Cross—The Reason.

Hartford, May 6.—As a penalty for overcharging on sugar deliveries and in lieu of attempting to make refunds to the trade affected, Blake & Backes, sugar brokers in this city have been ordered to pay \$1,000 to the American Red Cross.

This information, coming from Washington, was confirmed by inquiry at the headquarters in this city of the Federal Food Administration for Connecticut. It appears that the violations extended over several months and the \$1,000 penalty well covers the total profiteering by Blake & Backes, who are the largest sugar distributors in the state.

Next Sunday marks the 29th anniversary of the organization of the Epworth League. The local chapter is planning an elaborate celebration entitled, "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

On next Sunday morning the pastor will exchange pulpits with the Rev. J. M. Potter, pastor of the Hockanum M. E. Church.

OUR H. S. WINS

away with Winsted Saturday afternoon at Mt. Nebo defeating Gilbert High 21-5. At no time did the team from the western part of the state threaten the locals.

The box score follows:
Manchester High.
ab r h po a e
Crockett 2b 6 2 1 0 0 1
Lynch rf 6 2 2 0 0 0
McKay 1b 6 4 4 7 0 1
Glennay ss 6 1 4 6 3 1
Ballisep p 6 3 3 1 2 0
Finnegan cf 4 1 1 0 1 1
Fox 3b 4 2 0 1 2 4
Wright c 4 3 3 10 1 0
Knoffa lf 5 3 2 2 0 1
Beechler rf 0 0 0 0 0 0

Score by Innings.
S. M. H. S. 0 2 3 3 1 1 5 6 x—21
Gilbert 0 0 0 2 0 2 1 0 0—5

Two base hits, Lynch, Glennay (2) Ballisep (2) Wright (2) Knoffa, three base hit Minnegan, earned runs Manchester 16, Winsted 2, first base on balls of Ballisep 1, off McMann 4, struck out by Ballisep 10, by McMann 9, left on bases Manchester 5, Winsted 13, first on errors Manchester 6, Winsted 6, passed balls Savage 2, hit by pitcher, Ballisep 1, umpire Crockett.

GERMAN PRISONERS RE-CAPTURED

London, May 6.—Two German prisoners who had escaped from an internment camp eighteen days ago, were recaptured at Deal today. The men had stolen a rowboat and were preparing to set out for Zeebrugge, (the German submarine base on the Belgian coast.)

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. A. W. Hitchcock, for Red Cross work, Wednesday at 10 a. m. Lunch will be served.

Details of Violations.
In explaining the details of the violations, it was said Blake & Backes were notified, April 15, by Robert Scoville, Federal Food Administrator for Connecticut, that the En-

Wapping

Harper Case is building three new acre sheds.
Franklin Pierce has sold his tobacco to Rapaport of Hartford, in the bundle.

Clellan Priest closed his warehouse ten days ago, packing 800 cases of broadleaf tobacco for Jacob Mendellsohn of New York City, the past season.
Mrs. Monroe Stoughton entertained the Red Cross members last week. Thomas Reardon is building a new garage.

Paul Smith has bought a Paige touring car.
Miss Madeline Daly spent the week end at Camp Devens.

Anthony Matulis will soon build a new house.
Martin McGrath is making many improvements upon his tenement house.

A marriage license has been issued to George Losys and Johanna Lanoie-Victus, both of this place.
The Junior Society met Sunday afternoon, and the topic was "Gentleness and Meekness."

The entertainment given by the Junior Endeavor Society was well attended. It consisted of dialogues, songs and recitations.
Harry Files, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prince Files, is ill of bronchial pneumonia.

There will be an exhibition of work done by the children of the Center School, May 24. The parents are invited to be present.
William E. Fernald of Milton, Mass., spent the week end at Henry Grant's.

CHENEY EMPLOYEES CONTRIBUTE \$176.00 TO

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Cheney Brothers Employees of the Broad Goods Weaving and Throwing Dept's 176.01
Total received to date \$702.67
The Manchester Overseas Smoke Fund received a big boost Saturday when Edward F. Taylor, treasurer of service flag fund of Cheney Brothers' broad goods weaving and throwing departments contributed \$176.01.

The boost was such a large one that it raises the fund to over \$700 and the possibility of getting a thousand dollars before July gets brighter every day.

The men in charge of the Manchester Overseas Smoke Fund want to publicly thank the employees of the departments named above and assure them in the names of our boys across the pond that they will never be sorry for their generosity.

Appended herewith is a statement which Mr. Taylor has asked to go along with the acknowledgment of receipt of the donation on the part of Manchester Overseas Fund.

Report of Service Flag and Smoke Fund.
Received from employees of the Broad Goods Weaving and Throwing Departments.
Weaving.

Department	Foreman	Amt.	P. C. of Em. Sub.	Ave. Per Sub.
Supt. & Office	J. H. Bissell	24.75	100	.80
Timestudy	R. C. Pillsbury	4.75	100	.25
Timekeeping	A. N. Davieau	3.75	100	.47
General	Jas. Hutchison	3.50	77	.25
Designing	Alexis Tournau	2.50	100	.50
W 1 A	W. H. Wright	17.90	58	.25
W 1 B	George Johnson	23.60	88	.25
W 2 A	John Wright	22.45	68	.26
W 2 B	M. J. Donahue	33.58	84	.26
W 2 C	B. A. Cadman	15.25	80	.25
W 3 C	Ralph Russell	3.50	76	.27
W 3 C	H. L. Preston	2.00	100	.28
W 3 C	Titos Gardiner	4.55	87	.19 2-3
W 3 C	H. S. Hutt	12.50	70	.27
R 1 A	Levi Wheaton	11.70	75	.16
D 1 B	Stewart Atkinson	4.70	80	.14
Bigelow	Isaac Proctor	2.50	61	.25

Throwing.
Supt. & Office E. F. Taylor 9.75 100 1.22
Winding A. L. White 11.00 90 .10
Spinning P. J. Ryan 19.75 94 .23 1/2
Reeling James Roach 5.80 93 .14 1/2
\$240.08 79% .34 2-3

AMERICAN DIRECTOR, WAR RAILWAYS

London, May 6.—H. W. Thornton, former superintendent of the Long Island, (New York) Railroad and later general manager of the Great Eastern Railway, (in England), has been appointed British Brigadier General of railways and movements in France.

BRITISH FLYERS BOMB FOES' AMMUNITION TRAIN

London, May 6.—German prisoners complain of inadequate protection against British aviators. A Prussian Lieutenant, who was captured, said he was conducting a trainload of thirty-six centimeter shells to the front when a British aviator bombed and blew up the train at Weinsberg.

College fees, all the popular flavors at Packard's Sanitary Fountain, adv.

TOBACCO "RATIONS" NOW

Paris, May 6.—The French are introducing tobacco cards, thus putting the people on rations. Cigar and cigarette cards are being issued to women as well as men.

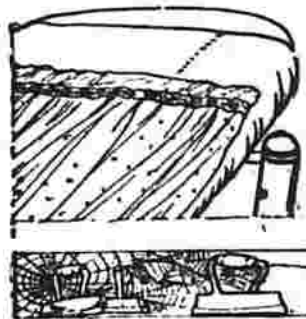


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- BLUE AND GRAY SERGE SUITS \$28.00 SPECIAL PRICE \$19.50
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ABOUT TOWN

TONIGHT IN MANCHESTER.
British-Canadian Patriotic rally, High School Assembly hall.
Miss Ruth Draper at Cheney hall.
Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., Odd Fellows hall.
Red Men, Tinker hall.
Wadsworth Council, O. U. A. M., Spencer hall.
Park Theater, Musical Comedy.
Circle Theater, "Cupid's Round-up."

LIGHTING UP TIME.
Auto lamps should be lighted at 8.24 p. m.
The sun rose at 5.42 a. m.
The sun sets at 7.54 p. m.

Many Manchester people went to Hartford Saturday afternoon to see the big Victory parade.

The Loyal Circle of King's Daughters will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors.

Frank Quish will leave Wednesday for Pelham Bay to join the Naval Reserves in which he has enlisted.

Miss Edna A. Hall of Church street spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hall of Coventry.

Mrs. E. A. Lettney, of Oakland street, will entertain the members of Ever Ready Circle of King's Daughters tomorrow evening at 7.30.

Joseph Krob, William Phillips and Theodore Anderson were among the Naval Reserve boys to spend the week end at their homes in town.

Joseph Ferguson of Foster street who has been ill with an attack of pneumonia, is improving slowly. He has been sick for the last ten days.

Miss Grace Grimes of the Oriental Shop spent the week end on a business trip to New York. She also visited her brother, Lester A. Grimes of Orange, N. J.

Miss Sophia Radding of Lydall street left Sunday morning for Lynchburg, Virginia, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Ralph Nelson, formerly of this town.

Loyal Circle of King's Daughters will meet in the Center church parlors instead of at the Recreation Center this evening. The meeting is called for 7.30 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Lakeview Tennis Club will be held this evening in the Fourth District schoolhouse. Officers for the year will be elected at this meeting.

Mrs. J. D. Henderson of Main street is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Gray of Providence, R. I. Mr. Henderson will spend the week end with her.

The coming marriage of Miss Vera Griffin of the Green and Raymond Moonan of the north end was announced in St. Bridget's church yesterday by the Rev. C. T. McCann. Both young people are well known in town.

E. L. G. Hohenthal, chairman of the local draft board, announces that he figures that about 55 local men will be called into the National Army before the end of this month. All men in Class 1 who have numbers below 2,200 will be taken.

Miss Jennie Crockett of North Elm street is breaking in as a clerk at the South Manchester postoffice. She will work there permanently when Harold Agard, who enlisted recently in the Naval Reserves, is called to duty.

Wesley B. Robbins, who has been appointed chairman of the committee on automobiles for the big Red Cross parade Saturday, May 18, will be pleased to have all persons, who are willing to have their machines used, notify him as soon as possible. He has a telephone.

Charlie Kearns of North Main street is enjoying a vacation of two weeks with relatives in Newport, R. I. He with two or three other boys started out to see the world last Friday. They were intending to see it by the use of bicycles. One of the boys backed out after he had attempted to climb "Nigger" hill in Bolton and the second boy gave it up at Andover. But not so with young Kearns. He kept at it and arrived at Newport Saturday night before midnight. He sent word back that he had arrived there safely.

The election officials are urging the voters to go to the polls early Wednesday morning and avoid the rush. The polls will be open at six o'clock by the clock and that means five by the sun, so that it will be a very early start for the men who must be at the polls when they open. The election is a special one and for the choice of a judge of probate. As W. S. Hyde is the choice of the two leading parties and no other person has been nominated he is certain of the election. His friends are betting on the result. The polls will be open until five o'clock in the afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the North Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Hitchcock, Wednesday morning at 10, to sew for the Red Cross. Lunch will be served at noon.

William A. Allen, who enlisted with Troop B and was afterwards transferred to the Headquarters staff of the 26th Division, has been promoted to sergeant major of the division.

J. C. Carter, the well known coal dealer, was out yesterday with his new six cylinder Nash. The Nash is the outgrowth of the Jeffery company and Mr. Carter has driven a Jeffery for the last two seasons.

Two young ladies of the 90th end attracted some attention on Main street yesterday afternoon by wearing soldier's hats and carrying swagger sticks. Many took them to be members of the "O! Girls" company which is at the Park and which came to town yesterday.

A number of the local men in the service were home over Sunday. Among them were Joe Dilworth from Camp Charlotte, N. C.; William Phillips of the Naval Reserves from Pelham Bay, Theodore Anderson of the U. S. S. Niagara, New York, and Joe Krob of the Naval Reserves from New Haven.

The monthly meeting of the South Methodist Sunday school board will be held in the church parlor this evening. Supper will be served at 6.45 and will be followed by an address of special help to teachers by Rev. E. F. Studley of the North Methodist church. The business session will follow the address.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Scott, daughter of Mrs. Jane Scott of the north end to Clarence Sadrozinski of the south end will take place at St. Mary's Episcopal church next Thursday afternoon. The ceremony will be performed by the rector, Rev. Mr. Neill. The wedding will be a quiet one. The groom is employed as a timekeeper for Cheney Brothers.

THE MORTON & DWYER CO. SELLS GROCERY BUSINESS

One of the Oldest Firms in Town Decides to Give Up Store in North End.

The Morton & Dwyer Co., one of the oldest firms in the town, has decided to give up the store which was sold to The Thomas W. O'Leary Co. of Hartford. The new owners took over the business this morning.

This business was established by the late J. E. Morton over thirty years ago. He started business in the old Union store on Union street and after the close of the Union mill he moved the business up town. A little later Mr. Morton built the block on Depot Square in which the store is located and also the post-office and continued the business here until his death last December. Edward Dwyer the youngest member of the firm continued the business and was assisted by W. T. Morton, brother of J. E. Morton.

Mr. Dwyer has been in the grocery business for the last eighteen years. He worked for J. E. Morton as clerk and twelve years ago was given an interest in the concern. The business has been a success in every way but Mr. Dwyer had the opportunity to sell out and he and W. T. Morton decided that they would accept the opportunity. Mr. Dwyer has no plans for the future. He believes he is entitled to a vacation of a few weeks and intends to take one.

The Morton block where the store is located is the property of W. T. Morton and he has leased the store building to the new owner for a term of years.

OIL TANK NEAR FIRE.

A grass fire on Stockhouse Road was the cause of a fire alarm at the north end just before one o'clock today. While the fire was not near a house it was close to the tanks at the Standard Oil Company's headquarters near the railroad. The firemen responded but there was very little for them to do as there were no hydrants in that vicinity. The blaze soon burned itself out.

The new engine of Hose Company No. 3 of the south end was over in a short time and would have given a good account of itself if it had been necessary.

THE RED CROSS WORKERS.

The parlors of the Center Congregational church will be open to the public for serving the Red Cross work on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from two to five o'clock. Anyone wishing to give a few hours to the work will be welcome.

Mrs. John A. Hood and Mrs. Samuel Stegeman will be in charge of work on Tuesday and Miss Bliss and Mrs. Wadsworth on Thursday.

Exclusive Betty Wales Agency

A SALE OF 56 BETTY WALES DRESSES 25 TO 40 PER CENT. OFF

Over thirty different models in a variety of silk and serge ideas. This is the Annual Clearing up before showing the wash dresses for Summer.

WE DESCRIBE ONLY FOUR You must come to see the rest.

STYLE NO. 11
Picture on the Left.

You will be delighted with this Betty Wales Dress, and its Good Luck Poshkin Label. The dress stands for the best in style, the label for the best in quality. Its beautiful French Serge is tailored into such smart lines that months hence it will be as distinctive as now.

The skirt hangs in straight full plaits, a style vastly becoming to practically every one. The bodice is in coat effect with side panels extending to the hips where they button back forming smart, square pockets.

The collar and cuff set is of light blue broadcloth with a touch of the same material in the belt. Bone buttons are used freely.

The youthful lines typical of all Betty Wales Dresses are cleverly achieved here. You have a model that is equally attractive for the girl of college age and for her older sister or mother.

In navy blue only.

STYLE NO. 26
Picture on the Right.

The New Bolo Jacket Dress shown in crossbarred silk

The newest of the new is this Bolero Jacket and here it is smart and sweet as only a Betty Wales can be.

The material is an excellent quality of dark blue plaid silk. The jacket is partially plaited and flares full over a saucy little girdle of rose satin. Touches of the same cheerful color are repeated at the cuffs and at the top of the smart little pockets. Collar is of white satin. Novelty buttons are used on sleeves and at square neck.



Style 11 Now \$16.50



Style 26 Now \$20.00

STYLE NO. 6
Picture on the Left.

Serge is precious these days, but here is a Betty Wales made of splendid quality material in the latest model yet most reasonably priced.

Skirt is smartly box-plaited. Waist and sash-ends are richly embroidered in blue and gold thread with white satin collar piped in blue. Dress closes at side, fastening with three large novelty buttons.

With the quality of fabric and workmanship and the excellency of cut and style, this dress should give you fullest service. The lines are typically Betty Wales, and appeal in their youthfulness to both girls of college age and to older women.

STYLE NO. 21
Picture on the Right.

If you need a new silk dress, here's a lovely Betty Wales

Silks were never more fashionable, navy blue never more popular. And when a Betty Wales dress is made of silk in navy blue, what more need be said.

Of course the over-skirt may be mentioned because it's new, and the clusters of pin-tucks and the tiny self-covered buttons, that, discreetly placed, give the dress its air of rich simplicity. The wide girle has self-covered buckles and the collar is of white satin.



Style 6 Now \$16.50



Style 21 Now \$20.00

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Every salesgirl in our employ has been instructed to urge all customers to take Thrift Stamps instead of change this week.

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DAY OR EVENING sessions.

THE CONNECTICUT BUSINESS COLLEGE
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South Manchester and Hartford.

WATCHING BAKERS' BREAD

Washington, May 6.—The Food Administration is closely watching large bakeries throughout the country, that have indicated a desire to raise the price of bread on the ground of increased cost due to use of substitutes for wheat. There is a strong belief in official circles that a concerted move is about to be made

to prepare the public for higher priced bread. Bakers who attempt to raise the price of bread will be made to see the power the Food Administration possesses in the matter. It was said out by officials here that the will be requested to show their books, and their operating expenses cut down at the suggestion of officials to meet new conditions.

WOMAN DEAD.
AVIATORS BOUGHT.
Champaign, Ill., May 6.—Military and civil authorities today are seeking three student aviators reported to have been with Mrs. Stella Johnson on a joy ride late Saturday night at which she met her death.
Mrs. Johnson is believed to have leaped from an automobile or to

have been hurled from it while the car was speeding at 60 miles an hour.

If the street car workers get a wage increase the profits from the Connecticut Co.'s increase of fare to six cents will be dissipated. Perhaps the next request will be for a sev-