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ALLIES ARE STEADILY "POCKETING" THE VALENCIENNES-TOURNAI REGION

OFFICIAL TEXT OF GERMANY'S REPLY TO PRESIDENT RECEIVED BY STATE DEPARTMENT; SENATORS HOSTILE TO OFFER--BERLIN AWAITS CHANCELLOR'S SPEECH

Prince Max Expected to Comment Today on Response in Reichstag Speech and Outline Program of Domestic and Foreign Affairs--Swiss Charge d'Affaires Gets Berlin's Answer This Morning--What Senators Say.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Frederick Oederlin, Swiss charge d'affaires, notified the State department at 10 o'clock today that he had received the official text of the German reply. He was informed that Mr. Lansing would receive him at his convenience and he was expected to deliver it in person during the course of the day. It was understood that the note, for the most part, agreed with the unofficial text sent out by the German government from Nauzen.

Awaits Chancellor's Comment.
Copenhagen, Oct. 22.—The German Chancellor's speech in the Reichstag, which is expected to deal with President Wilson's recent reply to German peace overtures, is anxiously awaited, said a dispatch from Berlin.

It is expected, the dispatch added, that the speech will deal with a great program of internal and foreign affairs.

A cablegram from your correspondent on Monday said that the German Chancellor was expected to speak in the Reichstag at Berlin today, the address being followed by general political debate.

Senators' Views.
Peace negotiations based upon the

German reply are hardly possible in the opinion of various leaders in the Senate. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, said he regarded the note as an international document, the answer to which by the President should be determined by the Allies' wishes.

Senator Poindexter of Washington seriously objected to the suggestion of negotiating for an armistice on the basis of the present "standard of power" of the armies.

Senator Thomas, Democrat of Colorado said the note sounded too much like deathbed repentance.

Senator Sutherland, Republican of West Virginia said the German government was trying to make it appear that the present retirement of the German armies was part of a peace move, instead of a military one.

Senator Harding, Republican of Ohio said that if the note told the truth about universal suffrage being given the German people, it met all America's requirements concerning a responsible government.

Senator Overman, Democrat of North Carolina thought the note opened the way for negotiations.

London Papers are Cold To Germany's Proposals; Note "Leads to Nothing"

London, Oct. 22.—"Puerile and incoherent," is the description given to the latest German peace note by the Daily Mail.

"The note comes at the same time as the news of the sinking of the steamship Dundalk in the Irish Sea by a German submarine. At the same time comes news of the stealing of food sent by the American commission into Ostend. The Allies have no proof yet of any change on the part of Germany."

"The German note means that Germany must gain time or the state and the German military will collapse," said Lord Northcliffe.

Sign Peace in Berlin.
"Peace should be signed in Berlin," declared Lord Charles Beresford. "For a country that has been butchered, for other countries that have been devastated and for the

millions of women that have been wronged Germany shall meet her merited doom."

The Chronicle calls the note impudent and declares that it is unacceptable.

Vague, Not Decisive.
"It is vague and intended to prolong useless discussion," says the Telegraph. "The German note means that the armies shall be enabled to march home with munitions ready to fight," said the Daily Post. "It is another paltry and contemptible assumption of injured virtue and calamity. It is a decision to save notorious criminals. To talk with Germany is useless until that country is disarmed and thoroughly defeated."

The Daily News says that the Allies must come in line with President Wilson's points.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO ENTERTAIN GEDDES AT IMPORTANT MEETING

Visiting British Minister to be Guest at Annual Gathering in New London Next Week—Headquarters at Mohican Hotel—Program.

Hartford, October 22.—Sir Eric Geddes, British Minister, who now is visiting this country, has tentatively accepted an invitation to attend the annual meeting of the Connecticut Chamber of Commerce at New London, which convenes next week, Oct. 25 and 26. The meeting is the most important in the history of the organization and one which will vitally affect Connecticut business interest.

Headquarters will be at the Mohican hotel, where the delegates will register Friday morning. In the afternoon from two to six there will be a business session for discussion of industrial matters, reconstruction and other topics of vital interest. A directors' meeting follows, and at eight p. m. the dinner takes place. Speakers of note expected to attend are: Governor Marcus H. Holcomb, Charles M. Schaub, general manager of the Emergency Fleet Construction, Charles W. Morse, Sir Eric Geddes and George B. Chandler of the Connecticut State Council of Defense.

On Saturday, following business sessions, the distinguished visitors and delegates will enjoy a motor tour of New London, including the military and naval activities.

ALLIES CAN FORCE TURKEY FROM WAR

French Reach Danube in Bulgaria, Serbs are Nearer Belgrade.

CONSTANTINOPLE NEXT?

Allies Able Now to Attack City from Eastern Side—Can Close in Upon It from Three Directions.

New York, Oct. 22.—Turkey's departure from the war and from the German alliance is expected to be hastened by the latest developments on the Balkan front.

The French have reached the Danube river, cutting another line of communication between the Central empires and Constantinople.

When the Serbians reached Nish they severed the Orient railway, the only direct railroad line between Germany and Constantinople, but the water way line, via the Danube and the Black Sea, remained open. Now that line is closed and the only way that Germany can communicate with her Oriental ally is through Russia and the Black Sea, a long, tortuous and difficult route.

Danube Reached.
The French War Office announced that the Danube had been reached in the vicinity of Vidin. Vidin is in Bulgaria, about 47 miles southeast of the Austro-Hungarian frontier. It is on the Roumanian frontier, the Danube separating Bulgaria and Roumania at that point.

The Serbians are approaching Kragujevatz, only 70 miles from Belgrade and the seat of the Serbian national arsenal.

It has been just five weeks since the Allies launched their offensive on the Balkan battle front which ended in overwhelming and decisive victory. After the Bulgarians threw down their arms the Germans and Austro-Hungarians in Serbia and Albania put up a show of resistance, but have been forced back steadily and are now almost at the Danube line throughout the whole of northern Serbia.

The Allies, so far as known, have not attempted any operations against Constantinople on the European side, but are now in an excellent position to do so. They have free use of the Orient railway in southern Bulgaria and are at liberty to use Adrianople as a base, as it lies helpless before the Allied advance.

The Allies are in a position to squeeze Turkey from three points: Westward from Mesopotamia and Persia; eastward from Palestine; southward from the Balkans.

The Arab tribes are in revolt and can aid the Allies by attacking northward of the Arabian desert.

INFLUENZA NOT YET WANING IN NEW YORK

New York, Oct. 22.—Indications that the Spanish influenza epidemic in Greater New York has not yet reached its crest were seen today in official figures given out by the Health Board. During the last 24 hours 3,946 new cases of influenza and 3,622 new pneumonia cases were reported. There were 471 deaths from influenza and 318 from pneumonia. All of the figures show an increase over the preceding twenty-four hours.

\$25,000 WHISKEY THEFT BEING PROBED.

Waterbury, Oct. 22.—Several saloonkeepers in this city and brakemen in the employ of the New Haven road, have been arrested on suspicion in connection with the sensational theft of \$25,000 worth of whiskey from the local freight yards. The whiskey was carted boldly from the freight yards and distributed to saloonkeepers, who bought it at various prices. It included two cargoes of more than 30 barrels. Eighteen of the barrels have been recovered. All of the accused were held under \$5,000 bonds in the city court today, pending investigation by the police. More arrests will follow.

GERMAN PRESS BITTER AGAINST PAN-GERMANISM

Socialists Demand End of Junker Rule and Punishment of Military Culprits Without Mercy—Nuremberg a Base Against Crown Prince's Accession.

London, Oct. 22.—(by British wireless press)—Violent campaigns against those who are called "chief culprits" are being conducted in all of the German provincial Socialist newspapers.

The Volkszeitung, organ of the Nuremberg Socialists, says: "The German people are searching for the guilty. Pan-Germans and Junkers are silent today, but we do not forget that they were the great war inciters in Germany, that they remain the support of social and political reaction, and that they are a danger to future healthy development of the German empire. Pan-German policy has gone bankrupt but unfortunately it has led the German people to disaster. To the gallows with the guilty, whoever they be."

The Arbeiter Zeitung, of Vienna, urges German Socialists to ferret out the "chief culprits" and to punish them without mercy. It says: "When the German soldiers return home from the trenches after four years of unparalleled suffering there will be reckonings for the people who have led them to catastrophe. The German people will sweep away the Junkers and generals and take its own destiny into its own hands."

The Frankische Tagespost, of Nuremberg, the first paper to openly advocate the abdication of the Kaiser, now declares that the accession of the Crown Prince is entirely out of the question.

URGE HIGHER WHEAT.

Washington Oct. 22.—That a minimum price of \$2.46 per bushel for number 1 northern spring wheat or its equivalent based on Chicago delivery be fixed for the 1919 crop, was urged upon President Wilson today by the National Wheat Growers' Association. The association cites that production must be encouraged to meet all emergencies and to build up a reserve for future years; that it is "not sound business policy to base expectations for the 1919 on the 1918 yield," and that the increase of the cost of production of wheat in 1919 over 1918 necessitates an advance in price to \$2.46.

ALLIES ARE ALMOST AT VALENCIENNES; STEADILY OCCUPYING TRIANGLE FORMED BY LILLE AND ROUBAIX AND TURCOING

GERMAN U-BOATS HEMMED IN BY NAVY ON THE NORTH SEA

Only Exit Remaining Now is Through Dangerous English Channel.

7,000 PERFORM PERILOUS WORK

British Navy Assists Americans—Barrage of Mines Laid Between Scotland and Norway.

A Scottish Port, Oct. 18.—(Delayed)—The American Navy has today laid a mine barrage in the North Sea by the laying of a mine barrage which extends from the coast of Scotland to Norway. The barrage is 250 miles long and it consists of thousands and thousands of mines loaded with T. N. T. of the latest type. They are so closely knitted to each other that a row boat could scarcely penetrate the barrage.

The whole minefield is controlled by a very simple device. The work was carried out under the nose of the German high seas fleet and German sea planes. But the Heines did not fire a shot to hamper the workers.

The feat was accomplished by the American Navy with mines transported and assembled by Americans. The British Navy aided in the work materially, but the bulk of the laying was done by the Americans with American warships patrolling the nearby waters.

7,000 Did Work.

The only exit from the North Sea now open to the Germans in the tortuous lane through the English Channel, which is beset with difficulties of the gravest kind. The imagination can picture the American mine barrage as a gigantic salmon spawn. Seven thousand men, working day and night, accomplished the feat. The steamers assisting in the work were former American coasting vessels, Fall River liners, South-east Navigation liners, etc., which used to be devoted to the carrying of pleasure parties, dancing and gaiety. The work was very hazardous on account of the high seas in the North Sea and because at times the ships were not visible to each other at 500 yards. They ran the risk of colliding in the darkness, which would have caused terrific explosions.

The mines were lowered from these vessels very much in the same manner as depth charges are lowered from American destroyers. The work started in June. The men showed remarkable facility, often laying in six hours the same number of mines it formerly would have taken six weeks to launch. In one operation alone 7,000 mines were placed. There have been a few premature explosions, but Americans will keep the supply of mines up to full requirements.

"HALL'S FOLLY" BURNS.

Troy, N. Y., Oct. 22.—"Hall's folly," said to be the first flatiron building erected in New York state, was partially destroyed by fire last night in a spectacular blaze. The damage is estimated at \$75,000.

British Take La Sentinelle—Lines of Communication About Three Points Under Fire—Seven Miles of Escaut Canal Held—Americans Northwest of Verdun Meet Heavy Resistance, But Progress Steady

German resistance has stiffened at some points on the western battle front, but the Allied advance has continued throughout the past 24 hours and the German bases at Valenciennes and Tournai are being steadily "pocketed."

The British have taken La Sentinelle and are now only about half a mile from Valenciennes.

In the district north of Valenciennes and south of Tournai, where the British are approaching Conde sur Escaut and St. Amand, (an important German lines of communication) the Germans have been putting up a strong defense, but in spite of their stubborn efforts they have been forced back.

Between the Escaut canal and the Lys river, (near the Franco-Belgian frontier) the British gained nearly a mile.

Where Advance Lies.

This advance was carried out in the district north of the triangle formed by the cities of Lille, Roubaix and Turcoing. Deynze has been surrounded by French and British troops and its fall is imminent, if it has not already taken place.

The British now hold about seven miles of the Escaut canal, (the Scheldt river), between Tournai and Audenarde.

The western part of Thiant, (five miles southwest of Valenciennes and three miles southeast of Denain), is now in British hands.

The Americans are meeting with desperate resistance northwest of Verdun, but are carrying out a steady operation which is "nibbling away" the German lines.

The Germans regard their defensive lines northwest of Verdun as being more vital than those in Flanders, because they guard the German border at a point where invasion would be a downright calamity.

Americans Progress, Too.

In spite of stormy weather and strong opposition the Americans are going steadily forward with their infiltrating operations. The French are daily biting deeper into the German lines between the Serre and Barres river, (northeast of Verdun.)

On the Balkan front the French and Serbians are now approaching the Austrian frontier. Only the northern tip of Serbia remains in Austro-German hands. The German commander in northern Serbia is attempting to concentrate a force to hold the line of heights south of the Danube river, but is hampered by the large number of desertions.

London, Oct. 23.—The Allies have made a new advance of nearly a mile between the Escaut canal, Scheldt river and the Lys river on the Flanders front, the British War Office announced early today.

The retreating Germans abandoned all of their defense guns on the Belgian coast.

Dunkirk has been shelled again with long range cannon, but no damage was done.

The text of the official report follows:

British Statement.
"In Flanders the retreating Germans have abandoned all of their coast defense guns including some 38 centimeter pieces."

"The enemy has shelled Dunkirk again, but no damage was done."

"The French have crossed the Lys river and repulsed violent German counter-attacks."

"The British have reached the Escaut canal near Elchin in spite of lively resistance."

"Between the Escaut and the Lys the British advanced 1,500 yards."

Valenciennes-Tournai Progress.
London, Oct. 22.—After sharp fighting on the Tournai front, the British drove the enemy from the village of Orecq and the adjoining woods and are now within a mile of the German base at Tournai the War Office announced today.

South of Thiant, the western part of which is now in possession of the British, the British advanced to the left bank of the Escaut.

Further progress has been made by the British between Valenciennes and Tournai, despite desperate enemy resistance.

KILLED BY AUTO.
Salem, Mass., Oct. 22.—As the result of an automobile accident Louis H. Chapman, 33, of Marblehead, died today at the Salem Hospital. He was knocked down last evening on the Marblehead road by a car driven by Dr. Benjamin F. Sturgis, of this city.

MANIAC SLAYS FAMILY.
Chicago, Oct. 22.—Crazed by influenza Peter Marranzini, a laborer, murdered his entire family of five, his wife and four children, by cutting their throats with a razor. The family had been suffering from the malady for a week.

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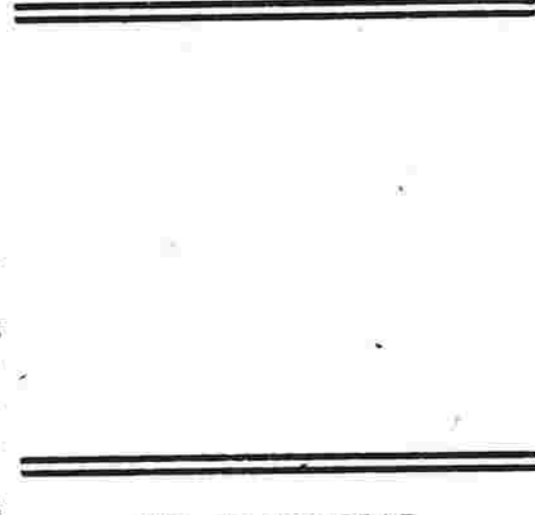
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TOWN SENDS BOYS AWAY TO WAR WITH A SMILE

Farewell Supper, Speeches and Entertainment for Selectives Who Will Leave Tomorrow.

A farewell supper and send-off was given last evening at the Center church parish hall to the selectives who are to leave tomorrow morning for Fort Monroe. Twenty-seven of the thirty-six young men were present.

O. F. Toop as chef, with an able corps of assistants, served an excellent roast beef supper with all the trimmings, to which the boys did full justice.

Supper over and cigars lighted the boys listened to some excellent advice and words of cheer and encouragement from Angelo Bosco, Horace B. Cheney, L. S. Burr, Alex. Tournaud and E. L. G. Hohenthal. Mr. Cheney offered the services of the war instruction board, of which he is chairman, in any capacity, to the selectives. Chairman David Husband, in behalf of his committee, and the loyal women of Manchester, presented to Mr. Hohenthal as representing District Board No. 1, a handsome banner, constructed on the plan of a war service flag with white center and red border, bearing the words "Local Board, Division No. 1" at the top and "Hartford County, Connecticut" at the bottom. The upper part of the white central portion held nine gold stars, representing the Manchester young men who have been sent out by the local board who have died in the service. Below the stars are the figures 1195, representing the total number of men sent out by the board.

Mr. Hohenthal accepted the banner in behalf of the district board and said it should be carried whenever selectives marched from the headquarters in East Hartford to the train. It will be used for the first time tomorrow morning. He followed with a stirring address, in which he had words of instruction and advice for the young men who are to leave tomorrow.

Comfort kits and packages of smokes were distributed to the selectives and they were sent home with the admonition to be on hand at the South Manchester postoffice at 6:15 Wednesday morning. They will go to Wells hall by automobile and will be sent to East Hartford.

Their special train leaves Hartford soon after and goes through to Old Point Comfort where it is due to arrive at 1:30 a. m. on Thursday.

SCARCITY OF SUGAR FELT IN MANCHESTER AGAIN

Merchants Awaiting Another Consignment—Some Women Disobey Rules.

There is a scarcity of sugar again in town. On Saturday it was almost impossible to obtain even a grain. The merchants were besieged early and late with calls and orders but in almost every case the answer was, "no sugar." Many families report that their supply is almost exhausted and the question they are asking is, when and where can we get it?

The allotment of canning sugar, which the merchants received some time ago, is gone and many of the merchants have a large number of these little orders and are waiting for another consignment in order to fill them. Although many of the larger cities throughout the state are supplying their customers, it is given out in very small lots and to regular customers only.

It was thought that under the Hoover system of limiting the sale of sugar to two pounds to each person that it would prevent many of the thoughtless persons whose version of the golden rule was, "Do others before they do you" from stocking up for the winter, thereby reducing their worries to a minimum. Such was the case last winter during the shortage when many families in the town had an abundant supply and others had none. Manchester's shortage of sugar, like coal, is no doubt due to the scarcity of help to transport these necessary commodities and although they may come in very slowly for a time, there is plenty to go around providing good judgment is used and there is no waste.

NOTICE OF TAX COLLECTOR

All persons liable by law to pay taxes in the

NINTH SCHOOL DISTRICT of Manchester are hereby notified that I shall on October 1, 1918, have a rate bill for the collection of two mills on the dollar, laid on the 1st of 1917, due the collector October 1st, 1918.

I will be at the store of C. E. HOUSE & SON, INC., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays during the month of October except on Tuesday, October 8th. From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. for the collection of this tax.

TAKE NOTICE—The law provides that if any taxes shall remain unpaid on the 1st day of the month shall become due, interest at the rate of one per cent, shall be charged from the time that such tax becomes due until the same is paid, also lawful fees for travel or collecting after November 15, 1918.

GEORGE DAVIDSON, Collector. Manchester, Conn., Sept. 23, 1918.

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Manchester, on the 19th day of October A. D. 1918.

Present WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq., Judge.

Estate of Harriet K. Talcott late of Manchester, in said district, deceased. The Administrator having exhibited his administration account with said estate, and this court deems it expedient that the said account be published for the purpose of giving notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district on or before October 31, 1918, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in the Town where the deceased last dwelt, six days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

WILLIAM S. HYDE, Judge. H-22-18

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Manchester, on the 21st day of October A. D. 1918.

Present WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq., Judge.

Estate of Stanislaw Mezelski, late of Manchester, in said district, deceased. Upon application of Agnes Mezelski praying that letters of administration be granted to her, as per application on file, it is

ORDERED—that the foregoing application be heard and determined at the Probate office in Manchester, in said district, on the 26th day of October A. D. 1918, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice be given to all persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said application and the time and place of hearing thereon, by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in said town of Manchester, at least five days before the day of said hearing, to appear if they see cause at said time and place and be heard relative thereto, and make return to this court.

WILLIAM S. HYDE, Judge. H-22-18

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Manchester, on the 21st day of October A. D. 1918.

Present WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq., Judge.

Estate of Michael Reardon late of Manchester in said district, deceased. Praying that letters of administration be granted to said estate, as per application on file, it is

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ASSESSORS NOTICE

The inhabitants of the Town of Manchester liable to pay taxes, are hereby notified and required to return to the Assessors on or before the first day of November next, a list of all property owned by them on the first day of October, 1918, and the Assessors will meet them at the purpose of receiving their lists at the

HALL OF RECORDS
October 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, from 1 to 7 p. m.
October 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 from 1 to 7 p. m.
October 28, 29, 30, 31, Nov. 1, from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Evening meetings are for the convenience of those who cannot come to the day sessions. Taxpayers are requested to come in the day time if possible and not crowd the evening sessions.

Owners of automobiles and motorcycles are requested to give make and date of their machines.

Persons owning pianos are urged to hand in their lists of same in addition to save the ten per cent. order.

All lists of Real Estate must give the Boundaries of the land, as by law required, or they will not be accepted.

Please Take Notice That All Meetings Will Be Held at the Hall of Records.

Persons neglecting to attend to their lists on or before the first day of November will have ten per cent. added to same.

All persons liable to give in lists of taxable property are urged to appear before the Assessors.

Persons making out their lists will be obliged to make oath and sign same.

Blanks can be obtained of the Assessors, Town Clerk, and at the several postoffices in town.

S. EMIL JOHNSON,
ROBERT J. SMITH,
JOSEPH ALBISTON,
Assessors.

Manchester, Conn., Oct. 8, 1918.

Pharmacy No. 405.
TO THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR HARTFORD COUNTY:

I hereby apply for a Druggist's license to sell Spirituous and Intoxicating Liquors, Ale, Lager Beer, Rhine Wine and Cider at No. 487 Main Street, Town of Manchester. I agree not to sell Spirituous and Intoxicating Liquors to be drunk on the premises; I agree not to sell Spirituous and Intoxicating Liquors in quantities exceeding one gallon, and other than distilled liquors, and those in quantities not exceeding five gallons; I agree to pay sixty-five dollars only for such license, and that it shall be revocable for misrepresentation if I do not fulfill the foregoing agreements.

I, of lawful age, do state that the business there to be carried on is one in which I am engaged as proprietor, and that I am a licensed Pharmacist.

Dated at Manchester this 16th day of Oct. A. D. 1918.

ELMER C. PACKARD,
Applicant.

We, the undersigned, are electors and taxpayers, owning real estate, of the Town of Manchester and hereby assign and endorse the foregoing application and hereby certify that the applicant is a suitable person to be licensed pursuant to said application.

Dated at Manchester this 16th day of Oct. A. D. 1918.

SAMUEL SMITH,
JAMES R. BIDDLE,
FRANK TROUTON,
A. E. GIBSON,
Geo. H. Howe.

I hereby certify that the above-named signers and endorsers are electors and taxpayers, owning real estate, in the Town of Manchester, and dated at Manchester this 16th day of Oct. A. D. 1918.

SANFORD M. BENTON,
Town Clerk.

FOR SALE!

FANCY YELLOW ONIONS \$1.25 PER BU.

EXTRA FINE POTATOES \$2 PER BU.

YELLOW GLOBE TURNIPS 75 CENTS BU.

CARROTS, \$1 PER BU.

LOUIS L. GRANT PHONE 84-3

AUCTION

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23 AT 12 O'CLOCK

DAIRY FARM OF ALBERT L. WRIGHT

On Main Road from Andover to South Coventry

FARM CONTAINS 188 acres of which 60 acres are tillable, 65 acres of woodland, 63 acres of pasture. Farms well watered, exceptionally adapted to dairying. Good set of buildings on place. Also 11 cows, 1 pair mules, 1 horse, 1 two-horse farm wagon, 1 buggy, 1 two-horse moving machine, 1 hay rake, 1 weeder, 3 acres of corn in shock, large amount of hay and numerous small tools.

IF D. KINGSBURY, Auctioneer. IF STORMY—NEXT FAIR DAY

Necessary gifts for the men in the Selective Service displayed at Balch & Brown Pharmacy. 1812

PARK

THIS THEATER WILL REOPEN ON SATURDAY EVENING!

CIRCLE

THIS THEATER WILL REOPEN ON SATURDAY EVENING!

Classified Advertisements

IN THE EVENING HERALD

BARGAIN COLUMNS

BRING RESULTS

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

For the accommodation of our patrons we will accept Telephone advertisements for 15 days except for one whose name is on our books payment to be made at earliest convenience. In other cases cash must accompany order.

Read By 10,000 People

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Timber, Spruce and hemlock—best you ever saw—32 Woodbridge St. 1917

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good second hand range. Also photograph with 250 records, good as new. 32 Woodbridge St. 1917

FOR SALE—Kitchen range in good condition. Will sell cheap. 183 Woodbridge St. 1917

FOR SALE—Good cook stove, cheap for quick buyer. Inquire 24 Clinton street. 1917

FOR SALE—A nice little 4 acre farm just over the town line, 2 1-2 miles from Main St. first class 7 room 2 1-2 story house, barn and other buildings. Price only \$1500. Owner works in factory and raise poultry and crops on side. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building. 1917

FOR SALE—A nine room house, suitable for two families, barn, hen houses, 6 acres of perfect land, also fruit. 15 minutes from silk mills. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building. 1917

FOR SALE—20 acres of land of which over one half is nice white birch. Only \$25 an acre. It is in the town of Manchester, too. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building. 1917

FOR SALE—In Coventry, 8 miles out, 50 acre farm, seven room house, 2 barns, 1 horse, 4 cows, hens, tools, etc., only \$2500. Owner works in factory and raise poultry and crops on side. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building. 1917

FOR SALE—Who wants a building lot for \$25. I have a lot to sell and \$25, no more, no less, makes you

Wise, Smith & Co.'s 21st Anniversary Sale

COATS SUITS DRESSES FURS

A noteworthy assemblage of stylish outer garments without a parallel in Southern New England

Ultra smart fashions and most dependable qualities at positively lower prices than elsewhere

Stylish Fur Sets

Style and comfort combined in the fur sets we offer at Anniversary Sale money saving prices.

NATURAL RED FOX SETS
Ball muff and large open collar trimmed with head and tail. Regular value \$22. Anniversary Sale Special **\$17**

NATURAL MOUNTAIN LION SETS
Very good coloring in skins, large ball muff, full skin, open collar. Regular value \$27. Anniversary Sale Special **\$22.50**

JAPANESE CROSS FOX SETS
Very deep fluffy skins, large ball muff trimmed with head and full open one skin collar. Regular value \$40. Anniversary Sale Special **\$35**

NATURAL RED FOX SETS
Made of very good skins in fine etched colorings, large round muff with head and tail, full size collar to match. Regular value \$42.50. Anniversary Sale **\$37**

DYED SKUNK SETS
Made of extra good skins, very fluffy, full size ball muff and large open collar. Regular value \$50. Anniversary Sale Special **\$45**

GRAY FOX SETS
Large ball muff, trimmed with head and tail, open cape collar to match. Regular value \$87. Anniversary Sale Special **\$76.50**



FREE SOUVENIRS

Souvenir Coupons are issued to all purchasers of ten cents worth or over and when totaling three dollars you are entitled to a souvenir. Should your purchase amount to one hundred dollars you will receive the most valuable of souvenirs and with purchases in between \$3 and \$100 the value of the souvenirs is consistent with the amount of your purchase.

BUY YOUR WINTER COAT AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE

And you will say, like hundreds of other women, "I found just the coat I wanted at Wise, Smith & Co.'s, and for less money than I expected to pay." IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO GIVE AN ADEQUATE IDEA OF THE IMPRESSIVE RANGE OF SELECTION.

The following are merely a few of the Anniversary offers:

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| <p>HEAVY WINTER COATS
Of all wool kersey in plain cloth or mixtures with large coney fur collar, all around belt, fancy pockets and half lined. Anniversary sale \$20</p> <p>KHAKI MILITARY COATS
Heavy wool army cloth with high collar, fitted back, stitched kersey coats with kit coney collars. Anniversary sale special \$25</p> <p>WOMEN'S WINTER COATS
Of wool kersey with deep button over-collars of seal plush, fancy belt, deep patch pockets with wide plush trimming, half lined with heavy men's wear lining. Anniversary sale special \$32</p> | <p>WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED COATS
Heavy all wool kersey cloth with fitted back, allaround belt, large convertible collar of kit coney, wide flare below belt, finished with deep allaround border of fur and two fur ornaments at back. Anniversary sale special \$40</p> <p>WOMEN'S STUNNING COATS
Heavy wool velour, lined back, deep shawl collar, cuffs, buttons and 12 inch border of Chases beaver. Anniversary sale special \$39</p> <p>RICH FUR TRIMMED COATS
The finest of wool velour in newest colorings, fitted backs, novel belts, tailored pockets, large shawl skunk opossum collars, deep cuffs and 10 inch band of skunk opossum fur trimming, full sweep at bottom, these coats are lined with stunning figured satin. Anniversary sale special \$55</p> | <p>HANDSOME PLUSH COATS
Rich coats of Salts seal plush with fitted back, allaround belt, deep convertible collar, extra wide flare and lined throughout with heavy guaranteed lining. Anniversary sale special \$35</p> <p>ELEGANT COATS OF SEAL
Extra full back model, deep convertible collar, broad belt, interlined and lined throughout with Skinner satin. Anniversary sale special \$60</p> <p>RICH BUFFIN SEAL PLUSH COATS
Richly fur trimmed, have large collars and deep cuffs of skunk opossum, wide allaround belt, very full flare and are lined throughout with heavy figured guaranteed satin in rich colorings. Anniversary sale special \$75</p> |
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Handsome Fur Scarfs

Don't wait until prices on furs go away up, but buy now and benefit by the Anniversary Special prices.

RUSSIAN WOLF SCARFS
Extra good quality made of large furred skins, deep and fluffy, come in black and taupe. Regular \$20 value. Anniversary sale price **\$17**

NATURAL WOLF SCARFS
Extra size, made of fine deep furred skins. Reg. value \$27. Anniversary sale **\$22.50**

NATURAL RED FOX SCARFS
Extra fine quality, large size open collar with head and tail, Regular value \$40. Anniversary sale special **\$35**

LARGE WOLF RUG SCARFS
Extra fine scarfs made of very long deep silky fur, lined with crepe de chine, in taupe, black and brown. Reg. value \$50. Anniversary Special **\$45**

LYNX SCARFS
Wonderful value, very large cape, long collar and lined with crepe de chine, taupe and black. Reg. value \$50. Anniversary Sale Special **\$45**

TAUPE WOLF SCARFS
Made of large deep furred skins. Regular value \$59. Anniversary Sale Special **\$59**

4 Big Anniversary Groups Women's Suits 4

\$35 SUITS AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$29

Misses' and Women's suits of burella cloth with velvet trimmings. One model has a plaited fitted back, all around belt, large patch pockets, inlaid velvet collar and is well lined. Skirt is a two piece model with slight fullness gathered under belt.

\$39 SUITS AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$32.50

Smart tailored suits of oxford gray, fitted coat with deep inverted plait giving straight flare below belt, manish roll collar, inset pockets and is lined with heavy gray satin. The strictly tailored skirt has inset pockets and belt at back.

\$50 SUITS AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$45

Stunning new suits of silvertone in the newest coloring. A youthful model has fitted back, very narrow belt accenting the stylish raised waist line, loop fastenings and many buttons trim the coat, lined with self color satin. The narrow skirt has tailored pockets.

\$65 SUITS AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$55

Rich velvet suits with seal collar in black and colors. One particularly attractive model is of dark green velvet with plaited back, seal collar and pockets, trimming and many handsome buttons, lined with self color satin. The rather full skirt is gathered under novel three-piece belt with button trimming.

4 Big Anniversary Groups Women's Dresses 4

\$19.98 AND \$22.50 DRESSES AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$16.98

An unusual showing of moderately priced wool serge dresses at still further low price for the Anniversary sale. One smart model has fitted waist, collarless broad trimmed neck, narrow skirt, side plaited tunic and broad satin girdle embroidered in red silk.

\$32.50 DRESSES AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$25

A wonderful offering in dressy gowns of wool serge featuring panels, long lines, collarless neck, and silk girdles, one model of navy serge, has collarless neck, square yoke of open work silk netting, long panel back and front over accordion plaited skirt, silk cord girdle and touches of artillery red.

\$29 DRESSES AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$22.50

Modish street and afternoon gowns of satin, crepe de meteor and combination of georgette and satin. One girlish model of georgette and satin has coatee waist with georgette sleeves and inset vest, narrow satin skirt with tunic of georgette bordered with satin, pearl buckles and tiny buttons for trimming.

\$35 SMART GOWNS AT THE ANNIVERSARY SALE \$27.50

Smart gowns for women and misses, choice of heavy satin and beaded georgette and combinations. One very attractive model is of heavy satin with collarless neck,

Warm Fur Coats At Lower Prices Than They Will Cost Later

If you are thinking of buying a fur coat, take our advice and buy now while these low prices are possible.

NATURAL MUSKRAT COATS
40 inch length, made of fine matched skins, full sweep and brocade silk lining. Regular value \$119. Anniversary sale special \$100.

KOLINSKY DYED MARMOT COATS
Made of deep furred skins, 40 inch long model with border around bottom. Regular value \$125. Anniversary sale special \$109.

NATURAL MUSKRAT COATS
Made of heavy pelt skins well matched, 4 1/2 inch length, extra full, brocade lining. Regular value \$150. Anniversary sale special \$135.

NATURAL RACCOON COATS
Made of extra good skins, 45 inch long model with deep shawl collar and border at bottom. Regular value \$200. Anniversary sale special \$180.

BLACK FRENCH SEALINE COATS
Made of extra fine lustrous skins, lined with brocade satin a very dressy garment. Regular value \$200. Anniversary sale special \$180.

NATURAL MUSKRAT COATS
With border, deep shawl, collar and cuffs of Hudson seal, short belted model, very snappy style for young women. Regular value \$220. Anniversary sale special \$198.

WE SPECIALIZE IN STYLISH STOUT COATS.
Women requiring large size coats will find that we have studied their requirements. We show a very large selection of stylish garments especially designed both as to style and lines for their use.

WISE, SMITH & CO., HARTFORD

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY.
Do it at the Anniversary Sale. Save money and get free souvenirs besides.

WAR CORNER

C. J. Peterson has received the following letter from his son Ernest who is fighting the Boches in France:

September 19.
Dear Father and Mother:
Just a year ago today we left the good old United States and crossed the line into the Dominion of Canada. It has been a long year too in some respects and still it has gone quickly enough otherwise. When we left last year no one

thought we would be here for a whole long year but we did not realize the enormity of the task set before us.

You have recently read about our latest achievement but then that does not say that the war will be over for a couple of weeks, anyway. I suppose, too, that you have read the German report and it probably states that they made their retreat in good order. In fine order, indeed, just the same kind as they made once before when they had to face our advance. There were so many prisoners taken the roads were practically blocked with them. I am now billeted in a German

dugout, not out of sight of territory still in possession of the Germans. Three days ago we rode quite near the German lines but there doesn't seem to be much activity over there.

Yes, I suppose you do worry these days, but to tell you truthfully there isn't anything to worry about, not just now anyway. You must remember that I am only one boy among many and that it is no harder for me than for the others. Then, too, I am never really in the trenches even though at the front. Our work sometimes carries us quite close to the lines but never for any length of time. I had quite a little excitement to-

night but nothing in the line of fighting or shell fire. We were called out to go to about three kilometers from here, so I saddled up our two horses. We were in quite a hurry as it was rapidly getting dark. I swung on my horse. He has a habit of sometimes starting off like a rocket that is sometimes alright, but there are a whole lot of overhead wires hanging around. One of these caught under my tin hat and nearly pulled me in two. After we came back I was going to go and water the animals and get some water for coffee. Then again my horse had to act foolish. He slipped going across a ditch and in regaining

his footing threw me from the saddle but I guess it wasn't my turn to get hurt. He cleared me and ran up to the picket line and proceeded down to water.

We are now having our coffee and it is almost as good as the kind mother used to make. One of the lads wanted to boil his undershirt in the water before we made the coffee, but we persuaded him that it wouldn't improve the flavor of the coffee, the cooties might, but the shirt, never!

I am feeling fine and so far have been very lucky, also very fortunate in having such good health. The big ones are going over again tonight.

I am glad that I am on this side of the line when our artillery opens up.

There isn't much more to write about at this time and I must write to Minnie and Mary before I turn in and it is getting late.

With love, your son,
Ernest R. Peterson.

MISTAKE POLICE STATION FOR BAR—BOTH LOCKED UP.
Chicago, Oct. 21.—Two men, looking for a bar, stumbled into the central detail station here late the other night and asked for drinks. "Thanks for delivering yourselves" was police comment, locking them up for disorderly conduct.

FOOTBALL CHALLENGE.

The Crescent A. C. Juniors wish to play any football team in Manchester averaging 90 to 100 pounds, preferably Manager Jack Hunt's team. For games apply to Manager Clifford Risley, 25 Winter street.

SUB-TREASURY GAINS.

New York, Oct. 21.—The sub-treasury gained \$362,000 from the banks on Saturday, making a cash net gain since Friday of \$692,000.

To Grow Advertise—HERALD

The Evening Herald

Entered at the Post Office at Manchester as Second Class Mail Matter.

Published by The Herald Printing Company

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DOES IT PAY TO MOVE?

Does it pay for a man to spend all his life in one community? There are arguments for and against this course. An old proverb declares that "A rolling stone gathers no moss" and another proverb commonly quoted, says that "A new broom sweeps clean," still another asserts that "A prophet is not without honor save in his own country." A man who has lived long in one community is undoubtedly handicapped in some ways. No man can live a perfect life. Even with the best intentions he will make mistakes. These will pile up against him and are rarely offset by his good deeds which, by some perversity of human nature, are soon forgotten by his townspeople. By moving to a new place he can make a fresh start with the slate of his misdeeds wiped clean, and receive a degree of friendly recognition and appreciation which would not be given him in his old home town, except perhaps in the obituary columns.

On the other hand, there are many advantages in maintaining a permanent residence in one place. A home of one's own, with all those comforts and conveniences which cannot be assembled without the lapse of time; a knowledge of local conditions which often inures to one's financial advantage; the establishment of a firm and permanent position in some employment; the proximity to relatives and intimate friends—all these are advantages which come to one who settles down in one place for life.

It all comes down to a matter of temperament. A person of ambition and ability can seldom attain his goal in his home town. The more he gets ahead the more enemies he makes. His neighbors are sure to be jealous of his good fortune and most of them are more ready to give him a rap behind his back than to commend him to his face. But if one is content to live his own life in peace and quiet, taking things as they come and not trying to push ahead, he can pass his life very comfortably in one community. Otherwise he will do well to move until he finds the environment which just suits him.

INFLUENZA AND POLITICS.

Following our announcement of last evening that Ohio's party leaders, both Republicans and Democrats, have been forced to postpone all political rallies for a week or more, because of the influenza, comes a statement this morning from the State Republican headquarters in Hartford that Connecticut Republicans will do the same.

Says the State committee: "The reports received by the State Central Committee from various parts of the state indicated no abatement in the influenza epidemic, and rather than hold rallies where crowds would necessarily gather, it was deemed for the best welfare of the public at large to suspend all public meetings for the week.

"No statement has been made regarding plans for next week. It is highly probable that the Republican party in the state will hold but few rallies, if any, during the campaign, because of the influenza hazard. Public opinion, so far as can be determined, is in favor of such action and the committee was today commended by many for their stand in the matter."

Aside from this, public interest is so engrossed in the war that politics is not getting the usual attention, even in newspaper offices, except when a squabble is on.

Politics is adjourned.

THE LAST GERMAN NOTE.

The official reply of the German government to the President's last note is only one link in what is becoming another chain of correspondence between Washington and Berlin. The answer, which is published in this issue verbatim, helps hardy at all to further an ending of the war. It adds little of importance to what appeared yesterday.

The response says in brief: We have agreed to evacuate occupied territories, but the armistice and the way in which this evacuation is to be carried out must be left to the "military advisors." We haven't been inhumane at sea and any charges that we have should be left to neutral commissions to decide. We've been no more destructive in our retreat from the field than international law permits. "A new government has been formed in complete accordance with the wishes of the representation of the people, based on equal, universal, secret, direct franchise."

The first and last sentences alone say anything worth while. The former shows that Germany still regards evacuation as a matter for discussion, if not between diplomats, between the "military advisors." The latter raises in one's mind the question, if the War Lord has given, why he can't also take away. To say that the German people's determination as well as constitutional safeguards maintain the new representative "system" is nonsense, because there is no German public opinion, except one government-made. The German people want peace, and want it badly. The unanimity of that desire, modified by the desire of a military autocracy and its followers to hold on to its power, is the only thing approaching a real public opinion in the nation.

JAPAN'S MORAL AID.

Japan has been useful to the Allies in the war, not only for what she has done, which is little, but for what she was prepared to do, which was much. In other words, her moral help was considerable. She stood, bound by treaty to Great Britain and bound also in a degree by her commercial ties with America, a pillar of defense, if not offense, in the Far East.

What have her actual military contributions been? Almost nothing. She started out well, by laying siege to and capturing Germany's chief stronghold in China, a fortified port on the eastern coast. In recent months she has been cooperating with the Allies through forces in Siberia, particularly Vladivostok, the principal Siberian port. Before that a small force of her troops was busy in Manchuria. She cannot be blamed particularly for her passivity, for her politics has been in more or less of a chaotic state, as our neighbor, the Hartford Times shows clearly.

But in more fundamental respects Japan is a contradiction and a puzzle. There is not another country, it is probable, so strangely combining a support of ancient autocracy that amounts to religion, and a democracy that must, in some of its demonstrations, make even the throne tremble. Thus we have now a Japan divided between a military party, ambitious for conquest, and an anti-military sentiment that seeks advance through commercial and economic force. Both of these, it seems, are so bound by materialism that Japan faintly, if at all, conceives the ideals of humanity and higher democracy that have brought us into the war.

And this division between militarism and anti-militarism is hampering Japan in war action at present. One reason, possibly the chief reason, for Japan's not giving more physical aid to the Allies has been her lack of ships to carry the troops. Besides that, of course, was her self-interest. She had little to gain in case of Allied victory, although she had much to lose with Allied defeat, for she had been true to Britain from the opening of the war. She had taken sides at once.

One thing the war seems to have started, at least in Japan, and that is the opening of her eyes to the fundamental value of the conquests of commerce as opposed to the conquests of war. The danger of Japan's becoming a Far Eastern Prussia seems past, in spite of her aggressive policy in China early in the war.

She must realize now, as thinking Germans must have done at least during the past year, the force of inertia that a large foreign population opposes to conquest, as well as the active force that nationality and the natural yearning for self-government offer.

Japan is a puzzle, because she is in the throes of political evolution in the direction of democracy. The United War Work campaign from November 11 to 18 will merge the endeavors of the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic War Council (K. of C.), Jewish Welfare Union, War Camp Community Service and most of all the Salvation Army. The drive will aim at \$170,000,000, of which the Y. M. C. A. will take \$100,000,000, about the same sum as the Red Cross asked for its work in half a dozen foreign countries as well as America.

A seven-pound black bass is fished from snout to tail. That fish, caught by C. M. Beebe, is worth framing.

The Pinch Hitter



It was tightening of the American belt that made this hit possible. The game is won if we keep it up.

BERLIN'S LATEST ANSWER TO WILSON

"In accepting the proposal for an evacuation of occupied territories, the German government has started from the assumption that the procedure of this evacuation and of the condition of an armistice should be left to the military advisors and that the actual standard of power on both sides in the field has to form the basis for arrangements safeguarding and guaranteeing this standard.

"The German government suggests to the President that an opportunity should be brought about for fixing the details... It trusts that the President of the United States will approve of no demand which would be irreconcilable with the honor of the German people and with opening a way to peace of justice.

"The German government protests against the reproach of illegal and inhumane actions made against the German land and sea forces and thereby against the German people. For the covering of a retreat destructions will always be necessary and they are carried out in so far as is permitted by international law. The German troops are under the most strict instruction to spare private property and to exercise care for the population to the best of their ability. Where transgressions occur in spite of these instructions the guilty are being punished.

"The German government further denies that the German navy in sinking ships has ever purposely destroyed lifeboats with their passengers. The German government proposes with regard to all those charges that the facts be cleared up by neutral commissions.

"In order to avoid anything that might hamper the work of peace, the German government has caused orders to be dispatched to all submarine commanders precluding the torpedoing of passenger ships, without, however, for technical reasons, being able to guarantee that these orders will reach every single submarine at sea before its return.

"As a fundamental condition for peace the President prescribes the destruction of every arbitrary power that can separately, secretly, and of its own single choice disturb the peace of the world. To this the German government replies:

"Hitherto the representation of the people in the German empire has not been endowed with an influence on the formation of the government. The constitution did not provide for a concurrence of representation of the people in decisions of peace and war. These conditions have just now undergone a fundamental change. A new government has been formed in complete accordance with the wishes (principle?) of the representation of the people, based on equal, universal, secret, direct franchise.

"The leaders of the great parties of the Reichstag are members of this government. In the future no government can take or continue in office without possessing the confidence of a majority of the Reichstag.

"The responsibility of the chancellor of the empire to the representation of the people is being legally developed and safeguarded. The first act of the new government has been to lay before the Reichstag a bill to alter the constitution of the empire so that the consent of the representation of the people is required for decisions on war and peace.

"The permanence of the new system is, however, guaranteed not only by constitutional safeguards, but also by the unshakable determination of the German people, whose vast majority stands behind these reforms and demands their energetic continuance.

"The question of the President—with whom he and the governments associated against Germany are dealing—is therefore answered in a clear, unequivocal manner by the statement that the offer of peace and an armistice has come from a government which is free from any arbitrary and irresponsible influence, and is supported by the approval of an overwhelming majority of the German people. SOLF."

19 OUT OF 1128 CASUALTIES OF STATE

Only Two of the 19 Killed in Action, Two Lists Show.

WHO THEY ARE

Many Cities and Towns of Connecticut Represented Among Dead, Wounded, Etc., Etc.

The following casualties of the State are among 1,128 reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces:

- List No. 1.
- Killed in Action. 6
- Private Thomas F. Sullivan, New Haven.
- Missing in Action.
- Private Mitchell Kaufman, New Haven.
- Wounded Severely.
- Sergeant William McKenna, Southington.
- Corporal Edward Nich, Southington.
- Mechanic Leon Haberski, New Britain.
- Private Emil Miller, Naugatuck.
- Private Eugene A. Sabourin, Norwich.
- Private John Suchuck, East Portchester.

- List No. 2.
- Killed in Action.
- Private Alfred Dohna, New Haven.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined).

- Lieutenant Joseph A. Cistero, Danbury.
- Sergeant Walter Bober, New Britain.
- Sergeant Roy D. Hitchcock, East Hampton.
- Private Jules Rastow, Terryville.
- Private Samuel G. Siskin, New Haven.
- Private Cesare Vagini, Hartford.
- Died of Disease.
- Private Richard J. Gray, Teconic.
- Private Fred W. A. Miller, Ivoryton.
- Prisoners.
- Private Karl Hoffman, New Haven.
- Private Irving E. Lines, West Haven.

SERGEANT ROBBINS WRITES.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robbins of Summit street have received a letter from their son, Sergeant Charles Robbins of Company B, 311th Infantry, telling that he is in a hospital recovering from a shrapnel wound in the back of the knee. He received his wound on September 26. Sergeant Robbins wrote a very cheerful letter and said that to be in the hospital, in a real bed, with clean white sheets, three meals a day and American nurses from Boston waiting on him, seemed like heaven on earth compared with the hell he had been through. He said his wound was healing nicely and that he expected to be able to get around with the aid of a cane before long.

RETURNED TO DUTY.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action. Private Walter O. Juseleszen, Bridgeport.

TO RECHICKENIZE FRANCE IS A NEW WAR CHARITY

Local Girl to Take Up the Work Here—To Buy Eggs for Hatching.

To "re-chickenize" devastated France is the latest campaign to be launched in this country. The campaign is being conducted under the direction of the American Committee for Devastated France, Inc., with headquarters at 16 East 39th Street, N. Y., and a Paris depot at 15 Boulevard Lannes. This committee is among the approved war societies listed at the local War Bureau.

Miss Elizabeth Lewis of 515 Main street is at the head of the campaign in Manchester. The plan is to sell chicken buttons which cost about 1-2 cent each and also to have little banks placed in public places where a coin may be dropped in, the money to be used for buying eggs, which will be hatched and the chickens used to "re-chickenize" France. These chickens in turn will feed the poor people in the towns that the Huns destroyed.

It is estimated that the cost of putting a hatching egg in an incubator is 10 cents, or 25 cents places a chicken on a French farm. It is preferred that the price of a chicken be paid for a button, but all money given for buying eggs will be gratefully received. It is figured that for every two eggs, one chicken is hatched. Therefore, the price of two eggs, plus the price of incubation, five cents, equals 25 cents, or the price of a chicken.

As everyone working for this fund is a volunteer, all money raised for the poultry department goes direct to that work. All funds are sent to National Headquarters to be listed, and then deposited with the treasurer, who sends weekly the amount overseas to J. Ridgley Carter of the American Embassy, the treasurer in Paris. He puts it into the hands of the poultry committee in the devastated region. Poultry experts are in charge and know where to buy the hatching eggs and where best to locate each poultry center. The selling of the chicken buttons

on the streets is not sanctioned by the committee. They are to be sold through interested individuals, who canvass their own circles: clubs, shops, hotels, offices, sewing circles, etc., but always on private property with the consent of the proprietor.

UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITIES AT WISE, SMITH AND CO.

Merchandise Event of Utmost Importance at Anniversary Sale—Free Souvenirs to Patrons.

"Save" is the watchword of the day. Save money on the things you buy, be practical, be thrifty, and no better opportunity to save on the daily necessities such as wearing apparel and home needs has ever presented itself than the 21st Anniversary sale at Wise, Smith & Co's. The big popular Hartford store is stocked from basement to roof with wonderful dependable merchandise and notwithstanding the trend of high prices, surprisingly low prices are to be found on many of the things you need.

In addition to the special anniversary offerings, every purchaser of \$3 worth or over receives a souvenir. Souvenir coupons are issued with purchasers of ten cents worth and when totaling \$3 worth you are entitled to a souvenir. If you buy \$5 worth, you get a better souvenir and so on up to \$100 worth the best souvenir will be given. Visit the souvenir department and see the valuable articles that you can procure by trading at the Anniversary sale.

This week Wise, Smith & Co. Company are featuring coats, suits dresses and furs. A truly mammoth stock of outer garments probably unequalled anywhere in New England except possibly in Boston. So wonderful is the range of selection that you are sure to find what you want. Thousands of stylish winter coats, many of them richly fur trimmed. In one section alone there are 60 different models to choose from, the same with suits, and as for dresses, there never was such a remarkable display.

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Purchase Price	10 Equal Cash Payments	Discounts and Rebate
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5.00	.50	.50
6.00	.60	.60
7.00	.70	.70
8.00	.80	.80
9.00	.90	.90
10.00	1.00	1.00
12.00	1.20	1.20
15.00	1.50	1.50
24.00	2.40	2.40
48.00	4.80	4.80
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No Money Down—Just Weekly Payments and ten per cent discount to members only.

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Signed

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SOUTH METHODIST NOTES.

The Red Cross auxiliary will meet in the church at ten o'clock tomorrow morning. The auxiliary's quota for the Red Cross linen shower was reached at the meeting last week.

In place of the mid-week service, Thursday evening, there will be a patriotic lecture by Mrs. Lula Loveland Shepherd of Salt Lake City, who will speak on "The Mormon Menace." Mrs. Shepherd is a national speaker of the W. C. T. U. and a Chautauqua speaker. Admission will be free Thursday night, but a collection will be taken. The meeting will begin at 7:45 o'clock.

Next Monday evening the Men's Friendship Bible class and the Methodist Young Men's club will hold a meeting to perfect the merging of the two organizations. All men over 18 years of age, whether members of these societies or not, are invited to attend.

PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The War Department authorizes publication of a list of prisoners of war in Germany which includes: Reported in Good Health, Camp Unknown. Private Alfred Bernier, Putnam.

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Yard wide Satin Messaline in navy, taupe, khaki, Pekin blue, brown, garnet and red, rich luster; real value \$2.00 yard for this sale \$1.79 yard.

Black Chiffon Dress Taffeta, well known good wearing quality; real value \$2.00 yard, for this sale \$1.59 yard.

DRESS VELUTINA FOR \$1.50 YD.

24-inch Imported Dress Velutina in a full line of colors and black, for dresses and suits; regular value \$2.00 yard, for this sale \$1.50 yard.

PRINCESS SATIN AND CHARMEUSE, \$2.19 YD.

40-inch width All Silk Princess, Satin and Charmeuse, full line of colors, including black; this season's most fashionable dress fabric; values \$2.50 and \$2.75, for this sale \$2.19 yard.

CHENEY BROS.' CHIFFON VELOUR, \$5.95 YD.

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Two Season's Satin, 36 inches wide, guaranteed to give satisfactory wear, full line of colors and black. Very special for \$1.25 yard.

WORKING IN UNITY

Japan and the United States Exchange Ideas.

Island Empire Owes Its Systems of Technical Education to an American, and in Return Has Taught Us Much.

The arrival here sometime ago of a mission of eight officers of rank and distinguished record from Japan is proof of at least two things. It witnesses the steadfastness of the national character, in seeking progressiveness as well as progress; and to Japan's purpose to keep in the foreground of invention and achievement, remarks New York Sun. No other nation realizes more keenly that in the rivalry of civilization the old must perpetually be renewed. There can be no standing still.

From the dawn of history Japan has excelled in fine and dainty work. Her museums illustrate the fact that her craftsmen invented and adapted. A little more than a real, not a poetical, "cycle of Cathay," that is, sixty years ago, according to oriental reckoning, the hermit nation suddenly found herself in the market place of the world. Though at first dazed, resources of mind and material were not lacking.

Age-old taste, skill, experience and reserve armies of trained craftsmen were at hand. Foreign teachers conferred no gift of brains or secrets of cunning. They simply pointed out the new paths and taught the modern methods of meeting the nation's needs. As early as 1861-63, after three years' labor, our own Raphael Pumpelly, still among us in vigor, revolutionized mining methods in Japan. When, in 1868, the intense inward political struggles between the old and the new were over, and Japan had a truly national government, the alertness of her people to the new situation supplied a striking feature in the history of modern education.

At a date when in Europe manual and technical training was still new, and among us the Rensselaer Polytechnic school at Troy was a lonely veteran, Yale and Harvard were at beginnings in this form of education, and even the Massachusetts Institute of Technology a baby, Japan had started in the race. Even before the department of education had been created, the necessity of Japan's training her own engineers, chemists and masters of applied science was pointed out to the important government. The newly elaborated scheme dividing the empire into eight great educational districts was, with the curricula, submitted to an American for criticism. He noted the serious defect of no provision for technical education. A long letter outlining courses of technical education and addressed to the Dai Jo Kuan, the same council, fell as spark upon powder. The department of education was created and a technological school started simultaneously in Tokyo. The system has ever since that time had a healthful development.

In addition to the eight universities and 37,810 lower schools of all sorts, there are now in operation under the government eighteen technical schools of the higher order, requiring a four years' course after graduation from the middle schools, while those under local or private auspices number many more. It was settled at court, by the United States minister in Yeddo, in the case of Raphael Pumpelly, that an engineer, civil, mining, or mechanical, was a gentleman and eligible to audience of both the president of the United States and the emperor of Japan. Ever since, the official and social status of a man trained to use his hands and brain in unity has been secure in the mikado's empire. At least two scores of Americans have received imperial decorations for promoting technical science in Japan.

Nothing but good can come of mutual exchange of ideas. What the Japanese have borrowed from us is in the line of light, and we boast of it; what hundreds of American inventors and seekers for knowledge have found in Japan and taken as loan is cryptic and untrumped. Yet our debt is none the less real. It is well for the two civilizations to enrich each other. If, in admiring legend, King Solomon set the mechanic on the throne to signify the basis of his realm's wealth, none the less should both republic and empire honor the technician who unites power of brain and the discipline of education to dexterity of manipulation. Honor to the technical workers of Japan and America!

Finland's Aristocracy.

One of the anomalies of Finland, now struggling for its independence, is that it has inherited a foreign aristocracy, speaking Swedish. How foreign it remains to the true Finns is a question that it has all along worked for the German intervention in Finland, and even helped to send thousands of young Finns to join the German army. With the importation of German rulers into Finland, the Finnish language will have one more competitor to cut it from the linguistic field, unless Swedish is entirely driven out by the language of the newly arrived supermen.

All in the Game.

"Who is that big, strapping woman near the green just ahead of us?" asked the golfer.

"Go! That's my wife, as sure as I'm born," replied his partner, about to shoot.

"Then I would suggest you approach with caution."

WOULD LINK EAST AND WEST

Proposal to Make the American Expeditionary Force in China Practically a Student Army.

Under the agreement entered into between the powers and China following the Boxer uprising in 1900, the United States government was permitted to keep an expeditionary force of about 2,000 men in China, says Millard's Review. This force is stationed at Tientsin and Peking, about 1,500 men being stationed at the former place and the rest stationed as a legation guard in Peking. It has now been proposed to the American government at Washington that the regular army troops stationed at Tientsin be recalled to America for service in France and their places taken by a contingent of the same number of men who are now in training in America at the various cantonments under the provisions of the selective draft. The idea originated with Maj. Arthur Bassett, judge advocate of the army contingent at Tientsin, and formerly United States district attorney of China. Under the plan suggested by Major Bassett the contingent of regular army troops now in China should be returned to America and sent to France, as the men desire, and in their place the United States government should send out 1,500 men specially selected from the standpoint of education and training, who would be available upon their retirement from service in China to engage in trade or other activities in China and the far East. Major Bassett would select the new men for service in China largely from the great group of college graduates and students who have been drafted for service in France. He would bring these men to China and, in addition to their regular army drill, he would have them instructed in the Chinese language and in the customs, history and traditions of the country; and at stated intervals he would have them make trips into all parts of China for study and investigation. In short, these 1,500 men would receive a three years' college course on China, so that upon their retirement from the service they would be at liberty to engage in trade, missionary, educational or any other activity they desired in the far East, or if they desired to return home they would possess information regarding China that would be of the highest value to China. The plan has been approved by the American chamber of commerce and other organizations in China and has been commended to the state and war departments at Washington. It is also certain that this plan of a citizens' student army in China would be welcomed by China, for it would be of the greatest possible assistance in bringing about a better understanding and mutual interest between East and West, something very necessary if the future peace of the world is to be maintained.

Appearances Deceptive.

The war has turned the habits of round-the-towners so topsy turvy that it has become a difficult problem to tell from a glance whether a man is a church member or a disciple of John Barleycorn these days. Two middle-aged men were riding on a Fifth avenue bus recently. Each had all the surface indications of being merry old souls, who tarried at the dinner table and looked upon the wine while it was fizzing. Both had red faces and pronouncedly "bay windows." And what do you suppose they were talking about? Naturally, one would say they were discussing the attitude of congress for trying to make the country bone-dry. But nothing of the kind. They were talking about Bibles, the number thereof and the price of them. And both chuckled because the war had not affected the price of the good book, which could be bought as low as 15 cents. When you hear conversation of that nature in this town, it begins to look as if the hour had struck.—New York Sun.

Pays to Keep a Toad.

The toad is useful because of its diet. No less than eighty-three species of insects, mostly injurious, have been proved to enter into its dietary. In his "Civic Biology" George W. Hunter says: "A toad has been observed to snap up 128 flies in half an hour. Thus at a low estimate it could easily destroy a thousand insects during a day, and do an immense service to the garden during the summer. It has been estimated by Kirkland that a single toad may, on account of the cutworms which it kills, be worth \$19.88 each season it lives. If the damage done by other garden pests."—Popular Science Monthly.

War at Close Range.

Margaret Deland, the New England novelist, writes from Paris: "Over in America we thought we knew something about the war and the conditions in France, but when you get here the difference is as the difference between studying the laws of electricity and being struck by lightning. I have been struck by lightning. The only way in which I can keep sane and steady is to look very, very closely at my own immediate little trivial, foolish job—writing or working in the canteen—for if I dare to lift my eyes to the black horizons, I lose my balance."

Good Suggestion.

Mrs. Bugg—Clarence, through your stupidity we are lost in this strange pantry and we don't know north from south or east from west.

Mr. Bugg—Let's step into this box of pills, dear; it says "Directions Inside."



Men's Shoes Here's a Good One!

A heavy sole oil grain Tan with reinforced welt, made especially for winter wear. We have only a few pairs and there are no more to be had at any price. A bargain while they last, at \$9.00.

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BOLTON

The Center and South schools are to be closed until Thursday as the teachers, Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Daly received word Saturday of the death of their brother, Michael Daly, in France. Sunday the flags were at half mast for one of our number who has given his life for the country. Mrs. Daly and daughters have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their loss of a good son and brother.

Rev. Frank K. Abbott preached in Talcootville Sunday morning in exchange with Rev. Francis T. Bachelor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair S. Hutchinson and daughter, Miss Louis Hutchinson of Windsor Avenue, Hartford, spent the week end with Mrs. Hutchinson's mother, Mrs. Jane B. Sumner.

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Most adorable are the new "Cinderella" Lining Silks, of the famous Cheney Brothers make. Their name alone speaks for beauty and reliability.

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Other New Cheney Linings are the "Batick" and "Mysore" in a wonderful showing of printings and colorings. You must see to appreciate them. They will be shown with pleasure. New Section.

LESS THAN TEN WEEKS TO CHRISTMAS

Buy early as the Government asks, and select useful gifts, except for the kiddies, of course, who must not be cheated, so you'll find the Toys, Dolls, and other youthful gifts in our big new Down Stairs Dept. which is filled with thousands of beautiful things as well for the grown-ups. On Main floor, with ease in your buying, we offer large stocks of Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Neckwear, Men's Outfittings, and a thousand and one suitables. The U. S. says no extra help, no extra hours, limited delivery service, so buy early and help yourselves, the U. S. and us.

FOR "HALLOWEEN"

There is a fine line of appropriate kinds in Corner Store, at our Stationery Dept. Fancy Crepe Papers, Lunch Sets, Paper Napkins and Table Covers, Paper Caps and Aprons, Place Cards, Invitations, Tally Cards, Seals and Halloween Cut Outs.

HERE'S A BARGAIN IN WOMEN'S BUTTON BOOTS

We will place on Sale 200 pairs Button Boots, \$4.50 to \$7.00 kinds at \$5.00 to \$7.00 kinds at \$4.50. You have choice of patent colt, gun metal calf and kid, Cuban heels. Manufacturers will not make any more button boots during the war. For that reason we are closing out those we have in stock. A good chance for women to get a bargain.

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Night gowns of heavy flannel cut full size and specially priced at \$1.50, \$1.98 AND \$2.50 EACH

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Now is the time to make out that list of boys "over there" that you intend to send a Christmas greeting card to. Uncle Sam says all cards for over seas must be in the mail before Nov. 15th. Our selection of soldier and sailor cards and folders are now ready for inspection

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ABOUT TOWN

TONIGHT IN MANCHESTER.
Manchester Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Odd Fellows hall.
Division No. 1, A. O. H., Forester's hall.
Court Nutmeg, F. of A., K. of P. hall.
Theaters closed; will reopen Saturday evening.

Lighting Up Time.
Auto lamps should be lighted at 6:31 p. m.
The sun rose at 6:11 a. m.
The sun sets at 5:01 p. m.

Leon Cone of 127 Bissell street is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

John Campbell of Cottage street is ill with pneumonia. His condition is reported critical.

William Warren, employed in Cheney Brothers machine shop, is ill at his home on Maple street.

Miss Marian Carlisle of 96 Norman street is recovering from an attack of the influenza.

Miss Edna A. Hall of Church street, who has been ill with the influenza, has resumed her duties in E. J. Holl's office.

The semi-weekly session of No. 1's bowling league will be held at the hose house alleys on Pine street this evening.

James E. Rowland has been appointed local food administrator in place of G. H. Miller who is ill and unable to serve.

Drs. Savage, Crane and Dolan have just finished doing the dental work for 108 selectives from East Hartford, Wethersfield, Windsor, Rocky Hill and Glastonbury. The local dentists did the work free of charge.

St. Joseph's Aid asks the members of St. Bridget's parish to help it get its quota of linen for French hospitals asked for by the local chapter of the Red Cross. Articles may be left with Mrs. J. E. Gleason, 249 Main street.

Herman Schendel of the local police force who has been confined to his home on Lilley street for the past month with Spanish influenza has recovered and resumed his duties on Main street last evening.

Word was received today that the troop trains which passed through Manchester last Saturday were from Camp Devens and were carrying the limited service men to Waterbury where they are to work in the government munition plants.

The electrical department of Cheney Brothers naturally feel a bit proud of the fact that they finished first in the mill departments' race for the Liberty loan drive. It had a percentage of 174 per cent, and that is a record of which any group of employees may be proud.

James Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Burke of Park street and Victor Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon of Center street, will leave tomorrow morning to join the Student Army Training Corps unit at the Connecticut Agricultural college.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Carlyle of Norman street announce the engagement of their daughter, Gladys Lillian, to John E. Steer of Walla Walla, Washington. Mr. Steer is serving in the United States Marine Corps and is stationed at the present time at Indian Head, Maryland. Miss Carlyle is the pianist at the Circle theater on Oak street.

The Evening Herald, in common with all other newspapers, is badly handicapped by the shortage of printers. If any of our readers knows of a linotype operator or a job printer who could be induced to locate in Manchester by the assurance of a permanent position with good pay and exceptionally good working conditions, we should be glad to be placed in communication with him.

WOUNDED, NOT MISSING.

Mrs. Sinal De Mers of 835 Center street received a war telegram today stating that her son, Private William St. Martin, who was reported some time ago as missing, was severely wounded instead. The War Department has no further information.

OUR THEATERS TO REOPEN.

John F. Sullivan said today that both the Park and the Circle theaters will reopen on Saturday evening. Full announcements as to the shows will be given in a few days.

CHAPLAIN BREAKS NEWS OF WM. HAMPTON'S DEATH

First Word His Mother Received—No Telegram from War Department Was Sent.

Mrs. Christina Hampton of Wethersfield street received a letter yesterday from Chaplain W. R. Bowie of Base hospital 45 telling of the death of her son, Private William J. Hampton and of the burial in the new American cemetery near Toul on September 11. She had received no official telegram of her son's death and the news came as a great shock to her. A letter was received from him about five weeks ago. Private Hampton left here April 25 with the selectives who went to Camp Upton. He trained there for a short time and then was sent overseas.

The letter received from Chaplain Bowie follows:

September 13, 1918.
My dear Mrs. Hampton:
I want to send you this personal message to assure you of my sympathy in the death of your son, William J. Hampton, over whose body I read the inspiring words of the burial service in the new American cemetery near Toul on Wednesday. We buried him with the honors of a soldier, with the flag draped upon his coffin, and taps sounded upon the bugle. I hope it is a comfort to you to know that his life was given on this great crusade in his country's service, for the liberation of France, in whose ground his body lies.
May God's comfort and blessing be upon you.

Sincerely yours,
(signed) W. R. Bowie, Chaplain
Base Hospital 45.

2 FAMILIES, 10 SOLDIERS IS MANCHESTER'S RECORD

Cowles and Thornton's Each Have Five Boys in the Service of Uncle Sam.

Manchester has the distinction of having two families of five sons all in Uncle Sam's service. The five sons of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Cowles have been serving all through the war. One of the sons, George, served three years in the cavalry on the Mexican border. He is now with the Quartermaster Corps in France. James B. Cowles, Jr., is on the U. S. S. Vermont; Ephraim B. on the U. S. S. Illinois, Ernest is in the Navy Base section in France and Lyman on a training ship at Algiers, La.

The other Manchester family, having five sons in the service, is the family of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thornton of Spring street. Their youngest son, Gordon, who has been employed as secretary at the Recreation Center since its opening, joined the Student Army Training Corps unit at the Connecticut Agricultural college today. After a three months' course he expects to be transferred to an officers' training school. Of the other four sons, William and Samuel are with the 101st Machine Gun Battalion in France, J. Henry is in the paymaster department of the Navy and Howard is in the Naval Reserves.

51 MORE LEAVE TOWN.

Manchester loses 51 more of its young men this week; 36 selectives who go to Fortress Monroe tomorrow and 15 young men who have joined the Student Army Training Corps unit at the Connecticut Agricultural college. Three of the students left yesterday and reported for duty today. They are Gordon Thornton, David Harrison and Eric Gotberg. Those who have to report Wednesday are Robert Hughes, Raymond Carrier, Howard Carrier, Robert Hathaway, Robert Howes, Sherwood Joslee and Clifford Moynihan. The rest of the 15 report for duty Thursday morning. They are Philip Verblanck, Clifford Scranton, Francis Tynan, Eary Miner, Earl Trotter and J. Ward Taylor. Each group leaves the day before it has to report for duty.

Postponed Entertainment.

The postponed entertainment by Mrs. Nena Fales Peck under the auspices of the Educational club will be held in the auditorium of the Recreational Center at four o'clock Thursday afternoon. Tickets sold for the first date, which was October 10, will be good Thursday afternoon. The proceeds from this entertainment will be used for the open air school.

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Gray color made with the drop seat, buttoned down the back, pockets. Sizes 6 months to 2 years, 85c. 3 to 6 years, 99c. 7 to 10 years, \$1.25.

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Part wool, each 45c.
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CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, each 59c
Heavy fleeced bleached vests and pants for children, ages 2 to 12 years. The style—high neck and long sleeves, ankle pants with French band.

CHILDREN'S PART WOOL UNDERWEAR 99c, \$1.25, \$1.50
This is the Forest Mills brand made of cream color soft finish yarn. Sizes 3, 4, 6, 99c. 8, 10, \$1.25. 12, 14, 16, \$1.50.

CHILDREN'S CARTER BRAND UNDERWEAR 75c, 85c, 99c
This is one of our best numbers and is made in white or natural merino wool. Sizes are from 2 to 14 years.

CHILDREN'S MUNSING WEAR, 99c to \$1.50

This is an especially good number in children's underwear. It is made in medium heavy weight worsted face, cream color. It is a number which we are discontinuing and only have a limited quantity to offer.

CHILDREN'S FLEECE UNION SUITS 99c, \$1.25, \$1.50

Nice heavy weight full bleached garments. High neck, long sleeve and ankle length. Sizes 2, 3 and 4, 99c. 6, 8 and 10, \$1.25. 12 and 14, \$1.50.

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