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FRENCH CONTINUE ENCIRCLING MOVEMENT TO SEVER OF PACKERS SEEMS NEARER-1,450,000 TROOPS IN FRANCE OR ON SEA

TRACTION SCANDAL

and Aldermen.

STIRRING CHICAGO;

obtain the passage of the traction

and subway ordinance by the City

Council Wednesday night. Ten of

the 20 aldermen who voted against

the ordinance have been subpoenaed

to appear today and the other ten for

Monday. Three public officials and

several aldermen were declared by

the state's attorney to have acted as

go-betweens for the traction inter-

ests and the aldermen. He declares

the amounts paid averaged between

No Confessions.

were subjected to cross examination

day. He says he is basing his probe

on complaints. He has declined to

nade on the council floor to raise

"I have the names of several per

sons, including public officials, who

are said to have acted as lobbyists

and who paid or promised to pay al-

IN FIERCE FIRE TODAY

SO. END GARAGE BURNS

the price for votes and added:

dermen for their votes."

1,450,000 MEN IN FRANCE NOW OR ON THE SEA

General March So Reports to Senate Military Affairs Committee — 3,300,000 IRKUTSK'S CAPTURE Men by Next June Sure-Major General McCain to

Washington, Aug. 17.-American troops in France and on the way now total 1,450,000, General Peyton C March, chief of staff, informed members of the Senate mulitary affairs committee today. Increased shipments of troops may now be expected, said General March, due to the vastly improved conditions both on this side of the Atlantic and in

General March told of the remark-

e was only two for every thousand

Members of the committee, following the conference with the chief of staff, expressed the conviction that the War Department's program for 3,300,000 men in France by June of next year would be realized beyond any question doubt and some were of the opinion that it might be ex-

To Furlough High Officers.

Washington, Aug. 17.-High ranking officers of the American Overseas Forces who have begun to give way under the strain of what was termed "wonderful work" will come back to the United States for Chief of Staff General Peyton C. March announced this fact today. He said also that the first officer to return will be Major General George B. Duncan, who, incidentally, has been awarded the Croix de Guerre by the French government.

McCain at Devens.

General March also stated that Major General Henry P. McCain, present adjutant general, has been "rewarded for his wonderful work in handling army details," by being assigned to the command of the 12th Infantry Division to be formed at Camp Devens, Mass. General Mc-Cain will be succeeded as adjutar general by Brigadier General Peter C. Harris, now an assistant to General McCain.

West Front Unchanged.

The general situation on the west ern front is unchanged since las Wednesday, General March stated He let it be known that the small salient north of Albert has been voluntarily relinquished by the German high command. This was the fourth time since the counter offensive was heren on July 18 that the Germans bave voluntarily withdrawn before the Affled forces and was regarded as extremely significant.

hereafter all froop movements announced will include troops sent to France, Great Britain, Italy and Siberia. He confirmed the report that already the number of troops overseas and on the way is more than 1,450,000.

FRENCH CRUISER TORPEDOED. Paris, Aug. 17.—The French cruiser Dupetithouars, while cruising with the American fleet in the Ata members of the crew.

PROPOSES SPLIT OF DUAL EMPIRE

Berne ,Aug. 17—The split-ting up of the Austro-Hungarian empire into a confederation of three states, according to nationalities is to be proposed by Premier Hussarek, of Austria, according to a Vienna dispatch printed in German

newspapers. The states are to be German, Hungarian and Checho-Slav-Polish according to information received today.

OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED

be Assigned to Camp Dev-State Department also Hears Czecho-Slovak Losses Are Small

CONSUL LEAVE MOSCOW

Consul General Poole Reports Jap Chief Left Russian City Aug. 8-Orusk Favors War on Germany.

Washington, Aug. 17 .- Confirmaion of the taking of Intentals by the

ported that communication had been now open. Communication between Irkutsk and Moscow is still cut off. however, according to the dispatch.

The dispatch also reported that forces, up to July 10, had been aunounced by the commander as 250 killed and 1,200 wounded, and that a new Siberian government was being organized with headquarters at Omsk. The people at Omsk, it was said, generally disregard the Brest-Litovsk treaty and are in favor of war upon the Central powers. Americans in the city are reported to be

Another dispatch from Consul General Poole at Moscow, forwarded by American Minister Morris at Stockholm and dated Aug. 9, said that the Japanese consul general had left the city on the preceding night. Consul General Poole gould have gone at the same time, he believed, but elected to stay because he believed he could be of assistance to the members of the British and French diplomatic parties, who had been threatened by the Bolshevist

SENATOR JAMES' CONDITION.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 17.-Only contradictory reports could be had early today as to the condition of to reach Petrograd, said a dispatch United States Senator Ollie M. and occupy part of the railway lead-James of Kentucky, who for more ing from the capital to the northern than two months has been a pa- coast. tient at Johns Hopkins hospital. Physicians at the institution insist that Senator James' condition is "unchanged" and not serious. On the other hand, according to some who have seen the Kentucky statesman within the past few days, his condition is very grave.

RABBI WISE QUITS

Stamford, Aug. 17 .- Rabbi Stephen S. Wise quit work at the Luderus Shipyard here this noon after afternoon. They were picked up 11 four weeks' employment. He made miles south of Winter Quarter Shoals mour, Conn. an address to the workers in the shippard which was replete with hu- place. The master of the vessel re- entry, Conn. mor and patriotism and he presented ported that the Madingadah had Norwalk, Conn. a check for \$76.13, representing his been attacked at 7.15 on the evening earnings, to the local chapter of the of August 15, the submarine firing Red Cross. The workers gave Dr. eleven shots into her hall. After Wise a great ovation.

fentic, was submarined August 7. Dr. Wise's 16 year old son James the U-boat drew alongside and fired American destroyers rescued all but also quit work at the yard today. two more shots into her. When last He will enter Princeton in the fall.

British Flyers' Record 31 Enemy Planes, 1 Balloon

attacked and damaged a German de- man military works in Flanders. stroyer by obtaining a direct hit upon the warship with a bomb, the British admiralty announces.

seen to occur upon the destroyer. In air engagements from August

bombs were dropped on Zeebrugge with the enemy.

London, Aug. 16-British airmen and Ostend decks and on other Ger-

At the Varsebaare aerodrome six German airplanes that were lined up were set on fire, and the conflagration spread to the hangars on both Afterwards a big explosion was sides. Two Gothas hangars were struck and one was demolished.

British airplanes, seaplanes and 8 to August 15, said the communi- airships maintained a vigilent patrol que 16 German airplanes and one over the sea, attacking German subballoon were destroyed and 15 oth- marines, destroying mines and harer hostile machines were driven assing enemy shipping. Only three British machines failed to return, In the same period 60 tons of following the numerous engagements

CONTROL OF PACKERS NEARER; BILL TO BE INTRODUCED BY SENATOR BORAH SHORTLY AFTER SENATE RECONVENES; HIS OPINION

rying out the federal Trade Comis- when the attention of the governsion's recommendations that the ment must be contered on things packing industry le su

Senator Borah announced today President to super trol the stock yards, but would not on new legislation. federalize the entire packing busi-

to check profiteering," Temporary Measure.

"In my opinion, however, it goes as these unfair practices."

Washington, Aug. 17.-A bill car- far as it is wise go in war time contributing mor tor com- Mr. Hove said he he winning of the w

that the bill is now in preparation of ments and control the stock yards, established at the railway line run- by the Trade Commission. He be- is unnecessary, Borah believed: The ning between Irkutsk and Samara is lieved its passage was certain and authority conferred in the national that it would have the active sup- defense act, the railway control law port of the administration forces in and the food control law is sufficient, both houses. The bill will give the he said. However, the federal Trade government power to supervise the Commission takes the opposite view the casualties in the Czecho-Slovak transportation of meats and to con- and holds that any action must wait

> If the evidence the commission has ness and the manufacture of by-pro- can be substantiated many of the packers can be put in jail for vio-"It is a temporary measure aimed lation of the Sherman act, Borah as-Senator serted. "And that might help matters considerably," he added. "The example would prevent repetition of

MOSCOW PASSES TO ANTI-BOLSHEVISTS

Stockholm Dispatch to London Times Says So-Report Yesterday

London, Aug. 17 .- Moscow is now in the power of the Social revolutionaries, (the Anti-Bolshevists) said a Stockholm dispatch to the Times today. The situation at Moscow is critical.

The Soviet government has removed the Russian National Bank

German troops are daily expected It was reported yesterday that

the Bolshevists at Moscow had fortified and occupied Kromlin Palace.

TORPEDOED SCHOONER'S CREW IS LANDED

Washington, Aug. 17-The crew of the American schooner Madingadah, destroyed by a submarine on WORK AT SHIPYARD, August 15, has been landed at an Atlantic port by a Norweigan vessel, the Navy Department announced this Light, near where the attack took Private William Clark, South Covthe schooner had been spandoned, seen the vessel was in Sames

SEVERAL OF STATE IN 90 CASUALTIES

Said They were Preparing Defense. Of Total 17 Fall in Action. 31 are Wounded Severely. 19 Missing

NO CONN. OFFICERS

Wounded in Degree Undetermined 20-Only One Dies of Wounds-Names and Addresses.

Washington, Aug. 17-Ninety casialties in the American Expeditionary Forces were announced by the ferred upon Lieutenant Quentin War Department today, divided as Roosevelt, who was killed in an air follows: 17 killed in action, one died fight near Fere-en-Tardennois, by the from wounds, two from accident and French general commanding that other causes, 31 wounded severely, sector on the Marne front.

The decoration will be sent to WALLINGFORD FLYER KILLED. 20 wounded, degree undetermined Lieutenant Roosevelt's parents at and 19 missing in action. The Connecticut list follows:

Wounded Severely. Private William G. Chisholm, Sey-

Private Joseph H, Moeller, South Private Antoney Telinski, Torring-

ton, Conn. Private Phillip Bidney Weaving, Naugatuck, Conn.

Missing of Action.

Private Zenovy Humich

sade Ave., Bridgeport, Coun-

WAR CROSS WITH PALM

were scorched.

FOR QUENTIN ROOSEVELT With the American Army on the Aisne-Vesle Front, Aug. 16-(7 p. m.)-The French War Cross with the palm has been posthumously con-

ruined. An auto belonging to Mr.

McHale was burned and about \$700

Oyster Bay, N. Y. Lieutenant Roosevelt is now offiially credited with destroying a which resulted in his death.

Comrades of Lieutenant Roosevelt said they saw a machine fall in Private David W. Olschefski, Hart- about the time the American dis- American "Ace" also halled from flames behind the German lines appeared.

> The British Army spends half a tons on the soldiers' uniforms. But Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

FRANCO-BRITISH FORCES KEEP UP EFFORTS TO CUT OFF ROYE BASE ALDERMEN SUSPECTED

Grand Jury Investigation Started To-Haig Advances North of Ancre and Foch through Loges day by State's Attorney-Public Officials and Aldermen Alleged Go-Wood from South-German Counter Attacks on French Betweens for Traction Magnates of Small Effect-Hold of Foe on Roye Daily More Uncertain—British Also Move Along in Vieux Berquin Sector Chicago, Aug. 17 .- State's Attorney Horne today instituted a grand jury investigation into charges that on Flanders Front thousands of dollars were used to

> London, Aug. 17-British forces have advanced in three sectors of the Picardy and Flanders battle front, the War Office announced today.

> Further progress was made by the British north of the Royo road, north of the Ancre river and near Vieux Berquin. Sharp patrol fighting occurred in the Vieux Berquin sector,

(Flanders front), where the British have been gaining steadily along the northern flank of the Lys salient. The British and French are driving ahead in the direction \$3,000 and \$5,000, but that some

aldermen were offered as high as the German base at Roye in an encirling movement. French Encirling Roye.

Paris, Aug. 17—French forces that are encircling the German base at Roye from the south fought their way through Loges No alderman has confessed, the prosecutor admits, although several Wood during the night, reaching the eastern edge, the War O in the state's attorney's office yester-

Between the Matz and Oise rivers the Germans stem the French advance and delivered two powerful co tacks, but wore hunled back, and the French lines

The German counter attacks centered in the ithe Farm and Carnoy, where the French have been making

The Germans attempted a raid northwest of Rheims, but it had no result. The new French progress south of the Avre. (in the Loges

Wood) further imperils the German hold on Roye, which is becoming more precarious daily. (Loges Wood is about five miles south of Roye. Further to the northwest the Allies are only about a mile from the German

Holloran's garage and the sheds The text of the war office report adjoining on Center street were burned down in a fire of unknown follows: "The pressure of our troops north origin which started this afternoon. The whole south end department was of the Roye road and north of the called out. The McHale and Mc- Ancre river has continued and pro-Gowan houses adjoining were in gress has been made by us in both great danger at the time.

flames were so fierce at times that "In the neighborhood of Vieuxthe firemen were unable to get near Berquin our patrols had sharp fightenough to effectively fight the fire. ing yesterday and further encoun-A quantity of gasoline in one of the ters took place during the night. outbuildings caused the fire fighters "Our troops have made further much worry. Holloran's ambulance

A half hour's fighting got the taken a few prisoners. The hos- sociations, today filed complaints flames under control. It was then tile artillery has shown considerable with the Ohio Interstate Commerce discovered that the garage and sheds activity about Mount Rouge and the Commission against Director Genwhich are two story structures were cinity of Zillibeke Lake." French Report.

worth of tools belonging to one of "West of Roye there was great arthe Holloran boys. The buildings were insured at \$1,500, but neither tillery activity during the course of the night. the auto nor the tools were covered by insurance. The houses nearby

"South of the Avre the French continued their progress through Loges wood, reaching the eastern "Between the Matz and Oise riv-

ers we repulsed two strong German attacks in the Monolithe Farm-Carnoy sector, maintaining all our posi-

"Northwest of Rheims, a raid was attempted by the enemy in the sector of La Neuvellette, but was without any result."

Paris, Aug. 17-Sergeant William. McKerneys of Wallingford, Conn., German air plane during the battle and American Flyer in the Lafayette Escadrille, was killed in an airfight on Thursday, it was learned here to-

The late Raoul Lufberry, chief

million deflars a year for the paste to tell a bald headed man where to ed States after a four of intract with which to polish the brass but step when he washes his face,— the Red Cross hospitals and

PROTESTS FREIGHT **INCREASES ON GRAINS**

Clifford Thorne Acts for National Council of Farmers' Cooperative Associations against Director Gene eral McAdoo.

Washington, Aug. 17 .- Clifford progress in this sector and in the Thorne, representing the National neighborhood of Merris and have Council of Farmers' Cooperative As-Scherpenberg sector and in the vi- eral of Railways McAdoo, the Railway Administration, and others, protesting against freight increases in corn, rye, oats, and barley. The rate increase is ordered in general order 28, of June 25, the complaint states, and calls for an increase of 25 per cent. In reality, the complaint cites, this amounts to between 35 and 50 per cent and is a heavy, unfair burden on the farmers. In view of the prospective early movement of those crops, the commission was asked to expedite action on the

> 81 PER CENT OF OUR WOUNDED RETURN TO BATTLE.

London, Aug. 17 .- Eighty-one per cent of the Americans wounded in the fighting in France have returned fourteen per cent have been disquare ged from the army as unfit for tue ther service and only five per o have died. This announce showing the excellence of the macal attention received by the American wounded, was made here today

by the Red Cross. Major James Simpson, vice pres dent of the Marshall Field Con A contrivance has been invented in Chicago, is returning to the Uni

Sunday Services at Churches OCH WIND THE RESTRICTION OF THE PROPERTY OF TH

AT THE CENTER CHURCH morning service, with sermon, will be held.

Rev. C. M. Calderwood to Preach During Absence of Rev. E. I. Lindh

REV. NEILL ON VACATION

Usual Services at Other Local Houses of Worship-Topics of Sermons and Musical Programs.

Rev. C. M. Calderwood will preach at the Center Congregational church tomorrow and Mrs. R. K. Anderson will preside at the organ.

At St. Mary's Episcopal Rev. Percy C. Norwood of the Berkeley Divinity school will conduct the services in the absence of the rector, Rev. J. S. Neill who is on his vacation. At the other churches, usual ser-

vices will be the rule.

mons and other information from 7.30 in the evening, he will speak the local houses of worship, will be on "The Spirit for These Times." found following:

CENTER CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. C. M. Calderwood will preach at the Center church tomorrow at the morning service at 10.30. Miss Ada Porter will be the soloist and will sing "Eye Hath Not Seen" from The Holy City, by Gaul and "Savior Hear Me" by Gluck. Mrs. R. K. Anderson at the organ will play as the theme of "Baptism." The serthe prelude "Offertoire," by King vice will be held at 10.15 o'clock and Hall, and as a postlude, "Postlude in G" by Whiting.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL.

V. J. S. Neill, Rector.

FORMER NO. END PASTOR his vacation. Holy communion will be calebrated at eight o'clock in the morning and at 10:45 the regular

> Mrs. Harry R. Trotter will substitute for Organist John Cockerham, who left today for a week's vacation at Coventy lake. The musical program will be as follows:

Prelude, Andante-Cantabile, Te Deum,

Anthem, Lord We Pray Thee,

Roberts. Postlude, Triumphant March, Loud.

PENTECOSTAL.

Rev. A. C. Goldberg, Pastor.

"Serving God from the Heart," will be the subject of Rev. A. C. Goldberg's sermon at 10.30 tomorrow morning. At seven in the evening he will preach a gospel sermon. The Sunday school will convene at usual at 12.05 o'clock.

SOUTH METHODIST.

Rev. W. H. Bath, Pastor.

"God's Peace" will be the subject of Rev. W. H. Bath's sermon at 11 News of the services, topics of ser- o'clock tomorrow morning. A The Sunday school will convene as usual at ten o'clock tomorrow morn-

ZION'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. W. C. Schmidt, Pastor.

At tomorrow morning's service, Rev. W. C. Schmidt will speak on will be preceded by the Sunday school at 9.15.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN.

ty school will offici- this church to hours, the regular

absence of Rev. J. S. Neill, who is on tor, at 10.45 o'alock, TWO LOCAL SOLDIERS . SIX SPEED KINGS **FIGHT FOR \$27,000**

ate at the services tomorrow, in the morning service, sermon by the pas-

Great Auto Race in New York Today will Settle Who is Best All-Round Driver in America Known.

New York, Aug. 17 .- Six of the world's greatest automobile race drivers will clash in the international sweepstakes at Sheepshead Bay speedway this afternoon for a purse of \$27,000.

Five different nations will be represented by the drivers, who will compete, in part, for their own money, each having posted \$2,000 toward making up the purse, \$15,-000 of which was posted by the speedway management.

The entrants are:

Arthur Duray, representing Belgium; Ralph de Palma, Italy; Dario A telegram was sent to Mrs. Mary Resta, England; Louis Chevrolet, McQuire of Keeney Court stating France; and Ralph Mulford and Ira that he is in a hospital at St. Albans, Vail, America.

The race will be decided on the point system, in five heats. The total distance will be 112 miles and point will be awarded to the first three to finish in each heat. The heats will be run at 2, 10, 20, 30 and 50 miles.

The winner will receive \$17,000 and will be crowned king of the world's all-round drivers for 1918.

THREE REPORTED WOUNDED.

A Telegram and Two Letters Bring the Information to Manchester.

A telegram has been received by Roberts, of Hillstown; that his son, Leroy M. Roberts, was wounded in France on July 23.

that Charles O'Connor, of Prospect the rescue in the next few weeks, tals from injuries received in battle. women must be made at once. The

CLEVELAND INDIANS TO PLAY RED SOX. pleted.

Indians arrived here today to meet the Red Sox in the series which prob-

dislodge the pace makers.

REPORTED AS WOUNDED

Both Were in Canadian Army-Torrance Was First Local Man to Go to War From Here.

Two Manchester men, who are fighting in the Canadian Army, were today reported wounded by telegram received by their relatives here.

Hugh Y. Torrance, of Newman street, is reported as wounded in the head. He is at a hospital in Rouen, France. He was among the first who went to war from this town, depth. having enlisted in August 1915. This is the second time he has been wounded in battle. He has three

other brothers in service. The other man is Private James McQuarrie, who is not known here. wounds in the upper extremities." Both of these messages came from

the Director of Records, Ottawa

ONLY QUARTER DONE.

Experienced Sewers Needed at Once or Manchester Will Fail This Time.

The local Chapter of the Red Cross shipped yesterday:

1,000 sweaters.

1.870 pairs of socks.

500 petticoats.

165 men's undershirts. 165 men's underdrawers.

650 girl's chemises. All knitted and sewed articles Letters received here also tell promptly. Unless forkers come to socks are not half finished and but a quarter of the quota has been com-

Boston, Aug. 17.—The Celeveland LEONARD AND LEWIS MATCHED.

New York, Aug. 17.—Benny Leonsbly will decide the American ard, lightweight champion, and Ted League pennant. Cleveland is two Lewis, champion welterweight boxfull games behind the Boston club er, have been matched to box eight and must win the series in order to rounds at Newark, N. J., September 10, it was announced here today.

Wail of One Whom Fate Forbids to Carry Sword and Shield.

Hard His Lot, He Can't Get Old Bill Meundgott-But Here at Home Has All the Fun (?) While Others Fight to Crush the Hun.

The daily papers that I see all cry in tones of wonder, the praise of our fine lads in France who face the German thunder; and not a single day goes by but some kind friend will hail me, and with a two-inch line of type with gestures will assail me. "My Sullivan. friend," he cries, "the Yanks are there! And that big boob, the kaiser, will all too soon their anger feel, and sadder be and wiser! 'Twas only yesterday they took a mile or two of trenches; and soon in Berlin's parks they'll be, a-sitting on the benches!" Now, I don't grudge that praise a bit-I like to hear them boasted; I like to hear our boys in France get cheered and sung and toasted; I wish that I were over there and scratching at the vermin, and now and then from time to time I'd pot a husky German. I would that I might lie and snooze among the mud and thistles, and eat cold chow and hardtack moist where shrapnel screams and whistles. But since I can't be over there among my friends and neighbors I'll call respectful notice to my own emphatic labors. I do not heave a two-pound bomb across the German border; instead I plot a diagram and keep the room in order. I do not wear a hero's togs nor sport a hero's medal; instead I of hot-air pedal. I do not help to crush with bare outlines of the plot. the Hun with bayonet emphatic; but I explain the why and when of fields electrostatic. I can't at present strafe the Boche with shell and sword and fire, so I'm content to teach a class not much enjoy the job while I am Park parrons in many weeks. wading through it, but, good or bad, the job is here and someone has to do it! Although I sit in peaceful ease, enjoying things delightful, I long for Flanders' mud and fleas and other torvoice and register emotion. I wish that I could be in France to battle for our nation; but meanwhile how about a bit of home appreciation? So

just mount a near-by chair, where pety cheers affice no one che v it! At least if I must stay at home everything made to see he in France than here, a Theory Assistant !- Exchange.

"Duck Boards" to Beat the Mud. When the allied forces in Flanders from the firing line by Maj. Gen. film in this town first. Charles Clement, U. S. A.

Mud was a source of considerable annoyance to the soldiers. So the engineering force of Australia devised what has become commonly known as the "duck beard," but which the Canadians have named the "bath mat," both being terms of derision.

The board is made of a number of small strips of wood, 14 to 15 inches in length, which are nailed to stringers placed in front of one another and extending for miles. A step off the "duck board" means a plunge into a sea of mud at least three feet in

The "board" was devised to enable the Australians to attack the Germans more successfully, and it served to provide a path to victory.-Popular Science Monthly. .

A Bergson Anecdote. Like most philosophers, M. Bergson lives a rather secluded life. His house in Paris is as quiet-looking and retir-France, suffering with "gunshot ing as himself. Most of his neighbors know him only by sight, and have no idea of the distinction enjoyed throughout the world by this unobtrusive spruce gentleman. A short time ago, when M. Bergson issued forth to go to the French academy, where he was to be formally admitted, the neighborhood was dazzled by a magnificent academician's uniform-green embroidered with gold leaves, a cocked hat and a dainty sword. Then the old concierge of the house opposite exclaimed: "Ah! the little old gentleman has been called up at last. And about time, too!"-Manchester Guardian.

> Heroes Who Don't Like Worship. That kindly, admiring and enthusiastic visitors to hospitals in the war zone constitute a nuisance and added trial to the wounded is the complaint laconically.

California Sardines. Commercial Bulletin of Los Angeles says that the California sardine pack for this year will exceed that of Maine, which last year mounted to 2,500,000 cases, compared with 1,800,000 packed in California. This paper asserts that the fish packed in California are true sardines, while Maine packs a small herring.

AMUSEMENTS

REAL STARS IN REEL PLAYS AT THE MOVIE THEATERS



Park Theater Circle Theater

A big Triple Feature Saturday bill

suspense for over an hour. 'His Enemy, the Law" and it is a ed by that brilliant exponent of the dandy. Jack Richardson with an all silent art, Edward Earle.

his services free to get the man out of his trouble. You can just of his trouble. You can just grade ten million logs and work the imagine how powerful a story it is special.

States right after the Civil war. The ing tale of a true incident that was scenes of the story are laid in the enacted at a little Cape Cod village south and later in the far west. is perhaps the best picture that Miss I pause to envy those who share the Comedy follows thrills and taken in Martin has ever put forth and you fun heroic, I force myself to lesser all "His Enemy, the Law" will fur- will be pleased and delighted with tasks with an expression stoic. I do nish the best entertainment offered the star and the story. Other high

For tomorrow evening an unusual ed. picture comes to the Popular Playthat it uses all of the Brady stars in screen attractions obtainable. sensational story of New York's Bohemia.

and Wednesday Next The I plays, "To Hel

my courage is consistent; I'd rather mammoth play. Remember it comes here before it reaches Hartford. It will b shown there for a week's run the end of this month. Indications point to Hartford amovie fans are not battling with the Germans they | coming to Manchester to see this picare trying to outwit nature. This is ture as there is much talk among the substance of a report brought back | them about the showing of the great

SPINNING MILL BRIEFS.

The Misses Ellen Lennon, May Cobb and Mary Griffin will spend the next two weeks at Walnut

Miss May Bell left today for a two weeks vacation with relatives in New York and New Jersey. Miss May Thompson will enjoy a

vacation at home during the next week. She had one week out of town earlier in the season.

Otto Nelson will return to his work Monday morning, after having a two weeks' vacation. The week he and his wife spent at Pleasant View.

Irving Wickham left today for a two weeks' outing at Crescent beach joining his wife, who has been at the shore for the past two weeks.

BRONKIE SPURNS OFFER. representative in big league baseball, tobacco. With tobacco selling at 80 formance will begin promptly at 2 cents a pound I can make more on

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS \$25,000 RICHER FROM BOUTS

my farm than playing baseball."

New York, Aug. 17-The Knights of the New York Medical Journal. The of Columbus war fund is \$25,000 patients don't want to be bothered richer today as a result of a mons- izes in the latest compositions of the Robert J. Smith, Bank Bldg. with glorification, still less with the ter boxing carnival held at Ebbets' leading music publishing houses, dear, helpful souls who come to en- Field, Brooklyn, last night. Jack will play for dancing at Laurel park tertain them during the wearlsome Dempsey, the man of the hour in this evening. The surroundings are of Starkweather street, are in hospi- A supreme effort by Manchester's patients dodging behind tents when they saw certain ladies coming to big crowd by refusing to fight his attracted to the pavilion on Monday, 'amuse them,'" comments the Journal scheduled six-round exhibition with Thursday and Saturday nights. The Battling Levinsky, but other bouts moving picture program for Sunday made up for his failure to appear, evening includes a two reel comedy, Johnny Dundee and Eddie Wallace "Ambros's Cup of Woe,", a war picand Patsy Cline and Phil Bloom ture, "England's Battle Fleet," a one staged - whirlwind four-rounders reel comedy "Half Shot," an animate which featured the card.

Gladys Leslie, the girl with the comes to the Popular Playhouse to- million dollar smile, and a new find night. First a Keystone first run in the motion picture field, will be comedy will put you in good humor. seen at the Circle this evening in an Then the big Boy Scout chapter play exceptional Vitagraph Blue Ribbon will be shown and last a thrilling feature, "The Little Runaway." This five act Triangle will keep you in production has been released by Vitagraph as a special and Miss Leslie The Triangle feature is called is supported by an all star cast head-

star cast plays the leading role. The photoplay tells the story of a Here is a rather odd story. It tells little Irish miss who follows a rogue of a man who is a wizard at law to America and after many thrilling technicalities. If he had turned and humorous adventures returns his talents to good account he would the wife of the Lord of the land. have been the best lawyer in the The picture has plenty of Irish atworld but he uses his knowledge to mosphere and humor and nothing free criminals and he never loses a has been overlooked to make 'this case. Any criminal who wishes to a perfect picture. On the same promay call on him and he would give gram an episode of "The House of

Tomorrow comes bewitching Vi-Around the plot of this great vian Martin in a Paramount producstory is a simple tale of the United tion "A Petticoat Pilo." This charmclass Circle attractions are includ-

For the coming week the managehouse. It is unusual from the fact ment will present six of the best tures frightful. So while the papers one picture, Carlyle Blackwell, Mon- Monday Gladys Brockwell will be cheer for those who fight beyond the tagu Love, June Elvidge, John Bow- seen in "Her Own Mistake." Tuesocean, I join with them my heart and ers and George McQuarrie. It is day comes a Bluebird masterpiece called "The Cabaret" and it tells a "The Eagle" with Monroe Salisbury. On Wednesday May (Allison in a Metro "The Winning of Beatrice." On Thursday and Friday an Arteraft Hart and on Saturday a big Paramount super-production "The Claws of the Hun" with Charles Ray.

SAUTELLE'S CIRCUS.

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ponents tomorrow afternoon. game will be played at the Golf Links field and it is expected than a goodly sized crowd will witness the encounter as the visitors have fast team, winning 17 games and losing two. They blanked the Royers 10 to 0 and now claim the city title. Symonds will be on the hill

the Cologne Gazette seeks to es what terms will it find to des the hasty retirement in the P sector in which the Germans los

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reconnaissance flight on record, over of shells. the enemy's lines, Pershing has re-

The Lutheran Synod of Berlin is taking action to stop the spread of "Hello-A. R. - A. R.-are you immorality among the young. The there1-wait a minute. What's streets in hundreds of German cities that?—to what?—Yes—Yes—Good are said to unsafe. Every man's All Right-A. R." hand seems to be against his neighsays the Cologne Gazette.

nearly \$30,000. St. Frisco, driven by Ed Geers, fine night, good bye, More." broke the world's record for trotting stallions, three straight heats, at Bel-

mont Park yesterday. His times were 2.01%, 2.04% and 2.03. The Fuel Administration has cut the supply of coal available for the mens are not anywhere near him. production of cement 25 per cent., Well, they're trying to get it now. in an effort to conserve cement for Listen, A. R.-Listen, everything's They're all right, you say? In everyactual war needs. Too much of it Is going into private building opera-

tions, says War Industries Board.

THREE U. S. AVIATORS

Another Enemy Plane Driven Down Out of Control-German Survivors Fly Away Finally.

Aisne-Vesle Front, Aug. 15 (10 p. m.)-Three German airplanes were shot down and another was driven Saturday Nights. The Latest Dance down out of control by American airmen this afternoon over the Rheims-Vesle-Aisne front.

tis and Mitchell were protecting caped yesterday from the county jail Hatch's Famous Dance Orchestra American observation machines and at Norwich, was noticed in Middle were patrolling above the front when Windham today. The Willimantic seven Fokkers and three Rumpleds police have been notified and are were encountered.

decisive defeat for the Germans. murder of Constable William Kinny. Buckley, Curtis and Gravitt each shot down a machine. Another was driven down out of control by Curtis, but it is not officially confirmed that the Boche machine crashed to

The German survivors flew away without molesting the Americans any further, while all the Americans returned safely to their base.

ABOUT TOWN

John E. Hood of Coper street left today for a two weeks' outing at follows: Bide-A-Wee cottage, Grove Beach. William Rubinow and Miss Sadie Gaskell of Rubinow's Specialty Shop have returned from a buying trip in

New York. Mrs. Paul George of North Main treet left today for Detroit, Mich. for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. C. W. King, formerly Miss Bes-

A stranger from Hartford came to town last night to visit relatives and as a result he landed in the police court early this morning. The charge was intoxication. His relatives live in Keeney Court. Officer Robinson Crockett who was doing duty about the Cheney houses last night arrived home in time to find the man atempting to get into his and costs.

An unidentified man about 28 years of age was killed at Taftville yesterday, when his bicycle skidded under an auto truck. In trying to avoid the collision, William Smith of Jewitt City, a U. S. sailor, ran his machine into a telephone pole.

mittee is effering as a prize for boy sure in evidence. and girl home gardeners a red, white and blue bicycle. One will be

Sergeant Phil M. Leakin of Co. B. State Guard, who lives at 50 Farmington avenue, Hartford, has been promoted to captain and assigned to SHOOT DOWN FOES promoted to captain and assigned to Lucien F. Burpee.

One year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Douce of Middletown fell from the third story veranda of the With the American Army on the home last evening. Although picked up unconscious no bones were broken and the child will recover. His father is fighting with the Canadians in France.

A man answering the description Lieutenants Buckley, Gravatt, Cur- of Samuel Arthur Salisbury, who essearching for the man. Salisbury The fight which followed proved a was awaiting trial, charged with the

> Many firms throughout the state are buying quantities of wood now to take the place of coal if there is a shortage this winter.

CATHOLIC PRESS . IS BACK OF WILSON.

Chicago, Aug. 17 .- The Catholic Press Association of the United States and Canada; in convention here, has sent a telegram to Presi dent Wilson, pledging the loyalty of the Catholic Press of America. It

"The Catholic Press Association tends the President of the United States the assurance of its continued and undiminished loyalty, and pledges again its support in the battle for democracy and condom un-

Greetings were also cabled Pope Benedict XV at Rome and hi blessing asked.

Establishment of a world-wide agency for the distribution of Catho lic news was asked yesterday by Matthew J. W. Smith, editor of the Denver Catholic Register. To accomplish this he proposed an endowment of \$1,000,000.

The censor is getting careless when he lets a Berlin, paper admit house. The officer took the man to that German armies have suffered a the police station. He was fined \$3 defeat. But it does save a lot of explaining.—Hartford Times.

In Which the Major Hears Of His Boys' Fight Step By Step over the Phone

France, July 31-(By mail)-A night," said the Major. Brigade headquarters in an old farmhouse at two in the morning. A weary major, enveloped in a trench rived? Yes, goodbye." coat, half reclining on a rough table

"Hello-hello," shouts the Major. A pause, the telephone rings again.

"Hello-hello - Moré. What's The price of food in Switzerland that? Three platoons? I got you-Mitchel of New York has reached munication with each other?-bonbon-that's the boy. Fine night Another ring.

"Hello," "Hello."

there. Now, listen, A. R .- the Ger- the receiver. going all right."

ing ground the farmhouse.

With the American Army in "They've been doing that all

The telephone buzzes. "You, Sibley! Has that truck ar

"Hello, Gil-left flank going up? with a telephone at his ear. The All right. Who went over the top--All right. That changes Baker American troops are attacking on and the other two platoons-all right the left. The Germans are trying __what's that?_on the western to bend in our right. Outside the edge? Has the runner gone back! Eighteen Liberty planes of the De sky is alight with artillery fire and __what efforts been made to get Haviland type have made the first the farmhouse shakes with the thud their rations up? Yes-yes. Tell him they've got to hold on. Sibley is moving up to help you. The French are getting ready to attack,

said softly.

"Knew They'd Do it."

Three miles down past that farm The World's fund for the erection the right got in? Bon-bon-that's through the darkness, pushing on in this declaration. a memorial to the dead ex-Mayor fine. All got in, you say, all in comartillery fire, beating off counter attack after counter attack. It was nearing the end of a 24-hour fight Dawn was breaking. The phone call become less frequent.

Suddenly the bell buzzed again "Hello-A. R. Better be careful The major yawned and picked up

"Hello, hello, Hello," he shouted "Oh, yes, that" you Lawson. where? Diggin' in, are they? Sib-"Boom-boom!"-two shells break- ley get there?-bon, bon-Knew they'd do it."

MARKET STEADY TODAY: NO SELLING PRESSURE Doop Dark Design That Was Behind

Tobacco Had Widest Movement-Liberty 3 1-2's Sets New High

the stock market today and some prietor approached. time after, the market was steady, The Hartford Home Garden Com- there being no special selling pres-

American Sumatra Tobacco had the given away to each school in the 125 1-8, the stock being influenced miration for the cir. by the action taken against General Motors. Steel Common mad a gain him for?" he asked. "Sure, it's a fine of 1-4 in the initial transactions to 111 1-4 but yielded to 110 7-8 in the next few minutes. General Motors made a gain of one point to 155 on a few transactions. Brooklyn Rapid Transit. yielded 1-4 to 39 7-8. Fractional losses dere sustained in American Writing Paper Preferred and American Hide and Leather

> Marine Preferred continued in demand, opening up 1-2 at 100 5-8 and

> Baldwin was finally 93 1-2; Union Pacific 124 1-8 and Reading 89 1-4. Marine Preferred, after falling to 100 was finally 100 3-4 and General Motors showed a gain of two points at 156. Just before the close the Liberty 3 1-2's made a new high record of 100.50.

The market closed firm today: government bonds unchanged; railway and other bonds steady. Stock Quotations.

Reported for The Evening Herald by Richter & Co., 6 Central Row, Hartford. Closing prices: Alaska Gold 3 1/4 Am B Sugar 69 % Am Tel & Tel 94% Anaconda 65% Am Smelter 77% 0 & 0 571/4

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OF BERGSALIERI.

Rome, Aug. 17.-An unusual honor has been conferred upon Miss Syl via Coney of New York and Miss MacIntosh of Boston. In recognition of their services on the Italian front, the Bersaglieri, the most famous of the Italian fighting units in the army, have made the two young American women honorary members of the Bersaglieri. It is the first time that this honor has been conferred upon American women for services at the front.

ALSACE-LORRAINE QUESTION ENDED, PRESIDENT SAID.

Paris, Aug. 17 .- "There is no longer an Alsace-Lorraine question. It is settled," President Wilson is reported to have declared to Theo-The Major laid down the receiver. dore Seltzer, according to the Matin "Oh, God-those poor devils," he today. Theodore Seltzer is one of the leaders of the Alsace-Lorraine Association. According to the Matin he was on board the yacht Mayflower on the Fourth of July when house our troops were pressing down the President is said to have made

MILLIONAIRE ENLISTS.

Stamford, Aug. 17.-John Tyson, the Riverside, Conn., millionaire, who was noted in times past for his from which all foreign matter is elimfondness for high powered automobiles and his exploits in them, has enlisted in the navy and is now a chief machinist's mate aboard a naval wrecking tug. He is station ed at New London.

WHAT HE REALLY WANTED Companion's Singing.

Two men were seated at a table in saldon, one of them annoying the other customers by his maudlin at-tempts to sing something that had a New York, Aug. 17.—Although strong German air, although the words business was quiet at the opening of were apparently English. The pro-

> "Cut out that singing in here," he remonstrated. "This ain't no amateur night for cabarets." The singer subsided and took an-

other drink, but his companion urged widest movement, dropping 1 3-4 to him to continue, expressing great ad-"What do you mind the likes of

> song. Go ahead with it." The resumption of the disjointed notes brough? the proprietor to the

"See here, you," he began, with a rap of his knuckles on the table, "cut that singing night now, or I'll have you Standing not far off to be sure that

the selection was not continued the proprietor overheard the second man urging the singer to go ahead and after another drink the song was resumed. Stepping up to the table with fire in Canadian Pacific declined 1 1-4 to his eye the boss addressed himself to the second man. Why do you keep asking him to

sing?" he demanded. "If you are so stuck on his singing take him somewhere else and listen to it all you "Singing!" retorted the other.

don't care about his singing. I want to see him thrown out."

Ready to Meet "the" Girl. Here's a young man who believes in the efficiency of preparedness. With his young wife he appeared re-

cently before Frank M. Kenney, chief clerk to Local Board No. 7 at Central armory, Cleveland, O. "When did you buy the ring?" Mr.

Kenney asked. There was some discrepancy between the answers of the bride and the bridegroom and the clerk pressed

for an explanation. "Well, I'll tell you the truth," the B R T 39 1/2 man replied. "Some years ago I plan and when it was paid for I day I might want to get married, and thought it wouldn't be a bad idea to

get the ring on the same plan." "You mean you got the ring and kept it in your pocket until the right girl happened along?" Mr. Kenney in-

"That's just it, mister," the youth replied, unabashed. "This is the right

rather a boy of genius and his name is Salvator Schiff. He is designated in a Parisian Journal as "a writer who is not a writer and yet it appears writes better than all the writers." He is a boy in the house of a picture Reading 89 % dealer. He has been discovered tak-Chic R I & Pac 25 1/2 ing the pen from the desk of his employer and letting it run agreeably to his fancy. One of his masterpleces of an idle moment came by chance under the eyes of his employer.

"Did you do that?" asked the em-"Yes, monsieur," responded the boy, much disturbed, fearing that he might be discharged for neglecting his du-

Liberty Bonds 4s 1st 94.06 ties for frivolous amusements. "It is admirable!" declared the employer, who without delay sent the manuscript to a noted literary man and now the Mercure de France is going to publish the first work of Salvator Schiff with others probably to fol-

> Little Baby Phenomenon. A two-year-old baby girl holds the world's record in mental development. The infant prodigy is Martha Springer, twenty-six months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E.

Springer of Mountain View, Cal. The child can read like an eightyear-old. The father says the child has a normal mind which simply has been developed by persistent training. At a recent meeting of college professors and experts in pedagogy and psychology the child for forty minutes read, counted and told the time by the clock and talked with the men who

were observing her. Her baby brain did not sag and she appeared to enjoy The necessary construction work has the long interview. The child reads and speaks with a ocabulary of about two thousand words. She is large for her age and eats and sleeps well.

New Idea in Butter Making. An emulsor, now being widely introduced, produces pasteurized milk or cream from their component parts with the aid of centrifugal force. The machine, which is shown in Popular Mechanics Magazine, is built somewhat like a cream separator. Milk in the same waters. Its removal is been mixed and heated in a steam- benefit. jacketed vat, are fed at pasteurizing temperature into the revolving chamber, producing a perfect emulsion insted.

Army Pronoune Pronouns and their definitions as the army understands them are quoted in a camp journal as follows: . 1the rookle; You-the sergeant; Hethe colonel; We—the gang; They—the Huns; It-the war; His-what the kaiser will get; Theirs-what the Huns will get.-Outlook.

Britain Gathered Small Boats for Tigris Service.

Even Small Excursion Vessels That Were a Feature of Outlings on the Thames Were Made Use . Of in Mesopotamia.

River boats for the Tigris were an absolute, primary necessity. They could not be built in Mesopotamia or anywhere else in time to relieve the desperate situation. They could not be materialized by the wave of any magician's wand. Well, what then? Then they would have to come out of other rivers otherwhere and make their various ways somehow-no matter how-across the seas and up through the Persian gulf, writes Eleanor Franklin Egan in Saturday

They were requisitioned from the Ganges and the Indus and the Irawadi, from the Nile and the rivers of can line. He left Gen. Roy Stone of Africa. and even from the Siklang, his staff at Charleston to recruit a the Yang-tse and the Hwang-ho. gang of laborers for the army in Porto From everywhere they have come; it Rico. General Miles proceeded to has been one of the bravest and Cuba on the Yale and after staying strangest achievements of the war, there a few days went to Guanica on and one hears with a feeling of espe- the southern coast of Porto Rico. If cially chill regret that more than was while he was lying in the wonder eighty of the ships have failed to ar- ful little harbor of Guanica on board rive. A few from everywhere have the Cherokee, the Yale heing too large gone-along with the high hopes of to enter the harbor, that he was joined British sailors, and usually with the by members of his staff who had sailed sailors, too-to the bottom of the on the Grand Duchess. The Cherokee, seas they were never made to ven- another Plant liner, took the staff to

on gala days and where happy sum- patch yacht. mer memories are made? Yes, to places like that. There is a holiday ing the war was declared and most of sound in the very name-Thames the members of the Miles party sailed penny steamer. And I wonder, if back for the States on the Obdam, a there are many Englishmen with no transport that had been purchased memories to make that sound music from the Holland-American line.

in their ears? too, were needed on the Tigris to help ner; the Obdam ran ashore off the Bethlehem Steel B 83 1/4 bought a watch on the installment meet the tremendous emergency. So coast of Cuba while in the transport bravely they set out. Eleven of them service; the Cherokee foundered somestarted, but only five of them achieved the impossible. Five of them got to the Tigris and are now listed by number in the great fleet under a class a German U-boat." initial, though I think I ought to add that by British officers and men they are especially identified and especially loved.

As I watched the curious, flat-bottomed, high funneled, double decked, paddle wheeled little craft churning hriskly downstream with her w

sailors on her frail decks preparing for such a voyage as was never before undertaken: then I saw her-her sides boarded up and her one-time spick and spamess begrimed with the coal that had to be stowed in every possible space-moving out of the snug security of the busy, bustling, city bounded Thames into the open, high rolling Atlantic. I followed her course across the perilous Bay of Bis cay and saw her creep down the long coasts of Portugal and Spain and through the strait past Gibraltar.

After Gibraltar would come a hopeful, careful, long crawl across the mine strewn and submarine infested Mediterranean. Port Said in safety Then the Suez canal-contributing a brief period of relaxation—the Red the Arabian sea, the Persian gulf, and finally-with what a sigh of relief-the broad current of the Shat-el-Arab and the almost rippleless serenity of the blessed Tigris!

I don't know what happened to the six that failed, but one hears that "their backs were broken by the high seas." That was the chief danger they all had to face; they and the hundreds of others from other faraway rivers, too. Eighty of the others went down and six of the Thames boats. Eighty-six! They should be honorably counted among England's honorable losses at sea, and they never have been.

Canals Now Fish Ponds.

Actual stocking of New York's new fish ponds in the beds of the old Erie and Champlain canals is in full swing. been completed and the fish used for stocking purposes are being rushed from various points to the canals and liberated at once.

The first consignment consisted of a large number of yellow perch fry, which were planted in one of the sections of the old Eric canal near Amsterdam. According to the conservation commission, a quantity of perch spawn was collected by state employees in Adirondack lakes, where these fish are a menace to other fishes powder, butter and water, which have therefore accomplishing a double

Destroying Airplanes.

British aviators and mechanics are compelled to destroy their own machines to prevent the Germans from obtaining a jealously guarded secret about the new type plane. Occasionally it is necessary for the aviator to sacrifice his own life together with his atrolane. Such an instance is described in an official report of a brave aviator who deliberately blew himself. and the airplane to pieces with a bomb. to evade capture by a Serman dottlia of destroyers?

"The sinking of the Carolina." German U-boat removed the last of a quartet of ships that have had a track history," remarked Brooks Amine of Baltimore, a former resident of Wash ington, at the Willard, according to the Washington Post. "The Carolina was formerly the Grand Duchess, halft for the Plant line in 1896. She made her first trip from Boston to Hallfax and two years later the was taken over by the government to be used as transport in the Spanish-American war. Her maiden voyage in the transpor service was from Charleston, S. C carrying a regiment of Wisconsin troops and high army officers to Porta

"General Miles a short time herors had been placed in command of the American army and he left Washing ton with members of his staff early in July. At Charleston General Miles went on board the Yale, which had been the City of Paris of the Ameri-Ponce, and among others on that ves-But the Thames penny esteamers? sel was the late Richard Harding Da-Where is it you go on the Thames vis, who had sailed from Cuba on a penny steamers?- To Richmond? To dispatch boat. The Cherokee arrived Putney? To Henley? To queer little off Ponce the next morning to find that landings here and there round Lon- the city had been taken the previous don where crowds of people gather day by an ensign of the navy in a dis-

"A few days later the protocol end-

"The curious part of the thing is But the Thames penny steamers, that the Yale was sunk in some man-Grand Duchess, rechristened the Carolina, has been sent to the bottom by

Diary of a New Yorker. Rose at 7:30 a. m. Closed folding

Bathed in patent folding ton. Cooked breakfast on colla tric stove. Left for office with 4.5

9:02 to 12 noon-At desk hall 12 to 1 p. m.—Automatic lunchroo Crushed in restaurant.

I to 5 p. m.—At desk in office.

5:30 p. m.—Run over by automobile 5:45 p. m.-Run over by street can 6 p. m.-Home. Crushed in subways 6:80-Dinner at popular table d'hota

Crushed by waiter. 7 p. m.—To the movies. Crushed in 9:30 p. m.-To drug store for gods

water. Crushed in crowd. 10 p. m.—Run over by automobile 10:80 p. m.-Run over by street can 11 p. m.—Saw a parade, Crushed in

12 midnight-Home to folding bed, Crushed.-New York Sun.

To Save Vessels From Sinking. Interest has been aroused by an apparatus that has lately been developed to save ocean vessels from sinking after being torpedoed or damaged by collision. The contrivance, which is shown in Pepular Mechanics Main zine, comprises a laminated steel disk. to the center of which is attached at series of rubberized canvas cone shaped buckets. In use, the end cond on the chain would be lowered into the water in the vicinity of the hole in a ship's hull. Upon being caught by the inrushing water, it would be pulled through the opening. The whole string of buckets would then be lowered along with the disk so that the latter would be pulled in place over the break. The cones, being of flexible mad terial, would be able to pass through an aperture, regardless of its shape. The disk, once in place, would be held by the pressure of the water against the hull.

Improved Soldering Process A form of the Schoop metal-spraying process is claimed to be effective. soldering. The soldering pistol does not require the compressed air let, as the fuel-gas used is under pressu and gives the flame sufficient driving force to spread the solder over the surfaces to be soldered. A small drive ing mechanism feeds the wire continuously into the flame. The method is convenient, rapid and incorpensive and is free from the collection and disagreeable features of solders. by hand,

Want Technical Training for Wem At a joint meeting of the Birm ham and Atlanta sections of the Amil ican Society of Mechanical Has resolutions were adopted requestion the colleges and technical achools of the colleges and technical school the country to provide special of technical instruction or to spit girls in order that they able to take the places of him have been or may be called here Service of the country duri —Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Evening Derald other, but it has increased the saving habit generally. There is no

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THE NEW REVENUE BILL.

Is the new revenue bill going to open up a fresh multitude of opportunities for Tom, Dick and Harry to raise his price for various commodities and services beyond all reason? We refer here to the small proportion of the unscrupulous, of course. We already have had many samples of this, and the excuse hitherto has been chiefly the very vague one of the war. The government should see to it that advantage is not taken of the public to boost prices beyond what the taxes and special conditions of the trade call for.

There will be loud complaints over various items by various classes the country over, as is inevitable, because the result as a whole was the chief object aimed at by the framers. Fairness and practicability as usual clash to some extent as the guiding motives of Secretary McAdoo and Chairman Kitchin, of the House ways and means committee.

will occur to many is the unwisdom of taxing common beverages. must be remembered, however, that ten and coffee are not foods, but stimulants, unlike cocoa and some other drinks. "It is certain that if any new import duties are levied that they will be only on tea, coffee and cocoa," says yesterday's dispatch. It seems to us unwise to tax any one of the three, under any circum-

the to Par 20 rent on so-called to us exorbitant. Forty cents tacked upon a two-dollar necktie is pret-'ty big. Eighty cents added to a fourdollar umbrella also is considerable. Wielders of bowie knives, dirks, brass knuckles, etc., mostly denizens alleged by federal Labor Directo . of the big cities' underworlds, will not get much pity of the 1,000 per few. cent tax which they will have to pay the government through the retail-

tax on autos and the blow at manu- since the first draftees left to af facturers of cars is still worse al- ford to have our number known though all auto plants now have Estimates now vary all the way from been told to get upon a 100 per cent non-pleasure car basis.

The tobacco habit is notencouraged by the bill, and confectioners also are hit, although they can pass on the tax to their patrons.

But the bill will win votes for the Democratic party, unless we miss our

THRIFT AND THE BANKS.

the Currency that the National banks' profits for the first six months of this year were the greatest in their history is an interesting if not conclusive index of the effect of thrift upon the banks in general This class of banks alone made \$100,000,000 or about 20 per cent.

It looks very much as if this were the old story of a large development of business saving the situation. It will be remembered, by readers of the history of the industrial revolution in England, the abhorrence with which machines were first received ualty list. Luckily there were no by labor, which believed that the innovation would mean the gradual elimination of workers. The fallacy of this was shown before long, for machinery made possible a develi pment of the factory system that demanded millions of workers instead of the previous thousands. A day or two ago we ventured to hint turf. The famous galloper covered that the same condition would arise the distance in 1.56 flat in winning with the establishment of huge pow- the Schenectady handicap on Friday. er plants in the vicinity of the coal The previous record was held by mines, since the demand for power Milton B. and made at Latenia in by factories would be greater than 1913. eyer before, owing to the multiplica- 3-5. tion of factories after the war. In the same way the railroads, with thousands of cars which previously carried hard and soft coal for them-

securities before, government or home to the hospital for treatment.

do much more business.

other, but it has increased the sav reason to believe that the National

banks are exceptions in this respect That the number of Nationa banks is growing does not change the conclusion, but ather confirms it, that the mass of the country's population are partners with the banks, as well as with the government, as never before.

WAIT-ON-YOURSELF IDEA. The wait-on-yourself idea, which the cafeterias, especially in th West, have put into such successfu practice, might well be adopted now not only to cut costs for customers but to save labor. It is a princi ple that might be applied pretty uni versally, and the war has created many new needs for its use.

A California grocer, if we remember rightly, tried to apply it, but for various reasons, not necessarily con nected with the fitness of the plan failed. Yesterday the Hartfor Times told of a Stamford woman who had patrons come to her farn and get truck at 20 per cent dis count, with an additional ten per cent if they picked it themselves.

Rightly or wrongly, the govern ment has frowned at salesmen and saleswomen, as non-essentials. O course they are in essential occupa tions and will be, until the presen scheme of things is altered.

But , with the departure of thou sands of clerks of the draft ages an the prospect of many more going the stores are up against it. The best know their own business, o course. If, however, the wait-on yourself scheme could be put in: practical form, it would solve an in creasingly knotty problem.

There is no reason in the worl the restaurants generall; shouldn't be converted into cafeter ias, as help grows scarcer.

In some of the large cities, all th facilities, including a razor hone and sharpened as only a barber ca-Perhaps the first suggestion that hone and sharpen it, are provided customers, along with a private booth, in which he can shave him

> For the benefit of all concerned the wait-on-yourself idea is wel worth investigation, if not trial, b all of these classes.

It hardly seems possible that the tobacco growers are taking man men away from the munition manufacturers. No man is going t give up a good job for a slight! better one, just for a month or two and we are not sure that the grower can afford to pay any better wage than their rivals. Certainly, th number of instances of this evil Korper, must be proportionately

Why not settle this question of the town's population for sure? W Car-owners are hit heavily by the seem to have grown fast enough 16,000 ta 20,000

> We have not heard complaints t any great extent about the weather man's new brand of temperature humidity, sunshine, etc. We hat to call him a sheep, but he certainly isn't the goat now.

Isn't it about time to talk abou U-boat tonnage sunk by our chaser The report of the Comptroller of off the Atlantic coast? The only trouble is the papers can't talk abou it until it's done. Sometimes needle is found in a haystack.

> There is something quite spiritua in a public spirit that expresses it self in cold dollars and cents. W admire that type of public spirit con siderably more than the oratorica!

> Connecticut was hit in about ten different places on yesterday's cas-

NEW WORLD'S TURF RECORD

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 17-Cudgel, owned by Commander J. K. L. Ross, today holds a new world's record for a mile and three sixteenths on the

SENATOR GALLINGER DEAD.

Franklin, N. H., Aug. 17-United selves and others free for other States Senator Jacob H. Gallinger freight and more shippers demand- died early today at the Franklin ing transportation, will be able to Hospital where he had been a patient for the last week. He had been in Thrift has resulted not merely in poor health for two months. One militions of adults becoming invest- week ago his condition became crit- did dey learn how to fight de way dey ors who never dreamed of buying ical and he was removed from his do?"

CALLS FOR BRAKE

Middle-Aged Man Would Slow Up Wheels of Time.

is Living in Hope That Some Man Will Devise a Workable Scheme for Renewing One's Lease of Life, and Do It Quickly.

"What we really need," said the middle-aged man, "is some way of

slowing up the wheels of time. "As every man who has begun to get on in life knows, the older we grow the faster time seems to fly. In our youth even single days seem to be endless; but when we get to be about so old the years go so fast that they seem to spin around like pin-

"There was once an advertiser with patent medicine to sell who started off his advertisement by describing himself as a retired physician whose sands of life had nearly run out. A well-meaning friend in the far West of business. wrote to him saying that if he would mix a little molasses with the sands they wouldn't run out so fast.

"Of course there was an idea in that; but the minute you come to think it over seriously you see that there is really nothing to it. To make the hood. wheels of time turn slower you'd have to have something more than molasses. I have thought that perhaps we might erful brake, for this purpose, but I town. guess there's really nothing in this idea, either.

"Lacking the means of making the wheels of time turn slower, so that we would seem to have more time. I may yet devise a way of renewing our lease of life. If we could get an indefinite renewal of our life lease we wouldn't care how fast the wheels turned, because we'd have endless years for them to turn in.

able plan of this sort would get rich beyond any sort of dreams whatever; out. There that night, by its white that is, if he could prolong his own trail of iridescent light, we could trace life as well as sell life-renewal leases the course of the firing line for many to others; for I fancy that, hard as miles through France and Flanders. this world may be in some respects, the great majority of us would like to jutted far out, like a lone cape into continue living in it a long, long time, the sea. and would give all we had for that place?" my friend inquired.

the world very well and I would like ish line." to stay on it interminably. If there is anybody now working on this lifelease-renewal device-I hope he will get it running before the sands of my oldfashioned life shall have run out completely; and if when he opens up for husiness he will let me know where to find him I shall go to him; and, if I have the price, take out as a first extension a renewal for about a cen-

Dealing With the Occult.

An astonishing number of books on so-called spirit manifestations in a going on and watching the varying as firing party. record of her weight. He has found that where a chair or table was levitated an increase in her weight almost plece of furniture was noted. When there were rappings her weight lessened, the amount lost varying with the intensity of the sounds. What these phenomena indicate to his mind or what he expects to prove by them does not appear.

Balzac Would Have Starved. Some of the geniuses of earlier generations would have a hard time of it with civilian rations in Europe. Many of them are still remembered for their were both masterful at the table. Balzac was equal to making a dinner of the North American Review. eight dozen oysters, twelve cutlets, a duck, a pair of partridges, and all the customary "trimmings." Herbert Spencer once went upon a vegetable diet, and declared that after he returned to meat he had to rewrite everything he did in the interval to get virility into it.

Regardless of the effect on genius, rationing is spreading. Even walking sticks have come under governmental control in England, and presumably a prospective purchaser will soon have to present a license to carry such an ornament.-Nation's Business.

Big Tuna Cannery. Half a million dollars is to be expended in the construction of a large tuna cannery on the island of Maul, in the Hawaiian group, states The Canner. The waters around the islands swarm with fish of every de-

scription, among which the tuna is predominant and attains an enormous size. The operation of this plant will Milton B's mark was 1.56 be a valuable addition to the food supply of the United States and may lead to the establishment of an important fishing industry in the island territory.

> Puzzling the Kaiser. "Dere's one t'ing puzzles me," said

"Vot's dot, eggsellency?" asked an underling, "Mid dose Yanks sbending all dere time making money und inventioning fine machines for us to swipe venever

Manchester Twenty-Five Years Ago

Culled from The Herald Files.

A popular oat race in which only local horses contended took place at Woodland Park. Sixty-two persons from Manches-

ter attended an excursion to Boston and Nantasket Beach. Hunting's circus arrived in Manchester amid a heavy wind and rain

storm. The wind was so strong that it was impossible to spread the canvass and the afternoon performance was omitted.

The silk mills were running about four days a week. All kinds of manufacturing was at a standstill. The Mather Electric Company was in trouble financially and it began to

Dr. Plumb Brown opened an office in the Park building.

look as though the firm would go out

The south end had a rattling good ball nine and was winning games from the best teams in the neighbor-

H. L. Vibberts and family were at Block Island.

F. A. Lillie, the new principal in invent some sort of brake, a very pow- the Eighth - district, had moved to

THEIR FINAL REST TOGETHER

have thought that perhaps somebody Soldier's Intensely Pathetlo Description of the Burlal of Youthful Scottish Officer With His Men.

I stood one night on a certain hill that commands the firing line in an almost soundless panorama. Beside "The man who could devise a work- me was an officer of the Second Canadian division, who had just come Just to our left the line of light

"That." I answered, "is the Ypres "For myself, I can say that I like salient, the Bloody Angle of the Brit-

"What is that futting-out

To mention the name of Ypres is to have one's memory awakened with a veritable kaleidoscope of pictures. That trail of light that jutted out into the night looked like a cape, and an iron cape it has been through months that cape has been at an awful cost, and there was not an inch along that trailing line of light that had not

cost its trailing line of blood. Just after the first gas attack in April, 1915, the whole countryside was in a panic. The roads were filled with occult subjects are being published in civilians in alarm, fleeing down counthese days, especially on lines relating try, and with limbers and marching stepping their duties and asserts that to the future life, the theme taking troops hastening up. I was passing the policemen are and will be con-supernumeraries to call out? on a new interest because of the war through the town of Vlamerthigne, and its losses. One writer, Prof. W. J. which is situated two miles beyond Crawford of Belfast, is dealing with Ypres. In a field at the side of the road I saw a funeral party. It connew way. For one thing, he has tried sisted of several pioneers, serving as seating the medium on a weighing ma- grave diggers, a gray-headed Scottish chine while the manifestations are major, and a corporal's guard to act

I learned that this inconspicuous group were burying the last original in his anxiety to have his brother officer of a battalion of the Cameron in-law, Howard I. Taylor, elected a corresponding to the weight of the Highlanders. The dead officer was a young subaltern, and the gray-haired old major was his father, who had come from another regiment to attend the funeral of his son.

So, over in a great deep trench, where a number of the rank and file of the fallen Camerons were already laid, the body of their dead subaltern was placed. As I saw the officer and his men of the bonnie Highland regiment thus laid to rest together. I thought of the requiem of Saul and Jonathan; "They were beautiful in their lives, where the town fathers were meetappetites. Thackeray and Dickens and in their deaths they were not di- ing, to register a protest against the vided."-Capt. Arthur Hunt Chute, in manner in which autos drive past

Margery Disapproved.

Margery's mother took her to a cottage prayer meeting. The meeting was of police matters and then added, led by a returned missionary who be- with his usual desire to see that comlieved strongly in the efficacy of pray- plaints get to the proper officials, er. And she believed in prayer not that the board of selectmen would be only from the heart but from the glad to refer the matter to the com-

regarding her experience. "I under- ment followed and I hold that any stand you went to your first prayer body of citizens, regardless of whethmeeting today, daughter," he said. "How did you enjoy it?"

The youngster's answer came in a flash. "I didn't like it at all, daddy, not at all," she said. "They didn't do a thing but just sing and turn over!"

Shipbuilding in a Dry Dock. they could be used immediately after launching, for another ship. The Hence there would be a reduction in the period of construction.-Scientific

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The Open Forum

THE PAY OF THE POLICE. Editor of The Evening Herald:

Mr ettetion has been called to letter which my good friend, George E. Keith, caused to be published in The Open Forum on Saturday, Aug- Gordon lack supernumerales when ust 10, and in which he sweepingly charges Selectman Johnston and the ies and towns believe that because writer with playing politics, charges of the war and possible internal the board of selectmen with over- eruptions the police departments tent with their wages, providing they are not interfered with "by scheming politicians and newspapermen."

As I have always considered Mr. Keith a man not given to mental abberations, I am at a loss to know what actuated his letter and I am almost forced to the conclusion that representative he is willing to grasp at the slightest opportunity to discuss the political situation.

The discussion by members of the board of selectmen of police matters did 'not emanate with any member of the board. On the contrary, Dr D. C. Y. Moore, after a very narrow escape from a serious accident a the Center on Monday evening, August 5, called at the Hall of Records, the Center. Chairman Taylor a first informed Dr. Moore that the police commissioners are in charge missioners. A general discussion that night he began to question her of conditions in the police departer they are selectmen, have a right to discuss police affairs. In this discussion, Selectman Johnston said the best police results could not be obtained as long as the police were not paid more than laborers. Re-

gardless of Mr. Keith's ability as a It has been proposed that concrete mathematician and his knowledge of ships be built in a floating dry dock, police affairs, I submit that the pothe principal advantage being that the licemen of Manchester have not luforms could be retained in the dock so crative jobs. Mr. Keith, in his fig- Center, which every autoist knows the liar always was a man despise ures, takes no consideration of the have become tangerous, may I say clothes policemen have to buy and that regardless of the fact that I drawing the outer forms slightly and I suppose that he will argue that happen to be a selectman I am withsinking the dry dock until the ship they would have to buy clothes for in my rights in protesting, as was floated on its own bottom. This would any work but he should know that Dr. Moore, and unless the police The Indian sign for that was a avoid severe launching strains, and braving all kinds of weather wears commissioners of Manchester take of contempt and detestation. would permit of launching the boat clothes, shoes and such out quickly steps to check the speeding in this while the concrete was still "green." and also that the police uniforms and vicinity, I will exercise my rights as about 5 a. m. and are forced to get not, like the police commissioners of

are, why are there not more applications for appointments on the tion on the force? Why does Chief commissioners of Manchester. the police commissioners of all citshould have an additional number of

And now to Mr. Keith's very interesting section which reads:

I suppose the reason for receiving and entertaining this complaint instead of turning it over to the proper authorities was that they saw an opportunity to make political capital for themselves on a popular question at the expense of somebody else, who may at some time have opposed their political ambitions.

Easy to see, George, that you know little of playing politics. The policemen, because of the work they are called upon to do, are not the most popular men in town. They number in this town from six to eight men. As some of them are democrats, they couldn't help either Selectman Johnston or myself if ponent. they wanted to for the real fights are at the primaries. It is however not surprising that some people to whom everything is transparent would see politics not only in this matter but in every matter certain officials take up. It's the same old story. Anxious to criticise but having to recognize that the 'Big Four" so-called, and including Selectmen -Weldon, Johnson, Johnston and Rogers, have worked for the best interests of the town, someone has at last discovered that the selectmen dared speak of the police department. They dared treat a reputable citizen with respect and then dared refer the matter to the race at the game and pin it by the proper officials, to wit: the police nose. commissioners. How long, dear commissioners, since you were elevated to the pedestal above criticism, and especially when the money you are spending in administering police affairs is the funds of the people of

Returning to the conditions at the been. Among our most savage tribe such are rather costly. Neither a citizen of Connecticut and ask the does he take into consideration the motor vehicle department to send its I'll tolerate." 12 20 12 20 13 time policemen spend in police court men here. Strange, but true, the to say nothing of the sleep they lose automobile commissioner, a high salas is necessary when they retire aried appointee of the governor, does

up about 8 a. m. to get to court. I Manchester, resent consideration of have no brief to hold for the police- the affairs of his department. On men but as one who is probably as the contrary, he has on several occonversant with all local affairs as casions invited the writer to discuss Mr. Keith I say without fear of con- with him the manner in which autotradiction that the policemen of mobile laws can be most effectively Manchester are not envied. If they enforced. Although a careful student of automobile regulation, he still seeks the advice of sutomobilforce? Why did a local trolley motor- ists. But, of course, he has not had man recently refuse to give up his the long experience in police affairs. work on the cars and accept a posi- that so properly guides the police

George, it is to laugh. Very truly yours,

Willard B. Rogers.

Harmful Loss of Temper Although unbridled rage is helpful in fight among the lower animals, needless to say it is the reverse of serviceable in the deliberate fighting of man against man, as in boxing and fencing, for here anger interferes with those cautious methods of attack and defense which are essential to success. To lose one's temper in fighting of this kind may be to lose the fight. With this reservation it is curious to note the close kinship between the combatant instinct of man and of the lower animals. The untamed man, when enraged, assumes in very truth the aspect of the tiger; he puts himself in a threatening attitude, frowns, glares, rolls his eyes, grinds his teeth, snarls, growls, even roars-thus instinctively

Best-Known Hunting Dogs. Two distinct breeds of hunting dogs in ancient times were the greybound and the bloodhound, and their origin is lost in the misty ages of the long ago. Tablets unearthed at Nineveh show by pictures that both dogs were common in that ancient day. The bloodhound was first selected on account of his good nose in scenting the trail of game. He is a pendulous eared, or drop-eared dog. Finally he became the limmer of olden days, that is, the bloodhound led in leash or line to track the quarry to its lair or harbor. He was used only to locate the game and was never off the lead. while the greyhound's mission was to

seeking to strike terror into his op-

High Ideals Marked Indians. The law of hospitality was general among the savage tribes of this continent. It was rare, or indeed unknown, that an enemy who had accepted hospitality ever violated that rule which made his host as sacred as himself had the man respected. The forked tons ranked a man where such a man be longed and always will belong with the snake that drawled on its belly.

Extravagance of Economic "There's one form of extra "What is it?" "I don't care how much i



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AND PROFIT by heeding.

ner it is time for supper. I don't get up for breakfast. OF THE family. sleep until 10 or 12 o'clock most of CAN READ and enjoy its the time. BREEZY up-to-the-minute news

Well. I am out of the hospital front now any time. I have not seen John or Art yet.

have received another letter from their son Gorporal John McCann of

been received by his sister, Miss An-

for the books which were fine.

France before they find me.

week or Monday of next week.

Well, mother, I leave this place,

(the hospital) for my company this

I am fine and in great shape. Our

company is in the thickest of the

fight at the present time. I hope to

God they make out all right. I have

had some good times lately with the

priest, Father Dinia. He sure is

a great man. He came in the ward

almost every night and pulled me

out of bed and I'm the one that en-

So Anna has got out of school.

am sure she is not sorry. Give my

regards to Mrs. Server and the rest

Well, I don't know when I will ge

another chance to write as I will be

busy when I get up there to help

push our lines to the Rhine. So

will say good bye and best of luck

is the wish of a loving son and

Just a few lines to let you know

am in good health. 'I have not re-

ceived any detter lately but I will

write. I always write once a week.

When I get your mail I get it all in

a bunch. I got those joke books.

last. I was there six weeks.

am at an implacement camp now

nd have a fine time eating, sleeping

and playing ball. The eating ques-

tion is the worst as you have to.

that, so when you get back from din-

Well, I am out on the hospital at

Corporal John McCann.

July 28.

brother if we don't meet again.

joyed that.

of the neighbors.

Dear Sister:

They were fine.

Dear Mother and Father:

July 18.

Say, what do you think, I weigh 160 pounds now. I am like a little fat pig and as brown as a nut. The hospital and one little nurse sure did me good. She was a dream. had a fine time with her. She left the same day I did for another hos pital near the front where I expect I hope we meet again. I'm

in love with a beautiful nurse. There were a lot of Manchester boys in the same hospital with me but they were hurt too much to be able to get out of bed. We had fine eats. S upper was at 4 p. m. Roast beef, coffee, bread, butter, maccaroni and bread pudding or canned stuff every night and you could help

Where I am now we sleep in pup tents and it is raining like -was over at the Y. M. C. A. and there was a French girl and a Y M. C. A. man singing. Then we all sang. She could not speak good English. Then we sang different songs at the same time. You should not reutrn to their former line of have seen her laugh.

Give my regards to Ethel, and ask her if she got my letter, and also Martha and the neighbors. Say, before I forget, I wish you a happy birthday and God bless you. broke my wrist watch and can't get it fixed. I think I will send it back home as I don't need it when

Well, I will close. Be a good girl pointed to the Committee of Educawalk again. I hope to be able to until I return home. Give my love to mother and father and save some

Your loving brother.

Journalistic Diettante. "What's the matter with the city editor? Two members of the staff are securing of employment for them. holding him and he looks as if he were Among these centers will probably

precaution is obvious.

"It's the fault of that wealthy 'cub' reporter hired last week. The c. e. told him to cover a Red Cross meeting this afternoon and he said it would interfere with his game of golf." Birmingham Age-Herald.

Smiles Across the Footlights In the Theater of the War

I now take great pleasure in answering your letters and thank you also got some papers. The songs the Lewiston food authorities. have not arrived as yet but the mail Her application was refused.

does not get here on account of the drive. They might travel all over SAVED BY COLLIAR STUD.

London (by mail)-An American artillery officer was trying his new gun on the Hun, when a large, spent ty Day celebrations in England. shell-splinter caught him in the back of the neck.

He coolly extracted his collar stud from his shirt and gazed on it reflec-

"I guess that shell was one of Krupps," he muttered. "Gee, but it's a good thing you were made in Connecticut, you beaut!"

LONGED TO BE A HUN SPY. London (by mail) - The life of a German spy looked inspiring to Leslie Gordon Norris, a small lad. So he stole six Treasury notes from his employers, fitted up his room with a dummy telephone and wireless outfit and had a notice up: "Norris, Private Inquiry Agent."

In remanding him, Alderman Sir A. Newton said he would have to get a better ambition or his career would not be worth a snap of the finger.

TRIMMER-IN CORSETS. London (by mail).-Steam power

was very low on the drifter, so the captain went below and picked out one of the grimy seamen. "What's wrong? It isn't the

coal? What was your rating when

you joined the navy? A trimmer?" "Yes, sir," came the reply. "They asked me my trade and when I said I was a trimmer they shoved me in the stokehold before I had time to

stand in a line a mile long, double at THE QUEEN'S SMILE. London (by mail).-Queen Mary was visiting one of the homes of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, where a submarined crew was being cared for when an Irishman named Charlie discoursed at length on his experiences. Charlie's eloquence could not be shut off, so another

my specialty is-corsets."

sallor cut in: "Dry up, Charlie, can't you see the lady wants to go."

The Queen smiled and spoke kindly to Charlie, who then declared he was prepared to face twenty more submarines.

"FIFTY-FIFTY." London (by mail) .- "We seem to

Commission to Visit Canada to Sec

How Dominion "Reconstructs"

Hartford, Aug. 17-Steps are be

ing taken to provide for the re-ed-

ucation of the Connecticut Soldiers

who are disabled in the war and can-

work. Three representatives of the

state went to Canada this week to

investigate the best ways and means

for the "reconstruction" a work in

which the Dominion has been parti-

Trinder Appointed.

tional Training for the State Board

of Education, has recently been ap-

ion of the Connecticut State Council

of Defense to which the important

juestion of investigating the re-ed-

ication of the disabled soldiers of

this state has been referred. The

federal government appropriated

money for this work, and the individ-

ual states have been advised against

taking any re-education steps inde-

pendently at present until it is done

on a nation-wide and centralized ba-

sis. All states are, however, strong-

ly urged to take stock of their facil-

To Visit Canada.

For this purpose F. J. Trinder,

secure information as to organiza-

tion, methods used in training, trades

taught to disabled soldiers, and the

F. J. Trinder, Director of Voca-

STATE TO TAKE CARE

Disabled Men.

ularly successful.

THE INFERNAL QUESTION. | have captured all you Americans London (by mail)-"I'm always again," a London editor said to Samchanging jobs, so I need a traveler's uel G. Blythe, at the close of an enbook of coupons," a hired girl told tire week of Fourth of July festivi-

"I was just thinking we had capdict of the managers, both English and American, of the series of Liber-

DOBBIN DESERVES MEDAL. London (by mail) .- In these days of popular clamor in England against so many new titles, a trooper comes 21, 1918.

to bat for a decoration for his horse. myself and my officer," he said. "We Germany, but the thing miscarried open, for otherwise Egypt and Inas a result of what we saw we the "great offensive" of the Allies potamia, therefore, play a very imthe news. Coming back with a party of smaller battles, where occasionally without these obstacles Germany of twenty we wiped out the German some 200,000 men were employed could obtain all the cotton, oils. section, only three being taken alive. on either side... Some 32,000 pris- wheat and other supplies that her If the old mare hadn't neighed, the officer and I would have gone on to death or a prison camp. I think she ought to get some sert of decoration 1917, and the close of the year, and than a third of Palestine from the for distinguished service.

TURNING THE TABLES. London (by mail) .-- The Archbishop of New York, who recently returned from a trip to America, tells this story,

"How many, troops do you thank can put aboard?" the chairman of a German shipping company asked an American naval officer at the launching of the great Vaterland. "I don't know," he replied.

"Ten thousand," the chairman told him, "and some day I may bring them across to the United States."

Within a short time that very pav al officer put 10,000 American troops into the Vaterland and sent them across to fight Germany.

"DURATION OF WAR." London (by mail).—The phrase 'duration of war" is more joked about in England than Fords used to the capture of 9,200 prisoners. be in America.

"You will realize how philosophical we are become out here," an road, which heranofficer writes to the Evening News, the object being to for een invited to enter a team for a divisional football competition—to be an annual event.

"My men seem very keen, especially as a cup is offered. I suggested, quite gravely of course, that winning three times would mean 'keeps' and they cordially acquiesced

of Ottawa, the Soldiers' Employment Commission and the Montreal OF MAIMED SOLDIERS Technical School and McGill Unies, could be shattered. versity, all of Montreal, the General Electric Company of Peterboro, the Ontario Soldiers' Aid Commission of Toronto, and the Returned Soldiers

Aid Commission of New Brunswick After this trip of investigation, a report will be made to the Connecticut State Council of Defense as to how far the facilities of this state are useful for the re-educational work and what additions to Connecticut's facilities would be necessary to carry on the work in a practical

HAD "KAISER" ON CHEST.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 17-Because he had a picture of the kaiser tattooed on his breast, Arthur Randolph Martin, of Paden City, W. Va., is going to undergo a serious and painful operation so that he will not be "joshed" ner his loyalty to the United States questioned, byhis fellow Marines after enlistment.

Martin was a tattooed man with a circus in civil life. He is a regular walking moving picture show On his chest is done a large picture of the German war lord,

"I'm going to enlist in the Ma rine Corps in a few days," Martin told the recruiting sergeant, "but I'm going to the hospital first and have the piece of skin that contains this thing removed and new skin grafted on in its place. If the job is successful. I can then enlist and go to camp without being afraid to take my clothes off before my pals."

American prisoners have been lodged near the railway station at Mannheim to prevent Allier airraids. The Germans in like case would kill a human feeling from the enemy.-Baltimore American.

able period .- Hartford Times.

BRITISH 1917 SUCCESSES, WHILE BRILLIANT, PALE IN COMPARISON TO FIGHTING WHICH COMMENCED ON MARCH 21 OF THIS YEAR

London (by mail)-The heroic army had won. battle of the British army during the German bayonets were in this attured all of you," was Blythe's reply. last half of 1917, including the bat- tack which had spent its fury in a "It works both ways," is the ver- les of Cambrai, the third battle of week. Ypres, the battle of Menin road, of Broodseinde and of Passchendaele, would loom up importantly in any survey of the past year's fighting on the western front but for one reason: They do not compare in any while the Allied armies from the Adsense with the fighting since March riatic to the Agean have prevented

"The old mare saved the lives of ning of the Allied offensive against necessary to keep this waterway were out at 3 a. m. trying to get almost from the start, and, after it dia would be at the mercy of Teucommunication when the old girl was seen that there was nothing tonic invasion. The armies of the neighed. We opened our eyes, and more to be expected from Russia, east, in Greece, Palestine and Mesoswerved around and returned with found itself diverted into a number portant role in the world war, for oners were taken by the British in population and industries so sorely eight of their thrusts against the need. German line between August 1, important positions were won, but Turks, their successes being rapid the successes were only tactical.

Third "Wipers" Fight.

The third battle of Ypres began July 31, 1917, and continued until the Tigris and Euphrates single cap-August 10, again breaking out Aug- turing Bagdad, and have made some ust 16, the British crossing the progress toward the north of Hit. Yser Canal, taking nine villages and capturing more than 15,000 prison-6,122 prisoners. When the battle ers. was renewed August 16, Langemarck was taken beside 2,114 more prison- first half of March only small acers. Meanwhile the Canadians on tions occurred on the western front.

the Lens sector attacked and cap- the British preparing for the Gertured Hill No. 70, took 900 prison- man drive which was launched with ers and maintained their positions unprecedented fury March 21. against five counter attacks. This was on August 15.

The French on August 20, attacking on an eleven mile front at Verdun, recaptured about two-thirds of the ground which the Crown Prince's

army had won in months of slaughter. The action lasting a week started on August 20, resulting in The chief action in September 1917, was in the battle

"when I tell you that we, have just man grip on the coast. Following building at Washington in 1814, and an eight hours' bombardment the British advanced on an eight-mile front from Hollebeke to Langemarck capturing a half dozen important positions and taking 3,243 prisoners. Six days later the battle was renewed, 1,600 more prisoners being bagged. The battle was important for the reason that it showed the supposedly invulnerable German system of reinforced trenches, with pill box-

Last October's Victories.

During October, 1917, when dis-French and the British scored noteeight miles on the Passchendaele Ridge, called the battle of Broodseinde, perhaps the most important during the year on the British front. The Germans had planned an attack for 6 a. m., but the British launched their offensive an hour earlier, broke up four others and took 4,446 pulsion. prisoners, while Canadians took 3,000 prisoners. The French, on October 23, attacked northeast of Soissons on a six-mile front on the Aisne, from Vauxillon to la Royere, piercing the enemy's line four miles and taking 11,000 prisoners. On October 9 the British took Poelcapsome slight gains with heavy attacks in the Ypres sector October 22, 26 and 30. On November 6 the Canadians won

their great victory, capturing Passchendaele Ridge, for which the British had been battling for months. Hindenburg had ordered the place to be held at all costs and if taken to be recaptured. The Canadians held the ridge until the recent hammer blows. November also saw the Brtiish success, which was partially diminished by a surprise counterstroke at Cambral. The Third British Army, under Sir Julian Byng on November 20 launched its drive through the human system every hour, without artillery preparation on an or, as Joseph Jackson in the Philadeleight-mile front, smashed the Hin- phia Public Ledger estimates, 1,205, denburg line, almost reaching the 000 gallons each year. outskirts of the important railway center of Cambrai and taking 8,000 their own if they could gain any- prisoners the first day. The batthing by it, but they expect more of the continued ten days, prisoners being increased to 11,551, while 138 guns were taken. The deepest ad-Hardly worse and surely no more November 30 the Germans delivaries a distance of 61,000 miles in a year, or more than twice the disappropriate punishment could be ered a tremendous attack against wished for Lenine and Trotsky than Byng's army, alming to cut it off man abuses it so con that they be compelled to flee to Ger- from the rest of the British forces. many and live there for a considerThe Germans succeeded in recovering more exercise; less burry; and : about half of the ground Byng's careful to

During the past year the British

"Mespot" Campaign.

have made considerable progress in Mesopotamia and Palestine, capturing Jerusalem December 9, 1917. the Germanic allies from gaining The Spring of 1917 saw the begin- control of the Mediterranean. It is

> So far the British have won more since Beersheba was occupied and 1,800 prisoners taken October 31, 1917. In Mesopotamia the British have advanced about 100 miles up

During January, February and the

ALL RESPECT POWER OF MACE

Emblem of Authority Raised in House of Representatives Has a Marvelously Quieting Effect.

The American house of representatives is modeled closely after the house of commons, and at the time of

from that time down to 1842 a model of the original, made of painted wood, was used. In the latter year the present mace was made and put Into use. It is composed of a bundle of ebony rods, three feet long, bound together. by silver bands, after the manner of the fasces. From the center of one end protrudes a slender silver stem, representative of the ax of the ancient models. On this is mounted a solid silver globe, five inches in diameter, while crowning the top of this globe stands a silver eagle with outstretch-

This is the emblem of the house and whenever that body becomes unaster overtook the Italians, both the ruly, as often happens, and the speaker is unable to restore order, the serworthy successes. On October 4 geant-at-arms is summoned and, liftgreat struggle began on a front of ing the mace from its place on the pedestal, raises it aloft and carries it up and down the aisles. Order is instantly restored; every member sinks into his seat and absolute silence

Such is the power of the mace, Every member must respect its authority, and should any fail to do so, he shattered three enemy divisions, is liable to a heavy fine or even ex-

> Easy to Exterminate Skunk, Some authorities hold that skunks

are the most abundant of all wild animals. This is hard to believe after one has long watched the squirrels and the rabbits but it may be true. It must be remembered that the daylight pelle and 2,038 prisoners and made skunks are the exceptions, and that most of the tribe only show themselves by starlight. For all we know, every field may be chock full of skunks at midnight. If it be true that they are our most plentiful species it must be apparent that the harm they do is not tremendous. It would be comparatively easy to exterminate them as so many of our small woodland species have been exterminated. Besides. skunk pelts are valuable. With the double incentive of revenge and profit skunk hunters should be able to make mephitis extinct in a few years.

> Heart Pumps 70 Gallons Every Hour. The heart weighs only half a pound. and it must pump 70 gallons of blood

> It has the power to propel the blood through the arterial system at the rate of 621 feet a minute and this means that the blood requires about 27 seconds in an adult to make a complete circuit of the blood vessels. He ing pumped over and over again, the increase in deaths from heart

The War Corner Letters From Manchester Men on the 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

The Evening Herald

Mrs. Frank Northrop of 55 Main street has received the following let- Dear Mother: ter from her son, Private Leon

July 12, 1918. My Dear Mother:

Styler of Co. G:

Just a few lines to let you know that I am in an American base hospital where I expect to undergo a Huns. minor operation. I have been here about three weeks so don't worry as they take good care of me. You see many things in here. It sure brings home the war to a fellow.

I suppose you know that Sergeant Cornell was killed in action. His father is pastor of the Swedish church. He was my corporal and a very fine lad, too, but we are at war and that's one of the chances

I suppose you know that Mills Couch was taken prisoner of war. The way the papers read I think the war will be over soon. I hope so, any way. I have had enough of

Well, mother, I think I will close and say goodbye. Regards to all, hoping to hear from you soon. .I am, as ever, your loving son,

Another letter has been received from Private Alexis Tournaud, who was badly wounded on June 19th, near Chateau Thierry. The letter, written to his mother, Mrs. Alexis Tournaud, Sr., of 115 Oak street,

July 28.

Just a few lines hoping they will reach you finding you all feeling well and cheerful. I am getting along fine now and I am starting to be back with my company again soon so as to get another shot at the for yourself.

What do you think of the "Yankees", eh? May the old division give those boche h-l on the drive that is going on now. I am sorry I couldn't finish it with the boys. I haven't heard from any one in

to hear from him. " There isn't much news to tell as it is kind of dull in a hospitalou know how I like being in bed.

our medicine like men. The boys are always happy and cheerful and we are always singing, making the best of everything that

I must close now, hoping to hear from you soon. Lots of love and kisses.

Your loving son, Alexis.

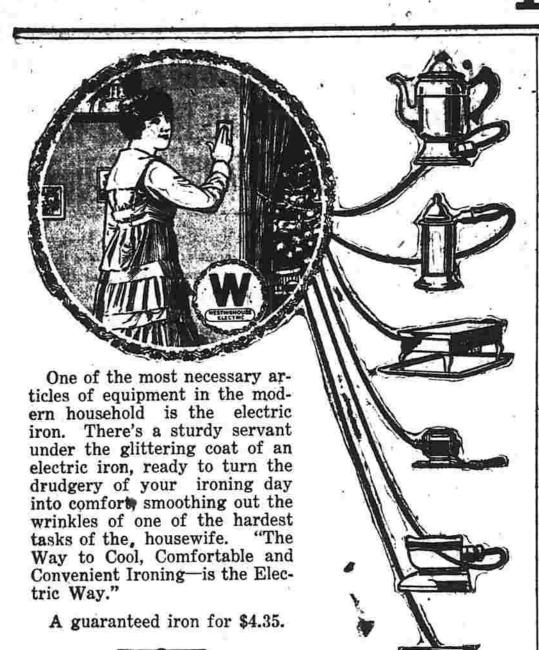
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCann

Good bye, good luck,

Sallor Invents Fire Escape. One of the boys aboard our navy's fleet has invented a fire escape which about three months and I sure would is similar to the rope ladders used like to get some mail from some one. aboard ships. His principal object I haven't heard from Anthony as was to provide a collapsible fire esyet and it would please me so much cape which could be compactly and ities for the re-education of returnconveniently arranged at the window ed maimed soldiers and be prepared of a dwelling. It consists of a con- to undertake the task as soon as a tainer hinged to the sill in such a general plan is announced. manner that by opening the window nothing exciting happens here and and folding the container on its hinge the metal ladder may be unfolded I am afraid some of the boys of and dropped. When this operation is Charles D. Hine of the State Board the company are smashed up a little gone through, a means is automat- of Education, and N. S. Light, State and some will get a "blighty," the ically provided whereby the ladder is Supervisor of Schools are visiting held at a distance from the walls of some of the most successful centers poor fellows, but mother, we take the building. The advantage of such of Canadian reconstruction work to

about to have a fit."

be the Military Hospital Commission



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FAREWELL DINNER.

Chairman David Husband of the Citizens' committee announces that a broiled chicken dinner will be given in Cheney hall, Friday evening, August 23, in honor of the 21 boys who leave for Georgia on Aug-5.30 o'clock, under the direction of OFFFICE OPEN EVERY NIGHT G. H. Miller and a corps of assistants. The speaker and entertainment program will be announced,

> More popular than ever, Caramel are the only Manchester men in th Nut Sunday at Knoffa's Adv

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Tonight in Manchester. Vasa, Swedish Sick Benefit Society Orange hall.

Enighet, Good Templars, Tinker Park Theater, "His Enemy, the

"Circle Theater, "The Little Runway."

Lighting Up Time. Auto lamps should be lighted a 8:19 p. m. The sun rose at 6:01 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cockerham and amily of Orchard street will spend he next week at Coventry lake. Mr. and Mrs. Harvy R. Trotter o Holl street returned yesterday fron

The sun sets at 7:49 p. m.

vacation spent at Crystal lake. The Misses Eva and Marion Saun ders left today for a two weeks' va cation in Middletown, N. J.

H. L. Gould and family will leave Monday for an outing at their cot age at Coventry lake.

Holl street are spending their vacation in Massachusetts. G. W. Keeney of North Main street with his wife and family have

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Kletzle of

gone to Coventry for a week. John Leander and family of Ridge street left today for a two weeks

stay at Sound View. Mr. and Mrs. James B. Johnston and daughter Evelyn of Bigelov street left today for a two weeks stay at Pleasant View, Rhode Island

Miss Florence Balch of Starkweather street returned last evening from a vacation spent in Yantic and Norwich, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bendall and

family of New street will spend the next two weeks at Bethlehem, N. H. They will stop at the Hillside Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mercer of West Center street went to Watch Hill, R. I., today for a week's out

John A. Hood of Chestnut street s spending the week end with his wife, who has been at Grove Beach for the past few weeks.

George Johnson of Clinton street employed in Cheney Brothers' ma chine shop office left today for a two weeks' vacation at Sound View.

The many friends of Mrs. M. J Moriarty of Main street who has been seriously ill with be pleased to snow that she is gradually recover-

Miss Fannie Rexford has returned to her home in Winsted after spending the week in town preparing for work in the high school next

Miss Margaret T. Burns of Rock ville, secretary to Judge R. E. Car ney, will leave Monday for a two weeks' vacation with relatives in western New York.

James C. Tucker, superintendent of the local state trade school, has returned from his vacation, which was spent at his home in Pennsylvania and in the Catskill mountains. William Dalton, timekeeper in the silk mills, and Ronald Ferguson, of

The Herald staff left today for a week's vacation in Boston and vicinity.' They made part of the trip oday by auto.

Word has been received of the safe arrival overseas of Private Ernest Turkington of Battery C, 303 Field Artillery, American Expeditionary Forces. Private Turkington went to Camp Upton last April and later was transferred to Camp Devens.

Corporal Donald Hemingway, who has been training with the Medical Corps at Newport News, Va., since last January, is spending a ten days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hemingway of Summit street. This is the first furlough he has had since his enlistment. Corporal Hemingway says the mercury hasn't dropped below 90 down in Virginia in a long time and one day it was up to 136. Everything s pretty well dried up down that way and the green lawns of Manches-

ter look mighty good to him. Private Thomas N. Prentice, who went to Camp Devens three weeks ago, is spending the week end with his wife at her mother's home on Cedar street. Private Prentice was first assigned to the 74th Infantry, then was transferred to the Depot Brigade and back to the infantry company. Yesterday, he was pick ed to serve in the 246th Ambulance Company, Sanitary Train, a new organization at the camp. Private Stephen Foley, who went to Camp Devens with Prentice, also has been assigned to this new company. They

marriage is made of Miss Lucy A Heritage now of Hartford to Clifford . Holmes of Rocky Hill. Both parthes are well known in town. Miss Heritage having lived here at one

Mystic Review No. 2 will have as their guest Tuesday evening, Aug. 20 Mrs. Jessie K. S. Fager, Deputy Supreme Commander of Minneapolis, Minn. The members are requested to make an effort to be present as it is Mrs. Fager's first visit Champ Clark, speaker of the House to Mystic Review.

Mrs. John A. Olson received a letter yesterday from her husband Sergeant John A. Olson of Company A, 301st Machine Gun Battalion announcing his safe arrival in France. Sergeant Olson said his company first 'landed in England and after spending a day there were transferred to France. He reported a pleasant trip across. The letter was written under date of July 26.

LOCAL POLISH GIRL GETS A LETTER FROM OVERSEAS

It is An Unusual One Because Writer is Unknown to Her-Got Address from Book.

The following incident will be of great interest to many, whether interested in foreigners or simply in the soldiers who are now on the other side. This case probably has many a parallel if we but knew.

At the time when books were being collected for the soldiers, the Polish people of this town did the same thing, many writing their addresses in them, hoping to hear from some of the soldiers receiving them. A Polish girl has just received such a letter which is the more in-

teresting because it shows a side of the Polish that is not generally understood. When it is explained that this sol-

dier, at the beginning of the war was drafted into the German army from that part of Poland that is ruled by Germany, was taken prisoner by the French, was released by the French to join the Polish army in France, because he became conyinced that he had been fighting on the wrong side, it will be better understood why so many men are to

The letter in part follows, having been translated into English. Lille-le-Guillaume,

July 2, 1918

Dear Friend: You will no doubt be surprised when you get this letter from someone you do not know. It is under stood you have no idea yet how I am writing, but let me in the following words explain:

It is two months since I have joined the Polish army, for, being prisoner in France, I then joined the Polish army to fight again-this time against the everlasting enemy of Poland, the Hun.

Am at present in the camp Lille-le-Guillaume, a small "town. am getting along well, and am well We have here a "Polish Soldier Home," and I am the librarian there I have been reading a book under the title of "The Love of Your Coun try" (the books is Polish) and came to an empty page and found your address. After reading it over

am now writing this letter. Please do not be offended that take the privilege to write, and hope you will answer me this letter, or so, I hope. This being my first letter to you, I have not much to

for I do not get any letters from home. I can get one in six months With the hope that I will receive

an answer soon,

I remain sincerely,

LOCAL MAN NATURALIZED. Thomas Knox Clarke, of 486 Mid-

dle Turnpike, was naturalized by Judge Edwin S. Thomas at a special session of the United States court in Hartford yesterday. Clarke was formerly an employee of the local Trust Co., and is in the aviation service. Until recently he had been training in Texas but he is now in Washington, D. C. and expects to go overseas any day.

The German high command is faced with another predicament than its military one, which has hitherto passed unnoticed. With the Crown Prince begging for help and Luden dorff outgeneraled and defeated where are they going to get the vicarious goat?-Baltimore American.

Follow the crowd to Knofla's coo ice cream parlors. There's a reason -Adv.

The announcement of the coming SPEAKER CHAMP CLARK MAY GIVE ADDRESS HERE

SPJEAKER CHAMP CLARK ...

Leader of House and Southern Dem-ocrat May Be Obtained by the Local Moose to Speak Here on Patriotic Subject.

Plans are in the works for getting of Representatives, to Manchester. Speaker Clark will come to Manchester under the auspices of the Moose. His speech will not be in any way political. It will be a patriotic talk entitled "The World War Conflict." It will cost a large sum of money



CHAMP CLARK

to bring the noted speaker here. His own price for coming to the town is \$400 and that does not count travelg expenses and other such items.

The local Moose are planning a big carnival for the last week in August. It will be held on the Main street ball grounds. They plan to have Speaker Champ Clark address the local people the last nigh of the carnival which will be Saturday night, August 31:

If Manchester secures the speaker of the House it will be a decided hit for the town. This noted orator has not been heard in any of the towns in this vicinity nor has he ad dressed an audience in the nearby cities. He has thousands of admirers and no doubt his scheduled address here wil attract many from all over the state.

FRESH AIR BOY BACK.

Another of the Fresh Air children from New York has come back to spend the rest of the summer. A bey who was entertained by Mrs. Mart a Frederickson of Charter Oak street when the rest of the children were here has returned to her home for the rest of the summer. The little fellow made the trip from New

York alone. Many of the families who entertained children last month are keeping in touch with them. Nearly all have received letters of appreciation and gratitude from the children's parents in acknowledgement of their kindness and generosity to the youngsters. Not a few are looking forward to a renewal of the hospitality next summer.

WORD FROM G BOY.

Frank Blanchard, Wounded Writes That He Is Better.

The Manchester War Bureau received the following message on a post card from Private Frank Blanchard of Company G: Dear Friends:

Just a few lines to let you know am feeling much better, as I have been wounded and have been in the hospital since June 19th. Hoping all is well in the good old town of Manchester. Best regards to all.

From Frank J. Blanchard, Co. G, 102nd U. S. Infantry.

TO ACT AS GO-BETWEEN.

If You Have Surplus of Garden Stuff Miss Hemingway Will Help

If you have a surplus of garden stuff or if you have none at all, just call up 44-2 and you will be accommodated. Miss Dorothy Hemingway, for the local Food Conservation Committee, will as as go-be-Tween. She will bring together those wish to can and have not enough with the Hudsons vegetables or fruit.

The local committee will not ararranged by the parties themselves, era.—Adv.

Strengthen America

POVERTY-

the Principal Product of the Saloon

"It isn't the saloon that makes a man miserable—it's his poverty," says the exponent of the saloon. But you never heard of a saloon relieving a man of his poverty. Every time he comes out of a saloon, he's a lot poorer than when he went in He's poorer every way.

He's poorer financially. There never was a saloon that made a customer richer in cash.

He's poorer in self-respect. The longer he remains in the saloon the less respect he carries away with him. He loses his self-respect, and his friends often lose their respect for him.

He's poorer economically. As a workman, he becomes less efficient. Never yet has the saloon made a workingman richer in the ability to do things.

He's poorer physically. The saloon never improved a man's health. The man who patronizes the saloon becomes more susceptible to disease—he is less able to resist disease. He cannot stand the strains of life so well.

He's poorer mentally. His brain is befuddled. He doesn't think straight. The more time he spends in the saloon, the less others will be inclined to trust his judgment. He not only loses confidence in himself, but those with whom he does business lose confidence in him.

He's poorer socially. His value as a contributor to the common good of his fellowmen is lessened. Those who are interested in securing better conditions for workingmen cannot afford to become the victims of the drink

If it's poverty that makes a man miserable, then he had better keep away from the saloon-for the saloon never made a man richer in the slightest degree in any parti-

> If you believe that the traffic in Alcohol does more harm than good-Help Stop It1

WITHTHE KAISER

Park Theater, Next Tuesday and Wednesday

SIDETRACK WEST ENDS.

Hudsons to Play White Sox After All-West Ends Later?

After the side bets of \$50 each had been posted for a series of three games between the Hudsons and the West Ends, the Hudsons hunted up Manager Lorens-Hanson of the West Ends and called the series off, temporarily. 'The Hudsons said that at last they had made satisfactory terms with the White Sox for a series of Circus lot corner Main and three games and that; they lister Street, ONE DAY ONE would play the first game THIRRDAY ALC ternoon. They asked Manager Han- Two Performances Daily, Ac son to return their money, saying ternoon at 3. Evening at 8. Prices that after they had finished with the Including War Tax-30 CENTS White Sox he could challenge the GREAT LAST YEAR-GREAT. winners of that series.

Hanson returned the money and says he will challenge the winners of the Hudson-White Sox series for Show will be Donated to Tol the will bring together those of a side bet of \$50, the same as he co Fund for the Boys Over The Manchester who cannot can all a side bet of \$50, the same as he co Fund for the Boys Over The Manchester who cannot can all had posted for the proposed series NO PARADE.

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