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U. S.—GREAT BRITAIN ALLIANCE FOR DEFENSE OF FRANCE CAUSING MUCH COMMENT IN WASHINGTON OFFICIAL CIRCLES

LOAN TO REACH THREE BILLION MARK BEFORE THE DAY ENDS

Two More Days Remain Yet
to Collect \$150,000,000
—Officials Confident Task
Can be Accomplished—
New England District Still
Behind—Need of Faster
Pace.

Washington, May 8.—Treasury
Department officials today predicted
that by nightfall subscriptions to the
Victory Loan would total \$3,000,-
000,000. This would leave \$1,500,-
000,000 to be subscribed in the two
remaining days of the campaign—a
task which, while gigantic, they felt
confident it would be accomplished.

N. E. Still Behind.
Boston, May 8.—The Victory
Loan is getting licked in New Eng-
land.

The official report today from loan
headquarters told the story. With
only three days left before the end
of the drive this district is more
than one hundred and twenty mil-
lion dollars shy of its quota, \$120,-
000,000—by no means exact.

This means that New England
must now hit up a subscription pace
of forty million dollars a day for the
three days or betray the loan.

The fifteenth day, (Wednesday)
showed a sad sag. Tabulations to-
day of the fifteenth day subscriptions
as reported by 742 out of the 855
banks in the New England district
total only \$25,988,000.

Instead of rising to an average of
more than \$38,000,000 a day the
district fell more than \$10,000,000
below it.

WANTED FOR MURDER.
New Haven, May 8.—An officer is
expected here tomorrow for Joseph
Mosley, arrested here on informa-
tion from the police of Kansas City,
and wanted for the murder of Jo-
sephine Shaw, of Wichita, Kansas, in
September, 1912. Inspection of the
effects in Mosley's trunk disclosed
papers and letters indicating that
Mosley was near the scene of the
murder when it occurred. Although
at first admitting knowledge of the
crime, Mosley now declares that he
had nothing to do with it, although
he admits knowing the young wo-
man, and that she was his sweet-
heart.

PLANE DROPS IN NORWALK.
Norwalk, May 8.—A Curtiss plane
H. S. C.-41, 717, from Mineola, L. I.,
became unmanageable while passing
over Norwalk at a height of 4,000
feet this morning and dropped in a
vacant lot at the north end of the
city. The machine was quite badly
damaged but Lieutenant Maynard
and his mechanic escaped practi-
cally unhurt. The machine will
have to be taken back to Mineola by
auto.

ROBS IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.
Waterbury, May 8.—Raft Rakep,
of 43 Union street, was arraigned in
City Court on a charge of theft to-
day and bound over to the superior
court under \$5,000 bonds. Rakep is
alleged to have robbed a woman of
\$150. The robbery occurred in
broad daylight, on one of the busi-
est streets of the city, under the
noses of several policemen and in
full view of scores of spectators.

WILSON WROTE TREATY.
Paris, May 8.—The greater part
of the peace treaty, as handed to the
Germans, was written by President
Wilson himself and then later trans-
lated into French. It was learned
here today.

GERMANS PLAN TO
UNITE WITH RUSSIA
Berlin, May 7.—(Via Lon-
don, May 8.)—A union with
Russia was demanded by Herr
Richtofer, one of the leaders
of the social Democrat party,
at a meeting of the peace com-
mittee of the national assem-
bly today.
Herr Richtofer expressed
the belief that the government
would enter into communica-
tion with the Bolshevik reg-
ime at Moscow and seek an
armistice. A large section of
the press is commenting favor-
ably upon such action.

UNITED STATES SEAPLANES START ON FLIGHT ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

Three Monster Machines
Leave Rockaway Beach at
10.05 This Morning—
Bound for Halifax Harbor.

Rockaway Beach, L. I., May 8.—
Three United States naval seaplanes
"jumped off" at 10:05 a. m., today,
for Halifax harbor, first leg of the
flight across the Atlantic, by way of
the Azores.

They were the N.C.-1, commanded
by Lieutenant Commander P. N. L.
Bellinger, Washington, D. C.; the
N.C.-3, commanded by Commander
John H. Towers, of Washington, D.
C.; and the N.C.-4, commanded by
Lieutenant Commander A. C. Read,
Lyme, N. H.

The N.C.-3 took off first, skim-
ing out over the water like a giant
water-fowl, sending spray splashing
high, before she rose gracefully and
turned her nose to the northeast.
The N.C.-4 raced down the bay and
58 seconds later left the water.

The N.V.-1 was off third, one min-
ute later.

Big Crowd Present.
A big crowd saw the "take-off"
from some distance from the hang-
ars. The giant dirigible balloon
C-5, trailing a big American flag
from her stern, flew over the naval
air station just as the naval flying
ships tilted into the air and then
turned her nose about in pursuit.

A number of small dirigibles and
seaplanes, which were hovering
around the starting point, brought
up the rear, planning to escort the
trans-Atlantic planes up the coast.

Sub Chaser Follows.
The submarine chaser 179 dash-
ed off to the northeast on the trail
of the speeding seaplanes, but was
quickly outdistanced as the naval
ships disappeared from sight.

Little Daughter Present.
In the crowd that gathered for
the start were eight year old Mar-
garet Jane Richardson, daughter of
Commander Richardson, of the N.C.-
3; Commander A. K. Atkins, of
Washington, head of the aviation Bu-
reau of Steam Engineering, and
Mrs. Ida E. Harding, aunt of Lieut-
enant J. T. Barin, pilot of N.C.-1.
She lives at Portland, Oregon, and
came on here from Norfolk, Va., to
wish her nephew good bye.

Besides thermos bottles containing
coffee, and a pasteboard box full of
sandwiches and cake, each seaplane
carried thirty pounds of extra cloth-
ing, five pounds for each member of
her crew.

The personnel of the three flying
boats follows:
N. C.-3. Crew—1—Commander
Towers, of Washington, D. C.; Com-
mander H. C. Richardson, pilot, of

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"Reds" Execute English Woman

Biele, May 8.—Thirty hostages,
seized by the Bavarian Reds at Mun-
ich, including the English wife of a
German officer, were shot as the loyal
government troops, occupied the city,
according to information received
here today.
All of the hostages were wealthy
persons, some of them members of
the nobility. The executions took
place at the Luitpold gymnasium,
which became a veritable shambles.
The Bolshevik leaders looked on
while the executions were taking
place. The Communist Guards re-
fused to obey when ordered to shoot
the hostages down and typical Bol-
shevik soldiers were called in for
the work.

CRIMINAL OPERATION CAUSED GIRL'S DEATH

Coroner Phelan Makes This An-
nouncement—Body of Girl Found
in New Canaan Woods Still Un-
identified.

Bridgeport, May 8.—A criminal
operation caused the death of the
young woman whose body was found
in the New Canaan woods a week
ago Wednesday, according to an of-
ficial announcement by Coroner John
J. Phelan today.

"The reason for holding back the
cause of death no longer exists,"
the Coroner stated. "She died from
a criminal operation."

Two Autopsies Performed.
Two autopsies were performed,
one by Medical Examiner M. J.
Brooks, of New Canaan and the other
by Bruce Weaver, of Stamford, and
both report that there is no doubt
as to the cause of death.

The body was brought to New
Canaan immediately after death, Dr.
Brooks reports, and he bases his
statement on the position of the
arms and legs of the girl when found.
They would have not been out-
stretched after being thrown on the
ground if the girl had been dead
any length of time, he said.

Mysterious Letter.
A new turn that may result in a
speedy solution of the mystery, was
given the case this morning, when
Coroner Phelan received a mysteri-
ous letter, postmarked "New Haven,"
directing him to look for "Mary
Coleman, of 126 Center Street, New
York." Inside the envelope was a
single slip of paper with the words:
"Mary Coleman, of 126 Center
Street, New York. A good girl to
find."

The envelope was addressed to
Coroner John J. Phelan, of Fairfield
County.

Police Probing.
Coroner Phelan turned the letter
over to State Police Sergeant Frank
Virelli, who expects to use it in con-
nection with important evidence he
has been working on for the past
several days.

CZAR NOT DEAD (3)
London, May 8.—An unconfirmed
report that the former Czar of Rus-
sia and his family are alive was re-
ceived by the Chronicle from Berlin
today. There were no details.
(The ex-Czar and his family were
reported to have been executed in
Siberia and circumstantial accounts
were given of the tragedy.)

OKLANDO AT CONFERENCE.
Paris, May 8.—Premier Orlando,
of Italy, who hurried back from
Rome in time to attend the plenary
session of the peace conference at
Versailles, attended the meeting of
the Big Four this morning.

SENATOR BORAH AGAINST PLEDGE

Senator Smoot Will Offer No
Espacial Objections—Both
Against League — "En-
tangling Alliances" Again
Bobs Up When Senators
Express Their Views—
Lodge Not Ready to Dis-
cuss Matter.

Washington, May 8.—Republican
senators opposed to the League of
Nations covenant as inextricably in-
terwoven with the peace treaty were
not in accord today with President
Wilson's pledge to propose to the
Senate that the United States be
committed to immediate aid to
France in the event of an unprovoked
attack on that nation by Germany
in the near future.

Borah Against Pledge.
While Senator Borah, Progressive
Republican, of Idaho, declined to
comment on the peace treaty as a
whole until he had an opportunity
to study its official text, he permitted
it to be known that the President's
pledge to France did not meet with
his approval.

On the other hand, Senator Smoot,
the old guard Republican, of Utah,
expressed the opinion that most
senators, in particular, and American
public sentiment, in general, would
offer no special objection to the
United States pledging assistance to
France if that country were again
invaded by Germany.

Smoot's Argument.
Senator Smoot added that he did
not anticipate the President's pledge
would be one of the chief bones of
contention when the opponents and
proponents of the proposed league of
nations were called upon to consider
the resolution of ratification, framed
by the Senate Foreign Relations Com-
mittee, by which the Senate will dis-
pose of the peace treaty.

Both Against League.
Both Borah and Smoot reiterated
that they were still opposed to the
League of Nations covenant, in its
amended as well as its original form.
Representing as they do different
trends of thought and courses of ac-
tion in the Senate, their divergence
of views regarding the President's
pledge were privately reflected by
other Republican Senators who lean
toward either the Borah or Smoot
viewpoint.

"I am opposed to the United States
entering into any kind of an alli-
ance with any foreign nation," Bor-
ah declared with an emphasis that
permitted no doubt as to his mean-
ing.

"Entangling Alliance."
"How is an unprovoked attack on
France by Germany to be deter-
mined?" Borah inquired. "How is
it to be determined when an at-
tack on one nation by another is 'un-
provoked' I believe that the Ameri-
can people are capable of deciding,
when the time arrives for them to
do so, when they shall again go to
the assistance of France, without
the Senate being asked to commit
them to an 'entangling alliance.'"

Senator Smoot declared, that, in
his judgment, France was too highly
regarded by most Americans "for
there to be any 'successful opposi-
tion' in or out of the Senate, 'to
any proposal that the United States
be committed to a policy of pre-
paredness to help the French peo-
ple again in case Germany ran
amuck.'"

Although strongly intimating that
he would be found with Borah and

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DYNAMITE STICKS PLACED ON TRACK WRECKS TROLLEY

One Man Seriously Hurt—
45 Passengers in
Car.

ONLY ONE OF STICKS EXPLODES; OTHER "DUD"

Passengers Panic-Stricken—Thought
to be Work of Lawrence Strikers
—Police Investigating.

Lawrence, Mass., May 8.—One
man was seriously hurt and the lives
of 45 others were endangered early
this morning when an attempt was
made to wreck an electric car on the
Haverhill-Lawrence line of the Mas-
sachusetts Northeastern Railway
Company, carrying workers to the
factories. Two sticks of dynamite
were placed under the rails and when
the car wheels hit one of them it
exploded, shattering all the windows
on one side and cutting one of the
rails in two.

Passengers in Panic.
Passengers were thrown into a
panic by the explosion, which was
heard for miles around. One of the
sticks of the explosive did not go
off and the police say that if it had
the car would have been blown into
Searles Pond, on the side of the
tracks.

Dynamite Stolen.
The police say that the dynamite
used was part of the one hundred
sticks stolen from Contractor George
Seymour's premises. Several sticks
were previously used in this city
in attempts to blow up the homes
of loyal workers.

Where Blast Occurred.
The explosion occurred near
Brook Street, Methuen, about a mile
from the Lawrence line. The detona-
tion was so loud that it was heard
in the Lawrence police station, over
two miles distant. A detail of po-
lice from this city rushed to the
scene and with Chief Harry Nimmo,
of the Methuen police, made an in-
vestigation. They found that one
of the sticks of dynamite failed to
go off. A piece of the rails about a
foot and a half in length was blown
out by the concussion and the car,
on one side, was badly shattered. It
is considered miraculous that it did
not leave the rails. The dynamite
was taken by Chief Nimmo, of the
Methuen police for an investigation.
No one was seen in the vicinity at
the time of the explosion. The place,
where the explosion took place, is
in a quiet section, with no dwellings
in the immediate vicinity. Windows
a mile away were broken by the ex-
plosion.

Meant For Other Car.
The police believe that the dynamite
was meant for a car coming
from Methuen Junction about a mile
away, that usually carries about 100
passengers, all mill workers. The
car that was damaged had left
Hampshire Street terminal, Law-
rence, and was on its way to meet
the two other cars at Methuen Junc-
tion as a relief car.

SKIRMISHES ALONG THEISS.
Zurich, May 8.—The Hungarian
communist troops, (opposing the
Roumanians and other allied forces)
have taken up new positions north
of Salgo-Targam, said a dispatch
from Budapest today quoting an of-
ficial statement given out there.
Skirmishing is reported along the
Theiss River.

COSSACKS TAKE MARIUPOL.
Kuban, Russia, May 7.—(Via
London, May 8).—Cossacks today
captured Mariupol from the Bol-
shevik forces, taking 60,000 prison-
ers. The Bolshevik's hold on the coast
of the sea of Azov has been broken.

JUGO-SLAV TROOPS HOIST RED FLAG; ARE THEN EXECUTED

Milan, Italy, May 8.—A con-
tingent of the Jugo-Slav
troops that invaded Carinthia
and attacked the Austro-Ger-
mans mutilated and hoisted the
red flag, but were afterwards
surrounded by loyal soldiers
and annihilated, according to
information from Fiume today
giving the first real details of
the fighting.

At the outset the Jugo-Slavs
were successful when they
crossed the demarcation line
set forth in the armistice.
They occupied considerable
territory, capturing prisoners
and guns.

The day after the mutiny the
Jugo-Slavs were thrown
back to the left bank of the
Drava river, abandoning all
their prisoners and captured
guns as well as war materials.
The Austro-Germans then
occupied Velikovec.

"TREATY FULL OF HOLES ON THE FINANCIAL END"

That is the Opinion of the London
Daily Mail—Other Press Com-
ments.

London, May 8.—"If the summary
of the peace treaty, as made public,
represents the text it looks good on
paper on the military and naval side,
but is dangerously full of loop holes
on the financial end," said the
Daily Mail today, in commenting up-
on the terms.

"The real security of the treaty's
execution rests with the League of
Nations and above all else the contin-
uation of the close union between
Great Britain and the United States."

"The destruction of Prussianism
must be unlimited throughout Ger-
many," said the Evening News. "The
disarmament of Germany is the pre-
liminary to disarmament of all na-
tions."

"The fact that the terms were
drawn under the influence of Presi-
dent Wilson guarantees that they
are not vindictive or unnecessarily
savage said the Star. The paper
cited the significance of the fact
that the terms were handed to the
Germans on the fourth anniversary
of the sinking of the Lusitania by a
German submarine.

TRANSLATION OF TREATY IS BEGUN BY GERMANS

Fifteen Translators Working at Full
Speed in Berlin—Commission Ap-
pointed to Raise Funds.

Berlin, (Via London, May 8.)—
Translation of the peace treaty terms
into German will begin at the For-
eign Office tomorrow under Dr. von
Svenson.

Fifteen translators will be em-
ployed to speed up the work.

The peace committee of the Na-
tional Assembly met last night when
President Ebert informed the mem-
bers that the treaty had been turned
over to the Germans at Versailles.

German commissioners will be ap-
pointed to raise funds for payments
which the government will be called
upon to make.

RECEIVED BY GOVERNOR.

300 Wisconsin Soldiers Given Wel-
come at Boston.

Boston, May 8.—Nearly 300 Wis-
consin soldiers, members of the 150th
Machine Gun Battalion, (Rainbow
Division), were received at the state
house today by Governor Coolidge.
The men were led by Colonel Carl
Penner, Major A. A. Knechenmoister
and Captain A. H. Smith, who,
with Y. M. C. A. directors, arranged
the trip from Camp Devens for the
purpose of meeting Mayor Peters,
Governor Coolidge and to attend
the baseball game this afternoon as
the guests of the Red Sox owners.

The men are leaving for the West
on Monday to be mustered out.

Benjamin Franklin said: "If you
would be wealthy, think of saving
as well as getting." Buy W. S. S.

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Some of Them Are Carrying on Propaganda for Alli- ance With Russia But Treaty Will Make Pact Between Germans and Bol- sheviks Void — Austria's Treaty Next.

Paris, May 8.—The German peace
delegates at Versailles began formal
consideration of the peace treaty
today. Numerous messages were
dispatched to members of the Ger-
man government and the national
assembly at Weimar and Berlin. It
was said that a number of the mes-
sages were addressed to Count von
Bernstorff, former German ambas-
sador to the United States, who is
now the head of the peace confer-
ence bureau, a new government de-
partment created at Berlin.

The treaty terms were cordially
received in Paris and it is believed
that they fully guarantee Europe
from any further aggressions on the
part of the German militarists.

Next Austria's Case.
With the German treaty out of
way the allies are now turning their
attention to the treaty which Aus-
tria must sign. This involves num-
erous territorial problems, includ-
ing the Italian demand for Fiume.

The Italian delegates, who rushed
back to Paris in time to attend
the plenary session yesterday, are
very active. Premier Orlando has
already had one conference with
President Wilson at the Paris
"white house" since his arrival.

Turkish Question.
It is understood that the allies are
considering the Austrian treaty will
take up, at the same time, the ques-
tions involving Bulgaria and Turkey
in order to clear up the whole peace
situation at the earliest possible
moment. President Wilson was
congratulated today over his victory
in saving the league of nations cov-
enant inserted as part of the text
of the treaty. This was the big task
upon which the President has been
working since he came to Paris last
December. The big question is now
will Germany sign.

Two Weeks' Time.
Two weeks will be given to the
Germans to ponder on the terms, but
they will not be allowed to hold any
oral discussions with the allied
plenipotentiaries. Any suggestions
from Germany must be put in writ-
ing.

Germany Will Sign.
Careful analysis of Count von
Brockdorff-Rantzau speech at Ver-
sailles indicates that Germany will
sign, but that it would be grudging-
ly done. The Junkers in Germany
are dying hard and they are now
carrying on propaganda for an alli-
ance with Russia. However, if Ger-
many signs the treaty as it now
stands the "pact" entered into be-
tween the Germans and the Bol-
sheviks at Brest Litovsk will be null
and void. That is one of the terms.

Crowds Cheer Wilson.
When President Wilson returned
to Paris great crowds cheered as his
limousine passed.

The President rode alone. There
was many women and children in
the crowds that greeted him and he
was compelled to ride nearly the
whole distance bareheaded as he
kept removing his hat to acknowl-
edge the greetings.

Twice the automobile was com-
pelled to slow down because women
insisted upon remaining in the mid-
dle of the road attracted by the flag
flying from Mr. Wilson's car.

It was plain that President Wil-
son's mind was dwelling upon the
German reply when the terms were
delivered.

America's Attitude.
Before leaving the Trison Palace
at Versailles the suggestion was
made to the President that the Ger-
mans were apparently ready to ac-
cept his leadership. Mr. Wilson
impatiently shrugged his shoulders.

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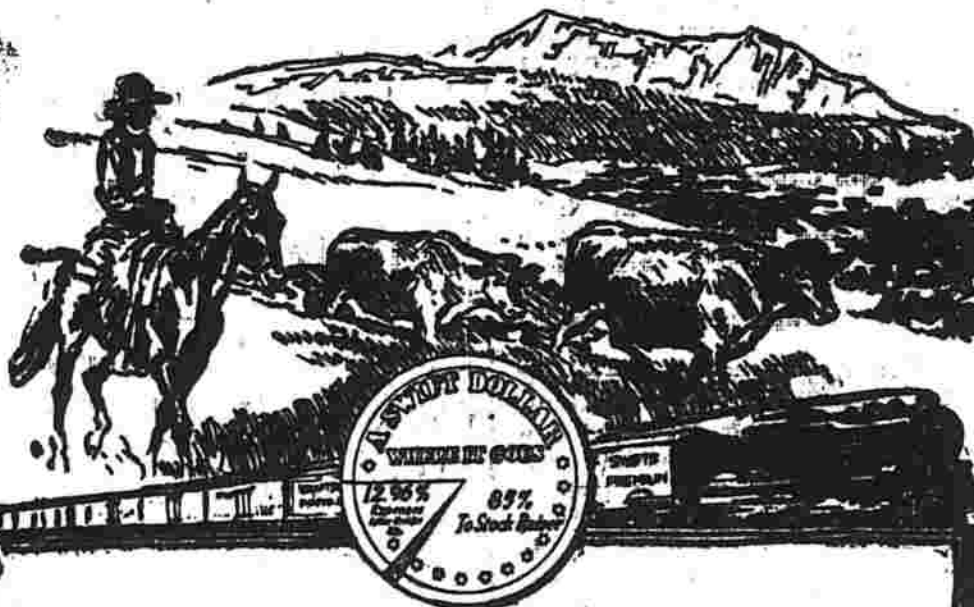
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FISH CAKES FRIDAY

Our own make, ready to fry 40c dozen. Baked Beans every day.

BUTTER IS LOWER

Wapping Creamery 68c lb. Prize Nut Margarine 33c lb. Lily of the Valley Peas 18c can. Federal Coffee 35c lb. The best coffee at the price.



The Flow of Meat

Two-thirds of the live stock in the United States has to be raised in the West.

One-half of the consumers of meat live in the East.

In other words, most of the live stock is one or two thousand miles distant from most of the people who need it in the form of food.

Fifty years ago, when live stock was raised close to every consuming center, the country butcher could handle the job after a fashion.

But the job got too big.

Now millions of animals have to be moved hundreds of miles to millions of people. Somewhere on the way they have to be turned into meat.

The packers solved the problem. They set up plants where the "live haul" and the "meat haul" were in the right balance. They built up distributing systems—refrigerator cars, refrigerating plants, branch houses. They saved time, money and meat everywhere. The stockraiser benefited in better markets and higher prices; the consumer, in better meat and lower prices.

As the country grew, the packers had to grow, or break down. Because of its present size and efficiency, Swift & Company is able to perform its part in this service at a fraction of a cent per pound profit.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Women's House Dresses

Just received a new lot, all attractive patterns, regular and extra sizes. Prices \$1.79, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.79, \$2.98

Girls' Middies

in white and colors, just the thing for school wear. Priced \$1.25 to \$2.98.

CHILDREN'S COLORED SCHOOL DRESSES in pretty plaids—a big assortment at low prices.

CHAS. KUHR

20 Bissell Street. Just around the corner from Main

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE EVENING HERALD

HOW NEW YORK PAPERS VIEW THE PEACE PACT

Summary of Editorial Opinion From the Leading Metropolitan Journals.

New York, May 8.—New York papers commented as follows today on the peace treaty and President Wilson's pledge to propose to the Senate that the United States agree to aid France if she is again attacked by Germany.

Times:—"Against the German peril, the world is made safe; that is the all-important part of the document. The safeguards are ample; the bonds which the treaty puts upon Germany leave her without power to harm her neighbor."

World:—"German world power, in the only sense in which it was ever understood by Junkerdom, is obliterated."

Sun:—"Admitting that no punishment can be over-punishment for the criminals guilty of the greatest crime in the world's experience and that the innocent in Germany must suffer as the innocent elsewhere have suffered through Germany's general acquiescence in the crime of the war's authors, it may at least be inquired whether the penalty should extend to the generations yet unborn."

Tribune:—"Referring to Wilson's pledge:—"Of course, France has won the right to special support. Without that aid must go to her if again she is in the pathway of the German armies."

Volks Zeitung:—"Had the Central Powers been victorious, they would have imposed upon the allies just as severe terms as are now being imposed by the Entente powers on Germany."

GENERAL EDWARDS ACCEPTS TRINITY INVITATION.

Boston, May 8.—Major General Clarence R. Edwards, overseas commander of the Yankee Division, and now commanding the Department of the Northeast, said this afternoon that he had accepted an invitation to attend the annual commencement of Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., on June 23, when the Degree of Doctor of Civil Law will be conferred upon him.

Two other New England colleges have written him that they wish to give him a degree and have invited him to their commencement.

CHANGES IN YALE CREW.

New Haven, May 8.—Captain Winter Mead, of the Yale Varsity crew, was taken out of the varsity boat today when the Yale crews resumed practice for the first time since the Princeton race and given a seat at No. 5, in the second crew.

Schreiber, who rowed at No. 2, varsity, in the Princeton race, was moved up to No. 7 and Allen brought up from the second crew to No. 2 in the varsity. Benson was put at bow of the varsity while Enders went to the second boat. Adams took Captain Mead's place at No. 3 in the varsity.

YALE'S LEAGUE SESSION.

New Haven, May 8.—Announcement was made at Yale today that a state convention of the League to Enforce Peace would be held at Woolsey Hall, Yale, in this city, on May 24. There will be three sessions, morning, noon and night, with addresses by former President Taft, President A. Lawrence Lowell, of Harvard; Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Senator McCumber, Herbert Parsons and Rabbi Stephen S. Wise.

NEW HAVEN "BOMBED."

New Haven, May 8.—This city was "bombed" by a huge naval dirigible, the first ever seen here, today. The airship, of the Blint type, and carrying five persons, flew low over the city, sending out showers of Victory Loan posters and creating a sensation. The machine is one of the newest of the dirigibles and is believed to have come from the Rockaway Naval air station.

AUSTRIAN PEACE ENVOYS.

Geneva, May 8.—The Austrian peace delegation to Versailles will be composed of Dr. Klein, Prof. Lammarsche, Prof. Laugen, Herr Pfeugel, Herr Ludemann and Herr Stellinger, according to a dispatch from Vienna today. Prof. Lammarsche is probably the best known of the group outside of Austria, being a former minister. Herr Ludemann and Herr Stellinger are members of the Austrian parliament.

DEATH OF INFANT.

Arline, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mirdock of 48 Maple street, died yesterday afternoon. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Dr. Heselgrave officiating. The burial will be in the East cemetery.

STATE FIRE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER REPORTS

Percentage of Losses During Last Year Smaller Than Any in Past Five Years.

Hartford, May 8.—In his annual report of fire, marine and fire, and marine insurance companies just issued, Burton Mansfield, state insurance commissioner, states that at the end of 1918, 394 companies reported to the Department, including 162 fire and fire and marine companies, and four marine companies.

For the fiscal year ending September 30, 1918, total receipts of the Department, were \$298,468.93, and disbursements, \$22,859.92, the increase of nearly \$27,000 for the year in receipts being the largest in any year since the establishment of the department.

Examined Eight Companies. Examination of eight fire insurance companies of the state, the Guilford Mutual, Harwinton Mutual, Litchfield Mutual, Madison Mutual, National, Patrons, Security and Washington Companies, all fire companies, was completed during the year and the results are published.

Since January 1, 1918, five companies were licensed to do business in the state, while 13—11 of which were German companies, whose licenses were cancelled by the government—ceased to do business.

Statistical Reports. The statistical reports of the companies show that the amount of premiums earned show a remarkable increase during the past five years and the percentage of losses during 1918 to premiums earned is smaller than in any of the past five years. The commissions paid during the year amounted to 20.93 per cent of the premiums received, a slight increase over 1917. Dividends paid stockholders represented 16.29 per cent on the capital stock paid up in cash, a decrease of two per cent of 1917.

The total business transacted in Connecticut for 1918 shows: net risks written \$851,775,918, an increase of \$26,891 over 1917; net premiums received \$8,542,691.86, an increase of \$1,216,571.49 over 1917; losses incurred \$3,055,962.25, a decrease of \$650,150 from 1917 and the losses paid totalled \$3,318,224.18 or \$63,143.37 more than 1917.

PETE KILDUFF PROVED HE WAS CLEAN-UP MAN

Peterkin Kilduff of the Cubs says that some naval officers have too keen a sense of comedy. Mr. Kilduff, all in his navy blue arrayed, dressed up just like a horse, was promenading by the rail of his battleship, when an officer halted him. "You're Kilduff, the noted ball player of the Chicago Cubs, are you not?" "Aye, aye, sir!" saluted Mr. Kilduff. "Ah, yes," resumed the officer. "You were, I believe, so highly regarded by the management that they made you the clean-up man?" "Aye, aye, sir!" replied the flattered Mr. Kilduff. "Then," said the officer, "you are just the man I'm looking for. Take this pall and clean up this deck!"

GOVERNMENTS CONSOLIDATE.

Washington, May 8.—The provisional government at Archangel has acknowledged the Kolchak government at Omsk, as the provisional national government of Russia, the State Department announced today. Formal consolidation of the two governments will follow.

The recognition of the Kolchak government by Archangel makes the Omsk all-Russian government practically supreme in Siberia, it was explained.

"A man watches his pear tree day after day, impatient for the ripening of the fruit. Let him attempt to force the process, and he may spoil both fruit and tree. But let him patiently wait, and the ripe fruit at length falls into his lap." (Lincoln). Hold your W. B. S. until maturity and the full interest will be yours.

There were times at St. Helena when Napoleon feared that history would forget him. It several weeks of newspaper neglect had aroused any such dreadful fears in Wilhelm II, of Hohenzollern, they have now been happily dissipated.

But had the American soldiers followed the example of the Italian delegates to the peace conference, and returned home before the work was finished, Germany would now be telling the Italians where to get off.—Boston Transcript.

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FOR SALE—Second hand Ford touring car. Easy terms. Inquire Nick Marchuk, 133 Oak St.

FOR SALE—Barn 24 by 80, desirable to convert into a house, two small buildings and corn crib. Price reasonable. Inquire Frank P. Spencer, 337 North Main St.

ROYAL TYPEWRITERS—Your opportunity. Large saving on purchase price Model 5 owing to cancellation after armistice from Allies. Can handle any machine in trade. Ideal machine for clerks, teachers, druggists. Time payments if desired. E. E. Brewster, Representative, Box 346, Hartford.

FOR SALE—Four family house on Cooper St. Lot 60x100. Price reasonable for quick sale. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main St., Park Building.

FOR SALE—My home at the Green: 400 foot frontage; 4 acres of land. The most delightful place in town; beautiful shade, lot of fruit, 9 room house, steam heat, electric lights, hard wood floors, white enamel bath, central garage for 3 cars, poultry house for 20 head. Come up and take a look, you can't help but like it. Very easy terms. W. Howard Barlow.

FOR SALE—Fertilizer. Have the agency for Bowker's high grade fertilizer. Delivered anywhere in town. Walter A. Strant, 192 Main street, Telephone 274.

FOR SALE—1 4 ft. show case, \$4. 1 ft. \$3. pr. computing scales, \$5. 1 Electric Coffee Grinder, 110 volt motor, \$5. Hobart Electric Coffee Grinder with Peanut Butter Attachment, 220 volt, practically new, value \$25. Price \$15. Ford closed delivery car 1918 model. Address J. H. Keith, 50 Hill street.

FOR SALE—Practically new two family 12 room flat just off West Center street. Price reasonable. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main street, Park Building.

FOR SALE—Neat bungalow at Manchester Green. This is a bargain. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main street, Park Building.

FOR SALE—East Middle Turnpike, 5 acres land 7 room house, barn for 7 head of stock and large chicken coop. Price is reasonable. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main St., Park Building.

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FOR SALE—Practically new two-family 10-room flat on Oakland street, all conveniences and strictly modern. Price is \$4,900 for quick sale. Small amount of cash needed. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main St., Park Building.

FOR SALE—Gas range, price \$10. Can be seen or called at 23 Park St. or call Tel. 123.

FOR SALE—Five room cottage, east side, walking distance from schools and factory. Lot 75 feet front, each 2,500 foot bank building. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Two apartment steam heated flat at north end, lights, bath, tub, sink, walk and curb, near trolley. Price only \$4,600. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Bungalow of 5 rooms, built within three years for a home of best material obtainable. Owner will sell for \$3,200. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—25 acre farm, 2 acre tobacco shed, barn for stock, wagon shed, work shop, corn crib, plenty of wood, running water in house and barn. Good nine room house, fruit trees aplenty, street lights, 25 minutes walk from Bank building. Owner will sell cheap and has good reason for selling. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—At north end large single house of eight rooms, hot and cold water and bath. Over 1 1/2 acre of land for planting, also extra building lot. Price only \$3,400, \$400 cash down. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—East Center street residence 10 rooms, every convenience. This is an exceptionally well built house and is in perfect condition, large lot and garage. For particulars see Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Corner property Spruce and Maple street, nearly an acre of land for building sites, nine room house for two families, bath room, each two bedrooms, and shed room for four automobiles. This is a good business investment. Price only \$22,000. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—On Center street car each large two cottages of six rooms, wash trays, cement walk and cellar, handy to mill, trolley and school. Price only \$5,000. Very easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—On South Manchester Heights, near Oak street, two nice building lots all cleaned up for building or planting. Price only \$2,500 for both. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Several nearby farms and homes in and near Manchester. For information call or phone W. W. Grant, 22 Cambridge street, Manchester, Conn. Tel. 224, evenings 27 in the day time at 25 State street, Hartford, Conn. Tel. Charter 5946. 1512

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FOR SALE—Large double house with improvements on Foster street, extra building lot. This is a chance to get a good place. Easy terms. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Three lots, each 50 by 150; small new building 13 by 19 good for garage, hen coop or could be made to house small family. Call 585 Center street.

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Leghorn baby chicks 15 cents each; custom hatching, extra charge with electric lights. Telephone Rockville 206-5. J. G. French, Vernon, Conn. 18111

FOR SALE—Two level building lots on Spruce street, walk and curb, \$300 each. Robert J. Smith, Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Seasoned wood, birch, 4 ft. \$8; stove length, \$10 per cord. Hard, 4 ft. \$9; stove \$11. Mixed slab \$8 stove length. C. H. Schell, Brookmead Farm, Tel. 143-12.

TO RENT

TO RENT—Shore cottage on Hartford Park, Oak Bluffs, Mass., nine rooms, electric lights, ornate plumbing, etc. \$225 for the season. Mrs. Bralley at the Old Homestead, Telephone 618.

TO RENT—Six room tenement with all modern improvements, 5 minutes walk from shik mills and 3 minutes from trolley. Also garage with electric lights. Will hold two cars. Inquire Mrs. E. J. Magowan, 82 Garden street.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply to Aaron Johnson, 22 Linden St., or D. R. Dynes, 701 Main St.

WANTED

WANTED—Odd jobs, such as lawn mowing and other outside work. Inquire Nick Marchuk, 133 Oak St.

WANTED—A housekeeper for a family of two. Middle aged woman preferred. Apply to Mrs. Clarence E. Bissell, 104 Woodbridge St., after 6 p. m.

WANTED—Second hand lady's bicycle. Address W. A. Care Herald branch office.

WANTED—A chamber maid by the day. Mrs. Frank Cheney, Jr., 20 Hartford Road.

WANTED—One's cord of dressing for garden. Cow dressing preferred. Inquire F. J. Barnard, 11 Johnson Terrace.

WANTED—First class automobile mechanic at the Manchester Green Garage. Inquire C. H. Smith, 54 Pitt-street.

WANTED—Manchester women to know that Eger is selling this week bungalow aprons, plain and with elastic belts, worth \$150 at 99 cents. Children's parties, 4 to 12 years, 25 cent values at 19 cents. 18110

WANTED—Mason work. Let me make your home safe. I will rebuild or repair your chimneys at a reasonable price. V. Stankey, 388 Franklin Ave., Hartford.

WANTED—Four or five room tenement. Inquire American Railway Express, Manchester Station.

WANTED—Ashes to take away for 50 cents a dump cart load. Free postal and will call. Frank P. Tanner, 117 North School street.

WANTED—Women and girls. Employment Department, Cheney, Brothers. 2714

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LOST—A black bill book near the Center containing \$8. Suitable reward, if returned to 111 Russell street.

LOST OR STOLEN—Pass-book No. 10258 The Savings Bank of Manchester. All persons are cautioned against purchasing or negotiating the same, and any person having a claim to said pass-book is requested to present the same to the said The Savings Bank of Manchester on or before Nov. 5, 1919, or submit to having said pass-book declared cancelled and extinguished, and a new book issued in lieu thereof.

LOST—My French bull puppy. Has license No. 2724. Reward if returned to 72 Hudson street. E. J. Johnston, Telephone 367.

LOST—Monday night on Maple St. black fur. Reward if returned to 164 Maple St.

LOST—Yellow and white Collie dog with two tags, one bearing Coventry number and one bearing Manchester number 2574. Finder please return to 24 Hemlock street.

LOST—Chevrolet auto crank. Finder please return to 223 West Center St. on Tel. 215-12.

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UNITED STATES SEAPLANES

START ON FLIGHT ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

(Continued from Page 1.)

Shamokin, Pa.; Lieutenant David H. McCulloch, pilot, of Newport, Pa.; Radio Operator, Lieutenant Commander R. A. Lavender, of Rockwell City, Iowa; Engineer Machinist, L. R. Moore, of Grand Island, Nebraska; Reserve Pilot, Engineer Lieutenant Britton Hughes, of Windsor, N. C.

N. C. 4, Crew 2—Lieutenant Commander A. C. Read, of Lyne, N. H.; Pilot, Lieutenant E. F. Stone, of Livonia, N. Y.; Pilot, Lieutenant J. G. Walter Hinton, of Van Wert, Ohio; Radio Operator Ensign H. C. Ridd, of Cleveland, O.; Engineer Chief Special Mechanic, E. H. Howard, of Cutchogue, L. I.; Reserve Pilot Engineer, J. L. Breeze, of New York City.

N. C. 1—Crew 3—Lieutenant Commander P. N. L. Ballinger, of Clarksburg, S. C.; Pilot, Lieutenant Commander M. A. Mitscher, of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Pilot, Lieutenant J. T. Barin, of Portland, Ore.; Radio Operator Lieutenant J. E. Fadenwater, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Engineer Chief Machinist Mate, C. L. Kessler, of Eaton, Ohio; Reserve Pilot Engineer Machinist, Ronald Christensen, of New York City.

The reserve pilot engineers of all three boats will be dropped at Newfoundland.

540 Miles Day

The distance from the starting station here to Halifax harbor is 540 miles. The seaplane pilots planned to complete the first leg in seven and one half or eight hours, holding so close to the Atlantic coast that they would be easily within sight of land practically all the way. Their map and course carried them over the water for the entire route, excepting a narrow strip of land at Monomoy Point, Cape Cod.

The second leg of the flight, from Halifax to Trepassey, N. S., calls for a hop of 460 nautical miles. From Trepassey, where a flying field is being put in shape to receive the naval planes, the start will be made for the Azores Islands. From the Azores the airmen will fly to Portugal, completing the crossing of the Atlantic, and then on to England.

Weather Conditions Good.

Weather conditions for the "jump-off" today were good but by no means perfect. The sky was overhung with low clouds and a breeze swept down from the north, coming almost directly from the direction into which the planes must head. But early weather reports said conditions further north were more favorable.

N. C.-3 First to Fly.

The N. C.-3 was the first of the ground on the morning trial flight. She rose at 7:30 a. m. with a load of 24,000 pounds to test her three new motors. Men from all crews were aboard. She remained aloft until 8:30. The N. C.-1, which had been having some trouble with the ailerons on the wing substituted after the fire in which she was badly damaged, took off a few minutes later.

While the planes were making their trial flights, baskets of sandwiches were brought to the field. They were to provide food for the men on today's flight.

PASSED NEWPORT.

Newport, R. I., May 8.—Three trans-Atlantic seaplanes on their way up the coast at 11.15, were talking by wireless with radio operator Morrison at the Government radio station here. The N. C.-3 received instructions from the radio station in New York. Operator Morrison then began calling the N. C.-1, but the operator reported he had not deliver his messages to those on the plane. Then the N. C.-4 wireless spoke and said the plane was having a fine voyage.

"Good luck," said Newport. "Thanks," replied the N. C.-4. The planes were then off on the Rhode Island shore.

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Spring Suits Appealingly Graceful



Spring suits make their appeal to us from new angles this season, for there are almost none among them that so much as suggest severity of line or finish. They are easy and graceful and decidedly chic. They look thoroughly comfortable for summer time, and rely upon the vestee to provide warmth for crisp spring days. They are more or less ornamented with narrow, flat or soutache braid, or with long and short stitch embroidery or couching. Among decorations, embroidered band effects are in great demand. Crisscross tucks or narrow silk braid, faultlessly stitched on, in a crisscross band pattern, are among the details that have captivated the devotees of tailored clothes everywhere.

is the case it is some consolation to consider that those who do the work are being well paid for it.

The suit pictured is the most popular of new models and is of beige-colored tricot. The skirt is without decoration and has a four-inch hem. Soutache braid, stitched on one edge, forms the attractive ornamental band that enriches the coat. It widens at the center where three small bone buttons are set in each side of the center panel. The round collar and flaring sleeves are embellished with a braided pattern.

Julius Bonaldi

Jet Buckles, White Shoes.

White buckskin shoes shown for the South show jet buckles of various sorts. Usually they are very effective. One method of mounting the buckle is to place it on a foundation composed of closely plaited black ribbon, which extends just far enough to give the buckle a little backing. Sometimes, too, white satin evening slippers show jet buckles, or small jet buttons fastened flat against the tongue section or the edge of the shoe as it slopes up to the instep.

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| U S Steel | 99 1/2 |
| Utah Copper | 78 |
| Westinghouse | 55 1/4 |
| Liberty Bonds 3 1/4 | 98.64 |
| Lib Bonds 4s 1st | 95.80 |
| Liberty Bonds 4s 2nd | 95.16 |
| Liberty Bonds 4 1/2 | 95.62 |

CALL IS UNIQUE.

First Congressional Message Sent From Foreign Land.

Washington, May 8.—President Wilson's message to the extraordinary session of the Sixty Sixth Congress, called for May 19, will be unique in two respects.

It will be the first Congressional message that he has not delivered in person, and it will be the first even to be written in and sent from a foreign land.

In issuing the call for the special session the President stated he would cable his message "later". It was believed at the White House today, although no definite advices have been received, that the message would be received here early next week.

NEW ENGLAND MEN HONORED.

Washington, May 8.—In the name of the President, General Pershing has awarded the Distinguished Service Cross to 24 more officers and men of the expeditionary forces for extraordinary acts of heroism, the War Department announced today.

Among those honored are: Lieutenant Homer C. Darling, 132nd Infantry, Mendon, Mass. Sergeant Robert L. Collins, 305th Infantry, 190 Hewett St., Bridgeport, Conn.

Benjamin Franklin said: "Gain may be temporary and uncertain, but expense is constant and certain." Buy Thrift Stamps and W. S. S.

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| Steak Filefish 15c | Butterfish 20c |

STOCK MARKET

New York, May 8.—There were vigorous advances in many stocks at the opening of the stock market today, with the oil group continuing to demand most attention. Texas Company resumed its upward march advancing over nine points to the new high record of 258 3/4. Mexican Petroleum was in better demand than it has been for some time, advancing over three points to 179 3/4 and Sinclair Oil rose three points to 69.

Steel Common reflected persistent absorption by strong banking interests and advanced 7-8 to 99 5/8. The Marine issue were in good demand, the common advancing one point to 45 7/8 and the preferred gaining over a point to 116 1/4. American Smelting advanced 1 1/2 to 76 1/2. United Cigars was another strong feature, rising 1 1/2 to 137. Atlantic Gulf moved up 2 1/4 to 160 1/4.

The feature of the market during the forenoon was the continued strength in the oil issues. Texas Company moved up twenty points to a new high record of 269. It was followed on this upturn by Mexican Petroleum, which rose four points to 181 1/4 and Sinclair Oil moved up 2 1/2 to 69 1/2. Steel Common was in persistent demand, moving up nearly two points to 101 1/2, crossing par for the first time since the extra dividend was dropped.

The shipping issues were also strong, Atlantic Gulf rising over three points to 181 1/4, while Ma-

rine Preferred moved up 1 1/2 to 161 1/4.

Stock Quotations.

Reported for The Evening Herald by Richter & Co., 6 Central Row, Hartford, 2:30 p. m. prices.

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| At G & W I | 162 1/2 |
| American Sugar | 131 1/2 |
| Am B Sugar | 83 |
| Am Tel & Tel | 104 1/2 |
| Anaconda | 63 1/2 |
| Am Smelter | 75 1/2 |
| Am Loco | 78 |
| Am Car Foundry | 97 1/2 |
| A T & S Fe | 95 1/2 |
| Balt & Ohio | 50 1/2 |
| B R T | 23 1/2 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 74 1/2 |
| Butte & Sup | 23 1/2 |
| Chile Copper | 23 1/2 |
| Cons Gas | 101 1/2 |
| Col Fuel | 44 1/2 |
| C & O | 65 1/2 |
| Can Pac | 167 1/2 |
| Erie | 18 |
| Erie 1st | 29 |
| Gen Electric | 154 1/2 |
| Gt Northern | 94 1/2 |
| Illinois Cent | 102 |
| Kennecott | 32 1/2 |
| Lehigh Valley | 56 1/2 |
| Mexican Pet | 178 1/2 |
| Mer M Pfd | 135 1/2 |
| Mer M | 45 1/2 |
| Miami Copper | 23 1/2 |
| Norfolk & West | 108 1/2 |
| National Lead | 74 |
| North Pacific | 94 1/2 |
| N Y Cent | 76 1/2 |
| N Y, N H & H | 30 1/2 |
| Press Steel Car | 79 1/2 |
| Penna | 45 |
| People's Gas | 51 1/2 |
| Repub I & S | 83 1/2 |
| Reading | 87 |
| Ohic R I & Pac | 26 1/2 |
| Southern Pac | 108 1/2 |
| Southern Railway | 31 1/2 |
| St Paul | 30 1/2 |
| Third Ave | 15 |
| Tex Oil | 266 1/2 |
| Union Pacific | 158 |

Punishing the Ex Kaiser--

(By Morris)



Why not exile him to the graveyard of his victims?

U. S. GREAT BRITAIN ALLIANCE FOR DEFENSE OF FRANCE

(Continued from Page 1.)

other Republican Senators in opposition to the League of Nations pact Smoot stated that he did not believe that leaders of the "slim Republican majority could muster enough votes to prevent the ratification of the modified league covenant as well as the rest of the treaty except with certain important reservations."

Senator Lodge's Views. Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, who is to be chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, was among the Senators who announced that they did not propose to attempt a discussion of the treaty until they had the official document before them.

A tentative program with regard to the peace treaty has already been mapped out by Lodge and other Republican leaders of the Senate. According to present indications the resolution of ratification will be reported to the Senate by the Foreign Relations Committee without recommendation. As Lodge is expected, as the Republican floor leader, to name the committee or committees which will designate the personnel of the Republican majority membership of the Foreign Relations Committee, it is anticipated that the resolution of ratification will largely reflect the views of Lodge and his anti-League of Nations associates.

The Senate Plan. It is proposed by them that the Senate adopt the resolution of ratification in such form as will present to other nations a series of interpretations of the peace treaty, especially with regard to the modified League of Nations covenant, as will provide an official notification as to how the pact is to be construed and is to be acted on thenceforth by the treaty-making body of the United States government.

The real fight on the peace treaty and the league covenant is expected to be on the floor of the Senate and not in the Foreign Relations Committee. Avowed opposition of Republican senators like Borah, of Idaho, Poindexter, of Washington; McCormick, of Illinois; Moses, of New Hampshire, and Johnson, of California, to the United States entering into any sort of a League of Nations, or any kind of "entangling alliances" probably will center about determined efforts on their part to amend the resolution of ratification in accordance with their views or to otherwise recast it so as to leave the United States uncommitted to any definite foreign policy that would tie this country up with any other nation.

League Will Be Ratified. Administration senators are confident, however, they declared today, that the "anti-leaguers," whether Republicans or Democrats, will "on the final show down," be in "such a hopeless minority" that the resolution of ratification will, more or less, conform to the wishes of President Wilson himself and the peace treaty, with the League of Nations covenant, will stand virtually unaltered as to its purpose and meaning so far as the United States is concerned. These administration senators added that they were certain that most Republican Senators would be found siding with the administration's desire to have the peace treaty and the League covenant disposed of by the Senate expeditiously, although a series of lengthy speeches by both opponents and proponents of certain articles or clauses of the momentous document was, of course, to be regarded as inevitable.

Keeping Mums. In the meanwhile, both Democratic and Republican leaders of the Senate were displaying a noticeable and not-to-be-expected disposition today to refrain from detailed public utterance on any phase of the document until they had been able to digest its multitudinous details before placing themselves on record before not only the American people, but the whole world.

GERMANY WILL SIGN TREATY BUT JUNKERS ARE DYING HARD

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and indicated that he was not concerned inasmuch as America is standing today upon the same principles, as when she entered the war. This attitude is:

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when the complete terms are made public."

Austria's Treaty.

The Big Four today resumed their consideration of the demands that will be imposed on Austria. A meeting was held at the Paris "White House." More than 100 typewritten sheets have been prepared by President Wilson setting forth his ideas on Austrian questions, such as boundaries and national rights and these will be laid before the other allied leaders. This will go far in aiding the work of the delegates inasmuch as experts have already made reports on technical matters and the Italians are ready to suggest a compromise on Fiume. However, it is understood that the President is unwilling to accept the compromise already outlined—that Fiume be made a free port for only three years.

It is hoped that the Austrian problems can be disposed of in a week and then the Bulgarian sections of the general treaty can be taken up.

While the United States did not declare war against either Bulgaria or Turkey the Americans will assist in preparing the terms which will be of a nature to satisfy the United States and safeguard American interests.

WOMAN SURGEON HONORED.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 8.—Dr. Charlotte Fairbanks has received the "distinguished honor" of being made a "citizen of France" and receiving from the Mayor of Lunenburg a gold medal as an appreciation of her services as surgeon in the medical unit of the American Woman's Hospital in that city.

For the past six months she has been operating continuously on the civilian population of that region.

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A YOUNG MAN'S PROSPECTS IN MANCHESTER.

We have heard the assertion made lately that Manchester is not a good place to bring up young men; that because this town is dominated by one firm, which is a close corporation, and by one industry, the business and social ambitions of a young man are repressed for want of a wider field for development. To a certain extent this is true. There is not the opportunity for initiative here that there is in many other places. The overwhelming predominance in this town of one firm of silk manufacturers makes it necessary to subordinate other interests to the maintenance of the one upon which so much of our welfare and prosperity depends. The majority of the children in our public schools look forward to employment in one department or another of the silk mills.

In this employment most of them can go as high as their ability will carry them. It is, however, pointed out that they must always stop short of ownership because the silk mill stock is not for sale and the policy of the owners has been to keep it in the hands of one family. In a community where a larger variety of industries is carried on there are unquestionably more opportunities to succeed to ownership than there are here.

Nevertheless even in the large cities, where opportunities are abundant, only a very few young men ever reach the top no matter how ambitious they may be. Just as every mother sees in her son a potential President of the United States, though only one in about fifty millions can reach the goal, so every mother cherishes lesser ambitions for her son which as time rolls on are steadily scaled down. In the large city where opportunities are larger the strife for leadership is also keener. The race is to the strong and, as a rule, only the fittest reach the goal.

Now coming back to Manchester; what is the average young man's prospect? In the silk mills we know that there is a constant demand for skilled workmen, skilled accountants, skilled executives. This town does not produce near enough men to fill the high-priced positions, and scores are of necessity imported. There are places waiting for competent men which pay well up in the thousands. By far the greater number of our young men are content to work for a salary all their lives; to let someone else take the risks and do the worrying while they get their more or less fat pay envelope every week. For such as these the opportunities are as good here as they are anywhere.

But suppose a young man develops ambition and has the nerve to embark in business for himself. Can he do it successfully in Manchester? He certainly can, as a glance along our Main street business blocks will prove. Nine-tenths of the signs there bear the names of men who have prospered from small beginnings, through their own intelligence, ability, integrity and industry. Clerks have become merchants; journeymen have become contractors. Schoolboys have developed into lawyers, doctors and dentists. The town records show an almost negligible number of failures.

What of social conditions? If by that we mean "society" in the fashionable interpretation of the term, Manchester is deficient. The people of this town are too busy to indulge in the frivolities of fashion or to strive for the eminence in "society" attained by the idle rich. But that is no drawback to the ambitious young man. On the contrary the absence of fashionable society is a good thing for him. It leaves his mind free to dwell upon more profitable pursuits. He is more likely to make a success of his life if he gives his spare time to reading or study or social intercourse with intelligent people, than by seeking an opportunity to associate with those who waste their hours in fashionable functions. Of intelligent and educated people Manchester has a larger proportion than any industrial community we know of.

We have been speaking of the average young man and his opportunities. Once in a while there shoots up from the level a genius—an inventor, a financier, a politician, a professional leader. For such a wider field than Manchester is desirable. But such prominence does not come to the young man. It comes to one who has matured and studied. Even for such a genius Manchester provides fertile soil. His greatness will come to him after he leaves home, wherever his home may be.

PLANS FOR GLAD DAY TO WELCOME MEN HOME

Honors to Be Heaped Upon Returned Soldiers and Sailors.

FULL AFTERNOON AND EVENING PROVIDED

After Parade Festivities Will Be Continued at Old Golf Course—Full Details.

If only fifty per cent of the plans which were outlined at last night's meeting of the various committees of Manchester's welcome home celebration are carried out, local residents will witness a gala event the like of which has never been paralleled in Manchester's celebration annals. This meeting which was held at the office of the superintendent of the ninth district schools, was presided over by Frank H. Anderson. It was evident from the enthusiasm and harmony which characterized the meeting, that the entire plans for Manchester's welcome home celebration will be carried out to the letter.

The outstanding feature of last night's session was the motion to extend to His Excellency Marcus H. Holcomb, the Governor of Connecticut, an invitation to attend the celebration and to occupy the position of honor in the official reviewing stand. From the outburst of approval that greeted this motion it is hardly necessary to say that those present were unanimous in their support of the motion. Therefore it is very probable that Governor Holcomb will be the distinguished guest of the day. The unanimous approval of another motion which followed indicates the possibility of the presence of other military officials of high rank in the reviewing stand.

The entire details of the celebration which were discussed and acted upon, although they will be subject to minor changes, may in a way be accepted as final. Reports of a few of the committees were held up temporarily for Monday evening's meeting, when it is expected that the stamp of approval will be placed on all plans. These reports, together with additional information will be published from time to time in these columns.

It is planned to have the medals which are to be awarded by the town, distributed prior to the commencement of the celebration in order to eliminate the waste of time. Occasions of a like nature held in other communities have demonstrated that the individual distribution would require a great deal of time. The medals will be distributed to the service sons of the town before the parade in order that they may be worn while marching. Instructions regarding this phase will no doubt be issued in due time by the local War Bureau.

The parade will be of a strictly military nature and will include Manchester's service sons; the G. A. R. veterans, Spanish War veterans and State Guards. The last three named organizations will be invited to act as escorts to the new "vets". A series of floats carrying war trophies and banners displaying statistics in connection with Manchester's part in the great struggle will also be included in the formation. It is also quite possible that a tank will be included.

The new veterans will form on School street, the escorts on Forest street, and the floats on Eldridge street. The new "vets", will then parade to a point of vantage at the new Army and Navy clubhouse. Here the new club house will be formally dedicated with appropriate exercises. The formation of the parade and the dedication exercises will take place, it is thought, between the hours of 12:30 and 2:30. It may be well to state in conjunction with this announcement that the local silk mills will operate Saturday morning, as the exercises and other events are all confined to the afternoon and evening.

Directly after the dedication exercises the various divisions will start out on a triumphal-tour of the town. Headed by their escorts and with the floats in the rear, the new veterans will march to the north end through the town's main thoroughfare; countermarching from the North end to the Center, thence to the old golf grounds off East Center street. The entire musical program for the day will be furnished by town bands. Organizations which have offered their services up to the present time are: the Salvation Army band; the American Band of Manchester; the Center Flute band and the Silk City band. Other bands are expected but which have not as yet been heard from are the Klittie band, St. Patrick's Flute band and the Talcottville Fife and Drum corps.

Aside from the parade and the dedication of the Army and Navy clubhouse, the remaining events will be held at the old golf grounds. Here the distinguished guests, the new veterans, their escorts and the entire populace of the town will be greeted with a scene of military splendor. On a green topped bluff in full view of the mighty assemblage will be erected a court of honor. On the plateau beneath will be a well rolled green where dancing will take place in the evening. Directly opposite this site will be erected the stage for vaudeville and movie performances. Here and there will be seen the various stands of the concessionaires, all decorated with a kaleidoscopic maze of colors and decorations in the day and a dazzling brilliancy of multi-colored lights in the evening.

But amidst this gigantic display of militarism interspersed here and there with actual trophies of war, will be reminders of our respect to Manchester's—dead—heroes. For around the court of honor will be set 45 memorial columns in honor of the boys from Manchester who gave their lives in the great struggle. It was decided to open the afternoon ceremonies with memorial honors for the dead heroes.

Following the memorial exercises, the regimental colors will be decorated, and the individual medals for those who gave their lives to the colors, will be attached to a mammoth silk service flag which will be carried throughout the line of march by the new veterans. The Welcome Home address is next in order and the exercises will be completed by the presenting of the service flag to the town fathers for future and safe keeping. The names of the speakers who will deliver addresses at the different ceremonies will be announced very shortly.

A supper will then be served at the tennis courts for the soldiers and their out-of-town guests. It is expected that about eight hundred plates will be laid out as invitations have been extended to the Waterbury and Thompsonville comrades and bunkmates of local "G" members to participate in the big parade and the after celebrations. The populace are requested to bring their own lunches or buy them at the various booths.

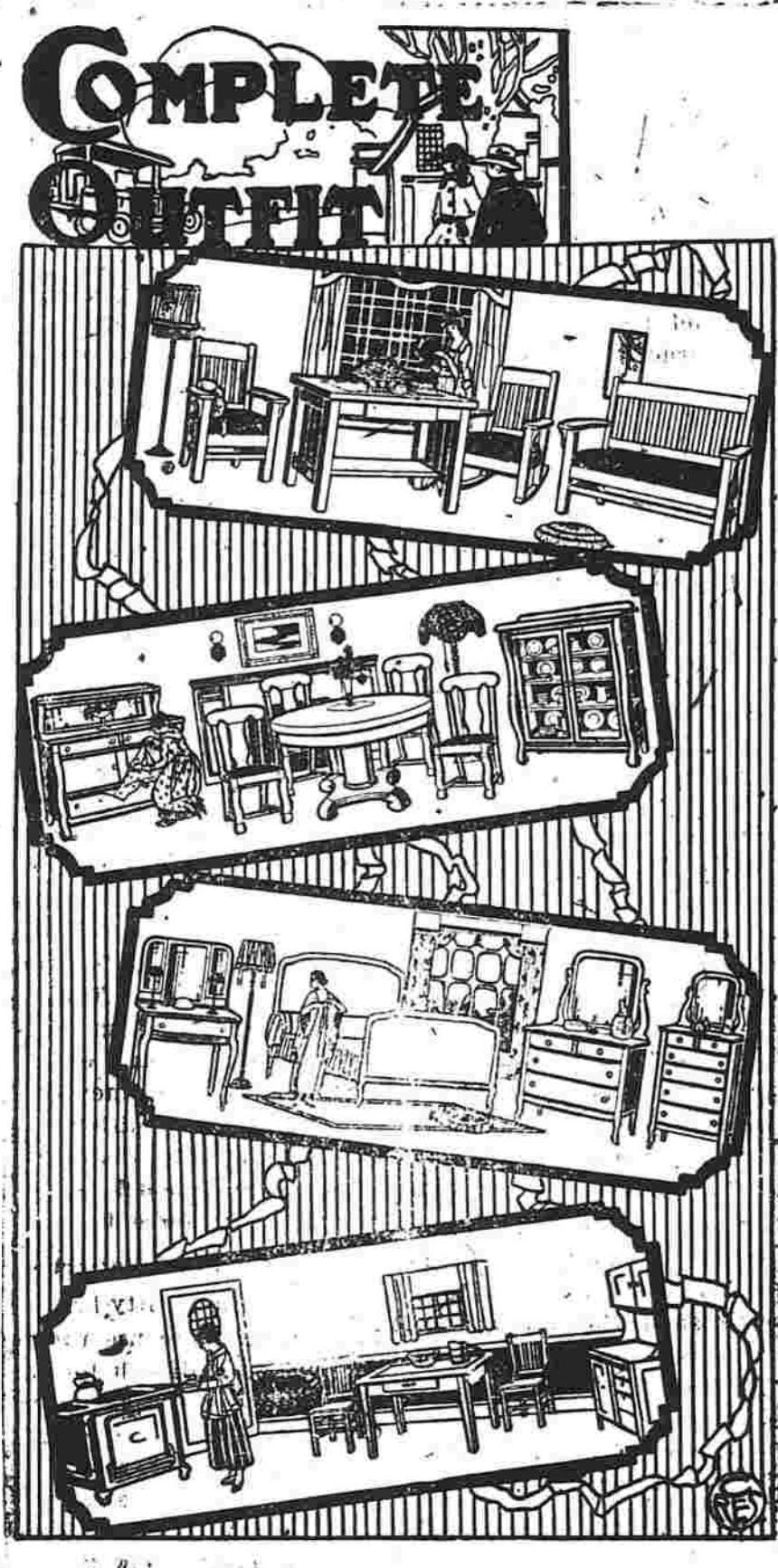
In the evening there will be dancing on the green and also a high class movie and vaudeville performance. Accommodations will be arranged for the comfort of the spectators and the committee have also arranged for the assignment of a special section for the relatives of the soldiers. Music both afternoon and evening will be furnished by the Salvation Army and Manchester American bands. A special orchestra will be engaged for the dancing program.

Other events which were held up temporarily pending final tabulations and reports regard the stands to be laid out by the refreshment committee and rented to local individuals; the laying out of the grounds and erection of the court of honor, memorial columns and stands by the grounds committee; the engaging of speakers—local—by the speakers' committee; the organizing of the school children along the line of march by the school committee; the layout and distribution of the official souvenir program by the souvenir committee; the arranging for the comforts of relatives and guests of the soldiers by the reception committee; the publicity campaign by the publicity committee; the about town decorations and instructions for such by the decorating committee and last but not least, the preparation of the budget of the entire expenses by the finance committee.

Although the foregoing details may appear exhaustive, much work is to be done to make their outcome a success. If Manchester is to outdo herself in the welcome home celebration, she must have financial cooperation on the part of her residents. Only a small amount of the public contribution sought for has been received and in order to put the final affair through in a one hundred per cent manner, local residents must come to the aid of the committee with financial support.

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WAR TIME PROHIBITION WILL NOT BE ABOLISHED

Report That Wilson Will Set Measure Aside Declared by Officials "Premature."

Paris, May 8.—The report from the United States quoting Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, as saying that President Wilson had assured him he would set aside the war-time prohibition measure, effective July 1, if he found America's sentiment against it on his return to the United States, was declared in official circles close to the President to be premature.

The President will not consider the matter until he returns to the United States, and hears the reports of officials. Sailors consider it very unlucky to point towards another ship. It is their custom to nod towards it, or to indicate its presence otherwise, but never to point.

CROWN JEWELS CONFISCATED.

Geneva, May 8.—The palace of ex-King Nicholas, of Montenegro, and all of his other property, including the crown jewels have been confiscated at Cetinje, said a dispatch from Innsbruck today. (Montenegro will be a part of the new state of Jugo-Slavia.)

Names in Names.

Laughter Brothers are undertakers in a Texas town. Mr. Constant Payne hails from Misery Bay, Michigan. Haystack & Cornfield are in business together in Grand Rapids.

MAYOR SAYS "CLEAN UP."

Newark, Ohio, May 8.—By proclamation Mayor H. A. Atherton, of this city, has called for a spring clean-up campaign which will reach "from cellar to garret" and from "curb to alley". The injunction is that nothing be "passed up." Residents say if the order is obeyed Newark will be the cleanest city in Ohio.

"The Malayo-Polynesian language possesses the distinction of being spoken by indigenes over the widest area of any language of the world, for it embraces two great oceans and extends from the island continent of Madagascar to the isolated islet of Rapanul."

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| Detroit | 9 11 0 |
| Batteries—Faber and Schaik; Cunningham, Erickson and Ainsmith. | 3 9 2 |

Cleveland 4, St. Louis 2.

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| Cleveland | R. H. E. |
| St. Louis | 4 9 1 |
| Batteries—Uhle and Nunamaker; Lowdermilk, Gallia and Severid. | 2 8 0 |

TAGGING THE BASES

The White Sox stole seven bases while winning from the Tigers. Old Man Jupiter won five major league games yesterday. Uhle, Cleveland's sand-lotter, in winning his second American League game, beat the Browns; The Braves, who have not won a game this season, have won only one game from the Giants since 1917. President Heydler, of the National League, rules that Davey Robertson, Giant outfielder, cannot play in the American League this season. Davey does not fancy adorning the Giant utility bench. Kid Gleason has the White Sox up and going and Joe Jackson is hitting at a .400 clip. Look out!

TO BUILD ARENA.

Tex Rickard Off to Toledo to Start the Work.

New York, May 8.—Tex Rickard, who is promoting the Willard-Dempsey bout scheduled for Toledo, Ohio, July 4, will leave here tonight for the scene of the fight with plans to let the contract for the big fight arena—within the next two or three days.

Rickard says the arena will cost approximately \$50,000. While it is generally believed Rickard favors Matt Hinkel, of Cleveland, Ohio, as referee, he would make no statement further than "that matter would be settled by the participants."

New York speculators are already busy trying to obtain blocks of seats for the big fight, but Rickard promises he will do his best to block them. An apron is the Persian royal standard. A Persian who was a blacksmith by trade raised a successful revolt, and his leather apron, covered with jewels, is still borne in the van of Persian armies.

YANKEE DIVISION AMMUNITION TRAINS NEVER LOST A WAGON DURING WAR

American Army Embarkation Area, Eecomor, France (by mail).—The success of the Ammunition Train of the Yankee Division is best summed up by two slogans, one coined by the organization which ran:

"We never lost an ammunition wagon."

The other was bestowed by the artillery officers and was a fine tribute: "The batteries never had to wait for ammunition."

If you searched the records and interviewed every man in the division you could not hit upon a more direct definition of the zeal and efficiency of Lieutenant-Colonel William J. Keville and the men of his command.

"Billy" Keville always had the calibre of a colonel and leader and whatever he tackled was done right. So to me it was not surprising to hear the artillerymen pay such fervent praise to the Ammunition Train.

Always Got Through.

It mattered not what were the dangers or the obstacles, somehow the ammunition came through, whether the mud was deep or the highways had been pitted and almost effaced by shell and mine craters. You who have not seen how the landscape was distorted by the furies of war cannot appreciate what it meant to get shells through to keep the batteries in action. If the Ammunition Train failed the complexion of an entire operation might change and a battle be forfeited.

Colonel Keville was too good a patriot and soldier and too good an organizer to permit such an emergency at any cost or in any weather nor in the most violent hostile bombardments.

After a while it seemed to the drivers of ammunition trucks and wagons that the shells fired by the Yankee Division used to sing:

"The batteries never have to wait for ammunition."

"Colonel Keville's crew are always on the job."

It seemed strange to think of a Boston lawyer doing this important work in the biggest war in history, but the army was thus constituted and the men from civilian life made good in every department. "Big Bill" Mahoney, of Lawrence, advanced from lieutenant to captain

The men of the Ammunition Train were armed and drilled as infantry. Just before the train sailed forty white men and one colored man were rejected for flat feet and replacements were obtained September 26. The train left Westfield, October 2 and embarked on the R. M. S. Aurantier October 3. This ship was later torpedoed.

Colonel Keville had command aboard the ship, which carried also 24 officers and men of the One Hundred and Fourth Infantry, 1 officer and 16 men from the Signal Corps and 105 officers and 145 enlisted men as casualties. The Aurantier reached Liverpool October 17, and on October 21 the Ammunition Train travelled, in a cattleboat to Havre and hiked six miles to Camp No. 1. They reached camp without baggage or a kitchen and used packing cases for filing records. On October 23 the Ammunition Train left Havre and went to a motor truck camp.

Increased Efficiency.

American trucks came from St. Nazaire October 29, about the time the Ammunition Train was attached to the Fifty-first Brigade of the Yankee Division. B Company hauled supplies. The Ammunition Train scheme was new in the American Army. Colonel Keville arranged a course of instruction which greatly increased the efficiency of his organization. He was most solicitous of the health of the men of his command.

He insisted that night crews be provided with plenty of hot coffee, which cheered them up on the long, dangerous drives through the shell area on many nights that it rained. Even in the heat of battle he worked his men in eight-hour shifts contending that a sleepy driver was a menace to himself and everybody else. He accomplished this by equal distribution of labor, with the result that the health and morale of the men of the train were excellent.

Finally the train procured a French forge and set it up in a shed, where repairing was done. At this time the trucks numbered twenty-two, but some were in bad shape. One lacked a radiator. On December 18 the Ammunition Train moved to the area occupied by the Twenty-sixth Division, leaving 115 horses and receiving 61 in the new area.

It required 13 French wagons January 6, and established an ordnance repair shop, the unit consisting of 3 officers and 47 men. Motor vehicles of the train were repaired there.

Line education was received at Soissons. In February a horse battalion went to Chemin-des-Dames, another was assigned to La Palice

and the train and headquarters supplied the Twenty-sixth and French batteries. There the men received their baptism of fire in night hauling over a route frequently bombed by German air raiders.

Lieutenant Edwin G. Hopkins and Captain Conrad, Westphal won Croix de Guerre in the Soissons sector and others were awarded decorations in later operations. At Ramecourt, March 28, the Ammunition Train was sporting 50 trucks. It received a scrub lot of horses from the horse hospital, many of them so skinny that the men had to readjust the harness to make them fit, but the animals were soon flourishing.

Running Shell Fire.

The first real running of shell swept roads was on the Fleury highway on what was known as "Dead Man's Curve" at Ancreville, in the Toul sector, when the Yankee Division had replaced the First Division there. The men never flinched. In the fights at Apremont and Seicheprey Colonel Keville's men had to haul ammunition eighteen kilometres over hazardous roads. They worked day and night. In the Seicheprey battle all hands worked forty-eight hours without let-up.

A truck was hit by a shell and it was loaded with ammunition at the time. Fortunately the forward part was struck, piercing the gas tank and ripping away the driver's seat. Wagoner James J. Burke and Lieutenant Earle S. Horton were knocked off and wounded. Burke in the groin and Horton was fatally hurt in the chest. Under heavy shell fire Driver Burke stopped up the shrapnel holes in the gas tanks with a bar of toilet soap which he carried in his tool box, started the engine, completed the trip, and found aid for Horton, who died in a hospital. Another ammunition truck was stalled in an exposed strip of road and the driver, finding himself on an incline, released the brakes and coasted to safety.

The Ammunition Train at this time numbered 32 officers and 1,333 enlisted men. There was an epidemic of mange among the horses and mules at Toul, which proved troublesome. The men of the train detailed to ammunition dump duty did splendid work, as did the cooks, whose hearty meals and midnight lunches contributed to victory.

Locating Batteries.

When the Fifty-first Artillery Brigade began to use roving batteries it became difficult for the drivers of ammunition trucks and wagons to locate batteries in the dark. This was accomplished by guides who, exposed to bombs and shell fire, never failed to give proper directions, no matter how great the danger and excitement.

From the first real action the men of Colonel Keville's command vied with each other for the chance to perform the hazardous trips. This spirit was characteristic of every Yankee Division unit. Quitters were harder to find than a needle in a haystack. G Company always kept its horses as if groomed for a horse show.

Major G. S. King, of Hyde Park, was Colonel Keville's first adjutant. He was relieved at Ramecourt to go to the office of the Division Adjutant. Captain H. S. Cushing became a major and commanded the motor battalion. The violent artillery play at Chateau Thierry and the rapid changing of the lines made it difficult for the Ammunition Train men. Often positions changed hourly, and it isn't easy or pleasant in a battle area to hunt for concealed battery positions. Frequently the ammunition trucks and wagons were forced to go almost to the very front line.

The preparation for the intensive bombardment of the enemy in the St. Mihiel drive kept the ammunition trains busy and none was more on its toes than "Billy" Keville's nor delivered more briskly. In the hills north of Verdun where roads became pitfalls and quarries the Yankee Division Ammunition Train managed somehow to worm through and keep the various calibre of shells piled high beside the batteries and the infantry well supplied with small arms ammunition and signal rockets.

The Officers.

Major Ashby was in the postal service in Burlington, Vt. Major Pell worked in the post office at St. Albans, Vt. Major Burton comes from Boston. Major H. S. Cushing is from Medford and in peace times is bond manager of Lee, Higginson & Co.'s, in State street, Boston. Captain Howe is from Northfield, Vt.; Captain Shanley was a member of the Winosky (Vt.) Fire Department; Captain Hudson was a linotype operator at the Burlington Free Press; Captain McMath, of Montpelier, was in the office of the Adjutant General of Vermont. Lieutenant Corey was a conductor and lives at Newport, Vt. Lieutenant Melaney, of Burlington, was in the railway mail service. Lieutenant Hartwell was a hardware dealer at St. Johnsbury, Vt. Lieutenant

Rogers dealt in real estate in Melrose. Lieutenant Edwin G. Hopkins, who was decorated, is a civil engineer in Boston. Lieutenant Miner was an electrician in Brattleboro, Vt. Lieutenants Gilbert and Daily both hail from the Bay State, the latter from Hyde Park. Lieutenant Newton, of Burlington, was in the postal service. By the way, Uncle Sam's postal employees were plentiful at the western front in France and proved tip-top soldiers.

Lang a Railroadman.

Lieutenant Lang was a railroad man from St. Johnsbury and Lieutenant Buckley, an ammunition inspector from Bellows Falls. In the Medical Department of the Ammunition Train were Lieutenant Kellher, from Cambridge, and Captain Westphal, from Boston. Lieutenant Turner sold insurance in Brookline. Captain Garfinkle practised law in Boston. Lieutenant Hall was secretary at the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and Lieutenant Gleason graduated from Norwich University.

Colonel Keville brought his own touring car over and it had travelled more than 30,000 miles two months ago and never had to be overhauled. It has been repeatedly under fire and bears shrapnel scars. It will be quite a family war relic when "Billy" takes it home. Sergeant Pingree was chauffeur for Colonel Keville until promoted to lieutenant, when Sergeant Fred J. Kulda, of South Boston, took the job.

The Fifty-first Artillery Brigade set a fast pace, but "Billy" Keville's Ammunition Train kept up with it and it had almost at times to over-tour mountains to do it. Colonel Keville and his crew made good.

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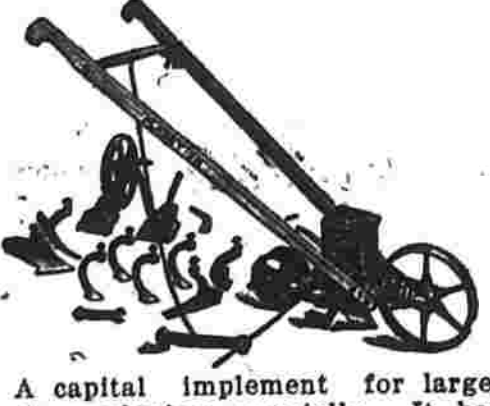
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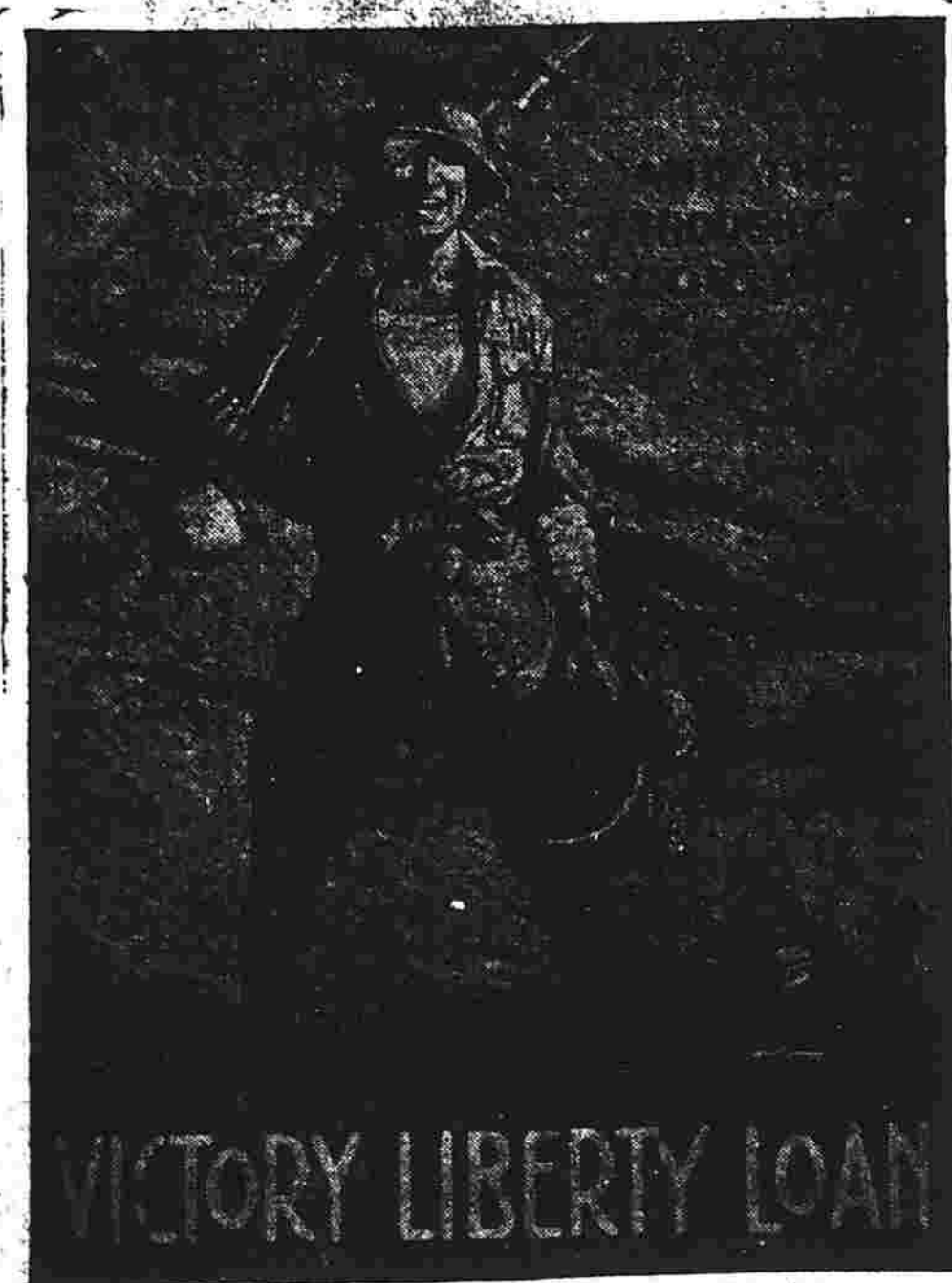
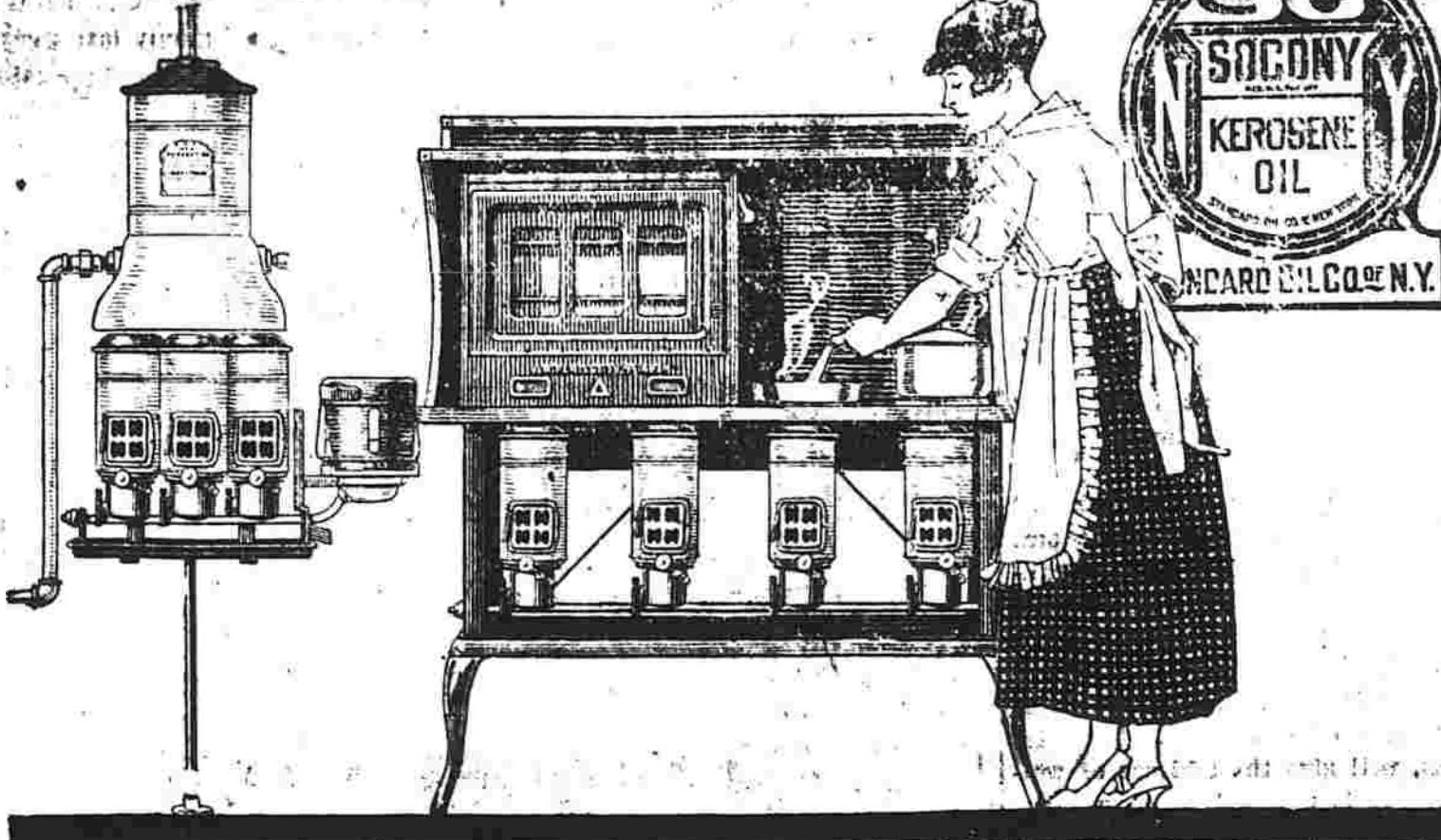
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Punching The Bag

Taking the padded mittens from their resting place on a spike and coming back from retirement is a thing that few boxers can do successfully.

Willie Ritchie tried it when he beheld the golden lure of a fat purse dangling before his eyes in San Francisco, and he succeeded in stepping through a fast four-round bout with Champion Benny Leonard, king of the class that Ritchie once dominated. The outcome of that bout gave Ritchie an inspiration.

"Perhaps I'm still as good as the best of the lightweight lot today," figured Willie, and, when he was offered a purse of \$10,000 to face Leonard over the eight-round route at Newark he took the bout gladly and with confidence.

Of course, the money—the fat purse—had much to do with luring Ritchie into the eight-round bout which resulted so disastrously from the standpoint of a fighter who really wanted to come back. But even so, Ritchie collected, and that was the big idea after all, for had it not been for his showing against Leonard in four rounds he would never have been offered a roll of ten thousand iron men to face the champion again.

Ritchie was beaten, and beaten decisively, but for all that he gave the fans their money's worth and more. It was almost pitiful to see the one-time lightweight king gamely shaking off punches that would have sent the ordinary boxer into undisturbed slumber for quite a few minutes. As we said after the fight—Leonard hit Ritchie with everything but the ring posts and the referee, and the action of Referee Jim Brennan in stopping the bout was humane, and altogether proper.

Saying that the lure of the purse alone drew Ritchie into the ring at Newark would be an injustice, for he made the kind of a fight that satisfied everyone that he was trying, and trying hard to win. He forced the fight from the time the first gong clangled until he became so drunk with punches that all he could do was to cover his jaw in weak defense. He flew into Leonard, and he rocked the champion with several well-meant punches that made Benny blink and totter with surprise. If anything Ritchie was over-anxious. At one stage of the fight he might have won had he followed up a temporary advantage, but he was excited and failed to do so.

That Ritchie is through is now a settled fact, but the fans who saw him lose to Leonard will never forget the game fight he made, and never fail to say a word of praise for his gameness. Leonard was confident and cool as an oyster. There has never been a lightweight champion with a cooler head than the one that rests on Benny's shoulders, and that is one of the things that makes him a great little champion.

HOW TO COOK EGGS.

We do not always realize the use of eggs in adding variety, flavor, fineness of texture and food value to the daily meals. A famous chef once said "Without the aid of eggs the artistic cook would have to abandon his profession in despair and the housekeeper could echo his words when she sits down to plan her week's menus if all the hens went on strike and there were no eggs.

In order to make the best use of such a valuable food the housekeeper must know how eggs behave under varying conditions of cookery, according to Miss Maud E. Hayes, Home Economics Specialist for the Extension Service of Connecticut Agricultural College at Storrs. A temperature below that of boiling is the ideal for cooking the eggs so that it will be tender and delicious in such dishes as poached or fried eggs, custards, souffles, etc., says Miss Hayes. Eggs and boiling water should not form a continued partnership for the result is always deplorable. The perfect "soft boiled" egg or the poached egg is cooked in water kept just below the boiling point, the tender fried eggs with crisp edges and not discolored in the cooking should be cooked in fat that is not hot enough to sputter when the egg is broken into it. Scrambled eggs if cooked over hot water can be kept tender in consistency and egg dishes baked in the oven should be surrounded with hot water. Soft custards should always be cooked over hot, not boiling water, and yolks of eggs used instead of whole eggs give better results, allowing two egg yolks to one cup of milk for a fairly rich custard.

Eggs used to lighten mixtures such as muffins and cakes are stirred, beaten or folded into the other ingredients according to the particular dish that is being put together.

DIGS UP HISTORY TO SHOW HOW YANKS LOVE MONEY.

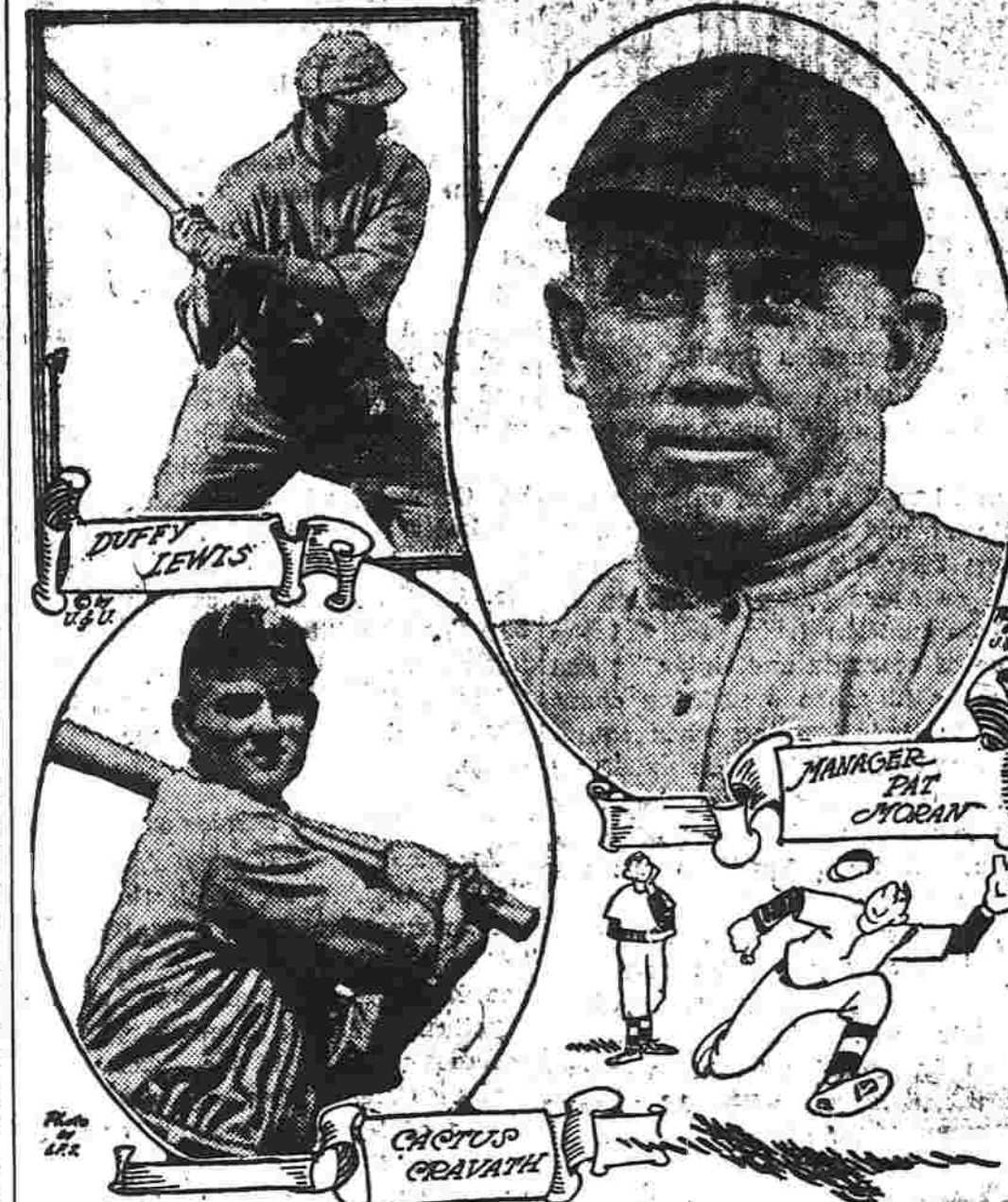
Paris, May 8.—Apropos of the complaint by American soldiers that they are being fleeced by French shopkeepers, the Stars and Stripes, official newspaper organ of the American Expeditionary Forces in France, prints, the following letter, written by Frenchman, Comte de Ferson, who was fighting with Lafayette's troops in America, to homefolks in France about the American people:

"They fleece us pitilessly; the price of everything is exorbitant; in all the dealings that we have with them they treat us more like enemies than friends. Their cupidity is unequalled; money is their God; virtue, honor, seem nothing to them compared to the precious metal. I do not mean that there are no estimable people whose character is equally noble and generous—there are many, but I speak of the nation in general.

"Money is the prime mover of all their actions; they think only of means to gain it; each is for himself, and none is for the public good. The inhabitants along the coast, even the best Whigs, carry provisions of all kinds to the English fleet, which is anchored in Gardiner's Bay, and that because the English pay them well."

Benjamin Franklin said: "It is easier to suppress the first desire than to satisfy all that follow it." Put that unnecessary expenditure into W. S. S.

MANAGER PAT MORAN EAGER TO MEET RED SOX IN SERIES FOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP



"I'm not talking about any pennants or world's championships," said Pat Moran, "but if ever I have the luck to land a winner in Cincinnati I only hope the Boston Red Sox will be top liners in the American league.

"That's one ambition of my life—to some day have a club that will beat those lucky people. They had given it all up and were packing their bats to go home when Spodgrass made that muff in 1912. Against my old team they won by transferring the games from the Red Sox park to the Braves' field. Twice, at the Braves' field, Cactus Cravath made drives that would have sailed over the fence at Fenway and won two games for my club—and Duffy Lewis caught them both. Then, in Philadelphia, what happened? We had forgotten to take a little pen, a small fenced lot, out of the center field, and they popped two home runs into that tiny quadrangle."

NOTES of the DIAMOND

Annapolis baseball squad of 200 candidates includes 26 pitchers.

George DuMont has made a good beginning with the Red Sox.

Columbia university appears to have a strong baseball nine this spring.

The Tennessee supreme court has rendered a decision which permits Sunday baseball in the state.

Fritz Maisel, is playing third base for Jack Dunn's Baltimore Orioles instead of with the St. Louis Browns.

Al Mamaux and Rube Marquard are doing well this spring. Marquard is the only southpaw with the Brooklyn club.

The Cincinnati Reds escaped from Texas with a record of six games won and one lost against Texas league teams.

Cecil Coombs, veteran outfielder, who has been making the rounds of the Southern league, has reported to Galveston.

Johnny Tobin, Kenneth Williams, and "Baby Doll" Jacobson are first string outfielders with the Browns this spring.

Manager Kid Gleason of the Chicago White Sox wants a pitcher. He's willing to trade Shano Collins for Babe Ruth now.

Joe Engel, though suffering from a sore arm, is working hard for Lee Fohl in the hopes of proving himself of big league caliber.

Manager Robinson of the Dodgers after thinking it over decided to keep Zach Wheat as his third string catcher and let Jack Snyder go.

Mies, the Louisville pitcher, is a big fellow, who has had experience in the Central league. He has just recently been discharged from the army.

The Portland club of the Pacific Coast league and the Buffalo club of the International are in a dispute over the services of Pitcher Guy Cooper.

All of the experts have doped the order of the finish of the teams in the two big leagues. But, as in previous seasons, autumn has the last guess.

There seems to be a tendency to make outfielders "captains" this year, as instance George Whitted, Harry Hooper, Zach Wheat, Tris Speaker and so on.

Cleveland writers with the Indians are claiming that Lee Fohl has the American league's best staff of catchers in Steve O'Neill, Leslie Nunamaker and Chester Thomas.

Armando Marsans' suggestion that he be given his release because he is done with baseball hasn't met with much response from the management of the New York Yankees.

Augie Moran, who will be an American association umpire this year, spent most of last season calling balls and strikes in a steel league and also filled in on the National league staff.

CUETO'S PRESS AGENT

When Manuel Cueto reported to the Cincinnati Reds he brought his own press agent with him in the person of his uncle, Sixto Urquiza, a sugar merchant of Havana. Senor Urquiza was advised to spend the summer in the North and he will do it traveling around with Cueto and incidentally sending back reports of how the Cuban players are faring in the states. Players with the Reds are already declaring the Havana man a prince. It goes without saying he's an enthusiastic fan.

CAN USE HIS SPITTER AGAIN

Marty O'Toole Has Been Traded to Texas League, Where Moist Delivery Isn't Barred.

Marty O'Toole, whose sale to the Pittsburgh Pirates for \$22,500 caused a sensation in baseball circles some



years ago, has been traded by Omaha to the San Antonio, Texas league team for Pitcher Townsend. O'Toole, who is a spitballer, asked for the transfer because the moist delivery is barred in the Western league.

M'CANN BACK IN BIG LEAGUE

Former Brooklyn Pitcher and Yankee Scout Engaged by Pat Moran as Scout and Coach.

Here's Gene McCann back in the big leagues. Maybe the modern-day big town fan won't remember him. He used to pitch for Brooklyn and later he was a scout for the Yankees. Then he managed minor league teams in New England with great success. Now Pat Moran has engaged him as scout and coach for the Cincinnati Reds.

BALK RULE TO BE ENFORCED

President Heydler Follows San Johnson and Notifies All Team Managers and Umpires.

President John Heydler of the National league has followed President Ben Johnson of the American and sent out notice that this season the balk rule is to be more strictly enforced. Team managers and umpires have received circular letters from Heydler to such effect.

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for work, so they steal and rob, and even murder."

Dr. Lindenau said he was confident the general tendency among the masses to steal will disappear when regular employment and normal supplies of food and other necessities of life restore prices to a fair basis. The best and youngest detectives, he said, have fallen or been incapacitated at the front, and thus the police are practically powerless in tracing criminals.

"We expected a short war with a German victory, and so we sent the cream of our policemen and detectives away with the rest of our young men," he declared.

Dr. Lindenau is advocating the establishment of regular detective schools in Germany with instruction in psychology and all the arts of crime.

"The Austrians have such an institution at Graz, but in Germany there is not a single one," he said.

Park Theater

"The Lamb and the Lion," Billie Rhodes' latest production released by Exhibitors-Mutual, is a sort of modernized "Oliver Twist" with a girl instead of a boy the center of a series of adventures which lead her through the mazes of the underworld of thieves into the environment of high society, and entangle her in the villainous schemes of an unscrupulous woman of fashion.

It will be the headliner of the bill at the Park theater tonight.

"Boots," was the heroine's name, while "The Lion," the master-thief who preyed on society, was to her simply "Uncle Ben."

"Boots" went with the gang, disguised as a boy, to take part in a midnight "job"—and was captured—and made the tool of a woman of fashion with a score to settle.

In high society "Boots" cut a figure as "Hope Kingston," a debutante of good family, until the crash came at her wedding.

There is the tang of adventure, the thrill of mystery and dramatic situations—and also some hilarious humor in this picture, which makes it entirely different from the ordinary photodrama. Not the least of the humor is supplied by a little pig which the burglar debutante feeds with a baby bottle and shocks the conventional society folk.

The production was made under the direction of Francis J. Grandon, who has some notable successes to his credit, by the National Film Corporation.

On the same bill will be another episode of Houdini in "The Master Mystery," and the Ford Weekly.

Tomorrow evening the Moose will have a benefit performance with local and out-of-town vaudeville. The feature film will be a Goldwyn with Mae Marsh as the star. The title of the play is "Hidden Fires."

COMPLETE CONTROL BY NATIONALIZATION OF LINES

ARGUED BY BRITISH
London, April 27. (By mail)—Looking upon the nationalization of railways as "inevitable" Great Britain is to prosper, the Spectator says there must be complete control of the railways or none at all, for divided control or operation surely would lead to disaster.

"If the State decided to assume responsibility for the railways (a thing provided in the transport bill) it must take them into its hands and work them as a national enterprise, calling to its aid the most expert advisers who can be found," says the Spectator. "Constituting local or private interests must be disregarded."

"We believe that a railway administration, staffed by really competent men, and directed by a chief with ideas and enthusiasm, might work tremendous reforms in our transport services. The parcel traffic, worked in co-operation instead of in competition with the post office might be developed at once to the general advantage. Passengers to the north might have a choice of trains at convenient intervals by one route or another, instead of having a choice of routes at the same hour. Cross-country passengers might be relieved of the dreary waits at some Mugby junction, which are often due to the refusal of one railway company to consult another while drawing up time tables. The tradesmen might find the carriage of his wares greatly expedited by a uniform and systematic handling of freight traffic. The appalling waste which is exemplified in the hauling of trains of empty cars over long distances would certainly be checked. It would be possible to consider seriously central freight stations.

"The vital question of coal transport could be dealt with in peace time as it has been during the war, when by a little planning and forethought much unnecessary haulage of coal has been avoided.

"If the Director General could, on one hand, lessen the waste that now prevails, and, on the other hand, promote enterprise both among the railway officials and among private traders, it is conceivable that we might yet find railway nationalization a blessing in disguise."

Herbert Ross, a young detective who has been engaged by Ruth's aunt to locate her, believes he is on the right track when he finds a girl who closely resembles Ruth, but who goes under the name of Betty Shaw, one of Ruth's friends. Betty Shaw, however, has a birth-mark, which distinguishes her from Ruth, and as Ruth has had an imitation of this painted on her face, Herbert is baffled when he finds Ruth, who is now going under her friend's name, in the household of Mrs. Vanderhold.

A number of mysterious foregatherings hold secret meetings at Mrs. Vanderhold's, and Miss Brant, her former secretary who has been paying too much attention to affairs on these conspirators, is swiftly and secretly murdered. Ruth sees this murder and decides to act alone in bringing these criminals to justice.

From this point on the action becomes so intensely dramatic that you will be held in breathless suspense and thrilled to the very marrow—when the big moment arrives and the final punch is delivered, you will sigh a relief from the powerful excitement of it all, and then cheer justly for the happy lovers who thought there were bigger things in life than romance, but found, after all, that love is the supreme and ruling element in human affairs.

FARMER BUSY SOWING OATS, SO IGNORES COURT.
Springfield, Ill., May 8.—Court must wait for Louis Salle, farmer. He was too busy sowing oats in the field the other day to attend a hearing of his case against the Sangamon County Abstract Company in a Justice of the Peace Court here, so the Judge arranged to hold a special night session for him.

\$18 FLOUR PREDICTED.

Boston, Mass., May 8.—Eighteen dollar flour next September is predicted by local produce merchants. Potatoes went up suddenly last week and beans are likely to go up again soon, say the food experts. Foreign shipments are playing havoc with local produce prices, according to the merchants.

"Beware of small expenses; a small leak will sink a great ship." (Benjamin Franklin.) Wise buying will keep the savings ship afloat. Buy W. S. S.

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Circle Theater

Romance, gowns, mystery, tragedy and life in smart society, all have prominence in the most stirring drama ever produced for the screen, which carries its fullest meaning in its title "Suspense", the super-feature which begins a two day's engagement at the Circle theater tonight.

Mollie King, the clever little star of "Suspense", appears as Ruth West, daughter of Rear-Admiral West, who has been secretly tried and convicted on a charge of stealing important government papers, which results in his dismissal from the service.

Ruth, who has been called to the bedside of her father, who suffered a nervous collapse following his dismissal, intuitively believes her father innocent and determines upon a plan to find the real thief and thus save her father's honor.

After a series of interesting incidents, we find Ruth, who has left her home without giving any word as to her whereabouts, engaged as a private secretary to Mrs. Marcia Vanderhold, a leader of society and a worker in the interests of associated war charities.

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GERMANY STRUGGLING IN GRIP OF CRIME IN WHICH EVEN UPPER CLASSES JOIN

Berlin, April 21 (by mail).—Today the Berlin police arrested three boys under eighteen who confessed having broken into a jewelry store on Unter den Linden and stolen 600,000 marks' worth of precious stones and silverware. The unusual thing about this is that the police actually scored an arrest.

This morning the newspapers printed an account of two men wearing the uniforms of soldiers who bound and gagged a farmer just outside of Berlin, then killed nine pigs on the premises and removed the carcasses in one of the farmer's wagons drawn by his two best horses. Some wicked rich patrons of the sneak trade will have roast pork for next Sunday's dinner.

Last week burglars invaded the municipal bread office and stole several thousand bread cards valid for this week, as a consequence of which the bread cards for the present week have been cancelled and substitutes issued. The burglars won't get a single slice for their trouble.

These are just a few cases of typical crimes picked at random. The newspapers have columns of such stories every day.

"It is all due to the war and revolution," was the explanation given by Dr. Heinrich Lindenau, one of the foremost criminologists of Germany who prefaces his name with the cumbersome title of "oberverwaltungsgerichtsrat," which, I believe, has something to do with jurisprudence.

"Before the war we Germans were about the most honest people in the world, but a criminal tendency is now at large in the country," observed Dr. Lindenau.

In connection with this statement, attention has been drawn to a series of startling bargain sales of wearing

apparel at the second-hand stores in Weinmeisterstrasse, near Alexanderplatz. The goods offered for sale at those stores could be traced back to the million dollar loss inflicted on Tietz' department store by looters during the March disturbances, though concrete proof could not be produced by the police. Women of the upper classes were thronging the stores and purchasing liberal supplies of lingerie, perfumes and other articles dear to the heart of a woman. And these highly respectable ladies asked no questions about the origin of their purchases.

"Dishonesty in one form or another seems to have infected every class of society," said Dr. Lindenau. "It is attributable to the dearth of food and clothes. People must eat and dress. When they can't buy food and clothes they steal them. Or if they can't buy them honestly they purchase them from thieves.

"Before the war German criminals had a horror for bloodshed. A murder was so rare that when one was committed it furnished material for newspaper stories for weeks and weeks in a stretch. Now a murder is one of the commonest crimes in Germany. The soldiers that have returned from the front have been so accustomed to killing that a human life has no value to them. And the criminals at home have caught the blood lust by reading newspaper accounts of thousands and thousands killed in battle day after day for four years.

"Another effect of the war on crime is that the soldiers have lost all respect for property. This, however, is not peculiar to Germany. You will find the same true in France and England, and even the United States. Bolshevism aggravates this criminal tendency in Germany and

elsewhere. In my opinion, one of the tasks of the League of Nations will be close co-operation in combating universal crime."

The thing that seemed to worry Dr. Lindenau most of all was the growing criminality among German youth. He explained that the horrors of the war had made German children brutal, while the pangs of hunger had developed all their bad traits and driven them to theft. At the same time, he said, most German children had been without the beneficial influences of home, the fathers being at the front and the mothers working in ammunition factories, with nobody to control their attendance at school.

"The children want candy and sugar," continued Dr. Lindenau. "But usually they do not steal the sugar. They steal the money with which to buy the sweets.

"One day I took a few oranges to some poor children from five to seven years old. Not one of them knew what an orange was. They were too young to recollect the pre-war days when we had oranges in Germany. This gives you an idea of what war has brought on Germany's children—nothing whatever to bring joy to their hearts.

"Thousands of young boys and girls were recruited for the work vacated by the men called to the front. These young people suddenly found themselves receiving immense wages. Large incomes enabled them to indulge in all sorts of pleasures. Pleasure engendered laziness and unwillingness to work, and this state of mind developed crime. It was easier to obtain money for buying pleasures through theft and robbery than by working for it. The disturbed conditions following the revolution have not discouraged this idea.

"Of course, all German criminals are not juveniles. Starvation has developed a tendency to crime also among older persons. Men and women become lazy and weary through malnutrition. They lose their fitness

H. C. OF L. DECREASES 8 PER CENT IN 4 MONTHS.

Boston, Mass., May 8.—The cost of living for American wage earners declined 8 per cent during the period from the signing of the armistice to the first week of March 1919, according to a statement made by the National Industrial Conference Board.

In March, 1919, the cost of living as estimated by the board's investigator was still approximately 60 per cent to 65 per cent above the pre-war level, as contrasted with an increase of 65 per cent to 70 per cent in November, 1918, and of 50 per cent to 55 per cent in June, 1918, as based on the board's two previous studies of the subject.

HARVARD CRIMSON TAKES CRITICAL VIEW OF FACULTY

Boston, Mass., May 8.—Admitting the charge that Harvard does not compare as an educational center with English universities, and also that the corporation is composed mainly of bankers, the Harvard Crimson declares that the hands of these men of wealth are tied by the faculty and overseers, and that the bankers serve only as "official rubber stamps." The backwardness of education is laid to an inefficient faculty lacking real scholars. And without money, the Crimson points out, the prestige of Harvard, even as it is, would not endure.

TINIEST WILL ON RECORD CONSISTS OF 25 WORDS.

Allentown, Pa., May 8.—The tiniest will ever seen in these parts was admitted to probate recently. It was that of Dr. J. M. Mack, of Slatington, and was written in a fine hand on a leaf torn out of a small memorandum book not much larger than a postage stamp. "I give all my property to my beloved wife, Laifra J. Mack," it read. "Appoint her executrix and she is not required to give bond or security." The estate is estimated at more than \$20,000, so the will is valued at \$1,400 a word.

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ABOUT TOWN

Gustave Saddler of Cooper street, left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., where he has secured employment.

Mrs. T. J. Shaw is spending the week end with relatives in Monson, Mass.

Charles B. Sloane of the Johnson building, Main street, is in New York city on a business trip.

The Ladies of Charity will hold a meeting in the library rooms this evening at 7:45.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thresher have returned from New York, and are at their new home in South Windsor.

Mrs. Mary Murphy of Main street and her nephew, Edward Gill, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gill of Main street, are in New York city for a few days.

Louis Dell of Birch street has sold his shoe store and repairing establishment to Hyman Bogartz of Hartford. Mr. Bogartz who is an ex-service man, took possession of the business, yesterday.

Trolley traffic on the local lines of the Connecticut company was delayed last evening by the falling of a high powered feed wire near Laurel Park. Passengers were transferred from car to car while the electricians were splicing the break.

Samuel Kearns of North Main street is now able to sit up for a short time each day. He had an attack of stomach trouble about ten days ago.

There will be an important meeting tonight of the D. Y. W. Y. K. club in the club room at the "Rec." At the close of the meeting refreshments will be served.

Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Burr of Park street left this afternoon for an automobile trip through the Green mountains. They plan to be gone two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Verplanck will accompany them.

Miss Amanda Schuetz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schuetz of 38 Cooper street, was given a shower Monday evening by the girls of the R. S. C. Sewing club. Miss Schuetz was presented with a handsome hand painted tea set. Following a pleasant evening with games and music, refreshments were served. Miss Schuetz is to be married to Hugo Kohls of 46 Cooper street in the Lutheran Concordia church on Winter street at three o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The local Atlas A. C. will oppose the Talcottville team at the Main street ball grounds Saturday. On Sunday afternoon they will meet the Sand Hills of Burnside, considered one of the fastest and best juvenile teams in this section. This game will also be staged on the home grounds. Symonds and Cervini are the Atlas battery for the Sunday game. Amback, the noted East Hartford High school twirler, will be seen on the mound for the Sand Hills. All the members of the Atlas nine are requested to report for practice at 6.15 this evening.

WATKINS BROS.' STAFF WELCOME OLD COMRADES.

Six From Army Camps and Overseas Entertained at "Rec."

The "Duncan Phye Club", whose members comprise the staff of Watkins Brothers, Inc., held its monthly meeting last evening at the Recreation building. In honor of the six members of the staff who have recently returned from army camps and overseas, the evening was given over to welcoming these men.

Miss Williams, who had charge of the supper and decorating arrangements provided an excellent menu and the club room was very tastefully decorated. After the supper, Miss Williams and Sam Kemp gave an interesting and scientific exhibition of washing dishes. The meeting was called to order by the chairman of the evening, Mr. Kemp. The business of the club was discussed and the March and April bonuses distributed.

Mr. Packard provided a very pleasing musical program. C. Elmore Watkins sang two songs that were well received. Miss Ethel Warnock, the coming soprano of Manchester, sang with much feeling an African lullaby. Mr. Marshall surprised the audience by introducing famous old melodies through the medium of empty wine glasses, passing his hands over the rims of the glasses. Mr. Marshall produced delightful music. A vote of sympathy was extended to Mr. Marshall for the many weary hours he will have to spend trying to coax his wine glasses to sing so merrily after July 1st. Harry Lindell gave an interesting talk on his experiences in France and "Blondy" Walters created roars of laughter with his descriptions of life in an army camp. Mr. Anderson also gave his experiences at Camp Devens.

MACCABEES AT CONVENTION.

At a meeting of Mystic Review, No. 2, of the Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees held Tuesday evening, the commander, Mrs. Carrie B. Wilson and Miss Annie Touhey, the finance auditor, were elected as delegate and alternate respectively to the Maccabee convention which is to be held in Hartford on the 29th. At the convention the guards and officers of the local organization are to take a prominent part under the leadership of Miss Julia McShean. All members who are planning to attend the convention should inform the commander or the record keeper.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish through the medium of The Herald to express our sincere thanks to all our Manchester friends for the many acts of kindness shown us in our great bereavement in the death of our beloved son. We wish to thank all those who contributed flowers. Esmign Mark Arnold and Wife. Rochester, Vt., May 8.

Only one celebrated poet had red hair.—Swinburne.

CHAUNCEY C. HOLMES DIES SUDDENLY

Well Known Contractor Succumbs to Heart Failure This Morning.

Chauncey C. Holmes, formerly a well known contractor and builder, died this morning at his home on Strickland street at the age of 75. Mr. Holmes had been in failing health for the last year or more and owing to his advanced age he was unable to recover from an attack of heart trouble.

Mr. Holmes was a native of Glastonbury and came to Manchester when a young man. Here he learned the carpenter trade. After a time he moved from Manchester to New Britain where he made his home for a period of about 25 years. He continued in the contracting and building business in the Hardware City up to almost seven years ago when he returned to Manchester to live. He built several houses in the Pinehurst tract and sold them and had just completed the house in which he died last spring. Although advanced in years he was, up to the last few months, able to do some work and felt it his duty to keep building as long as he lived.

He was a Mason, belonging to Manchester lodge where he was raised many years ago. He leaves a wife but no children.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed but the body will be taken to New Britain for burial.

SUBSTITUTES FOR SALOON PROPOSED BY CITIZENS

Men at Center Church Look Forward to "Dry" Days.

The mid-week service at the Center church last night was attended by some fifty interested people, anxious to hear about and discuss the coming problems of prohibition. Dr. Hesselgrave led the meeting and spoke of the need of charity and the danger of church people seeking to make their own lives the norm for society as a whole. That the saloon has met certain community needs seemed generally to be recognized. The ledger pointed out the value that alcoholic beverages are supposed to have in drowning care and making the drinker "feel good". Frank Cheney, J., spoke of the saloon as a social center where men congregated, especially in the colder weather, and the advisability of meeting this social desire by some means that would not carry with it the evils entailed by the liquor saloon.

Mr. Hohenthal and some others seemed to feel that the place of the saloon in the community had been over-emphasized and that nothing would be needed as a substitute for it when prohibition comes. The prevailing sentiment of the meeting, however, seemed to be the opposite and the church was urged by Howell Cheney to give moral support to some worthy means of meeting the community needs which the saloon has for so long supplied. He believed that a few thousand dollars' appropriation applied in judicious ways would not only meet the situation but give us something far better than we have ever had before. Some kind of club rooms or "temperance saloons" with games and a bar for soft drinks, tobacco, etc., together with moving pictures in the evening, would more than compensate for the loss of the saloon as a social center.

Dr. Hesselgrave pointed out that this suggestion was entirely in line with the work which had been done by the Y. M. C. A. canteens in France at their best and expressed the hope that the people of this community would thresh out this question and arrive at some formulated conclusion that would be practical and helpful.

GERMANY MUST RETURN CHINESE INSTRUMENTS

Paris, May 8.—Germany, under the peace treaty handed her yesterday, must return to China all the astronomical instruments stolen by German troops in Peking eighteen years ago, while the Germans were acting with allied forces in suppressing the Boxer troubles. The instruments were taken from the Peking Observatory over the protest of General Chaffee, commanding the American troops, and were installed as decorations in the Kaiser's palace. They were 200 years old and of great value.

SNOW AT ST. JOHNS St. Johns, N. F., May 8.—A heavy snow storm set in this morning, making it extremely unlikely that the British aviators could start the trans-Atlantic airplane flight this evening.



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Fine stitch or swiss rib, plain band top or fancy with ribbon trimmed. Regular or extra sizes.

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Summer weight, fine stitch, high neck, long sleeves; high neck, short sleeves; low neck, short sleeves; low neck, no sleeves. 69c, 75c

Union Suits

Bodice top and tight or lace knee 85c, 99c MUNSINGWEAR UNION SUITS, extra fine, silk lisle thread, bodice top, tight knee, regular sizes only. \$2.98

MUNSINGWEAR UNION SUITS, band top, loose shell, or tight knee. Band top, umbrella style. Light weight cotton. \$1.15, \$1.35

FITRITE UNION SUITS, low neck, no sleeves, tight or lace knee. Not all sizes. 59c, 69c

Summer weight cotton Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, lace knee. Regular sizes only. 69c

Summer Pants

Lace trimmed. 59c, 69c, 75c Tight top, tight or lace knee. 69c, 75c Band top, tight knee. 69c, 75c Knit bloomers, white and flesh, fine stitch, elastic band. 99c

Summer Union Suits

Fitrite Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, tight or lace knee. 85c, 99c Union Suits—low neck, no sleeves or short sleeves, tight or lace knee. 85c, 99c, \$1.25

Union suits, band top, tight knee and band top, shell knee. 85c, 99c

Union suit—no sleeves, low neck, envelope style, regular sizes, only. 85c

Munsingwear summer weight, cotton, fine stitch, shell and tight knee, knitted band. 75c, 85c

Munsingwear—fine lisle thread, shell and tight knee, knitted band. 85c, 99c

Children's Summer Underwear

Misses' Vests, low neck, no sleeves, fine stitch, cotton. 25c

Children's Cotton Vests, high neck, short sleeves, three button. 25c

Children's fine cotton vests, low neck, short sleeves. 25c, 29c

Children's Pants, fine stitch, cotton, band top, tight or lace knee. 59c, 69c

Children's Cotton Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, tight or lace knee. 59c, 69c

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LADIES' GARMENTS OF ALL KINDS COATS, SUITS, SKIRTS, SILK DRESSES SUMMER DRESSES, CAPES, DOLMANS SILK WAISTS, LINGERIE

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TONIGHT TONIGHT

Medora, Ill., May 8.—Turn up the lights and play a tune from Carmen's "Il Travatore", for this a tale of a bull who wanted to die to make a Spanish holiday. He saw the red light on an automobile, driven at night by a party of Mexicans and forthwith charged. Head down, his horns collided with the side of the car and nearly upset the frightened occupants. They escaped injury however, and the bull with a badly battered but snortingly decamped into a field after it found its adver-

sary was made of tin and not human flesh.

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