

HINES GETS WAGE DEMANDS OF 450,000 R. R. EMPLOYEES

Director of Railways Meets
Grand President of Brother-
hood and Seven General
Chairmen— Senator Cum-
mins Wants Independent
Investigation— To Com-
pare Cost of Living With
Wages Received.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The wage demands of the 450,000 railway clerks, freight handlers and express and station employees on the railroads under federal control were placed before Railways Director Hines today by J. J. Forrester, Grand President of the Brotherhood of these employees. Forrester, who was called into conference by the Director General, was accompanied by seven general chairmen of the brotherhood, as follows: J. H. Strawn, Connellsville, Pa.; H. J. Osburn, Richmond, Va.; J. F. Murray, Missoula, Mont.; C. D. Huyge, Fort Worth, Tex.; J. H. Muir, Meridian, Miss.; J. D. Flynn, Boston, Mass.; W. E. Gollings, Decatur, Ill.

WANTS INVESTIGATION.
Washington, Aug. 5.—An independent investigation of railroad wages by the Senate before responding to President Wilson's request for a railroad wage adjustment board, was urged today by Senator Cummins of Iowa, chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee.

At a meeting of the commerce committee today to consider the request of President Wilson, Senator Cummins presented a resolution calling for the independent inquiry. Under the resolution the Senate would inquire into comparative wages, and particularly into whether living costs have increased since the last wage increase granted the railroad workers.

The resolution also calls for an inquiry into the general effects of a wage increase to railroad men at this time.

The resolution was referred to a subcommittee composed of Senator Cummins of Iowa, Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, and Senator Wolcott, of Delaware, who were ordered to make a report before the end of the week.

WOULD HAVE GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE JUST PRICES

President of R. R. Brotherhood Says
Prices Must Come Down to Omit
Suffering.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 5.—"If the government was able to guarantee war profits it can guarantee just prices to the consumer."

That was the declaration here of William G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, upon his return from Washington where with other heads of the "Big Four" demand was made that the cost of living be cut down.

"I am not an alarmist," he said, "but if action is not taken immedi-

KILLED ON N. H. R. R.

Man Walking On Track Meets Death
Near Norwalk.

Norwalk, Aug. 5.—Jacob Ash, 15 years old, was instantly killed by a New York, New Haven and Hartford train yesterday afternoon. The victim was taking a short cut along the tracks and apparently did not hear the express which was close by. The body was taken to the South Norwalk station.

TIRED OF BEING ARRESTED.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 5.—Joseph Trost, a former convict, is suffering from shell shock sustained in Belleau Wood while a member of Company C, Seventh Infantry, and as a result has been unable to work.

Because of his pre-war record and failure to hold a job he has been arrested twelve times on suspicion since his return and says he is getting tired of it.

THE PRINCE OF WALES ON TRIP TO AMERICA

Leaves the Royal Family at
Railroad Station
in London.

WILL COME ON WARSHIP

To Land in Canada—Will Be Guest
of U. S. Government in Washing-
ton.

London, Aug. 5.—The Prince of Wales, heir to the British throne, departed for America today.

An absence of royal decorations marked the departure of the Prince from the Victoria Railway station. It was a regular old fashioned home leaving. The prince, dressed in the uniform of a captain of the English navy, was the first to arrive at the station, the royal family following a little later.

Queen Mary affectionately kissed her son good bye while King George and the brothers shook hands, wishing the prince a happy voyage.

While waiting for the special train to make ready for leaving the prince stood upon the platform talking to the royal family and the score of staff officers who were present. At the last minute an attendant rushed up with all of the morning newspapers and thrust them into the prince's hands.

The Prince of Wales boarded the train at the last minute, waving farewell while the crowd of 300 persons who had gathered around the station cheered. The train was made up of four cars to carry the Prince's party and their baggage.

The voyage across the Atlantic will be made on the British battleship Renown. Upon arrival in Canada the royal party will make a tour across the country, later going to Washington and New York as the guests of the American government.

GOES ON SHIP.

Portsmouth, Eng., Aug. 5.—All of the warships in the harbor were dressed out in bunting and flags in honor of the departure of the Prince of Wales for Canada. The band on the battleship Renown played the national anthem as the Prince boarded the vessel. The Renown was under orders to sail at 6 p. m.

SPIRITUALIST TELLS REFUGE OF OFFICER

Leads to Discovery of Lieutenant
Who is Suffering From Shell
Shock.

Manchester, Vt., Aug. 5.—The insistence of a spiritualist that he would be found in a lumber camp led to the discovery in a deserted East Mountain camp here of Lieutenant William H. Stuart of Oneonta, N. Y., who had been missing since his return from France two months ago.

Suffering from an hallucination that the government was searching for him, Stuart fled when he was discharged from the service in New York. The young officer's father acting on the advice of the spiritualist made the search. Doctors attribute young Stuart's condition to the effects of shell shock which he suffered overseas.

JAPAN ANNOUNCES HER POLICY IN SHANTUNG

Has Published Statement in Tokio
Press—Text Has Not Yet Reached
U. S.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The report that the Japanese government has issued a statement to the press at Tokio, outlining its Shantung policy, was confirmed at the State Department today. The department has been notified by the Japanese embassy that such a statement was issued, it was announced but the text has not been received at either the State Department or the Japanese Embassy.

DEMAND FOR EMBARGO ON AMERICAN FOOD IS MADE IN WASHINGTON

Would Stop All Exports of
Foodstuffs to
Europe.

LABOR LEADERS SAID TO FAVOR THE PLAN

Think Halting of Exports Would Re-
duce Prices Here—Cabinet Con-
siders Problems at Meeting To-
day.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Government machinery to flatten out the profiteer and bring down the cost of living was about ready today to be put into action.

The method of procedure by which it is hoped to force down prices and thereby quiet the unrest which has sprung up in the wake of constantly increasing food costs, is to be definitely determined at a meeting of the special cabinet committee today.

The sub-committee, consisting of Chairman Colver, of the Federal Trade Commission; R. C. Leffingwell, assistant secretary of the treasury, and Walker D. Hines, director general of the railroad administration, has completed a comprehensive report to be submitted for action to the general meeting. This report was outlined to President Wilson yesterday when he called on Colver and it is said to meet with the hearty approval of the Executive, who now personally is directing the campaign.

Besides the original members of the committee, today's session was attended by Julius Barnes, head of the United States Grain Corporation, and W. P. G. Harding, of the Federal Reserve Board.

Plan of Action.
Chairman Colver already has made it plain that the sub-committee is agreed that Congress can enact legislation to bring relief from the situation. It is understood that suggestions that the fuel and food administration be revived, with their wartime control of prices, have not met with favor from those now wrestling with the problem. All of the discussions as to procedure have been along three general lines:

Drastic prosecution of profiteers. Reduction of the volume of currency. Throwing the wheat crop on the open market, with the government absorbing the difference between the price for which it sells and the \$2.26 per bushel guaranteed the farmer.

That all of these suggestions are under serious consideration is borne out by the personnel of those attending today's meeting.

Favor An Embargo.

And in the meanwhile a fight for an actual embargo on all foodstuff exports as the only actual remedy to the high cost of living impended in Congress today. Sentiment for such drastic action was growing steadily. Initiated by Representative Madden, of Illinois, and Senator Reed, of Missouri, the suggestion was being carefully considered in many quarters. Many labor leaders already have taken the position that only through an embargo can prices be forced down.

One of the biggest "chain store" concerns in Washington was featuring its advertisements today with the slogan: "Save American food for Americans" and evidences were plenty that this proposal is certain to have many supporters in the near future.

Opponents of the plan were insisting that if put into effect it meant starvation for Europe. They insisted that President Wilson would refuse to permit any embargo legislation to be enacted. That, however, was a subject on which absolutely no official word was obtainable.

Advocates of the embargo plan pointed out that during June—a 30-day month—exports of breadstuffs, flour, etc., totalled \$118,330,211; meat and dairy products, \$175,344,993 and cottonseed oil alone, \$6,255,219 worth. Had this been kept in the United States, they insisted,

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OUR EXPORTS.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Forty per cent of the record-breaking exports during June 1919 were foodstuffs, having an aggregate value of \$356,000,000, it was announced today by the Department of Commerce. The principal breadstuffs exports were 16,000,000 bushels of wheat and 3,500,000 barrels of flour with total value of \$80,000,000; besides 7,000,000 bushels of rye, worth \$13,000,000; 6,000,000 bushels of barley to the value of \$8,000,000 and other grain products valued at \$17,000,000.

HUGHES TELLS BORAH NO RESERVATIONS ARE NEEDED IN ARTICLE 11

"No Injury to American Inter-
ests" There He
Declares.

OBJECTS TO ARTICLE 10 AS BEING INDEFINITE

It Does Not Specify That U. S.
Would Confer and Decide Action
in Future.

Bolton Landing, N. Y., August 5.—No reservations are necessary in regard to article 11 of the covenant of the League of Nations in the opinion of Charles E. Hughes, who, in a letter to Senator Borah, made public at his summer home here tonight, rejects the senator's claim that article 11 is equally as objectionable as article 10. Mr. Hughes' letter is in reply to one written him by Senator Borah on July 29. In it he expresses the opinion that article 11 contains "no injury to American interests."

"I find in article 11 no guaranty of territorial integrity," said Mr. Hughes, "or of the political independence of any state, or any assumption of any obligation to make war, or to maintain an economic boycott or blockade, or to take any other action whatever, unless the United States, availing itself of its privilege as a member of the council, concurs in a decision that such a course is both wise and effectual. The United States, as it seems to me, will be entirely free to reach its conclusions according to the merits of the case."

Continuing his explanation, Mr. Hughes says that his objection to article 10 is that, unlike article 11, "it is not properly limited to an agreement to confer and to decide in the future upon the course of action which would then seem to be in accordance with the dictates of justice and our views as to what as a nation we should undertake."

WARSHIPS KEEP ORDER AT DANISH REFERENDUM

French and British Craft Ordered to
Coast of Schleswig-Holstein Dur-
ing Plebescite.

Paris, Aug. 5.—British and French warships were today ordered to the coast of Schleswig-Holstein to prevent trouble between the Germans and Danes during the plebescite in that district.

GERMANY MAY RETURN RUSSIAN PRISONERS

If They Are Not Sent Home, Ger-
man Government Must Support
Them.

Paris, Aug. 5.—All restrictions preventing Germany from sending Russian war prisoners back into their own country were lifted today by the peace conference. The Russians will be repatriated by way of Poland. If the German government refuses to return the Russians it must pay for their upkeep.

FORCED TO SELL HORSE HE DIES IN FEW DAYS

Friends Think Death of George W.
Leavitt Hastened By Auction of
Favorite Trotter.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 5.—Friends of George W. Leavitt, one of the most noted trotting horse breeders and dealers in America, who died in Readville, Mass., yesterday, believe his death was hastened by the auction here Saturday of his famous trotting horse, Northern Man, for an unpaid board bill. There was a deep affection between the horse and Leavitt and twice a year he came here to see the animal.

SAYS SUGAR MEN ARE HOARDING WITH HOPE OF 3 CENT INCREASE

N. Y. Commissioner of Mar-
kets Declares Big Dealers
Are in Combine.

CHARGES PROFITTEERING IN OTHER FOODSTUFFS

Declares Prospect of Government
Sales Brought Down Prices of Sev-
eral Articles.

New York, Aug. 5.—Evidence that food profiteers have entered into a conspiracy to hoard sugar preparatory to raising the price at least three cents this fall, was obtained today by Deputy Commissioner of Markets Edwin J. O'Malley. O'Malley said he had discovered that brokers controlling the sugar market had entered into a hoarding combine while he was investigating dealings in army supplies.

Despite the fact that the government recently released 37,000,000 pounds of sugar for public purchase in an effort to relieve the sugar shortage, it is now impossible to buy sugar in large quantities at almost any price, O'Malley declared. It was intimated by the deputy commissioner that some of the government's 37,000,000 pounds of sugar had fallen into the hands of profiteers who planned to hold it until they could boost the price.

"Sugar at 9 1-2 cents a pound is practically unobtainable in any sizeable quantities," said O'Malley. "The situation really is serious. I don't see any solution unless the government re-establishes the food control board and brings Mr. Hoover back from Paris."

Not only is there a conspiracy to hoard sugar, O'Malley said, but other commodities are being held back so that profiteers can jack up the market. This is proved, he said, by the fact that when news reached here that government food supplies were soon to be placed on sale the market price of chicken dropped four cents, veal dropped two cents and there were reductions in other foodstuffs.

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WOMAN AND 2 CHILDREN ASPHYXIATED IN BED

Note Left By Mother Says She Had
No Desire to Live—Feared Loss
of Children.

Boston, Aug. 5.—Asphyxiated while they slept by gas escaping from a wall fixture over their bed, Mrs. Bessie McAskill, 31, and her two children, Helen, two, and Russell, one, were found dead today in their home in the south end.

KILLED WHILE AT PLAY.

Manchester, N. H., Aug. 5.—While rolling a hoop in front of his home today, Lawrence Dow, ten years old, was almost instantly killed when he was struck by an automobile owned and driven by Robert C. Latham, of No. 400 West 160th Street, New York City.

WILSON AND CABINET CONSIDER THREAT OF BIG RAILWAY STRIKE

NAME U. S. GENERAL
ON ALLIED MISSION
TO GO TO BUDAPEST

Under Orders to Disarm
Anti-Government
Forces.

WILL LIFT BLOCKADE AND IMPORT FOOD

Allies Take Steps to Conclude Peace
as Soon as Good Faith of Hun-
gary is Established.

Paris, Aug. 5.—General Bangholtz of the United States army, was today appointed a member of an inter-allied mission which has been ordered to proceed immediately to Budapest. The mission is under orders to disarm the Hungarians and to report to the peace conference on the stability of the new socialist government that succeeded the Bela Kun regime.

In the meantime the blockade of Hungary will be lifted temporarily to allow the importation of food in hope this will ameliorate conditions.

WOULD MAKE PEACE.

Paris, Aug. 5.—The peace conference today took definite steps to enter into peace negotiations with Hungary. Although news of the fall of Bela Kun, the Red dictator, had not been officially confirmed, the Entente delegates, acting on semi-official advice, sent a memorandum to the new socialist government which is said to have been set up in Budapest.

It was informed that, if the Hungarians lived up to the terms of the Austro-Hungarian armistice, the blockade and all economic restrictions would be lifted and the allies would enter into actual peace negotiations with Hungary as soon as possible.

CAPT. ROOSEVELT HAS ATTACK OF TRENCH FEVER

Goes to Hospital in Chicago—Also
Suffers From Gas Poisoning.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Captain Archie Roosevelt, who is to make his future home in Chicago, spent the first day here in the Presbyterian hospital. Captain Roosevelt is suffering from trench fever and a recurrence of gas poisoning. He probably will leave the hospital in a few days.

CAN NOT HUG GIRL WHILE DRIVING CAR

New Jersey Court Rules That Man
Must Have Both Hands On the
Wheel.

Newark, N. J., Aug. 5.—Spoony auto drivers are considered a menace to public safety in Newark. One-handed driving does not go.

Ralph Holleman, of West Orange, is minus his auto license today following testimony of witnesses who swore they saw him driving his car with one hand and hugging a girl with the other.

HINDENBURG TAKES BLAME FOR LUDENDORFF ORDERS

Field Marshal Would Relieve His
Chief of Staff of All Responsibility.

Berlin, Aug. 5.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg, chief of staff of the German army, today issued a statement taking all of the blame for orders issued by General Ludendorff, his own chief of staff, during the war.

All Other Matters Set Aside
by Administration—Presi-
dent May Go Before Con-
gress With Problem—
Awaits Opinion of Cabinet
on Special Report—Peace
Treaty Takes Second Place

Washington, Aug. 5.—President Wilson today concentrated his entire attention to the threatened strike of railwaymen and the high cost of living problem, receiving no visitors at all, it was announced at the White House.

Even the peace treaty and the discussions of the League of Nations had to take a second place before the vital domestic problems.

At a meeting of the Cabinet the situation will be canvassed and later, it was stated, the report of the special Cabinet Committee, appointed to examine the two problems, would be placed in the President's hands by Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer, the chairman. After he has digested the report President Wilson will confer with Julius Barnes, head of the United States Grain Corporation on advisable steps to be taken to cut the cost of foodstuffs.

Whether President Wilson will go before Congress with a special message will depend to a large extent upon the recommendations made by the Cabinet committee, it is understood.

HUCKLEBERRIES FLY WHEN CARS CRASH

Slippery Rail Said to Have Caused
Trolley Collision at South Ter-
minus—Cars Damaged But Pas-
sengers Unhurt.

A huckleberry shower was the feature of a trolley collision at the South end terminus early last evening. A P. A. Y. E. car in charge of Motorman Rogers and Conductor Anderson was standing at the South terminus, when an open car in charge of Motorman Johnson and Conductor Twible crashed into it. A front window was smashed and the dash bent on the P. A. Y. E. car as a result of the impact and the front end of the open car was more seriously damaged. There were but few passengers aboard the car at the time. Neither they nor the crew were injured. One man was standing in the rear platform of the new type car, with a pail of huckleberries in his hand. The crash caused him to lose his equilibrium and the pail of berries went flying. Witnesses were treated to a genuine berry shower and the youngsters made short work of the spoils. The inability of Motorman Johnson to stop his car was caused, it is claimed, by a slippery rail.

MILLIONS SAVED IN EDUCATION BY METRICS

Noted Educators Declare Metric
Measure Would Mean Great
Saving.

San Francisco, Aug. 5.—America's greatest educators are supporting the move made by the World Trade Club of San Francisco to secure the adoption of metric units of weights and measures by Britannia and the United States. "The adoption of the metric system by the United States would facilitate teaching of mathematics and applied sciences in schools," wires President Emeritus Charles W. Elliot of Harvard University. President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia has also sent the World Trade Club a telegram of support. Dr. Joseph V. Collins, an eminent educator, declares that the people of the United States lose \$314,000,000 yearly in education because of the time wasted in teaching a system so much more complicated and difficult than the metric system.

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ABANDONED SUITCASE HAS \$10,000 WORTH OF DRUGS.

Clarksburg, W. Va., Aug. 5.—When Antil Gomez, a Spaniard, landed in New York a stranger asked him to guard a suitcase. Gomez watched faithfully for a number of hours, and when the man failed to put in his appearance he brought the bag here with him. When opened it was found to contain \$10,000 worth of heroin and other contraband drugs.

UNDERWEAR TO COST MORE.

New York, Aug. 5.—And now come the underwear men. The country is confronted with a knit underwear shortage this winter, partly because of a small production and partly because of the increased demand from South America and Europe. So prices will be higher.

Perhaps we ought not to call attention to the matter, but is the lady who draws \$15 a week alimony paying a luxury tax on it?

DEMAND AN EMBARGO ON AMERICAN FOOD

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existing prices would have been cut in half.

Meanwhile labor troubles as the result of the demands for higher wages to meet higher food and clothing prices were on the increase everywhere.

The R. R. Question.

The railroad crisis, resulting from the demands of the workers for increased pay and growing directly out of the high cost of living situation, also was giving the President deep concern. The matter is to be taken up at the Cabinet meeting today and a conference between the President and Director Hines, before the session, is probable. The demand of the Big Four Brotherhoods that capital be removed from the lines and that the government take them over for operation in partnership with the employees was before the President and railroad administration and there was considerable speculation in official circles as to the effect this virtual ultimatum would have.

Wilson May Make Appeal.

Congress was ready today to proceed with the creation of a wage board, as requested by Director Hines and approved by the President, but the attitude of the workers, who were calling for immediate action on their wage demands, had precipitated a critical situation. There was a report today that the President might address a public statement to the railroad workers, appealing to them to remain on the job and assuring them of relief through the program that has been mapped out. This report, however, was without verification at the White House.

REC. TO CLOSE SEASON WITH VARIED PROGRAM

Band Concert, Aquatic Meet, Industrial and Annual Field Days.

WEST GROUNDS TO OPEN

Official Dedication of West Side Grounds to Sport Will Be Marked by Program—A Month of Events.

Plans have been completed by Director Whiting of the Recreation Center for a series of important recreational events to be staged during the month. These have been characterized as the "high spots" of local activities and are really the finishing touches on the most successful summer season since the inauguration of the "Rec."

A Month of Events. A big band concert to be held some time next week heads the list of events. The date will be announced soon. The aquatic meet will be staged at the Globe Hollow Pool on Saturday, August 16. The Industrial Field Day, the biggest and most important event of all, will take place on Saturday, August 23rd. The inter-playground meet is scheduled for Tuesday, August 26th. The Girl's pageant has been set for Thursday, August 28th and the Annual Field Day for Saturday, August 30th.

Track Program. The Industrial Field Day marks the formal opening of the new West Side playgrounds and incidentally the closing of the Industrial Baseball League. The cinder track has now been completed and official measurement shows that it is five laps to the mile. The events to be held on the new field on this day will be: 100 yards dash; 1 mile relay with five man teams; circling the bases against time; baseball throw for distance; 12 pound shot put; standing broad jump; tug of war and a baseball game.

Industrial League Wind-up. The latter event will be the feature of the day. The West Side team will be composed of the pick of the Industrial League and a team from out-of-town will be selected to go up against them. The tug of war and the 1 mile relay will be inter-departmental and will be confined to the employees of the various departments at Cheney Brothers. Suitable prizes will be awarded to the winners of all events, the nature of these prizes to be announced later. It will be remembered that the Swedish boys have a two leg hold on the silver cup for the Annual Field Day meet.

ABOUT TOWN

Word has been received by Mrs. Walter Ellison that her husband Walter J. Ellison of the Second Division has arrived at Camp Merritt. He is expected home in a few days.

E. R. Couch of Prospect street has returned from New York city, where he has been taking a course in the Danquard Player Action School.

When you send personal or other news items to the Herald, send your own name with them so that we may know that they come from a reliable person. Otherwise it is not safe for us to publish them.

Miss Grace Smith of North School street is recovering in the Hartford Hospital after an operation performed on her yesterday for tonsils and adenoids by Dr. Dwyer.

Elton Campbell of Oakland street is in the Hartford Hospital where he will undergo an operation for tonsils and adenoids.

Judge W. H. Card of Manchester, known throughout the country as a poultry expert spoke last night on the opening program of the Farmers' Week at the Connecticut Agricultural College. Judge Card spoke on "Breed and Variety Characteristics." Yesterday was "Poultry Day" and noted poultry men were at Storrs.

JOHN BARLEYCORN LOSES IN 49TH OF 50 DIVORCES.

Macon, Ga., Aug. 5.—Fifty shattered romances recently were cast in the spotlight of a divorce court here. John Barleycorn, which has been the usual "alibi" for domestic infidelity in years gone by, was used by only one unhappy bride as an excuse for divorce. Most of the complaining parties alleged cruel treatment and desertion.

AT THE PARK THEATER Tonight and Tomorrow "A picture that mounts higher and Higher and ends on it's top note" MARY MAC LAREN Is at her very best in this visualization Of Ida May Park's Story of A woman at bay THE AMAZING WIFE PRICES: TEN AND TWENTY CENTS AND WAR TAX



MARY MAC LAREN in "THE AMAZING WIFE"

STOCK MARKET

New York, Aug. 5.—There was pronounced pressure against the stock market at the opening today but after losses ranging from one to five points in the general list and six points in some of the specialties were suffered, trading became orderly and there were quick rallies in a number of stocks.

Several moved up two points or more from the lowest levels of the first 15 minutes. It was over 15 minutes before the committee could decide on an opening on Steel Common which was fixed by them at 6,000 shares at 103 3-4 to 103 1-2 and 500 shares at 104, a loss at the lowest of 1 1-4 points from yesterday's close.

Southern Pacific was the weakest of the rails at the start, declining nearly five points to 95, but quickly rallied to 97 3-4. Union Pacific sold down over two points at 124 7-8 with a rally to 125 7-8 and Reading dropped 2 1-2 to 79 1-2, followed by a rally to 80 1-2.

Steel Common later rose over a point to 104 3-4 while Baldwin was in good demand, advancing more than three points to 102 3-4. Ohio Cities Gas, after falling over four points to 48 1-2 recovered nearly all this loss. Southern Pacific after opening at 95 moved up to 98 1-2 and good gains were recorded after the opening in the other railroad shares. Transactions during the first hour totalled over 500,000 shares, a feature of which was no sales of United Cigar Stores during that period.

FACES ESPIONAGE CHARGE. Sidney, Neb., Aug. 5.—Peter Stevens, a wealthy farmer residing twenty miles northeast of Sidney, was bound over to the Federal District Court in the sum of \$2,500, on a charge of espionage. He is said, by witnesses, to have hung out a German flag on July 4.

Even the girl who wears a Sam Brown belt would shriek and jump upon a chair if a mouse approached her.

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ROCKVILLES RENEGE ON ATHLETIC GAME

The Very Idea of Playing in Manchester Threatens to Disrupt Team.

TOO MANY MANAGERS

Windy City Players Make Overtures and Then Back Down—Manager Dowd Arranging Game With Springfield.

Manchester and Rockville fans who were looking forward to a series between the Athletics and All-Rockvilles are doomed to disappointment. The Windy City management last evening notified the local management that they would not play at the Mount Nebo grounds on Sunday afternoon, as previously arranged.

Manager Dowd states that it was the All-Rockvilles who first brought up the question of a series of games with the locals. Manager Dowd and Assistant Manager Leggett went to Rockville last Wednesday evening for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements. On the flip of a coin as to where the first game was to be played, the Athletics won and called for the first game in Manchester.

The trouble with the Rockville club is evidently too many men trying to run the team. This has caused dissension. When the players learned that a series of games had been arranged with the Athletics there was trouble in camp right away. Three of the players left the team.

Where the trouble really lies is a mystery. Manager Dowd cancelled the games scheduled for August 10th and 17th. An endeavor will be made however, to bring the crack Springfield Army team here for next Sunday. Murphy, the school boy pitcher who is creating a sensation in the Bay State with his twirling will probably be seen on the mound for the visitors.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FORD CYLINDERS REBORED and fitted with new pistons. Fred H. North, 130 Main street. Tel. 552.

GIVEN AWAY—A few loads of good chip dirt, suitable for filling. Apply to Blatter and Goodale, North End Wood Yard.

LOST.

LOST—Between Main street and the Green, bill fold containing papers, auto drivers' license, etc. Finder please return to Schwitz Shoe Shop, 883 Main street.

LOST—Dog, 2 week ago, brown and tan bounding, registered collar, no name on it. Finder notify Arthur Miller, 231 Porter street, South Manchester.

LOST—Three coats Sunday on the road to Coventry beyond Case's pond. Finder return to South Office Herald and receive reward.

LOST—A roll of bills between Pine street station and Ridge street. Suitable reward if returned to A. C. R., 22 Fine street.

ately there is going to be grievous suffering.

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What's a Tip for, Anyway?
Noah (bussing the ark building)—Day dreaming on the job again, son? What's the idea?
Japhet—With the inside information we've got, dad, can't you think of some way we can beat the market for a few thousand simoleons?—Buffalo Express.

Even it Up.
Jones—I understand that you have promised that one job to twenty different men if you are elected.
Politician—True. But as I have but one chance in twenty of being elected they all stand as good a chance as I do.

Diffidence.
"Do you dictate your speeches to a stenographer?"
"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "My stenographer is a grammarian and a rhetorician and a logician. I'd rather write 'em out myself and try 'em for the first time on an easier audience."

How About You, Neighbor?
"When I attend an entertainment and notice on the program that there are to be 'selections,'" observed the near-cynic, "I always feel a little doubtful of the good taste of the fellow who did the selecting."

The Hair Lip.
Gallery God (to newly arrived youth, who is obstructing the view)—Down in front! Down in front!
Newly Arrived Youth (fingering his upper lip)—No such thing! It's a mustache!—Cartoons Magazine.



TRUE

He—Much is forgiven man because he's a man.
She—Yes, and a woman's much condemned because she is a woman.
Then She Laughed.
His freshness she could not abide. She lashed him with her tongue.
"How dare you call me 'he!'" she cried; He quailed and murmured "stung!"

Its Use.
"Did you read where some American firms in China are encouraging their younger employees to study Chinese?"
"Well, it must be one advantage to be able to read your laundry ticket."

A Misdeal.
Weary Traveler—Say, my friend, there's no meat in this sandwich.
Waitress—No?
Weary Traveler—Don't you think you'd better give that pack another shuffle and let me draw again?

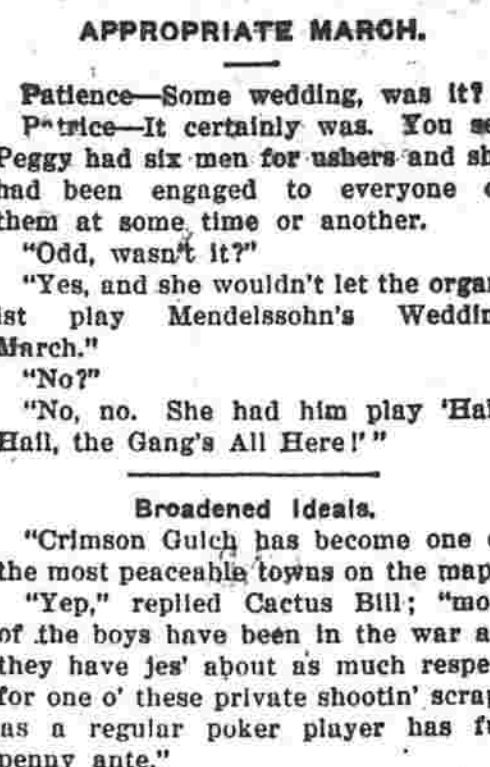
His Business.
"So Hack gave up his part. Wasn't it a good one?"
"No; he expected to be quite prominent in the cast, but they gave him the role of a cook, and he found he was to be only a feeder."

Their Way.
"It wouldn't do for farmers to get control of the national finances."
"Why not?"
"Because from force of habit they would always be watering the stock."

An Objection.
"Pop, a pugilist fights in rounds, doesn't he?"
"Sure, son."
"Then how can he ever put up a square fight?"

The Retort Courteous.
He—I was going to offer a penny for your thoughts, but perhaps they're not worth it.
She—They're not. I was thinking of you.

FIFTEEN ROUND DRAW.
Sam Langford and Jack Thompson Fight First of Series.
Tulsa, Okla., Aug. 5.—Sam Langford, the Boston tar baby and Jack Thompson, of Philadelphia, went fifteen rounds to a draw here last night. This was the first bout of the elimination series for the belt offered by Billy McClain for the negro heavyweight championship of the world.



APPROPRIATE MARCH.

Patience—Some wedding, was it?
Peggy—It certainly was. You see Peggy had six men for ushers and she had been engaged to everyone of them at some time or another.
"Odd, wasn't it?"
"Yes, and she wouldn't let the organist play Mendelssohn's Wedding March."
"No?"
"No, no. She had him play 'Hall, Hall, the Gang's All Here!'"

Broadened Ideals.
"Crimson Gulch has become one of the most peaceable towns on the map."
"Yes," replied Cactus Bill; "most of the boys have been in the war and they have 'jest' about as much respect for one of these private shootin' scraps as a regular poker player has for penny ante."

How it Happened.
Medical Officer—And what is your ailment?
Aviation Recruit—The roof of my mouth is sunburnt, sir.
Medical Officer—The roof of your mouth?
Aviation Recruit—Yes, sir, I've been watching the airships.—Judge.

Pleasure to Hear It.
"See here, wife, Mrs. Gad says you said I was a second hand husband. What do you mean by such a remark?"
"Now, don't get angry, dear. I meant you were like the second hand of a watch—so awfully quick about getting around."—Florida Times Union.



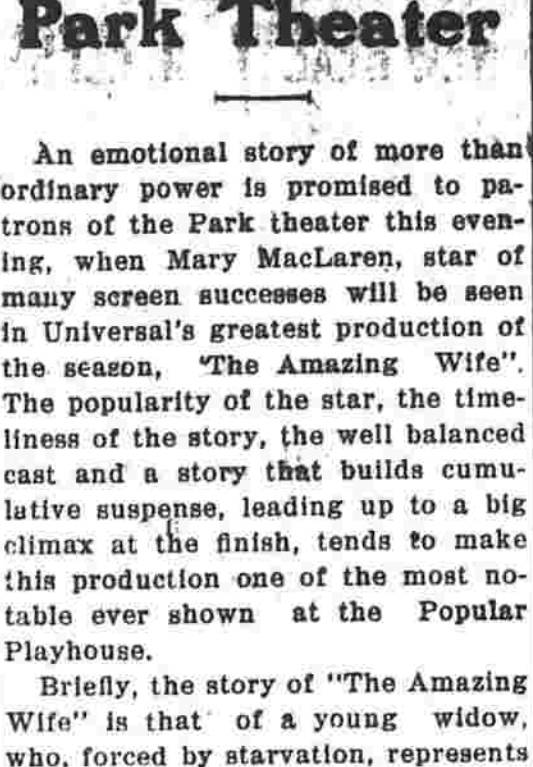
Miss Oldgirl—I've just turned 25.
Mr. Joax—Gracious! You don't mean that you are 32?

Bill Badger Sez.
"Since Kate and me got married we have fit and fit like all tarntation; My leading to the altar Kate Led to a constant altercation."

Constructive Criticism.
"What do you understand by constructive criticism?"
"My idea of constructive criticism," replied Senator Sorghum, "is a line of discussions showing why a man ought to vote for me instead of against me."

Attentions.
"We are all more or less appreciative of a little notice from the great."
"Sometimes," replied Miss Cayenne. "But just now most of us are particularly satisfied if we can get a little notice from a salesman in a store."

Putting on the finishing touches By Morris



Park Theater
An emotional story of more than ordinary power is promised to patrons of the Park theater this evening, when Mary MacLaren, star of many screen successes will be seen in Universal's greatest production of the season, "The Amazing Wife". The popularity of the star, the timeliness of the story, the well balanced cast and a story that builds cumulative suspense, leading up to a big climax at the finish, tends to make this production one of the most notable ever shown at the Popular Playhouse.
Briefly, the story of "The Amazing Wife" is that of a young widow, who, forced by starvation, represents that her husband was a certain young Lieutenant, reported killed in action, instead of another man of the same name, as was actually the case. She is accepted by the young officer's wealthy parents, and wins their affection, not only as their son's wife, but in her own right.
It is the desire not to wound them anew that prevents her from confessing the deception. Then her "husband" returns unexpectedly. The casualty lists had yielded another error that listed as dead one who had survived. The complications that arise lead up to the big scene of the drama, where the young officer risks death to save the honor of his "wife."
In addition there will be shown a two reel comedy and an animated news pictorial. Patrons are reminded that Mabel Normand will be seen in "Sis Hopkins" on Friday only. Next week comes the mammoth super-spectacle, "The Heart of Humanity", considered the screen's greatest triumph since the "Birth of a Nation."

Circle Theater

"Fighting for Gold" with Tom Mix, as the star, more than satisfied the patrons of the Circle theater last evening. They came expecting action and thrills, for these features always characterizes Tom Mix pictures. And they saw what they came after, and more, too, for there are enough hair raising episodes in this picture, to furnish material for half a dozen ordinary features. The versatile cowboy star is at his best and it can be truthfully said that he easily out Fairbanks Fairbanks. This production will be shown for the last time this evening in addition to an episode of "The Perils of Thunder Mountain" and the latest Pathe News pictorial.
Tomorrow afternoon and evening Wallace Reid will appear on the Circle screen in his latest Paramount offering, "The Dub." Here is a drama of unquestioned excellence. It contains a clean, virile story, told in a manner that will keep you constantly on the alert for new situations. The story deals with the adventures met with by a supposed dub, who proves that he is very much of a man after all. This is a picture in which Reid rises to big things. The dramatic moments are tense and strong and there is action every minute. On the same bill will be shown a brand new two reel comedy.
For Thursday and Friday, the management has obtained a special production entitled, "Her Mistake", starring Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and her son, Russell. Local movie fans will remember that all attendance records were smashed in Manchester when this famous star appeared in "Redemption."

Tagging the Bases

The Dodgers hammered the slants of Leon Ames to all parts of the lot while the Giants looked on. Jeff Pfeiffer held the Cards in check.
"Jada" Johnson, of the Athletics was touched up for ten hits but won his game from the Browns, thanks to Perkins' home run in the seventh. Two hits by Wally Schang, coupled with hits by Roth and McInnis and an error by R. Isberg, gave the Red Sox the series with Chicago.
Costly errors by Magee and Merkle gave the Phillies four runs and the last game of their series with the Cubs.
The Pirates and Braves were halted by rain.
Ray Caldwell and Dave Shean of the Red Sox have been given the gate by Manager Barrow, both being handed unconditional releases.

English Strike Spreading.

London, Aug. 5.—The strike on the southwestern railway is spreading. Service on the South London tube has been stopped as a result of the strike.

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TOWN BARS DOGS.
Glen White, W. Va., Aug. 5.—This town has the distinction of being the only place in the State where dogs are not allowed.

DEER HOLD UP TRAIN.
Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 5.—A herd of deer "held up" a gasoline car on the Cripple Creek Short Line Railway on a recent morning and compelled it to wait fifteen minutes.
The deer, instead of becoming frightened at the approach of the train, in phalanx formation raised their heads indignantly as though disputing the "right of way." Officials aboard the train had to get off and chase the herd from the tracks.
By a census of 1910 the population of Mexico was 15,160,369, of which 15,010,668 were Mexicans, 24,212 Spaniards, 10,568 Americans, 12,769 Chinese, 1,922 Japanese and the remainder scattering.

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SABOTAGE IN THE SENATE.

It is apparent that certain Senators have felt that the victory won by the American and allied soldiers in France was in reality the signal for a free for all political scrimmage of the catch-as-catch-can variety. Dignity has been thrown to the winds; courtesy to our allies has been cast on the scrap heap and all regard for the exigencies of the situation here in the United States has been forgotten.

The Senators opposed to the treaty and the covenant have for weeks been wrangling like a committee of back-woods lawyers trying to make up a county slate. The country has looked in vain for any constructive program, it has grown excessively weary of pettiggogery and now it is growing seriously concerned at the prolonged neglect of the nation's business. Even the House of Representatives decided to go away on a vacation, realizing that but little could be done until the Senate had worked off its distemper and settled down to a more reasonable attitude.

Senators who thought that the military destruction of Germany would mark the end of our critical period have been living in a fool's paradise.

The qualities we need most are the very ones lacking in the United States Senate.

We need calm and disinterested counsel in our foreign affairs but the Senate league opponents have made every platform from which they have spoken a place to revile and belittle our allies.

We need the greatest possible harmony between the various branches of our government but the Senate opposition has seemed to take an infernal delight in disrupting every effort at co-operation and unity.

We need the best thought of the Senate on such important matters as the meat packing investigation, the educational bill, the shipping bill, and the universal military service bill, but the Senate opposition can not give up its delightful game of mud slinging long enough to attend to matters such as these.

We need the application of the Senate to the pressing problem of high prices but, with Senators Johnson, Poindexter, Smoot and Reed roaming the fields of Shantung in search of mare's nests, it is impossible for the sensible minded members of that body to address themselves to the matter.

We need the practical services of every Senator honestly applied to the daily affairs of the nation but so long as men like Borah insist on floundering around in waters where they are dangerously over their depth there is nothing we can do except to wonder if the fool killer never goes as far west as Idaho.

Seriously, there are tremendous questions of reconstruction in need of settlement and many of them are questions which demand the attention of the upper house of Congress, but so long as the Senate is held up by that small group of men who insist on tearing down things which they can never even patch together again, the progress of the nation is halted. Already we are face to face with a railway crisis of greater significance than any similar difficulty we have ever met, and still these Senators persist in distracting Washington, and the country in general, with their narrow minded opposition to a great treaty of peace which has been ratified by England and should have been filed in, our own archives several weeks ago.

The yarns in the newspapers which pretend to take seriously the suggestion that the prohibition of tobacco is to be the next step following the prohibition of alcoholic drinks are mere camouflage put out by the opponents of prohibition to frighten people into thinking their rights are in danger. When the use of tobacco produces crime and causes the prisons to be filled then it will be time to talk about its prohibition. Such talk is as ridiculous as a proposition to abolish the use of tea or coffee would be.

Organized labor wants to share the profits of the railroads. Will it also be willing to share the losses?

NEW REALTY CO. ELECTS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

\$50,000 Capital Stock Almost All Taken Up by Local Business Men.

TO FIND RENT SOLUTION

Company Incorporated—Many Believe Capital Stock Could Have Been Increased.—P. J. O'Leary President.

Officers and directors for the ensuing year were elected at a meeting of the Manchester Realty Company held at the Recreation Center last evening. This company organized a few weeks ago and filed papers of incorporation with the secretary of state. The stock of the company is \$50,000, being distributed into 50 shares of \$1,000 each.

Stock Almost All Subscribed.
According to last evening's reports 44 shares of this stock have already been subscribed for, leaving an extremely small balance of six shares which will be disposed of within a few days. The company therefore virtually starts in business with the capital stock all subscribed to. This company was formed for the purpose of helping to relieve the rent situation in Manchester and, in the opinion of many prominent business men, the incorporators, had they wished, could have increased the capital stock to \$100,000.

Officers Elected.

The meeting was called to order with thirty stockholders present. A board of directors composed of the following nine men were elected: William S. Hyde, John F. Sheridan, John Mahoney, P. J. O'Leary, Samuel G. Gordon, N. B. Richards, Angelo Bosco, Robert V. Treat, John H. Hyde. The directors in turn elected the following officers: President, P. J. O'Leary; vice president, John H. Hyde; treasurer, William S. Hyde; secretary, N. B. Richards.

The original incorporators are

Robert J. Smith, P. J. O'Leary and J. H. Johnston of this town.

TANGLE IN TREASURY CAUSE OF BOND LOSS

Soldiers and Sailors Invested in Liberty Loans and Have Nothing to Show.
Washington, Aug. 5.—There are alleged to be more than 150,000 sailors and soldiers who, after subscribing to the various war loan campaigns, and having the amounts of their subscriptions taken out of their pay by the Government, have been unable to secure their bonds or to get trace of them. In a number of cases, it is said, these men have died in the line of duty and their relatives have been unable to secure the bonds or to regain the money collected for them.

This phase of the allotment and insurance tangle in the Treasury Department will be brought to the attention of the House committee which will shortly begin its investigation of the War Risk Insurance by Representative William E. Andrews, of Nebraska, a member of the committee. Mr. Andrews said today that in his correspondence he had come across a number of cases of this kind and that almost every other member had similar cases, and that it was his purpose to request the committee to make thorough inquiry in the hope that the men can either secure their war bonds, or be refunded the money which was taken from their pay.

DISLIKE GERMAN NAME; DEUTSCH IS NOW BAKER.

Denevr, Colo., July 5.—Believing their names were not appropriate for citizens of this country, Hans Wilhelm Deutsch and Mrs. Luella Deutsch here filed a petition asking that their names be made Henry William Baker and Luella Louise Baker.
The petition states that Deutsch was born in Vienna, Austria, thirty-five years ago; that he emigrated from there to this country and became a citizen in 1912. Mrs. Deutsch was born in Germantown, Pa., and the couple was married in New York August 2, 1905.

LUTHERANS PLAN WELCOME.

The Board of Trustees and Deacons of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet at the church parlors this evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of arranging plans for a welcome home reception to be tendered to the ex-soldiers and sailors who are members of the church.

"RESERVATIONS" CANNOT RESERVE
By Talcott Williams

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The opponents of the covenant and peace treaty, unable, thus far, to secure even a bare majority to reject the League of Nations and amend the treaty, are endeavoring to round up a scratch majority for "reservation" by the Senate declaring to what the United States agrees in the two instruments.

This cannot be done. The Senate has definite constitutional powers in treaty making. Outside of these specific powers, its utterances are mere opinion. The Senate can ratify a treaty by a two-thirds majority of a quorum. It can amend a treaty and send it back to the President to secure the assent of the other contracting party, and, if accepted, the Senate can then ratify by a two-thirds vote. The Senate can amend a treaty and then there ratify, subject to the acceptance of this amendment by the other party, and the treaty becomes valid when the President proclaims that this amendment has been adopted.

These powers the Senate has in ratifying a treaty. It has no other, because no others are granted. This is no matter of inference. The Supreme Court has spoken on this very point and practice. This is not the first time the Senate has halted the next step in the national advance, majestic, unceasing, flowing like the stream of a great river, to the ocean of the common consent of humanity, united in a common law of an universal League for Peace, now and always.

The Treaty With Spain.

Factional opposition held up for sixty days the close of the Spanish war, brief hostilities of only three months. The protocol bringing an armistice was signed August 12, 1898; Spain evacuated Porto Rico October 13 and turned over all other conquered territory in swift order; the treaty was signed December 30, 1898; it was ratified February 6, 1899, after weeks of debate, like that today, opposing the annexation of the Philippines because it would "destroy our institutions," "entangle" us in Asiatic affairs and European alliances, and mix us up generally. How far off and forgotten is that clamor of dissident Senators over perils that never came and danger foolishly predicted, with-in and without the Senate.

Reservation Thrown Out.

Having ratified the treaty the Senate in 1899 tried to make its "reservation." It adopted a resolution declaring that the treaty "was not intended to incorporate the inhabitants of the Philippines into citizenship of the United States or to permanently annex those islands." This resolution came before the Supreme Court in a lawsuit raising the point as to whether the treaty with Spain did or did not annex the Philippine Islands and put this territory on a different basis from Porto Rico. This is the way Chief Justice Fuller brushed aside this attempt to tie a string to the Senate's ratification of a treaty. (Fourteen Diamond Rings vs. United States, December 2, 1901, 183 U. S. 153).

It is enough that this was a joint resolution, that it was adopted by the Senate by the vote of 26 to 22, not two-thirds of a quorum, and that it is absolutely without legal significance on the question before us. The meaning of the treaty cannot be controlled by subsequent explanations of some of those who voted to ratify it.

Associate Justice Brown, in a concurring opinion in the same case, put the matter still more clearly:

The Senate has no right to ratify the treaty and introduce new terms into it which shall be obligatory upon it, although it may refuse its ratification or make such ratification conditional upon the adoption of amendments to the treaty.

Neither can the Senate tie up a treaty and alter or decide the meaning of the instrument by action at the time it ratifies the agreement. A century ago the Indians in Massachusetts, at Stockbridge, and in New York State, from 1810 to 1816, sought to remove to what is now Kansas. After years of delay, the treaty for the cession of the land came before the Senate for ratification, June 11, 1838. The Senate ratified the treaty and at the same time it adopted a "proviso" which was not made part of the treaty and was not proclaimed by the President as such. This proviso came before the Supreme Court of the United States sixty years later, in 1898 (New York Indians vs. United States, 170 U. S. 1, April 11, 1898), and the court brushed it aside as

valueless because it was not in the proclamation giving "word for word" the treaty and held of it "while this proviso was adopted by the Senate, there is no evidence that it ever received the sanction or approval of the President."

Another Case.

This disposes of the attempt of the Senate to modify a treaty by action, after a treaty is ratified or during ratification. Still more, our own Government, the Senate and the Supreme Court held successively that the weight and effect of a treaty could not be altered by acts and steps taken by either party to it before ratification. Negotiations commenced between the United States and Spain over the annexation of Florida, January 24, 1818, and the treaty was signed February 22, 1818. During this period of negotiation, the King of Spain (February 6, 1818) ceded 12,000,000 acres, in a royal grant with wide powers, to the Duke of Alagon. The Senate first ratified February 24, 1819; but the President refused to accept the Alagon grant on the ground that it was an attempt to change the status and ownership of territory pending negotiation. The Senate shared this view. The King of Spain disallowed the grant October 21, 1820, and the Senate finally ratified the treaty again February 19, 1821. The United States required this in good faith of another power. The Supreme Court, when the precise issue came before it as to whether the grant gave good title, held (Doe et al. vs. Braden, 57 U. S., 635) that this policy and this practice of the United States were good law and good morals. It held that the President and the Senate were both right in insisting that one party to a treaty cannot go behind or around or above or below a treaty between nations and modify by ex parte action on one side the sanction, the action, the meaning or the operation of a treaty to which both agree.

Back to Paris.

"Reservations" by the Senate cannot reserve. The Covenant of a League of Nations and the Treaty of Peace now before the Senate can be rejected; but the Senate has not a faction, even of one vote over one-third, ready to take this step. The Senate can amend the treaty. If there were a bare majority for this, it would be attempted; but no such majority has yet appeared. The Senate can ratify subject to the future adoption of its amendments; but no majority in the Senate dares to throw the peace of nations into the melting pot at Paris again.

Any "reservations" by the Senate will be, as the Supreme Court held in the Spanish treaty, "absolutely without legal significance on the question." As between men or nations, what good is any "reservation" not in the contract and adopted by one party only? Did our "reservation" at The Hague, protesting in 1900 that we would keep out of European agreements and conflicts, keep us out in 1917?

No More Isolation.

The day is past for our isolation. The logic of world events has been and will be too strong for "reservations" in the world action of the American people. Let us all, President, Senate and people, do our share to lay the foundation for world peace and world law. Let our descendants keep the peace their fathers made, as we, in our day, have kept the continental peace our fathers made and are extending it to the world, and may the God that blessed them and guided us bless and guide those that come after, without "reservations." So it has been; so it will be.

PETE ANTELOPE BECOMES CHAMPION DOG FIGHTER.

Lander, Wyo., Aug. 5.—A six-months-old antelope, mascot of a drilling crew working in the Buffalo Basin, is fast coming to the front as a fighter. He will not permit any dog, from a St. Bernard to a Mexican hairless, to come anywhere near the camp. His manner of attack is quick and savage—approaching the enemy by leaps and using his hoofs, which are very sharp, in the clinches. Twenty-seven dogs so far have been defeated by this antelope, and he has come out of every fight without a mark.

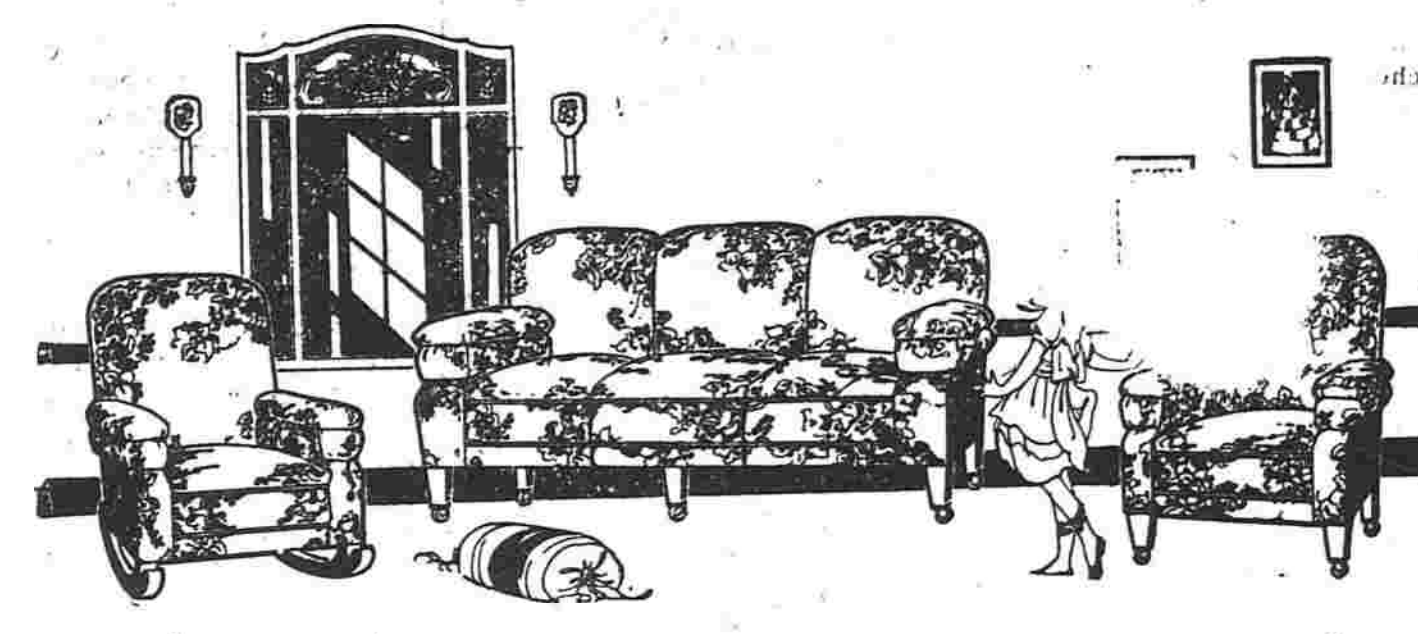
"KICK" IN BERRY JUICE.

Portland, Me., Aug. 5.—Canned blueberries used in making pies in a local restaurant fermented and gave such a "kick" that there was a run on the restaurant.

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FALLS IN SHAM AIR BATTLE.
Aviator Drops Into Ocean at Nantasket Beach.
Nantasket Beach, Mass., Aug. 5.—An aerial "battle" between two San Francisco aviators—Lieutenant Wesley L. Smith and Lieutenant Mark C. Hogue—had a realistic finish when Smith was hurled into the ocean as his plane spun down out of control. He was rescued by watchers on the beach and was only slightly hurt. A few days Smith fell 1,000 feet, his plane being smashed to pieces on the water.

COPS FIND CLUE—DEAD CAT.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 5.—"A mysterious package wrapped in a red tablecloth was buried in the yard next door early Sunday morning," was the message received by the police recently.
Two policemen, armed with show-

The emerald has been known since early times both in Europe and in certain parts of the Orient, where its attractive color and rarity have endowed it with highest rank. Its name may be traced to an old word which appeared in Greek as smaragdus, mentioned in Greek by Theophrastus 300 B. C.

YANKEE OWNERS WILL GO TO LAW OVER MAYS

Expected to Serve Injunction on Ban Johnson Today—Says He Owns Stock in Cleveland Club.

New York, Aug. 5.—Jacob Ruppert and T. L. Huston, owners of the Yankees, are expected to make application today for an injunction restraining Ban Johnson from holding pitcher Carl Mays in suspension. Action was held up yesterday while the club's attorneys prepared the papers in the case. If an injunction is secured before game time this afternoon it is planned to pitch Mays against St. Louis.

President Ban Johnson, of the American League, has announced that inasmuch as the Yankee owners refused to attend a league meeting, none will be held. He is still standing firmly behind his suspension of the former Boston pitcher. Colonel Huston has openly accused Johnson of being a stockholder in the Cleveland club, stating that the failure of Cleveland to get Mays from Boston prompted Johnson to suspend the player. Johnson has declined to comment on the statement.

LAUREL PARK PROGRAM.

Fifteen Musicians in Orchestra for Three Dances This Week.

Patrons of Laurel park have something unusually fine in store for them this week when the management will conduct three big dances Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening. These are the regular dance nights but there will be numerous added features the coming week, including Hatch's augmented orchestra with fifteen of the leading musicians of Connecticut. There will be many novelties, introduced by the orchestra, including the cathedral chimes, saxophones, marimbaphone, etc. Laurel park is booming as never before and in appreciation of the largely increased attendance the management plans to have new amusement features every week from now until the close of the season. Every Sunday afternoon there is a band concert at the park, while Sunday evenings the latest and best moving picture fea-

tures are shown. The park is easily accessible by trolley or automobile and the roads are all that could be desired. Swings, merry-go-rounds and boating are all enjoyed at their best at the park and the restaurant serves only home-cooked food. Don't forget that the big series of dances with special musical and other features start this Tuesday evening.

BOLTON

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvira last week. This is their second child.

East Central Pomona Grange, No. 3, is to hold a picnic and field day at Hill's Grove, Wapping, August 15th.

Charles N. Loomis has returned from a visit with his son, Charles N. Loomis, Jr., in Pawtucket, R. I.

The Misses Lizzie Grogan and Frances Devlin of Hartford are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McGurk.

Miss Josephine Mathein has obtained work in the Travelers' Insurance Company of Hartford, and began her duties there last week.

Miss Mary Mathein spent Sunday in Westfield, Mass., the guests of friends.

Miss Katherine E. Stetson and Clarence Stetson of Cromwell spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Loomis.

Mrs. L. J. Ward of Ocean Grove, N. J., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Samuel M. Alvord.

Miss Elizabeth Mathews who has been with her sister, Mrs. Frank K. Abbott, for several months, left Saturday for her home in Wilkesbarre, Pa., in company with her sister and cousin, Misses Elsie Mathews and Martha Mathews, who made a short visit in town.

DIVORCE MORE EXPENSIVE.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 5.—Divorces, always expensive, are growing more so daily, records of the Circuit Court show. Court cases have not increased, but alimony allowances are larger, and even attorneys' fees are going up.

The ability of the husband to pay is the chief consideration of courts in fixing allowances, according to Circuit Court Judge Landwehr. And the ability to pay now is greater with increased incomes.

Labor's Railway Program Stated In Appeal to Public

The Statement.

"The insinuations in telegraphed dispatches from Washington appearing also in the speech of Representative Blanton of Texas, that the railroad unions are holding up Congress and the government may as well cease. This appeal is made to the American people direct. It invokes the judgment and common sense of public sentiment of all the public which earns a wage or a stipend. We recognize that the only way in which we can exist under the present system is to demand further increases in wages. But we agree with Representative Blanton that this affords but temporary relief. It does not offer a remedy.

"Labor's bill, on the other hand, provides a remedy and we ask merely that its terms be scrutinized. Our arguments in support of these terms will be presented on Wednesday before the House committee on interstate commerce. In this statement we are sounding the note of our basic principle.

"That this role originates with labor is merely because labor happens to have firm organizations through which it may become articulate. It is not to benefit labor as labor alone, it is to benefit the consuming public of which labor at present is the audible part. In labor's bill providing that the public take over the railroads and establish a tripartite control between the public, the railway operating management and the employees, the labor organizations of America have established this new policy which envisages their condition not only as producers, but also as consumers.

"It makes the steps by which organized labor passes from demands for wage increases to demand that the system of profits in industry be overhauled. Hitherto, during successive wage negotiations and arbitration awards, we have called for provisional settlements only, of questions arising out of differences as to wages, hours and conditions of labor. That principle of genuine co-operation and partnership based upon a real community of interest and participation in control, of which President Wilson has spoken to Congress, has been ignored both by labor and by private owners of the railroads.

Challenges Profit System.
"What wage increases have been received during the past few years resulted only in immediately being followed by more than proportionate increases in the cost of living. Each rise in wages has turned out to mean only temporary relief for the affected workers.

"When the increases have gone around the circle, labor as producer loses the advantage of the new wages through the additional cost it pays as consumer. Moreover, through compounded profits taken on these wage increases each cycle becomes an upward spiral of costs which the consuming public vainly reaches to control.

Eliminate Wall Street.
"As the major part of the consuming public labor is entitled to representation on the directorate of the public railroads. As a producer of capital it is entitled to representa-

tion on the directorate of the railroads. To capital, which is the fruit of yesterday's labor, we now propose to discharge every just obligation. We demand that the owners of capital, who represent only financial interest as distinguished from operating brains and energy, be retired from management, receiving government bonds with a fair interest return from every honest dollar that they have invested in the railway industry. We ask that the railroads of the United States be vested in the public; that those actually engaged in conducting that industry, not from Wall street, but from the railroad offices and yards and out on the railroad lines, shall take charge of this service for the public.

"These represent all the brains, skill and energy that is in the business. They are entitled to that measure of control which is equal to their ability and their responsibility for operating the transportation properties. Then, and then only, will the service be primarily for profits to speculators and inflators of capital. As a means for accomplishing this end, we ask that a lease be granted to a corporation created not for profit, but for public service.

The Three Interests.
"We ask that this corporation be controlled in its management by an equal representation of three fundamental interests upon which industry is based. The public, operating managers and wage earners will then guarantee both the integrity of the investment required for the conduct of the industry and that return which induces it, by investing, to enter the public service.

"The public as consumers and the operating managers and wage earners as producers, having joined in that guarantee, will then share equally all earnings in excess of the amounts required to meet the guarantee.

"This is provided by granting to the wage earners and management one-half of the savings which they through their perfected organizations can make, and by securing to the public the other half to be enjoyed by the consumers, either by increasing the means for service without increasing fixed charges or by reducing the cost of the service which the machinery then in existence can render. Thus the cost of transportation is automatically reduced exactly in proportion as benefits accrue to the producers of transportation. Increase in earning power of producers under this system cannot be reflected in increased costs; it must be balanced by decreased costs.

Effect On Prices.
"The railroads are the key industry of the nation. They affect at once the price of every necessity. As increased transportation costs are reflected in the increased price of all commodities, so a reduction in those costs must be reflected by reduced prices.

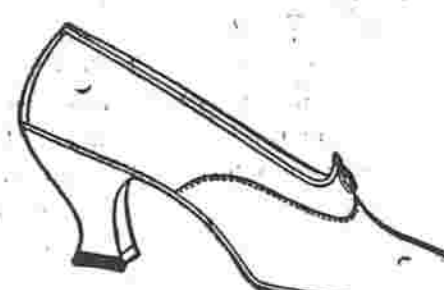
"We say this because of labor's interest as consumer as part of an overburdened public. This fundamental statement of principle we respectfully submit to the American people."

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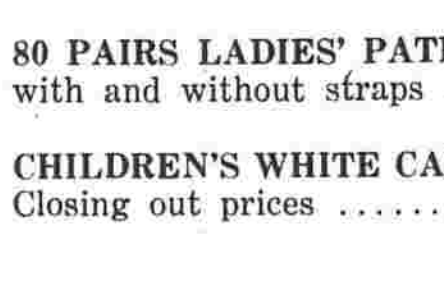
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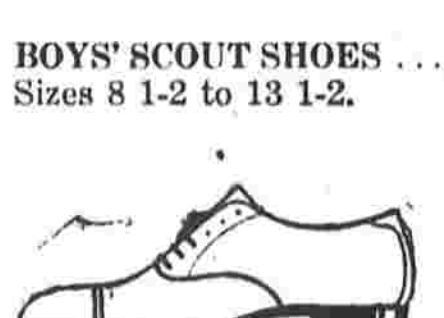
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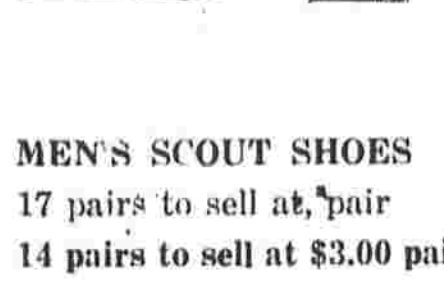
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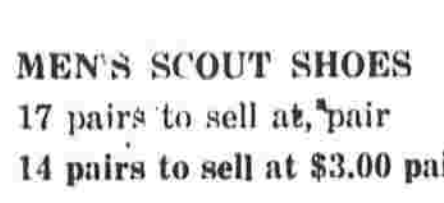
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HEADLINE HISTORY WORLD WAR
by Cushman Stetson

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What Happened August 5

1914.
President Wilson extends "good offices" to warring powers—Franco-Belgian troops under King Albert check Germans at Liege—Germany sends ultimatum to Italy—Martial law throughout Holland—English Field Marshal Earl Kitchener appointed Secretary of State for war—Baltic Fleet gathers off Heligoland; German Fleet in Kiel Canal.

1915.
Germans enter Warsaw; Russians withdraw to new lines, 6,000,000 men engaged—President Wilson summons Congress leaders to confer on national defense—U. S. Marines land and occupy Port au Prince, Haiti—French capture German positions in the Vosges and Argonne Forests—Roumania votes \$20,000,000 war credit.

1916.
German Count Reventlow advocates eviction of U. S. Belgian Food

Commission—British advance on two-mile front; capture second German defense line trenches north of Pozieres—Russians win south of Brody; cross Sereth River, capture 12,000 Teutons.

1917.
American forces now under arms 809,743—German Imperial Chancellor Georg Michaelis demands "strong peace"—Canadians drive forward against Lens; British press forward on mile front north of Ypres—Kerensky's power temporarily restored; Russian defense stiffening.

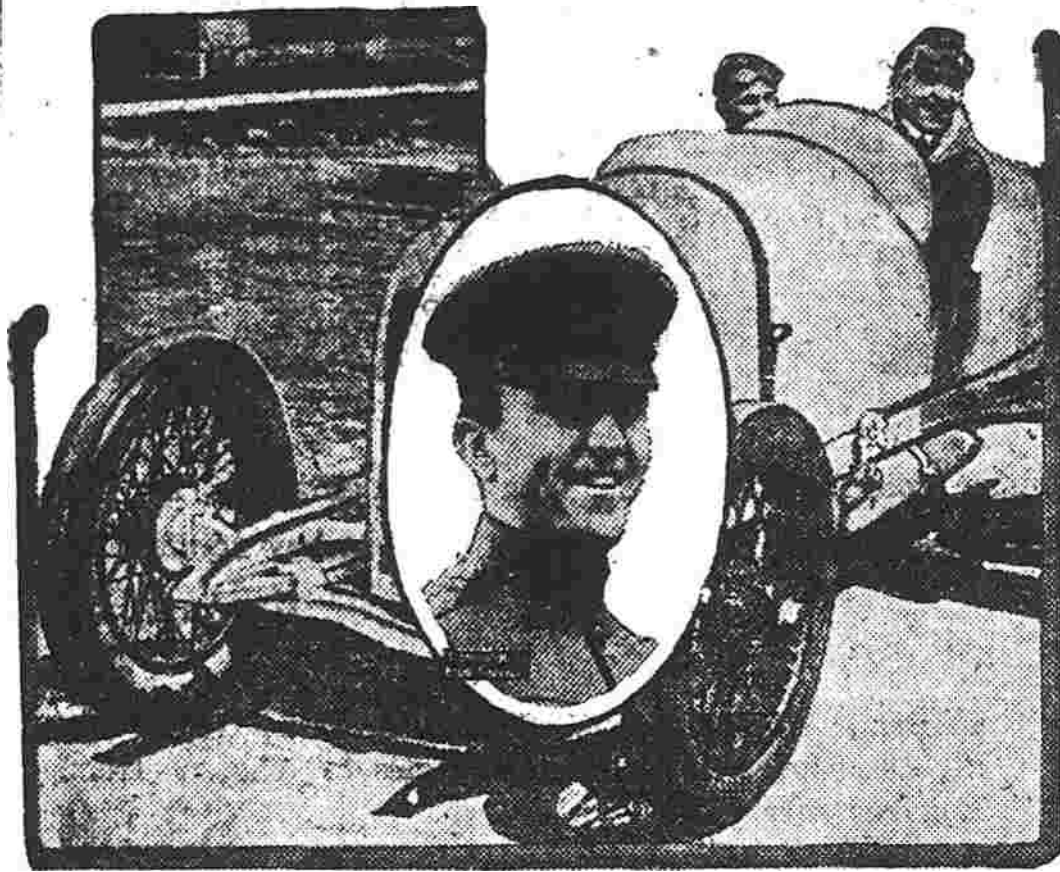
1918.
Hospital ship Waralda torpedoed at night in English Channel; 123 persons, including 1 American, drowned—Germans stand on Vesle, withdraw in north—2 American tank ships off Nova Scotia sunk by torpedoes—Paris again shelled by long range gun.

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Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, known to fame as "America's ace of aces," but to auto racing fans as "Eddie Rick," selected to referee the Indianapolis 500-mile Liberty sweepstakes, May 31, inaugurating the post-war revival of automobile racing in America, is the automobile industry's war hero, and also one of the best-known drivers of race cars that America ever produced. Since he forswore the speed game to don an army uniform and succeeded in knocking 28 Boche planes out of the sky, he announced that he would forsake his former love in the field of automotive sport and permanently abide with the new, in which he achieved his greatest honors.

Like Umpire's Job. Because he has always been noted for his square dealing, and because he has the regard and confidence of all racing drivers, Carl G. Fisher, president of the Indianapolis motor speedway, invited Captain Eddie to become chief official of the Liberty event. Being the referee of a big race is just about as popular a job as umpiring a hotly contested baseball game.

Captain Rickenbacker's war record is known to almost all race fans, for they closely followed his career in the newspapers during the 18 months that he was in France with General Pershing's warriors.

Captain Rickenbacker was an "ace" in the racing game, and one of the favorites of racing fans, long before he gained his international fame as an aviator. In 1916 he led all the drivers of American cars, and finished third

in the A. A. driving championship. When the last 500-mile race was run on the Indianapolis speedway, in 1916, Captain Eddie set a gruelling pace for 25 miles that would have run the field off its feet had he been able to maintain it. Disaster overtook him, however, after he had gained a mile of the field in ten laps, and a wrecked engine sent him to the pits.

In the Harvest day meet of the same year, Captain Rickenbacker and the late Johnny Aitken raced neck and neck to win the 100-mile contest that featured the day's program. It looked as though Aitken would lose, when a wheel collapsed on Rickenbacker's mount and he spun like a top before sliding off the course, with Aitken thundering by. The accident happened with two laps to go, and was one of the most spectacular in the history of the brick track.

Had Many Close Calls. In spite of his many close calls in racing and his battles in the air, Captain Rickenbacker has never lost the smile for which he is famous. The referee of a big race must contend with the kicks and complaints of drivers, team managers, and all the men who operate the machinery of a big event. With his ability to remain good natured in the face of adversity, and also because of his intimate knowledge of the racing sport and its rules, it is believed that he will prove the most successful referee the Indianapolis track has ever had, with all the fans pulling for him to make good in his capacity of chief arbiter.

A Solitaire for Susan

By IZOLA FORRESTER

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If Susan had not lived in semi-retirement for all the years of her girl blooming it would not have been so tragic. But it did seem as if all Kittery Bend rejoiced with her when Dudley Ames finally made up his mind and left a diamond ring in her hand after seven years of indecision.

If you leave the train at Fairfield Junction and take the trolley eight miles along the shore you come to Kittery Bend. It lies on a small peninsula jutting out into Long Island sound, one rambling main street, with the residence section crowding Piney Point. Here on the Point Susan had lived with her two brothers ever since her father, old Captain Rogers, had been laid away in the seamen's burial ground behind the old Point church.

It had not seemed then as if anybody would ever ride along and play prince of romance to Susan's dreams. She was too proud and exclusive ever to attend the village social affairs, and no local suitor has the temerity to climb the hill and show serious attentions before either Susan or her two elder brothers. So the early years of her teens had passed and she was twenty-six when Dudley sold off his old rocky home for a quarry and suddenly found courage.

Susan stood on the veranda that first day with the new thrill of wonderment yet upon her and the diamond on her left hand. She had always felt it would be Dudley who would ask her to marry him, and yet, now that it had



It Was the Hope of Seeing the Lights. come true, she felt a curious sense of disappointment. He had been so deliberate and sure.

"I guess you've known right along now how I felt toward you, Susan," he had said. "I've brought the ring with me and I don't think the boys can make any fuss about it now. I've got as much as any of you."

No, she thought, there would be no fuss. There would be a quiet wedding, and she would simply drive over to the old Ames homestead and take Dudley's mother's place there for the rest of her life. And as she thought of it, somehow there came a swift reaction, a vague haunting longing for all the dreams of her handsome girl days, when she had dreaded Dudley's steady calls, and had hoped somebody might come to the Bend and carry her away from the everlasting sameness of things.

"You're in mighty good luck, Sue, to get a man like Dud," Dave told her at dinner that night. "You're not as young as you might be, and there isn't a girl on the Point who wouldn't be proud to wear that ring on your hand."

Susan turned the ring about thoughtfully, looking at her other brother. It had always seemed as if Clayton understood her better than Dave, yet he, too, smiled over at her and stuttered gently.

It was raining after supper that night, raining with a light breeze blowing in off the water, and all the garden lifting its burden of sweetness to the moisture. She slipped a long cloak about her and went out softly, down the back steps into the little path that took the edge of the hill above the shore. The tall spider lilies caught at her thin dress as she passed, and she stepped on wild roses growing low along the path, and the plink bouncing betises.

And, oddly enough, she knew that she was deceiving herself. It was not the beauty of the night calling her; it was the hope of seeing the lights on Nell McCloud's schooner, down in the little crooked channel that formed the harbor of Kittery Bend. Nell was a newcomer. He had even trespassed on that hill path up to the Rogers' place, not knowing that only the family ever took the short cut. And there he had first found Susan, watching alone from the little old pilot house that served as a summer house, and had come from her father's first ship, the Three Widows.

After that, every time he came to the Bend he took the hill path, and Susan watched for him, knowing in her heart he was on forbidden ground if the boys were to see him there. Through Jimmie, the grocery boy, she heard of how he stood in the village.

"He ain't steady going, Miss Rogers, they say. Sorter wild. Spends all his money soon as he gets it. Says he wouldn't live on land for anything. He's been everywhere in that schooner of his. Says he'd just as soon go 'round the world in her as not. Ain't afraid of nothing. Gee, I like to hear him talk."

So perhaps Susan had woven a romance about him because of his wandering tendencies. Nobody ever longed to travel away from the Bend and the vistas of Piney Point as much as herself.

She saw the schooner's lights as soon as she came near the edge of the hill, and even while she held her breath, one hand close to her throat, she heard his voice singing as he came up the path:

"Oh, Billy was a bo'sun, bold and brave, William was a gay, young sailor—"

How tall and straight he was beside Dudley's rotund figure, how the rain clung in little diamonds of light to his curly hair as he raised his cap to her. Susan lifted her chin higher, trying to keep back the tolltale quiver in her voice when he greeted her.

"I'm hearing news about you, Miss Rogers," he said, with a new ring in his tone. "After four months at sea it's good to have news, and I wish you all happiness."

"News travels fast, it seems," she tried to speak lightly. "Faster than the 'Rambler.'"

"I've been around the cape and back," he told her curtly. "And I saved enough to come up here and speak freely to you. You knew I'd be back, Sue."

She shrank back from the authority in his tone. Nobody had called her Sue in years.

"Oh, I know I've no home to take you to like Dud Ames," he said. "I was going to ask you to marry me, and we'd take the long trail of the seawinds and go where we wanted to. And I thought you were waiting for me and you knew in your heart why I'd come back. Don't you suppose I know what they say of me? But do I care? The schooner's mine and no man can say a word against me. If it wasn't for the ring on your hand I'd take you down now with me and we'd be sailing before anyone could stop us."

Along the path came Jimmie's whistle on his way home from work. Susan held her breath until he came near, then she called to him gently, drawing the ring from her finger.

"Jimmie, will you leave this with Mr. Ames for me on your way, please. He'll understand. Don't lose it."

After the boy had gone on, open-mouthed and alarmed, she turned to Nell with outstretched, steady hand.

"Shall we go down the path together now?"

"If you're in earnest well have to leave tonight," he said, staring at her white face, and dark, shadowy eyes. "We'll stop at New Haven and be married, and go straight on out to sea. There's no turning back, Sue, you understand that?"

But Susan walked before him down the hill path, with a little smile of triumph on her lips, her eyes on the lights of the "Rambler." After all, in spite of them all, she had found the wings of romance.

Temporary Inconvenience. The man who staggered into a doorway and then sank to a sitting position on the step caused some people to suspect he had been dining too well.

The ashen pallor of his face soon attracted the attention of a sympathetic bystander, however, and the latter inquired:

"What seems to be the trouble?"

The man smiled feebly, craned his neck, tried to clear his throat, and then placed one hand to his perspiring brow.

"You haven't been drinking too much?"

"No," the man replied. "It's nothing serious. It'll all be right in a minute. I just swallowed my chew."—Youngstown Telegram.

Kiss in Russia Universal. The Chinese and Japanese never kiss—a mother will not even kiss her child. Americans have copied, to a great extent, the example set by the French and carry kissing to an excess; but the Russians, for centuries, have been recognized as the champion kissing nation of the world. With them the kiss is the national salute, and has been so for ages; it has been handed down from oriental ancestors and is more of a greeting than a caress. Fathers and sons kiss—whole regiments kiss—military officers kiss. The czar kissed his officers, and on the day of a field review there were almost as many kisses exchanged as shots.

A Bold Bid. "I see you have changed the name of the Brokers & Stokers bank to the Greasepaint & Slipstick."

"That's right."

"What's the big idea?"

"We want to get some of this movie money on deposit."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Might Have Had Him Drowned. Irene is jealous of her baby brother. The other day Irene went to visit a neighbor who had a new baby. Irene's mother asked her if she would like to have a baby like that, and she said: "No, mother, I'm even sorry we have Walter, but he's here now, so let him stay."

American Styles in Summer



In certain lines of women's apparel America has become independent of other countries in the production of styles and materials. In some things we are conceded to excel, as in the designing and making of tailored suits and shoes. We have been driven to depend upon ourselves in producing the bulk of the ready-made underwear worn by women whose demands are peculiarly American.

The proportion of undergarments made of washable silks grows larger, and crepe de chine gains on the cotton materials every day. There are several very good reasons for this, but the main one is the laborer's love of luxurious clothes, especially in the matter of undergarments, which is rooted in the eternal feminine nature.

Hand stitching is the hall-mark of elegance on undermuslins, so that women who know how to sew for themselves have a great advantage over those who do not. But there is not much hand sewing or hand embroidery on manufactured underwear, which, nevertheless, contrives to be very dainty. The manufacturer who turned

out the two envelope chemises shown here will not dread a comparison between them and their hand-made counterparts. They are just as effective and just as durable. It is in little details of finish that the hand-made garment gets beyond the limitations of machinery and cannot be exactly copied.

The chemise at the left is of white silk with a crossbar of green. There is a yoke of plain silk, also a border about the bottom and bands over the shoulders made of it. Bows of narrow ribbon with their hanging ends finished with soft silk balls make fascinating and original finishing touches.

The lovely garment at the right is made of pale blue satin with heavy silk embroidery and real fillet lace to enrich it. The empire waistline makes it graceful. This is gathered in with satin ribbon tied in a bow with long loops and ends. The same models are not less beautiful or less elegant when made of fine cotton fabrics.

Julius Bottomly

CHARGED WITH CRIME DATING BACK 32 YEARS.

Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 5.—John Shorn is under arrest here charged with a crime committed thirty-two years ago. In 1887, Evan Withrow was killed during a bar-room quarrel, and the son of the murdered man charges Shorn is responsible.

"TON OF PORK" CLUB.

Haddam, Conn., Seven boys and three girls of this town have formed a "ton of pork" club, the purpose being to produce 2,000 pounds of pork from ten little pigs which the members have begun to feed. The weights of the pigs are being taken at stated intervals, stimulating competition among the young owners in feeding methods.

Women Made Young

Bright eyes, a clear skin and a body full of youth and health may be yours if you will keep your system in order by regularly taking



The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles, the enemies of life and looks. In use since 1896. All druggists, three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

BIG DANCE DRIVE AT Laurel Park

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HATCH'S WONDERFUL DANCE BAND
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ADMISSION TO DANCE PAVILION ONLY 10c
No such inspiring dance music ever heard in this vicinity. These great events will take place rain or shine.

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DRIVE RIGHT!

Don't hog the road. Obey all traffic signals. Don't stop on car tracks to wait for signal. Keep near the curb. Don't go ahead of the officer's signal and then say you did not see him. Don't turn in middle of block in narrow side streets. Don't stop in the line of traffic to buy a newspaper. Don't fail to report accidents to the police department. Try not to delay traffic by killing your engine. Don't overinflate your tires.

STOP POUNDING OF ENGINES

Trouble May Be Due to Several Causes, Among Others Imperfect Electrical Connection. If a pound in the engine is regular and continuous, it is likely to be from lost motion in the bearings. If it is irregular and occasional, it is more likely to be due to preignition caused by incandescent carbon or from imperfect electrical connections. If the pounding is accompanied by occasional missing, especially if the missing is more frequent when the car is running than when the engine is idling, it is more apt to be due to imperfect electrical connections.

SELF-LUBRICATING BUSHING

Comparatively Easy by Drilling Holes and Packing With Graphite Every Six Months. It is comparatively easy to make a self-lubricating bushing for the spring bolt by drilling six holes, each 3-16 of an inch in diameter through a new bronze bushing. These holes are necked with graphite, when the bushing is in place. By removing the spring bolt every six months and re-packing the bushing with graphite, a nearly self-sufficing bushing, as far as lubrication goes, will result.

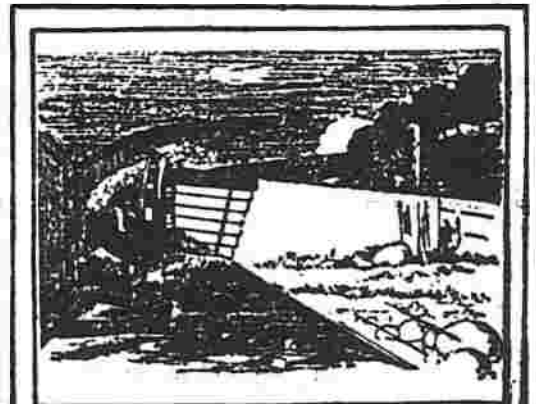
IN FITTING NEW CARBURETOR

Important to See There is No Looseness to Cause Vibration—Broken Flange Results. In fitting a new carburetor be sure that there is no looseness to cause vibration, because if there is a broken flange will be the inevitable result. If vibration is present a small iron bracket should be installed from a nut on the engine frame to the instrument to steady it, also taking the strain off the intake pipe.

SHIELD FOR AUTO HEADLIGHT

Pennsylvanian Invents Device in Which Light is Directed Downward to Illuminate Road.

The Scientific American in illustrating and describing an invention of D. G. Knecht of Allentown, Pa., says: "The invention relates to the headlights of automobiles or other similar vehicles. The object is to provide a



A Perspective View of the Device.

device in which the light is directed downward so as to illuminate the road, without, however, being diminished in intensity. A further object is to provide for preventing the glare which is dangerous to persons approaching the machine.

CLEAN PARTS WITH KEROSENE

Best Way is to Use Wire Basket and Dip Different Parts in Oil, Letting Dirt Sink.

It is often necessary to clean small parts of the car, and washing in kerosene is the accepted method. The usual practice is to throw such parts in a pail of kerosene and let them lie in the muck which collects at the bottom. A better way is to get a wire basket, which will fit part way down in the vessel used to hold the kerosene, place the parts in this basket, dip them in the oil and allow the dirt to be loosened and sink to the bottom, while the parts come out perfectly clean and ready for use.

NAIL MAKES TEMPORARY PIN

Not Strong Enough for Permanent Repair, but Will Suffice in Cases of Emergency.

Breakage of a taper pin on a magnetic driveshaft or similar important part frequently causes delay and annoyance to motorists, especially if it occurs on the road, when another taper pin of the right size usually is unavailable. If this is the case a temporary pin may be quickly filed from a nail or similar piece of stock, which, while not strong enough for permanent repair, will suffice for the time it takes to secure a new pin.

How it feels to China. By Morris



THE GREAT LOCKHART "MILL END" SALE

Commences Wednesday Morning, August 6th
WISE, SMITH & CO., HARTFORD



The immense patronage and high position this splendid merchandising event has attained throughout the country came about because of the unquestioned benefit accruing to the public and today the Lockhart "Mill End" Sale has a distinguished household name that has rarely if ever had an equal. The Mill End Sale is the sure path that leads you to economical savings on what you buy. It's your ripe and fertile time to buy and save. Read over the bold Mill End Prices that are looking you squarely in the eye. They are right here.

5000 Yards of Mill Runs of Bleached Bed Sheeting.
 Extra heavy 9-4 wide, regular price 79c. At the Mill End Sale, yard **65c**

3000 Yards of Mill Runs Bleached Cambric
 Soft finish 36 inch wide, regular 33c quality at the Mill End Sale **25c**

Fifty Pieces of Table Damask
 Bleached mercerized table damask, 58 inch wide, assorted patterns, regular 79c, at the Mill End Sale yd **63c**

2000 Yards Mill Runs of Bleached Long Cloth
 And nainsook, 36 inch wide, regular 29c quality, at the Mill End Sale yd **19c**

3000 Yards Mill Runs of White Voile
 White figured voiles, assorted patterns, 36 inch wide and values up to 79c yard. At the Mill End Sale yd **49c**

Twenty-five Pieces of White Suiting
 Linen finish white suiting, 36 inch wide, worth today 39c yard, at the Mill End sale **29c**

5000 Yards of Figured Lawn and Muslin
 Assorted patterns and colorings. Regular 17c kind. At the Mill End sale **12 1/2c**

3000 Yards of American Dress Gingham
 Large assortment newest colorings, plaids, checks and stripes. 32 inch wide, regular Sale, yard **29c**

Mill Runs of Figured Foulards
 Silk and cotton figured foulards, assorted colorings and patterns, regular \$1.25 quality. At the Mill End Sale **98c**

Women's Union Suits
 Made with a shell knee, good and roomy and have a good large arm size, come in, sizes 38 to 44, regular \$1 value, at the Mill End Sale **69c**

Women's Summer Vests
 Kayser summer vests in regular sizes, made plain and are sleeveless, you know the quality of these vests, regular 50c. At the Mill End Sale **39c**

Women's Pure Silk Stockings.
 With prices going up all the time we offer these black pure silk stockings made with back seam, regular \$1.50 kind but have hardly noticeable imperfections, at the Mill End Sale, pair **85c**

Petticoats
 Women's petticoats, cambric body with wide flounce of embroidery, regular price 98c, third floor. At the Mill End Sale **59c**

Children's Stockings
 Fine ribbed stockings in black, sizes 5 to 9 1-2, seconds of a well known brand of 50c stockings, buy now for school wear. At the Mill End Sale **25c**

Women's Milanese Silk Gloves.
 White, black, gray, tan, brown and mouse color, self or contrasting embroidery, double tipped and perfect fitting, not all sizes in every color, but all sizes in the lot, regular 85c to \$1 values. At the Mill End Sale pair **66c**

Women's Chamoisette Gloves
 "Van Raalte" gloves, well known for their wearing qualities, white, mastic and pongee, 2 clasp, long wrist, very stylish effect, worth \$1. At the Mill End Sale, pair **66c**

Women's White Canvas Oxfords
 or pumps with military heels and narrow toe, comfortable and durable as well as stylish, these are real \$3.50 quality. At the Mill End Sale **\$1.95**

Women's and Misses' Smocks
 Voiles, ramie and poplin, some hand smocked, sizes up to 44, values up to \$4.45. Third floor. At the Mill End **\$1.79**

House Waists
 Women's house waists in medium and light colored percales, regular 98c values, third floor. At the Mill End **59c**

W. B. Nuform Corsets
 Fine coutil with wide embroidery trimmed top, and four hose supporters attached, regular price \$1.50. Third floor. At the Mill End **89c**

Brassieres
 One lot of manufacturers' sample brassieres, bust supporters. Values up to 59c, third floor. At the Mill End **25c**

Children's Night Gowns.
 Children's muslin night gowns, embroidery trimmed, yoke, sizes up to 12 years, regular price 98c, third floor. At the Mill End **59c**

Children's Bloomers
 Children's black sateen bloomers, elastic waist and knee, regular price 98c, third floor. At the Mill End **59c**

Infants' Slips
 Long and short slips of nainsook, embroidery trimmed yoke and sleeves, regular price 79c, third floor. At the Mill End **48c**

Corset Covers
 Women's nainsook corset covers trimmed back and front, slightly muscled, regular 39c to 50c values, third floor. At the Mill End **25c**

Women's Night Gowns
 Women's nainsook night gowns, embroidery trimmed yoke and sleeves, regular price 98c, third floor. At the Mill End **79c**

Women's Drawers
 Women's cambric drawers with embroidery trimmed ruffle and tucks, regular 59c, third floor. At the Mill End Sale **39c**

MARVELOUS IS THE WORD

That rightly describes the offerings at Suit Department for the Lockhart "Mill End" Sale.

One Hundred and Fifty New Stylish Summer Dresses would sell regularly for \$11.98 and \$12.98. At the Mill End Sale for **\$5.98**

Specially purchased for the Mill End Sale, these dresses are by far the best values that have been offered in Hartford this season. Come and see them if you desire a new stylish figured voile or plain color organdie summer dress at less than half price.

Ten Models in Beautiful Summer Dresses would sell regularly for \$14.98 to \$16.98. At the Mill End Sale **\$7.98**

Several stylish and best quality summer dresses that have been offered this season at the regular value. We are enthusiastic about them and know that you will be also. Some have tunics others are draped, the materials are most attractive. Just wait till you see them.

Wool Serge Afternoon Dresses, \$30 is the usual price—One and two of a model. At the Mill End **\$15**

Only thirty-seven suits all told, in this lot, but a truly wonderful value—just odds and ends, if your size is among them you get the biggest bargain in your life—some of them were even more than \$20.

Any \$25 Men's Suit in Stock at the Mill End Sale \$16.75

This is a big line including waistline models and conservatives, some are half silk lined, a wonderful variety of good patterns, handsomely tailored and fit perfectly. All sizes 33 to 44.

Men's and Youth's \$2.50 Khaki Trousers, at the Mill End \$1.59

All sizes, 30 to 42, excellent quality, well made, double stitched, nicely finished, strong pockets, belt loops and cuff bottoms.

Men's 75c Blue Denim Aprons. Limit two to a customer 39c each

Men's Working Trousers that "Won't Rip."

A guarantee with every pair, made of new extra strong fabric and wear like iron, good neat patterns, cheaper than a pair of overalls, sizes 30 to 42. At the Mill End **\$2.98**

Boys' \$5, \$6 and \$7 Suits \$3.79
 At the Mill End Sale
 Sizes 2-1-2 to 8. Corduroy blue and brown serges, fancy mixtures, nicely tailored, cute suits for little fellows, the material alone would cost more than the mill end sale price.

Boys' \$6 and \$7 Norfolk Suits at the Mill End Sale \$3.79
 Sizes 10 to 18 years. Just think of it, a pair of good pants alone costs \$3 and here you get a whole suit for \$3.79, all good patterns and well made, some have lined trousers.

Boys' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Wash Suits at the Mill End Sale 79c
 All sizes 2-1-2 to 8 years. Plain white and pretty stripes, fast colors, lots of good patterns to choose from, limit two to a customer.

Made of heavy men's wear serge in very attractive models. Some with embroidery and others trimmed with braid. We are proud to offer them in face of prevailing high prices at just half the regular selling price.

Good Quality \$5.98 Gingham Dresses. At the Mill End Sale \$2.25

Misses and junior sizes. Suitable for afternoon and street wear. A truly wonderful offering.

New Fall Wool Plaid Sport Skirts, Worth \$7.98, at the Mill End Sale \$4.98

Several smart models in a number of new and attractive color combinations, large roomy pockets, wide separate belts, gathered waist lined.

Smart \$27.50 All Wool Jersey Dresses. At the Mill End Sale \$18.98

Navy blue, cobalt, black taupe and gray, these attractive dresses have deep pointed tunics and are embroidered on the waist.

Men's Shoes.
 Gun metal calf lace and blucher style. All styles, sizes and widths, present day value \$8, at the Mill End Sale **\$6.45**

Men's \$2.50 and \$3 Soft Cuff Shirts at the Mill End Sale \$1.98
 High quality shirts in neat patterns, sizes 14 to 17, a wonderful value, see them.

Men's Work Shirts
 You know what you generally have to pay for a good work shirt. These are blue chambray collar, attached style and good value at 98c. Buy them at Mill End Sale **75c**

Men's Half Hose
 One hundred half hose in black and colors, regular, 25c kind at the Mill End Sale **20c**

Men's Underwear
 Balbriggan shirts and drawers, short sleeve shirts, ankle length drawers, regular 75c quality, at the Mill End Sale, each **50c**

Men's and Youth's \$20 Suits. Sizes 33 to 40, At the Mill End \$9.99

Hemstitched Huck Towels
 Visit the Art Embroidery Department and see these hemstitched huck towels, stamped in various new designs for left fingers to embroider, size 18x30 and regularly 25c each. At the Mill End **3 FOR 50c**

Indian Head Scarfs
 One cannot have too many scarfs in the linen drawer, these are sizes 42x18 and are hemstitched, regular \$1.50 value at Art Embroidery Department. At the Mill End **95c**

At Silverware Dept.
 Extra-plated teaspoons or table forks, heavy metal, neat design, at the Mill End Sale **6 FOR 59c**

Scrim Curtains
 White or ecru scrim curtains, 2 1-4 yards long, assorted styles to select from, hemstitched lace edge and motif corners, worth \$2. Fourth floor, at the Mill End Sale **\$1.49**

Scrim By the Yard
 White and ecru single border scrim for dining room and bedroom curtains, worth 20c yard. 4th floor. At the Mill End Sale, yard **14c**

Congoleum Gold Seal Floor Covering
 Sanitary floor covering, 3 yards wide, can be used to cover floor or cut from roll in rug sizes, worth \$1. At the Mill End Sale, square yard **64c**

Colonial Rugs
 In the popular matted weave, assorted colorings, size 54x27 inch, worth \$1.50. At the Mill End Sale each **99c**

Travelers Bags.
 Here is an 18 inch black enameled traveling bag, Spanish leather lined, with pocket, reinforced corners, brass lock and catches, regular price is \$4.25, downstairs. At the Mill End Sale **\$3.19**

Suit Cases.
 A 24 inch tan fiberoid suit case, fancy paper lined, metal corners, brass lock and catches, buy them at the Mill End Sale **\$1.89**

Dinner Sets.
 42 piece American porcelain dinner sets, choice of three pretty floral spray decorations, a basement bargain. At the Mill End Sale **\$5.39**

Brass Fern Dishes
 Although the price is going up on brass, we offer these brass fern dishes complete with 8 inch reflector and artificial fern, worth \$1.98. At the Mill End Sale downstairs **\$1.50**

Preserving Kettles Half Price
 Thrifty housekeepers will be interested in this offer. Double covered white enameled preserving kettles, actual holding capacity 5, 6, 8 and 10 quarts. Choice of any of these sizes at half the regular price at the Mill End **79c**

Kreamer Wash Boilers, You Save a Dollar
 Kreamer ware is recognized as the highest quality tinware made. Through cooperation with the manufacturer we are able to offer these high grade heavy tin wash boilers, all copper bottom at the Mill End Sale as follows:
 No. 7 size, regular price \$4.50, Mill End Sale price \$3.49.
 No. 8 size, regular price \$4.75, Mill End Sale Price \$3.79.
 No. 9 size, regular price \$5.50, Mill End Sale price \$4.39.

Here's a Wonder at Stationery Department
 Box containing 48 sheets of paper and envelopes to match, and 12 gold edge correspondence cards, buff, blue, pink and white, regular 65c value at the Mill End Sale **49c** all for

3000 Yards of Summer Plaitings
 Organdie nets, Georgette crepe and lace plaitings so much in vogue. White, cream, pink and flesh, regular \$1.00 yard. At the Mill End Sale **79c** yard

Women's Windsor Ties
 Black, white, navy, cardinal, lavender, pink, old rose, brown, old blue and Scotch plaids, worth 39c. At the Mill End Sale, each **25c**

Thousands of Yards of Laces
 Choose from filet lace bands and edges, Nottingham laces for brassieres, etc. Values up to 25c. At the Mill End Sale, yard **15c**

Vallencienes Laces.
 Very fine assortment of val laces for all kinds of trimming purposes. Various widths at the Mill End Sale **5c**
 12 yard for 55c

A Flurry in Veilings
 Octagon meshes, plain or figured designs, black, taupe, navy, etc. You'll want some of these 39c veilings at the Mill End Sale, yard **19c**

Fine Embroideries
 27 inch wide flouncings in beautiful patterns, fine lawn, guaranteed fast edges, sold regularly at 59c yard. At the Mill End Sale, yard **39c**

Women's Neckwear
 Sample neckwear comprising pique collars, organdie collars, poplins, white and colors, broken assortment but enough for everybody. Values up to 50c. At the Mill End **19c**

All Silk Ribbon
 Thousands of yards of all silk moire taffeta with satin stripe, 6 inch wide, also plain and fancy stripe ribbons, complete color assortment, regular 69c quality at the Mill End Sale, yard **48c**

A Flyer in Handkerchiefs
 Here we have women's embroidered corner hemstitched handkerchiefs, the kind you pay 10c and 12 1-2c for right along. Buy them at the Mill End Sale, 4 for 25c each **7c**

Women's Pocket Books
 We have secured a number of Women's patent leather pocket books in the popular nine inch size with strap handle, nickel clasp and inside frame, these are worth 79c, choice at the Mill End Sale each **48c**

Neck Brooches.
 A special assortment of fine bright gold neck brooches mounted in various stones, many novel designs, regular 39c values at the Mill End **19c**

Table Oil Cloth
 One case of mill seconds, slight imperfections that do not detract from appearance or wear, regular goods cost 45c. At the Mill End Sale, yard **34c** 4th floor

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Values extraordinary in new established fall and winter fashions. Because we have diligently followed the fur market and have bought in tremendous quantities. We have accumulated a remarkable assortment of highest grade furs at great price concessions. They are offered to our patrons at a saving of 10 to 35 per cent less than prices that will prevail in November. They are advance styles in fur coats, capes, stoles, scarfs and fur sets. We will hold your purchase up to November 1st in payment of one third the purchase price. Furs purchased at this sale will be stored in our storage vault free of charge until November 1st, 1919.

Note the following, just a few of our many specials:

Hudson Seal Coats

(Dyed Muskrat) 36 inch coat, beaver or skunk trimmed, sale price \$392.50, November price \$445.

36 inch coat, plain or blended, squirrel trimmed, sale price \$297.50, November price \$345.00.

Specials

36 inch coat, plain self trimmings, sale price \$355.00, November price \$410.00.

30 inch coat, plain or taupe, squirrel trimmed, sale price \$239.50, November price \$275.00.

Charge accounts will be billed up as October first if requested.

GARDNER'S SHOES

The drive on WHITE FOOTWEAR from the ALEXANDER ROGERS stock still continues. Some excellent bargains in Women's and Children's Shoes are waiting for you.

Girls' high cut white canvas shoes that were \$2.50, going at **\$1.75**

\$2.75 for your choice of all our Ladies' high grade white canvas Oxfords and Pumps that sold for \$3.50 and \$4.

\$4.95 gives you choice of Ladies' high cut lace shoes, browns and blacks, that sold for \$5.50 to \$7 a pair.

\$5.25 for your choice of several styles in men's shoes, brown and blacks, not a pair worth less than \$7.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE EVENING HERALD

ABOUT TOWN

Motorman John Crockett is enjoying his annual vacation. James Sullivan of Broad Brook was a visitor in town yesterday. Charles Myers of Oak street has left the employ of Folly Brothers. Howard Murphy of Murphy Bros. is visiting friends in Mystic, Conn. Glenwood Peterson of Pearl street is enjoying a two weeks' vacation. There will be moving pictures at the Cottage street playgrounds tomorrow evening.

Mrs. H. O. Bowers returned home today from a vacation of two weeks spent at the shore. The annual swimming meet will be held at Globe Hollow on Saturday, August 16th.

Robert Finnegan and Thomas Curran of the Center are camping out at Coventry Lake. Motorman Morris Quish has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent at Myrtle Beach.

Lewis Breen of North-Main street leaves today for a week's vacation to be spent at Crystal Lake.

Miss Katherine Fitzgerald of Spruce street left yesterday for a two weeks' stay at Myrtle Beach.

Mrs. T. J. Shaw of North Elm street left yesterday for a few days' visit with relatives in Monson, Mass.

Miss Maude Hewitt of Watkins Brothers left yesterday on her vacation which will be spent at Block Island, R. I.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ryan of Florence street has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Moore, of Fairfield, Me.

The Machine Shop will meet the Spinning Mill team at the West side playgrounds in an Industrial League game tomorrow evening.

The Daughters of Britain Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Albert Hemmingway of Summit street on Wednesday evening at 7.15 o'clock.

The Ribbon Mill defeated the Spinning Mill by a score of 9 to 8 in an Industrial League game played at the West side grounds last evening.

John Naven and family of New York city have returned to that place after a visit with Mr. Naven's mother, Mrs. William Navens of Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Costello and family and the Misses Jones and Luddeker of Broadbrook, motored to Manchester yesterday for a visit with friends.

Director A. A. Warren of the local State Trade School left this morning for a two weeks' visit with his family who are summering at West Gloucester, Mass.

William Quish of the G. E. Keith Furniture Company has purchased an Overland touring model. The sale was made through the agency of Madden Brothers.

James Fitzgerald of Birch street, who has been laid up since the recent Ferris fire, has now recovered from his illness and reopened his garage on Bissell street today.

The meeting of the Recreation Committee scheduled for Wednesday evening has been postponed to Thursday evening. This meeting will take place in the building at five o'clock.

John Anderson and Raymond Grant, former members of the church quartette, will sing a duet at the Wednesday evening service of the Center Congregational church.

Despatcher James Duffy of the local Tramway office together with his family will leave on Saturday for a two weeks' stay at Mr. Duffy's cottage at Coventry Lake. He expects to be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Duffy of New York city.

The managers of the teams of the Industrial League will meet at the Recreation Center this evening at 8.30 o'clock. The meeting is an important one as the question of playing off the postponed games will be taken up.

The large Welcome Home Banner which has been strung across Main street in front of the War Bureau headquarters was taken down this morning. The big banner was put up directly after the signing of the armistice and has weathered many severe storms. It was considered one of the largest Welcome Home Banners in the state.

SALESMAN USES PLANE. Springfield, Mo., Aug. 5.—A H. Roundtree probably is the first aerial traveling salesman in the Middle West. Roundtree made a trip from Springfield with his sample cases to several cities in southern Missouri and made the return trip in the machine.

W. J. BRYAN TO SPEAK IN MANCHESTER SEPT. 6

Silver Tongued Orator to Support Prohibition at High School Hall, Under Auspices of Anti-Saloon League.

Manchester people will have an opportunity to hear William Jennings Bryan at the High school assembly hall, Sept. 6. Mr. Bryan is to speak in this state under the direction of the Anti-Saloon League of America. There was a time when the presence of Mr. Bryan in this town would have attracted an enormous crowd. When he was running for president, hundreds went to Hartford to hear him speak. As a speaker he is said to be as eloquent as ever.

LOCAL TROLLEY MEN SHIFT TO NEW RUNS

Frank Nichols Will Take Express Run Made Vacant By Death of Arthur Wilson—Tedford On Cross Town.

Owing to the death of the late Arthur E. Wilson, one of the best known and oldest employees of the Connecticut company, there has been a change in crews on the local runs.

Motorman Frank Nichols who has been on the day run of the Cross Town line will take the express run.

Motorman George Tedford goes from the night run on the Cross Town to the day run. Motorman Morris Quish, who has been on the reserve list, will take Mr. Tedford's old run.

SINGLE MEN OUT-TUG BENEDICTS LAST NIGHT

Take Two Out of Three Pulls Just to Show They Are Good Men, Though Unmarried.

The single men came back strong in the tug of war at the West side playgrounds last evening and defeated their married brethren two out of three pulls. The third pull was the feature of the event and was hotly contested. Mul McCarthy acted as referee.

The married men, however, evened matters in the baseball game, defeating the single men's team by a score of 7 to 4. Both teams now stand on even ground with a total of 17 points.

LOCAL AUTOISTS RETURN.

Cover 725 Miles in Tour Through New England—Visit in Maine—Stops Made at Resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chartier, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chartier and Mrs. Hannah Bryan have returned from an auto tour of Maine. The distance of the entire trip, 725 miles, was covered in two days actual running time. The party were accompanied by Principal L. P. Knapp and family and were entertained for a few days by him at the Knapp cottage at Tacoma Lake, Litchfield, Maine. Stops for meals on the return trip were made at Portland, Old Orchard Beach and Worcester.

LAST REGISTRAR'S SESSION.

Meeting Friday, Night Will Afford Last Opportunity of Declaring Party Allegiance.

The registrars will be in session next Friday from noon until nine o'clock in the evening for the purpose of registering voters for the caucuses. This will be the last session of the year for this purpose. Voters who wish to register for the primaries can do so at that time. Voters who have once registered need not bother again unless they wish to change from one party to the other.

THE LOCKHART MILL-END SALE OPENS AT WISE, SMITH & CO'S WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6th

Thousands of people from miles around will visit Hartford in order to attend the Mill End Sale. As in the past, the public has expected and realized much more than usual for their money, so, again the public will not be disappointed, in fact the Mill-End Sale offerings will be all the more noticeable because it is a merchandising event that is a direct and forceful campaign against the high cost of living. Everybody is saving whenever and wherever they can these days and the Lockhart Sale affords an opportunity to buy staple merchandise at attractively low prices. If you like to save money come to the Mill-End Sale.

If a woman wishes to take the content out of a man she can always do so quickly by laughing at his legs.

MANCHESTER APPEALS TO HON. A. LONERGAN FOR SUPPLY OF SUGAR

Wire Sent to Representative Asking for Carload to Relieve Acute Famine.

GROCCERS THINK DEARTH DUE TO SPECULATION

So-called Equalization Board Affords No Satisfaction—Local Grocers Sell Small Amounts of Sugar at Loss.

The first steps toward relieving Manchester's acute sugar shortage were taken yesterday afternoon, when twenty of the town's most prominent grocers met at the local War Bureau at the suggestion of Chairman Frank H. Anderson, to discuss the situation and map out a plan whereby the present shortage could be partly alleviated.

It developed at the meeting that there is practically no sugar in Manchester and that local grocers find it impossible to obtain any. Speculation on the part of sugar brokers, it was intimated, was mainly responsible for the present existing conditions. Those who have been fortunate enough to get a small quantity of the sugar have been forced to pay fancy prices, and have disposed of it in turn to their customers at a profit that did not exceed a cent a pound.

Many of the grocers have been forced to overload with a staple line in order to secure even a barrel. It was also reported that the sugar brokers have been speculating. They have secured options on sugar intended for retailers, and then have turned around and sold or confirmed the option for the entire amount to the big wholesale houses. One local grocer purchased a supply of sugar for his customers. When the shipment arrived it contained brown sugar.

Penny a Pound Profit. The local grocers are willing to sell sugar to their customers without a profit if they can get the sugar. Rumors that local business men have boosted their prices because of the wage increase at Cheney Brothers is without foundation. An instance is shown in the case of sugar with the present price at from 13 to 14 cents per pound. A grocer at the Green purchased 800 pounds of sugar which cost him 14 cents per pound. The receipted bill of sale is posted behind his counter. This man was also forced to pay the freight and cartage. He is selling the sugar for 15 cents per pound.

Telegram to Lonerган. It was finally decided at the meeting to call the attention of the Honorable Augustine Lonerган, Congressman from Connecticut's First Congressional district, to Manchester's shortage. This same step was taken by Mayor Joseph Dutton of Bristol who has relieved the situation in that city. The telegram sent to the Congressman follows and upon the receipt of a reply, another meeting of all the grocers in town will be called:

Honorable Augustine Lonerган, Capitol Building, Washington, D. C.

Manchester's sugar situation desperate. Carload of granulated sugar needed immediately. We get no satisfaction from brokers. Kindly bring this to immediate attention of Equalization Board. Wire collect.

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while they are going at this price. We have all sizes now. Come in and pick one out.

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SODA WATER TAX REFUND.

In Conformity With Republican Program House Passes Resolution.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The House has passed the resolution repealing

the so-called soda water tax, in conformity with the legislative program decided upon by the Republican leaders of that body. The measure will be taken up by the Finance Committee of the Senate at an early date and will probably be approved.

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A very suitable thing for the government to do. Here's a little secret on how you can do the same thing. You know that idle room that's just staying there—a dead loss? If it's already furnished get the little additional things you need to make it suitable and rent it. If it's not furnished, come down to "This Store" and furnish it. It's no trouble to rent furnished rooms now at a good price—in fact the people are begging for them. If you have an idle room you can increase your income a nice amount each month, it is really a patriotic duty that you rent it and help solve the housing problem now in this town.

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