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# CONGRESS GETS BUSY BRANDEGEE TO HELP LEGISLATION

Law Makers Over Message.

## FOOD CONTROL REPEAL MAY START A RUMPUS

Gronna and Norris May Oppose Extension of Act-Norris Would Remove Fixed Price On Wheat.

Washington; Aug. 9 .- There was every indication today that Congress would expedite enactment of legislation requested by the President to bring down the cost of living.

Although there was some division apparent in the Senate over the President's recommendations, leaders -said today that this would be rapidly smoothed out and that quick action would result.

Senator Gronna, chairman of the Agriculture Committee of the Senate and one of the strongest proponents of the rights of the wheat growers, declared today "the President has recommended nothing new that can be taken up by the agriculture comof an extension of the food control act did not meet with the favor of Senator Gronna.

Senator Norris of Nebraska, announced prior to the President's speech that he planned to introduce a measure for the repeal of the food control act and for the repeal of the act fixing the price of wheat. Today he was still considering such action and measuring the temper of his colleagues on the subject.

On the other hand the President's with many other Sanators who repsent the great agricultural dis

"I don't believe that there was anything in the recommendations that any one could object to," said Senator Sterling, of North Dakota.

Senator Capper, of Kansas, who has been one of the most active representatives of the farmer and who has devoted much time to the problem of the high cost of living, declared that the recommendations were very valuable. Two of the provisions which the President recommended will get quick action in the Senate. The licensing of corporations dealing in food products will be taken up by the agriculture committee on August 18, when the Kenyon bill, which would regulate the packers by license will be considered. Senator McKellar, of Tennessee already has introduced a bill for the regulation of cold storage plants.

Today Speaker Gillette gave the President's message to the House and the various committees having jurisdiction over specific recommendations made by the President assumed control of their share of the legislation necessary to carry the recommendations into effect.

The Appropriations Committee planned to look into the matter of appropriations asked and to rush a deficiency appropriation bill to cover necessary expenditures.

The Judiciary Committee planned to take up existing laws against hoarding, profiteering and gambling in foodstuffs with a view of putting "teeth" into them.

The Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee was prepared to drop railroad legislation and prepare a bill for the better regulation of cold storage, limiting the period during which foodstuffs may be kept in cold storage and providing for marking of stored foods with date of storage and costs on that date.

Legislation the President suggested for the federal licensing of corporations engaged in Interstate Commerce and compulsory competitive selling together with laws requiring the marking of goods destined for interstate commerce with the price at which they left the hands of the producers will be taken up without delay by the same committee.

1,000 GO BACK Cleveland, O. Aug. 9.—One thousand striking Pennsylvania after a week's layoff.

# IN INVESTIGATION OF BORDER TROUBLE

General Agreement Among Senator Fall Promises to Pry the Lid Right Off.

MAY GO INTO MEXICO IN SEARCH OF FACTS

All Outrages Against American Citizens to Be Investigated By Committee of Three.

Washington, Aug. 9 .- "The widgate various officials of the State Department.

# SELECTMEN MAY LINE ISSUE

Controversy On Building Line Still Discussed-Rumored Will Not Concur.

The main topic of conversation resterday on the streets and in the stores was the special town meeting of Thursday evening. Many of the town's most prominent business men could be seen in groups discussing the question and its probable out-

Many of the principal speakers of the evening passed each other with a sort of formal "howdy". A few however as they got abreast of each other happened to have business at the nearest establishment or perhaps saw a friend on the other side of the

Many comments have been heard on the efficient manner in which Moderator E. L. G. Hohenthal conducted the meeting. It is thought that with another man in the chair, the verbal battles might have assumed a more serious aspect.

The voters are now awaiting with interest the decision of the Selectmen in regard to the vote. Probable represents an advance of six per action will be taken at the next reg- cent since March 1919 and of 12 ular meeting of the board which is per cent since June 1948. scheduled for Friday evening, Aug-

It has been rumored that the mafority of the selectmen will stand out against the discontinuance or abandonment of that portion of land under controversy. It is the opinion of one prominent member of the board that the town fathers will not concur in the vote taken at the special town meeting.

# GERMANS ROUSE IRE

President of A. F. of L. Accuses Them of Trying to Use International Organization.

Paris, Aug. 9 .- German representatives at the convention of the International Federation of Trade Unions at Amsterdam were accused by Samuel Compers today with attempting to use the organization exclusively for their own benefit. In an interview printed in the

Echo de Paris the President of the American Federation of Labor said: "The Germans do not want to serve the international organization.

They only want to use it."

DISAPPROVES PLUMB PLAN. Hitchcock of Nebraska today an of the drive instituted against them county towns for last year's taxes yesterday, when a limited schedule men who went out have returned to made today at a meeting be mone were back on the job today nounced his disapproval of the by the Department of Justice will be and cannot give the carmen more was made up. A schedule for Sun- work and the strike of Justice His disapproval of the by the Department of Justice will be and cannot give the carmen more was made up.

# NEW FIRE HOUSE PLANS PLUMB SAYS HIS BILL

Quarters To Be Built Corner of Main and Hilliard.

COST ALMOST \$15,000

Committee Goes to New York Today to Examine Fire Fighting Apparatus-Mack Truck Under Consid-

The building committee appointed some time ago in the Eighth School and Utilities district to get plans and specifications for a new fire departest scope ever attempted by a sena- ment house will report soon. The torial investigating committee will committee met last night and accept-United States and will investigate and if the district accepts the plans interview today. thoroughly all outrages against the building committee will then "The people want to travel,"

> to date in every particular. The 40 per cent." committee that was appointed at of the Mack firm. This committee government ownership. has authority from the district to

# **COST OF LIVING IS** 71 PER CENT HIGHER

the use of the district.

There Has Been an Advance of Six Per Cent Since March of this

Boston, Aug. 9 .- Cest of living for American wage earners was 71 per cent higher in July 1919, than at the outbreak of the world war in July: 1914, according to a preliminary statement issued today by the national industrial conference board on the basis of a careful survey of conditions the country over. This

The total increase for the five year period since the beginning of the war in the average cost of each of the principal items entering into the family budget was:

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# OF SAMUEL COMPERS SUNDAY PUTNAM LOCAL IS NOW DISCONTINUED

Noon and Afternoon Train Discon tinued Because of Strike-Freight Embargo Remains In Force.

The regular Sunday train that eaches Manchester at 11.58 on its way to Putnam and which arrives will be omitted tomorrow.

An embargo is in effect on freight except shipments of food and such food must be for human consumption.

TO START PROSECUTION. started within a few days.

Would Also Reduce Freight Rates 40 Per Cent He Declares.

# SQUEEZE WATER

Says Railroads of Country Earned Five Per Cent. of Capitalization in 1914, "Water and All."

Washington, Aug. 9 .- Under his mark the investigation of Mexican ed the plans as drawn by George plan for government ownership and affairs ordered by the Senate," Sen- Fisk of Bigelow street. These plans tri-partite operation, railroad pasator Fall, of New Mexico, chairman are to be on exhibition the early senger rates could be lowered to of the sub-committee said today. He part of next week and will show the 1 1-2 cents a mile, one-half of the and his fellow committeemen, Frank proposed location of the new house present rate, and freight rates could B. Brandegee, of Connecticut, and on the corner of Main and Hilliard be cut 40 per cent. declared Glenn Marcus A. Smith, of Arizona, have street. A special meeting of the E. Plumb, who now holds the cenagreed that they will go into all of voters of the district is to be called ter of the stage in Washington in the facts of the relations between at an early date at which time the labor's fight for public ownership the Southern Republic and the details of the plans will be given of the transportation system, in an

American citizens. In their investi- ask for bids on the construction of Plumb said. "It is part of their gation they will proceed to the Mex- the building. The idea is to get the standard of living. How much more ican border to get first hand stories new house built this fall if possible. would they travel at lower fares! of happenings from the mouths of It is estimated that the cost of the The roads are crowded with excureye witnesses and will also interro- new house will be approximately sionists whenever the chance offers. On sound capitalization, with returns At a recent meeting of the district equal to those paid on liberty bonds, it was voted to buy for the depart- passenger rates could be cut 1 1-2 ment a fire truck that would be up cents a mile and freight rates cut

The deficits being borne by the that time has been examining the government operation of the raildifferent makes of fire fighting ap roads would be turned to profits if paratus and today two of the com- the "water" were squeezed out of mittee, Chief John F. Limerick and the railroad stock and there were a Scott Simon went to New York city proper capitalization, asserted Mr. to have a demonstration of the Mack Plumb, who is counsel for the four fire truck. The party made the trip great railroad labor brotherhoods, by automobile and were the guests and author of the Plumb bill for

"In 1914 the railroads of the buy a truck that will be suitable for country," he continued, "earned approximately \$800,000,000 or five per cent. on their capitalization-water and all. The government pays the roads about \$1,000,000,000 a year. Were the water squeezed out this would amount to half that. Instead of a deficit last year we should have made \$250,000,000. This year we should make \$150,000,000. But we will pay \$350,000,000 at least, to pay dividends on the water.

"High prices and wages insufficient to enable the workers to live at his normal scale, mean this: The people cannot buy goods. The merchants therefore do not re-order in such large quantities. The manufacturer receiving small orders lays off part of his labor as there is not work for them. This means they face starvation.

"The falling off in freights which the railroads have experienced will continue unless the people get enough money to buy the things which they need and thus keep the wheels of industry turning."

## BERKSHIRE TROLLEY MEN ARE OUT IN BIG STRIKE

Company Too Poor to Grant Increase Declare Officials-400 Are Out Today.

North Adams, Mass., Aug. 9 .-Frolley service on the lines of the Berkshire Street Railway company. extending from Bennington, Vt., to Canaan, Conn., was at a standstill today. Four hundred union carmen went out on strike. The men have been getting \$3.87 for a day of nine hours and demand \$5.00 a day for eight hours.

Motor busses, automobiles and horse driven vehicles carried people to work in the mills and factories much larger. According to "statehere at 5.38 p. m. on the return trip here and to the big plant of the Gen-ments none of the strikers have reeral Electric Company at Pittsfield. turned and the situation is about the Eleventh hour efforts of Charles G. same this morning as it was yester-Wood, of the state board of concili- day. According to statements in ations and arbitration failed to ef- East Hartford some of the strikers fect an adjustment but Mr. Wood have read and are discussing Presicontinued his performance with all dent Wilson's message to Congress sides at Pittsfield today. Officials of and are applying it to their situa-Washington, Aug. 9.—Wholesale the road claim the company is in- tion. Washington, Aug. 9.—Senator prosecutions of profiteers as a result solvent, as it still owes Berkshire. The train schedule is the same as for the better today. The railway Brooklyn and Manhattan is to be Wages.

### SAY HE TOLD SALESMEN TO BOOST SUGAR PRICES

Pittsburg, Aug. 9 .- This is the time for us to get the money" and "do not be alraid to boost your prices as far as you can," were phrases in a letter of selling instructions alleged to have been sent by George W. Sheehan, president of the Central Sugar Company, of Chicago, to the salesmen of the local branch. Sheehan and three of his employees were today awaiting trial after a hearing in which the letter played an important part. The men are charged with violating the federal food act in receiving high prices for sugar.

# POLICMEN KILLS MAN

-Man Refused to Halt When Ordered to Do So.

man believed to be Harry Munroe Simon, of Ashland County, Ohio, was shot and almost instantly killed today by Captain P. E. Fitzgerald, of the local police department.

The man who had been told to put up his hands, after leaving by a window the home of Fred E. Farley, began to run and was shot down by the policeman.

Mrs. Edgar R. Walker telephoned the police that she had seen a man entering the Farley home by means of a kitchen window,

Captain Fitzgerald reached the dropped through the window to the ables.

man. He continued to run, and the day. policeman fired again, the second bullet lodging in the back and causing almost instant death.

In the burglar's possession were found a draft registration card made out to Harry Munroe Simon, of Ashland County, Ohio, and \$700 in cash. Strapped to each ankle ing back." was a back saw and in the pockets were a loaded revolver and a search-

# LOCAL GROCERS ORGANIZE BRING SUGAR HERE

To Ignore Middleman and Appeal Direct to Importers With Spot Cash.

Manchester grocerymen are planning to organize a force that will in some way or other bring sugar to Manchester. In doing so they will disregard middlemen and profiteers: According to a statement they refuse to be the victims of manipulation.

There is very little sugar in Manchester. Yet the sugar plants are running day and night and we are producing huge quantities. - It is thought that if an organization can be perfected among the Manchester grocerymen that sufficient pressure can be brought to bear on the New York importers to roll a carload of sugar into this town.

The local dealers will have to pool a certain amount of money and the total will be deposited in New York for a spot cash purchase.

In spite of the promise made by the Food Administration that the needs of Manchester | would receive an early consideration, no apparent action has yet been taken.

## **DISPUTE AS TO NUMBER OUT IN EAST HARTFORD**

'New Haven" Officials Say 116 Have Gone on Strike-Men Larger Number.

Hartford, Aug. 9 .- According to

officials of the Hartford Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford road the exact number of men who walked out from the shops in East Hartford, Thursday was 116 and according to informal statements by some of the strikers it i

day is being made up this afternoon, collapsing.

# OTHER R. R. MEN GO OUT ON NEW ENGLAND LINES

Shoots Twice at Would Be Burglar From 900 to 1,000 Are Added Strikers-Boston and Maine Hard Hit-Roundhouse Men Quit.

Greenfield, Mass., Aug. 9 .- A Boston, Aug. 9.- The railroad strike situation grew more serious today in New England, despite reports from Chicago and other points that strikers were returning to work. Chief developments today included: | ing today of the executive commit-

three railroads entering Boston to charge of the strike of shopmen and hasten Washington's decision on car and engine maintenance men in their demand for 35 per cent wage this district, it was announced that increase. Strikers claimed from delegates from the striking employ-900 to 1,000 men added to strike. ees were appointed to attend the Defection of roundhouse men hits meeting of the System Federation motive power heavily.

2-Boston and Maine announced tomorrow. an embargo on all freight for conback of the house just as the burglar nection except foodstuffs and perish- men on strike here will follow the

'As the officer started to search ally reduce its train schedules to ter of deciding whether or not to rehis prisoner the latter struck him in morrow. New Haven Road an- turn to work. tain fired one shot which took ef- Monday. Buston and Albany warn- matter will be taken up with the fect in one the legs of the fleeing ed that reductions might come Mon-

house men quit.

at Lowell vote not to quit. 6-Secretary Robert Henderson, New Haven's federated crafts said: "No change. The men are not go-

REFUSE TO GO BACK.

hope that the seven hundred striking shopmen of the Boston and Albany Railroad in West Springfield day at the earliest. would return to work today was dispelled when Chairman Fitzsimmons of the local craftsmen returned the most serious tie up ever known. from Boston this morning and annonnced that the strike would probably last at least 48 hours longer.

# WILSON MAKING-READY FOR TOUR OF COUNTRY

Will Discuss High Cost of Living as Well as League of Nations-Date of Trip Not Set.

Washington, Aug. 9 .- President Wilson in his forthcoming tour of the speeches with reference to the peace treaty, but also will take occasion to continue his fight on the high cost of living, it was stated in White House circles today. -

The date of the president's departure has not yet been set, but the belief was expressed that with no unforseen developments he will be able to carry out his original program, which called for his appearance in San Francisco either September 2 or 3.

The crisis which demanded the president's presence in Washington was believed to be rapidly clearing with the result that plans for the tour may be definitely completed and made public within a few days.

HOSIERY CO. INCORPORATED. Hartford, Aug. 9 .- The Winona Mills Hoslery Corporation of New Haven, capitalized at \$200,000 filed incorporation papers in the office of the secretary of the state today.

USE MOTOR BUSSES. Bridgeport, Aug. 9 .- About forty motor busses have been taken from the jitney lines here and sent to Brooklyn, to operate there during the street car strike.

BRITISH STRIKES.

# TRAINS ARE LAID OFF

# No Hope of Men Getting **Back Before Next** Tuesday.

CONGESTION IS MORE SERIOUS GROWING

Manufacturers Forced to Use Parcel

May Hold Meeting Monday.

Post Where Possible-Strikers

New Haven, Aug. 9 .- At a meet-1-Roundhouse men struck on tee appointed yesterday to take

It was announced that the shoplead of the men at Readville shops 3.—Boston and Maine will materi- of the New Haven Road in the mat-

of the New Haven Road in this city

At tomorrow's meeting federated organization representatives. The shopmen's committee 4-Boston and Maine Power will then report back to the executive committee of the strikers - and 5-Boston and Maine trackmen the question of calling a meeting of the striking employees here to determine upon their future action

will then be decided. The strike on the New Haven cannot be ended before Tuesday even if the men vote to return to work, according to the information obtain-Springfield, Mass., Aug. 9 .- All able from the men here. It is unlikely that a general meeting of the strikers will be called before Mon-

In the meantime shippers freight throughout Connecticut faced The cancellation of trains and the embargo on freight except necessities will cause the closing of many factories and business establish-

ments in the state if continued long. Shippers of freight began yesterday using the mails to carry mailable packages. As a result the post offices throughout the state were swamped with parcels post matter. Mail matter is accumulating at all terminals.

### CHANGES ON NEW HAVEN.

New York, Aug. 9 .- The situation on the New Haven Railroad is quiet today, according to an country will not confine himself to announcement made from headquarters here.

> New Haven Railway officials today consolidated the Bar Harbor and State of Maine Express and announced that it will leave Grand Central Terminal at 7.30 o'clock to-The State of Maine Express will

> leave here at 7.30 tomorrow night.

but will not be operated on Sunday

nights thereafter until further no-The following trains were taken off the schedule today:

Seashore Express to Providence, leaving at 12.41 p. m. New Rochelle Express, leaving at 12,42 p. m.

Pittsfield Express leaving at 12.45 New Canaan Express leaving at

12.47 p. m. Bridgeport Express, leaving at 1.06 p. m.

Winsted Express, leaving at 1.09 New Rochelle local leaving at

1.12 p. m. Danbury Express, leaving at 1.85 p. m. sperations. New Rechelle local, leaving atom 2,12 p. m.

TO SETTLE B. B. T. STRIKE.

New York, Aug. 9 .- The first definite move towards settlement of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit strike, London, Aug. 9 .- The British which has paralyzed street railway strike situation took a decided turn frame in Brooklyn and between

# Sunday AT THE CHURCHES

SECOND CONGREGATIONAL -CHURCH.

Tomorrow morning at 10.45 Rev. Bavid Dana Marsh of West Hartford will occupy the pulpit. The subject | this church tomorrow. Morning serof his sermon; will be "A message to those who plod in daily toil."

The Christian Endeavor service will be held Sunday evening at seven o'clock. No more meetings will be held until September.

There will be no session of the Sunday School during August.

NORTH METHODIST.

Rev. Elliott F. Studley, Pastor,

Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: Rich Fool's Follies.'

By vote of the Sunday school board there will be no session of the Sunday school for the next three Sundays. On Aug. 31st it is planned to renew the sessions.

Evening service at 6.30. Subject: "Our Denominational History and its nest built among the leaves or Principles." (Psa. 44:1-8) Led by pine needles on the ground is arched the pastor.

at 7.30.

SALVATION ARMY.

Commandant Fred Bartlett.

at the citadel tomorrow. Sunday school will convene at 9.30 followed by the holiness meeting at 11 o'clock. There will be an open ai meeting in Center Park at 3 o'clock The usual open air meeting oh Main street will precede the evening services at the citadel at 7.30 p. m.

ZION'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. W. C. Schmidt, Pastor.

Rev. E. P. Phraenor will occupy theme at the 10.15 service tomorraw morning, "Religious Indifference" Sunday school will convene at 9.15. here will be no evening services. In accordance with the regular monthly custom at this church tomorrow's service will be conducted in English.

SOUTH METHODIST.

Rev. G. G. Scrivener, Pastor.

Rev. E. P. Phraenor wil loccupy the pulpit at this church tomorrow morning in the absence of the pastor who is enjoying his vacation. Sunday school will convene at 10 o'clock followed by services of worship at 11 o'clock. There will also be an evening service at seven o'clock. The speaker for the latter service has not as yet been announced.

CENTER CHURCH.

In the absence of Dr. Hesselgrave who is away on his vacation, Rev. Reuben J. Goddard of Springfield will occupy the pulpit. The morning service will be at the usual time and the evening service will be omitted.

The mid-week service will be in charge of George McCormick and the pianist will be Miss Florence Skin-

SWEDISH LUTHERAN.

Rev. P. J. O. Cornell, Pastor,

There will be but two services at this church tomorrow, the evening services having been omitted during the summer months. Sunday school will convene at 9.30 a. m. The morning service following at 10.45

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Oscar Eak, Pastor.

The usual services will be held at this church tomorrow. The morning service at 10.45 a. m. and the evening service at 7.30 p. m. The pastor will preside at both services.

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Manchester, within and for the district of Manchester, on the 8th day of Present, WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq. Estate of FRANK ZIMMERMAN of

### PENTECOSTAL.

Rev. A. C. Goldberg, Pastor, The usual services will be held at vice at 10.30. Sunday school at 12.05 and the evening services at 7 p. m. The pastor will preside at both ser-

ST. JAMES' R. C. CHURCH.

Rev. William J. McGurk, Rector.

Sunday services at 7 a. m., 8.30 a. m. and 10.30 a. m.

ST. BRIDGET'S R. C. CHURCH.

Rev. C. T. McCann, Rector.

Sunday services at 8.30 a. m. and

THE OVENBIRD.

10.30 a. m.

Do you know how the ovenbird got its name? Well, it was because and of an oven-like appearance, says Thursday evening prayer meeting the American Forestry Association, Washington, which is encouraging bird conservation through "birdhouse" building contests among school children and is conducting a national campaign. You do not see the oven-bird sitting on the topmost The usual services will be held twig of a tree like some other members of the feathery tribe, but he sticks close to the ground, mounting to the lower branches of a tree only to sing or to scold an intruder. The song of the ovenbird somewhat resembles the word "teacher."

# GOOD RESOLUTIONS COST ONLY \$250 IN PANAMA

But It Might Be Postponed Until After the Sheep Were Sheared-One Launch Constitutes Navy.

A dozen years ago there lived in Panama an inflammable gentleman who offered to start a revolution at the Hannibal and St. Joseph line, a any time for \$250. but he could find none to accept the offer. One of his contemporaries mounted a machine gun on the bridge by the railway station, and ran a nice little revolution all by himself for several hours overland from St. Joseph to Sacratill the United States marines suppressed him. But since those happy, ment contract it was necessary to easy-going days, when a Nicaragua general postponed his revolution till the wild cattle could be rounded up on the hills to supply him with milk the price of such maneuvers has considerably increased.

Here is an "inside" and little known story. When Panama broke away from Colombia in the autumn of 1903, Dr. Manuel Amador Guerrero, beloved of the poorer classes, gathered his friends about the elec- of 50 miles an hour for the run. This tric light power house, where nobody included two stops for fuel, but these would think of looking for them, and were brief, for small armies of men discussed Colombian tyranny. Dr. were waiting, each with an armful of Amador-who later was made President-was sent to New York to finance the junta. At the office of Pisa, Neuphews and Company in New York, he bewailed the fact that Bunau Varilla, Ferdinand de Leaseps' engineer and owner of the Paris Matin, was nowhere about. Dr. Amador.

The telephone rang at that instant. It was Bunau Varilla, just arrived from France, at the Waldorf. Twenty minutes later the Panama envoy was closeted with the funds was forthcoming.

Dr. Amador hustled back to the Isthmus. Esteban Huertas was the generalissimo of the Panama Army, which consisted of 400 men. Huertas evolved a plan to invite the Colombian general.\ Tovar, and his staff to luncheon. The army, with rifles oaded and cocked, would be gathered outside the door. The plan love dances, which appear to be exewas carried out. The group of offi- cuted by the male to excite the admircers was neatly gathered in, and ation of the female birds. When the lodged—in jail! The soldiers at mating season approaches the jacana Colon, under Colonel Torres, were will single out its favorite lady and adopted to Jamaica; the war was

Estate of FRANK ZIMMERMAN of Manchester, in said district, a minor. The Guardian having exhibited his resignation and guardian account with said estate and application for appointment of guardian of said minor to this court for allowance, it is ORDERED—That the 18th day of August A. D. 1919, at 9 o'clock, foremon, at the Probate Office, in said Manchester, be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said resignation and guardian account with said estate and appointment of guardian for said minor, and this court firects the Guardian to give public notice to all persons interested in some newspaper, having a circular acopy of this order on the signpost in the court. Heart of the deceased last dwelt, six days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

In that war one shot was fired; a Colombian gunboat on the Pacific Coast fired it, and it struck a Chinaman outside the military barracks in the city of Panama. General Huerton likening in the city of Panama. General Huerton and Bolivar, and annointing himself as the saving himself as the might be done so easily!

Old Deerfield, in Massachusetts, One of the Most Interesting of New England Towns

Descendants of the first families will tell you in all earnestness that the newest house in Old Deerfield is at least one hundred and twenty-five years old. As a matter of fact, this is not a true statement, but it cannot be called "a lie" on the part of the informant, who is a Puritanical New Englander.

The difference is all in the point of view. For him or for her, the half dozen homes and the one hotel that have been built in the last decade do not exist. He does not see them, but looks right through and sees the landscape as it was before the blot appeared.

Old Deerfield is little changed since the Indian's trailed through Massachusetts on their way from Albany to Boston. Relies of many a battle between the white man and his redskinned foe are to be seen in the little Pocomtuck museum, Deerfield's only public building. Various boulders along Main street and on the Albany post road commemorate the many bloody struggles to push the new frontier westward in those early pioneer

Trees that were eld when Columbus discovered America overreach Deerfield's one beautiful highway-Main street. Their height, if not their size of trunk, is almost great enough to tempt the eloquence of a native Cali-

fornian. For safety's sake a plump, very plump, purse or one that has been stepped on by the proverbial elephant is a necessity in visiting Old Deerfield, Her women have revived housewifely industries and renewed needle and loom artistry. Loom productions like those that New England grandmothers turned out. Modest signs may be seen announcing: "Raffia Baskets" that have earned for their weavers a world fame for design/ color and fine weaving; "Quilts and Needlework," that would stagger the hurried city-bred woman; "Tatting and Knitted Lace:" "Photographs" now recognized on two continents as unusual camera art, and, finally, a "Tea Room for Automobilists" in a house bearing the date of

# MADE RECORD HE WAS AFTER

Remarkable Performance of Engineer on Hannibal and St. Joseph Line Many Years Ago.

The first fast mail on a railway west of the Mississippi was run over northern Missouri railroad between Hannibal on the Mississippi and St. Joseph on the Missouri. This road was completed more than 60 years ago, and in April a test fast mail run was made. The mails were then carried mento, and, in order to get a governestablish a new record for speed. The locomotive was a crude affair, burning wood, the rails were light, and the track was not ballasted. Add Clark was the engineer, and his instructions were to make a record that would stand for 50 years. Moreover, he came near doing it-in fact, he did do it, so far as that particular railway was concerned. The distance from Hannibal to St. Joseph is 206 miles, and the fast hail covered the route in a few seconds over four hours, or at the rate

Scenes Set for Visitors.

In the little Barbary coast town of Biskra the Moorish coffee houses with Arab customers and Turkish atmosphere seem like set scenes in a stage production, while the far-famed dancing girls obviously exhibit their skill "He would give us the money", said for the pleasure of the foreigners alone. Without the foreign visitor Biskra would be an ordinary oasis town on the edge of the desert.

Since Robert Hichens' "Garden of Allah" was written with Biskra as the background, many people have come to visit the scene of the story. Others French engineer, and a promise of come on doctor's orders, for the climate is said to be beneficial to rheumatism and other diseases. Others come merely to see the sights, which are widely advertised.

Dance to Attract Mate.

On some of the islands of the Pacific, in tropical South America, is found the beautiful bird known as the jacana. It is famous for its so-called try to win her admiration with all its bewitching maneuvers. In the dance In that war one shot was fired; such a manner that the beautiful colthe wings are spread and worked in

appeared.

Exchange of Students Planned With United States.

freed From Dominance of German Schools Ten Will Take Swede Specialties.

and European students are alike freed Several rods ahead there was a shaft of the dominance of German learning of fight and when we reached the spot and German universities is found in the fact that an interchange of stu- half-way up. Wickedly, but not malidents between this country and Swed- clously, we hesitated, stopped-and we en has been arranged by the American peeped. Scandinavian foundation of New York.

According to plans of this organization for the next academic year ten young Americans will go to Sweden for technological study of an advanced nature and ten Swedish students will come to the universities here.

The ten Americans, to receive \$1,000 each as fellows of the American-Scandinavian foundation for 1919-20, have been chosen for the foundation by a committee of technical experts and professors. The men appointed are Samuel G. Frantz of Princeton, N. J., Princeton university; Harry F. Yancy of Urbana, Ill., University of Missouri; Chester C. Stewart of Wilmington, Del., Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Harry W. Titus of Laramie, Wyo., University of Wyoming; Robert S. Sessions of Worcester, Mass., Worcester Polytechnic institute; Clarence N. Ostergren of Hoboken, N. J. Sheffield scientific school; William S. Moir of Boston, Mass., Yale Forestry school; Henry M. Meloney of Syracuse N. Y., state school of forestry at Syracuse university; Ralph E. Zetterstrand of Munhall, Pa., Sheffleld Scientific school, and Thomas Fraser of Urbana, Ill., University of Illinois.

Four of these men will study chem istry, two hydro-electrical engineering, two forestry and two metallurgy, in all of which subjects Sweden excels.

### Aviators Count Herds of Canadian Caribou

Ottawa.-Aviators who have flown over the barren lands of Canada say that there are at least 20,000,000 carlbou there. The information comes from more than one flyer.

In the spring the herds migrate to the north, returning south in the winter. The country over which the herds range is a wild, desolate region, without timber, and the climate is

### WOMEN EMPLOYES ARE GOING Returning Service Men Receiving Old

Positions Back - Females in Clerical Work May Stay.

Washington.-Steady reduction the number of women employed by railroads is taking place as the result of demobilization and the return of soldiers to their old jobs. From the high mark of 101,785 women employes, on Oct. 1, 1918, the number was decreased 14.3 per cent by April 1. when 85,393 were still on the payrolls.

.The first women to be let go were those engaged in heavy work in roundhouses and shops. In the clerical occupations, such as ticket selling, where 72 per cent of the women were used, reduction has been small 68,119 still being employed, many of whom will likely remain permanently.

Statistics compiled by the Railroad by that of a horse-drawn vehicle, they administration show that 5,000 women were employed in shops and 1,000 in roundhouses in 1918i

### IS WAR TO BLAME FOR THIS French Dandles Now Addicted

Powder Puff and Affect Wasp Waists.

Paris.-Wasp waists for men are the thing in Paris this spring. Corsets may or may not be worn, but the coat must make an elegant curve at the waistline. A few dandles are sporting a skirt-like flow below the waist. but Andre Le Fouquieres, the Beau Brummel of the town for ten years declares that the smartest men must discard the skirts and have the bottom of the coat clinging tightly around the hips.

More startling than the masculine waistline is a post-war addiction by dandles to face powder. Many men are now using the powder puff, dabbing themselves quite openly with tan powder, which gives the appearance of trench burn to drawing room zine. habitues

Submarige Chasers Patrol Ports to bent Property of ing Companies.

Juneau, Alaska. - Submarine chasers under the direction of Gov. Themas Riggs, Jr., are patrolling the fishing ports to protect the fishing companies' property from fish pirates. Pirates opened fire upon one of the

tenders of the Thlinket Packing company, according to a wireless message received by Governor Riggs. The tender gave chase, but the pirates, escaped. Another message said that in a clash between the canners

Shafts of Father Time Powerless to Affect Those Blessed With Mutual Affection.

Ordinarily, we would cuss to the lima it a "peeper" or an eavesdropper. But we have a confession to-make on the first count, and we would plead mitigating circumstances. Here is the

On a drizzling, foggy night, our way New York.-Proof that American lay down a side street toward home. we found a window with the shade

There sat an old man and his wife. They must have been well up to the allotted three-score of years. He was smoking and she was knitting. Still we peeped. Then she looked up at him and smiled and said something. He laid down a book, struggled up from out of his comfortable seat and kind of hobbled out of the room, shortly returning and carrying a glass of water, which he handed to her.

And as she drank she held the wrinkled and bony hand of her lover. Then, as she finished drinking, she released his hand and the look she gave him and the look he gave her were like shafts of sunshine breaking through the murky clouds after days of rain.

That picture has haunted us a long time. Somehow she seems beautiful in our eyes, and yet we did not get a "closeup" of her features. And he, why as we keep thinking of him, we hark back to the days when we once visited a fine old Southern gentleman who possessed the graces of a Chesterfield and the courtesy of a Don Juan. Then we recall the words of a poet which fits the case precisely: "Let Time reach out with his sickle as far as ever he can; although he can reach ruddy cheeks and ripe lips and flash-

When a man really loves a woman she will never grow old, and when a woman loves a man he is neither decrepit nor bowed nor tremulous. She is the same lass he wooed and he is always the same gallant young fellow who won her heart and her hand. They are absolutely equals, happy and free. These two lovers are traveling toward the City of Silence, but they are leaving behind a picture never to be forgotten .- Fremont Herald.

Patriotic Kansan.

I had looked forward to my first glimpse of France with an almost fanatical eagerness, France-the land of dreams-I had visioned it so often! But my first real sight of it, save for a few harbor lights, was not at all the thrilling experience that I had expected. As we steamed up the river to Bordeaux I stood, with a group of eager watchers, beside the rail, and looked at the fields stretching along the sides of the river. They were very green, even though it was winter time; and though I was almost breathless with the wonder of reaching a promised land, that vivid green was the only thing that I could quite compre-

"I never saw grass like that!" I exclaimed stupidly.

One of the men-a newspaper man from the middle West-answered me. "You ought to see the grass that we grow in Kansas!" he-said.-Margaret E. Sangster in the Christian Herald.

Dog Watches for Auto. Does evolution in the life of animals cause them to take added care in going across a street infested with autos? Some folks says it does. Early in the auto age numerous dogs were killed because they would run out to bark at an auto and, judging the speed

often were run over. This fact can still be noticed in some country districts, where autos are not plentiful. - Close students and lovers of dogs in the city say they have often officed dogs looking to the left and the tight before they start across street. Of course, not all of them do, neither do all human beings, but the "thirking" dog does. Watch it for

Future of "Tired" Nations.

The recuperative powers of nations s great beyond belief, and hope is ever present as long as the spark of vitality is left. The same superhuman effort that was put forward to repel the invader will again be exerted to remedy the damage that has been done; only there must be a breathing space between effort, and in that space lies the greatest danger. This danger, however, is more imaginary than real, and whatever means are resorted to by the population to deaden the effect of this reactive period, it soon palls and the sober minds of the populace again attain the ascendency.-Forbes Maga-

Extravagance in Combs. The notice Tadies are requested to remove their rombs," appears now on theater programs in Lendon, because of the rogue of the huge Spanish comb among smart women. Some of the combs are of enormous size. The tortoise shall vogue is an expensive one. A light tortoise shell dressing set costs \$1,000 or more.

Protected His Tonalis. John Lay denies the story that he had his tonsils sunburned by gazing skyward the other afternoon at the airplane that was cutting didos in the sky. He says the machine shifted its position often enough to keep him turning about, so that part of the time and fish pirates one pirate was his mouth was in the shade.—Sikeston Standard.

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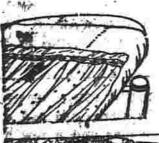
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"The Usurper" with Earle Williams as the star, is the headline attraction of a ten reel bill at the Circle theatre this evening. In addition to this feature there will be an episode of "The Tigers Trail," the latest installment of the "Pathe News" and a first run two reel "Big V. Comedy."

Mystery and action carried across two continents and strong love interest are combined in 'The Usurper.' Vitagraph has provided a rather unusual and fascinating role for Mr. Williams in this screen version of one of the late Nat Goodwin's best known stage successes, one in which the polished and popular star appears to best advantage.

Mr. Williams, first in cowboy garb is an American ranchman who has amassed a fortune and who decides to take a vacation abroad. He leases a eastle from needy owners and not to humiliate them insists they remain while he appears their guest. Things happen, however, which force him to throw off his role of guest, thus giving him the appearance of a usurper. He becomes involved in several mysterious affairs and saves from a vicious nobleman the beautiful young mistress of the castle and wins her love.

Large Supporting Cast. "The Usurper" was written by I N. Morris and the picture directed on the West Coast by James Young. There is a large supporting cast, including Louise Lovely, Bob Russell, Frank Leigh, Billie Elmer, Jay Morley, Audrey Chapman, Bessie Eyton and Lillian Langdon. Following is a brief synopsis of the play.

John Maddox, American ranchman still in the thirties, has amassed a fortune, and decided to take a vacation in England. He leases an old castle, home of the Dulverton's and of Beatrice Clive, whom he had met in the United States. Not to humiliate the owners he insists on appearing as their guests.

Maddox becomes much interested in Beatrice, but she is engaged to Lord Trenery, and is inclined to treat the American as a usurper. Shortly before the story begins, Trenery's estate has been the scene of a tragedy. Trenery had betrayed Margaret, daughter of his gamekeeper, Quentin, but had thrown suspicion on another. This man Quentin had killed and had been sent to prison. He escaped and makes his way to Dulverton prison, where Margaret is employed and is hidden in a tower room. He learns the truth from Margaret and swears to kill Trenery. Maddox also learns from Margaret the name of her betrayer.

Battle in Tower. Beatrice and Trenery plan to elope and Maddox determines to save Beatrice by revealing Trenery's character. But she turns on Maddox, accusing him of blackening Trenery's name from jealousy. Before this she had promised that on the first macy. adv

Circle Theater dox to the castle tower, which was against her will.

In the tower room she is fronted by Quentin and is convinced of Trenery's true character and of Maddox's intentions towards her. In the morning they are released by servants, for the door had become ocked. Beatrice dismisses Trenery and Maddox takes Beatrice back to his American ranch.

The special Sunday program includes a five reel Metro play, "The Lion's Den," with Bert Lyteli, a two reel comedy, a news weekly, and The Tigers Trail repeated.

### Park Theater

Baby Marie Osborne, noted juvenile star, and a close rival to the famous Lee Kids for high screen honors, will be seen at the Park theatre this evening in an hilarious Pathe Gold Rooster comedy, "Milady

O' The Beanstalk." Other features on the same program include an episode of that smashing Universal thriller, "The Red Glove" and a two reel comedy.

Baby Marie Osborne, when comes to climbing and second-story work, is an infantine Douglas Fairbanks. She gives a remarkable exhibition of her adventurous agility in 'My Lady O' the Beanstalk." It is to be expected in such a story that she climbs the beanstalk, which reaches up into the land of the Fefi-fo-fum Giant, who loves broiled small boy for luncheon; but the way that this talented kiddle shins up a vertical fire escape evokes astonished admiration at her gymnastics and

And, even with the enchanted beanstalk, the story is nevertheless an intensely modern one, with giant who is really a big man look at. Of course, there is the golden treasure to settle all the distressing problems that give sympathetic interest to the story—a sort

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SURROUNDINGS. A drawbridge several miles from of delightful, duplex story with one navigable water may seem entirely to lapse-even if you have formally side of it for the wise grownups and uncalled for says Popular Mechanics. the other for the little people to but such a bridge is used in connec- der the new and liberal provisions for whom the world is a wonderland in tion with a southern California warewhich anything magical might hap- house. A spur railroad track runs down the center of the warehouse And when the oldsters regard such | yard, and to save time in unloading. an example of childish faith, it platforms level with the car floor should refresh them and give them were built on each side of the track. new courage and strength to face Whenever it was desired to get a and overcome the hard, vexatious truck from one platform to another, it was necessary for it to go down For the Sunday program the man, off the platform, drive round the agement has secured Catherine Calvert in an ultra-society play, "Mar- other. This took 10 or 15 minutes riage for Convenience." Other ap- of valuable time. The difficulty was propriate features are also scheduled eliminated by constructing several for showing. On Tuesday and Wed- small drawbridges over the track. nesday comes "The Heart of Human- When it is desired to move the train these are simply lifted up.

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Treasury Department Sends Out This Advice to Demobilized

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Washington.-A busy place these days of demobilization is the bureau of war risk insurance of the treasury department of the United States, with its 14,000 employees and its files contain-

ing 30,000,000 records. Demobilization is having the effect of making a large proportion of the soldiers become transient for an indefinite period after leaving the service. Many of the original addresses of these men become useless, as thousands forget to leave forwarding adreau. In this way many men are losing touch with the bureau and are neglecting their insurance. Hence the efforts of the bureau to keep in touch with demobilized men are increasingly difficult, as demobilization progresses. Every possible agency is being used, including the Red Cross and public organizations of many kinds.

Uncle Sam is perfecting plans for the new forms of government insurance which the demobilized soldier will want in place of his war risk insurance. But the soldier cannot change his war risk insurance for this new insurance unless his monthly premiums boots. Their receipts were \$30,000. are paid up to date on his old insur-Since that time the Shoeblack Soci- ance.

### Advice to Soldiers.

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THE ADDRESS TO CONGRESS Ever since he broke a precedent that dated back to the days Thomas Jefferson and appeared person to deliver his message before Congress the autterances of President Wilson before that body have had fully as much of public interest as they have of legislative significance. This is even more true of his address of yesterday for it concerns a problem with which every man and woman is perplexed. solution of the high cost of living becoming imperative under the constant encroachment of expenses on incomes. True, wages have been raised and raised again but, as the President remarked, this is only one half of a 'vicious cycle'. Prices have steadily out-topped the wage increases by a perilous margin.

The investigations of the federal government have already made apparent that much of the present burden is due to the most rapacious profiteering that this, or any other country has ever known.

While the country was making its great war effort and private citiizens were daily stinting themselves for the sake of the men across the water, the purse of every housekeeper was being filched of a few cents here and a few cents there by conscienceless corporations and retailers whose activities were little less than treasonable. Since armistice, with all the destruction of the war halted and the supply of food actually greater than it was twelve months previous, prices were constantly jacked up.

To come to the President's specific proposals: the outstanding difficulty is the haggling in the Senate over the treaty of peace. The conditions of peace can not return so long as there is no peace and there can be no peace until the United States Senate resolves to abandon its Bolsheviki tactics and ratify the

treaty. It is as the President says:

There can be no confidence in industry, no calculable basis for credits, no confident buying or systematic selling, no certain prospect of employment, no normal restoration of business, no hopeful attempt at reconstruction or the proper reassembling of the dislocated elements of enterprise until peace has been established and, so far as may be guaranteed."

The President's plea for greater publicity as to what things cost at their point of production will be one of the most practical efforts at halting the exploitation of the public, if it can be adopted. A few years ago the apple growers of New York state accomplished much by a similar plan. In the center of many barrels there was packed a card reading "I received \$- for these apples. How much did you pay?" The effect of such a proceeding on mid- eagerly grasp. The Order of Merit, dlemen would be immediate and very much to-the benefit of the con- in recognition of his services "both

Congress and other government peace", is a badge he can wear with agencies, no one should expect to pride, without sacrificing his princisee the nation suddenly placed back ples or losing political prestige. in pre-war conditions. We can not eat out cake and have it too, and ing days are over, the House of for four years the world has been Lords may still serve as a comfortacasting whole loaves to the dogs of ble retreat in which to end their all and all of us have to pay for loyd George to seek retirement some of it.

is that the process shall fall on all in proportion to their ability to pay and that the public shall not be plundered by those great agencies of distribution which modern economic methods have established.

AFTER COLD STORAGE MEN.

Attorney General Orders Them Purnish Lists of Food on Hand.

fore Tuesday.

eral A. Mitchell Palmer. The ware- pensable to a man of his temperahouse men were ordered to produce ment and qualities. the dates when each lot of foodstuffs was put in storage and to show the contract covering it.

# The Open Forum

To the Editor of the Evening Herald: I would like to contradict a statement made by one of our "not-paidby-either-side lawyers at the special Town Meeting in regards to developing the Pinehurst section and "dumping the mud hole on the town." In justice to Mr. Holl I will state that four years ago I reported the condition of Cambridge street to Mr. Taylor, the chairman of the Selectmen of that time, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Barrows and I went to see the said mud hole as our learned lawyer calls

it. Mr. Taylor and Mr. Barrows, after viewing it, said that since it was a private street they could do nothing about it. Sometime afterward the street was accepted by the town. Who dumped it on the town, Mr. Lawyer? Was it Mr. Holl, or the men who accepted it and who were trying to save money for the town when they accepted it? If the record of Cambridge street is looked up you would all know who was to blame for it. Did you get that?

FAIR PLAY.

NEGOTIATE FIRST. (Bridgeport Times.)

The representatives of organized labor resolved wisely when in conference they decided to support no further strikes in Bridgeport which are made effective before the workers concerned in it have organized, formed a committee and tried to settle the dispute by negotiation.

The strike is a costly weapon. is costly to the employers and to the workers. It is more costly, often, to the worker than to the employer.

Hence a strike should not be declared until the resources of consultation and conference have been resorted to, and have failed.

Equally manufacturers should re-Two facts must be regarded as set-

That workers have a right to bar-

gain for better conditions. That bargaining is best carried on between the employer and the collective representatives of the em-

It is stupidly anti-social to make the conditions of bargaining more difficult than they need to be.

Most of the strikes now taking place in Bridgeport are spontaneous, They have originated upon the initiative of unorganized workers, mainly because of dissatisfaction growing out of the high cost of living. Some strikers have originated in the organized effort to the W. I I. U., which, unlike the American Federation, advocates strikes not merely to secure better conditions, hours or wages, but for the revolutionary purpose of destroying the existing industrial order.

The leaders who assembled to advocate conciliation before strikes, are, of course, all of them, representatives of the American Federation.

NO TITLE FOR LLOYD GEORGE. (New York World.)

If Premier Lloyd George had coveted a peerage it would have been his for the taking. With the example of the younger Pitt in mind, he was not to be tempted intoo accepting honors at which others conferred on him by King George in carrying the war to a victorious But in spite of all the efforts of end and in securing an honorable

For elderly Liberals whose fight-Somebody has to pay for it days. But the time has not yet come or to be willingly shelved. He be-The only thing we can hope for longs in the House of Commons. It was there that he received his training and proved his powers as a great

popular leader and in debate.

To a man of Lloyd George's energy and talents promotion to the House of Lords would mean banishment. Disraeli as Premier survived the test, but Disraeli was a Tory who for personal reasons found satisfaction in his promotion into the company of peers whom he treated with wizard has slept, members of the arrogant contempt. No one can fore- famous camping party say, on an av-New York, Aug. 9 .- All of the tell into what paths of radicalism, erage of 15 hours out of every 24 or owners of cold storage warehouses under the pressure of events growing the trip. here were today ordered to trans- out of the war, "the little Welsh atmit a list of food on hand to the torney" may yet venture. He has of these days", continued Ford. United States District Attorney be- ambition, he has self-confidence and "And like all things the solution will genius in leadership in any company, be easy when it comes. What the sities of today." This move was taken in response and freedom of action such as the to instructions from Attorney Gen- House of Commons affords is indis-

# Peace Brings Severe Losses To Daimler Motor Company

German Company Which Made Fortunes Out of War Now Finds Itself Hard Pressed-Was Taken Over by Government to Prevent Profiteering-Expanding Plant When Peace Came-Mode Huge Profits.

Caught by the armistice in the midst of another general enlargement of its plants for the purpose of turning out war material and army motors, the Daimler Motor Comgard most of these extensions as straits in the latter half of the year practically useless for peace pur- that it had to borrow 20,000,000 poses and to charge them off to marks from the banks, and at one profit and loss to the amount of 29,- time had difficulty in meeting its 860,000 marks, according to data payments. The big new plant at found in the company's report for Unterturkheim was scheduled to be-1918, printed in German newspa- gin operations in the first part of this pers received here. Nevertheless, year. In the Sindelfingen factory by digging deep into its big reserves the abriane department had only accumulated out of war profits, the been functioning a short while becompany was able to declare a divi- fore the armistice of Nov. 11, while dend of 1,920,000 marks, as against the section there intended for the 2,400,000 the year before. The div-production of airplane motors had idend rate fell from 30 to 6 per cent, not been used at all. due to the increase of capitalization from 8,000,000 to 32,000,000, effected in 1917. A mark equals 23.8 cents at normal exchange, but at present is worth only about 7 cents. with last year, and its makeup is as

The Daimler Company war profiteers in Germany, but it overreached itself in the winter of 1918, when it demanded still higher if its wishes were not acceded to. and the company was put under mil- work took 850,000 marks, against frain from lockouts until the less itary control and its profits limited. 200,000 in 1917, while the pension costly methods have been tried out Gustav Noske, the present German appropriation remained at 500,000. attacks on the Daimler Company, and he held that its threat to reduce proceedings were begun against the Ernst Berge, but apparently nobody mum.

was ever sent to jail.

According to the business report for 1918, the company had to invest more than one and one-half times its nominal capital in new plants and largely because of the high cost of pany of Stuttgart was forced to re- raw materials, it found itself in such

The Farankfurter Zeitung, in summarizing the Damler Company's balance sheet remarks that it "shows notable changes compared was opaque as before." Assets are put at long known as one of the biggest 186,585,296 marks, and liabilities at 185,235,899, including stock capital, reserves and net profits. The year's gross operating income totalprices for its army materials under ed 15,965,498 marks, against 13,threat of cutting down production 029,893 in 1917, but general expenses rose from 8,207,745 in 1917 This threat aroused such indignation to 12,563,200, leaving a net profit throughout the country that the of 3,402,284, compared with 4,822,-Reichstag was forced to take it up 148 the preceding year. Welfare

Reichstag members who led in the ties involved in transforming its plants from a war to a peace basis, but also by the repeated strikes and its output was akin to treason. Legal wage demands of its employees, the company is said to be operating at company and its Director General, a loss and its output is at a mini-

# H. Ford Tells J. Burroughs But T. Edison Just Sleeps

Three Men Who Don't Need to Worry About It Discuss the That's one thing that will bring this High Cost of Living-Too Many Expensive Packages Says Burroughs—Cut Out the Meat Says Ford.

Mountains, N. Y., Aug. 9 .- Out of fancy package. That's one reason the inky blackness that hangs like a shroud over the Adirondacks these nights there blooms nightly along some quiet mountain stream a lace is exclusive, being limited to Thomas A. Edison, Henry Ford. John Burroughs and a few of their closest friends.

Eight tents, almost transparent with the incandescent lamps inside them, stood out last night. like so many jewels against the velvet cow and the pig." blackness of the forest on all sides. In the center of the tiny willage a camp fire burned, for it's nippy in side. the mountains these "rights and L

Sato, a wizard-like - Jap, moved softly around the camp, cleaning up the supper things.

"I see," said Henry Ford, holding up to the fire light a two days newspaper which he had picked up

Hving down in Washington," John Burroughs, the naturalist, nodded affirmatively.

Edison Catches Up Sleep. Thomas Edison who is well past seventy years, sat in his camp chair and said nothing. The electrical

"They'll settle that problem some world needs is men who know how to do things."

adv . They were cheap then. Nowadays distribution are needed."

Somewhere in the Adirondack everything comes wrapped up in why the cost of living is so high." "Yes", agreed Mr. Ford, "but be-

fore the world can cut down the cost of living it must eliminate the waste ghost-like tented village. Its popu- in its production. We are years behind in our methods of farming. There are eight million farms in the United States and there are not more than 75,000 tractors and 60,000 of those I have made myself. The use of horses and cows is a wasteful method. Eliminate the horse, the

meat?" came a voice from the fire-

"You don't-need it", was the reply. around the fire, nearly fifty miles of The world would be better off withthe main line of any railroad, where out meat. Its seventy per cent ashes mails don't reach, where telegrams anyway. Milk can be manufactured are undelivered and where there are chemically. Every animal used on no telephone lines, sat the distingu- the farm these days is a waste of cial dance series and all were even

> "You can't eliminate horses and sows and pigs", interposed Mr. Burroughs, stroking his patriarchal beard, "and speaking of wasting time reminds me of a story.

"A man once went to a farmer in some forgotten village, "where with a patent hog fattener. He said there's a big rumpus over the cost of it would make hogs fat in short order. But the farmer thought the old method of feeding grain was the "But,' said the salesman, "it's

> such a waste of time.' 'What's time to a hog?' said the farmer.".

Too Many Luxuries.

"It's a great problem", living member of the caravan de luxe, "is seen events make it necessary to cur- designed airplanes have been pre- waist by a chain. these days", said the famous nature that too many people handle the tail the program to three nights, pared for the work of carrying travlover. I can remember when I was stuff from the producer to the con- Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, elers to and over the beauty spots of Kodaks and Fesh Film at Balch a boy we used to buy things in bulk. sumer. More efficient methods of which are also the regular dance the region, some hitherto, inacces-

"Assistant Home Makers"

# August Furniture Sale

EVEN though you may not need your furniture at this time, you can save by buying now. We say this advisedly, as the price of good furniture is steadily increasing.

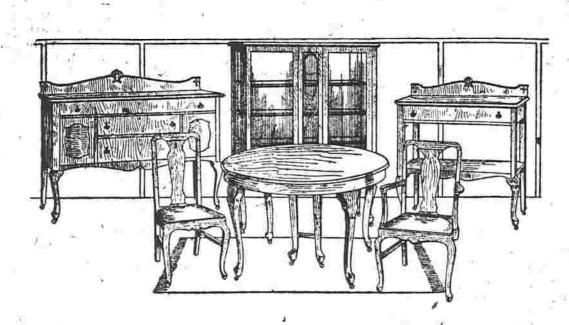
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"That's it", interjected Mr. Ford. "Take wheat for example. Its grown one place. Its shipped away off and ground. Then it's shipped back. And the consumer pays for all that unnecessary hauling. There's too much railroad traffic. Let the producer truck his crop into a nearby community and sell it there. Eliminate this expensive hauling. expensive hauling. That's one thing that will bring this high cost of living down."

"I know one thing that I can do to bring it down", Mr. Ford went on. "If for the next four or five years I would devote all my time to developing the farm tractor and put it on every farm in the United States it will bring down the cost of living. And I'm going to do it. I will cut down the work on a farm to twenty days a year. Twenty days is all a farmer needs to work anyway. Now he works all the time and doesn't make any more money than he could be working 20 days. His cost of production is too high."

AT LAUREL PARK.

"What are you going to do for Big Crowd at Second of Dance Series-Splendid Sunday Pro-

Another large gathering was at-

tracted to Laurel Park Thursday evening for the second of the spemore enthusiastic than on the opening night. Many automobile parties from various parts of the state were present. The final dance of this series will be held tonight when there will be many added features. An orchestra of fifteen musicians plays the accompaniments. The program for the coming Sunday is one of the best ever arranged by the management. Hatch's band will give a long and varied concert program at 3.30 while there will be a community "sing" and moving picture show with orchestral selections in the evening. The "sing" will be led by Jack Sheridan, the musical comedy star, whose min-"The reason the cost of living is strels will appear at the park three SIGHT-SEEING FROM THE AIR. high nowadays" said Burroughs evenings next week. The features To view the scenic wonder of the is that we have too many luxuries. for the movie show include a two- west from the air, escaping the rough the richest persons and and There is too much about our lives as reel comedy, "The Farmerette," a trails and rocky barriers that often scholars possessed them, the lived today that is artificial. The reel of current events, a one-reel screen the rarest vistas—that is the sometimes most sumptuously luxuries of yesterday are the neces- comedy, "Some Baby" and a one- prospect offered to tourists who As an example, we are told reel cartoon comedy. It was orig- make Salt Lake City their "going- Queen Elizabeth of England "One of the reasons", said H. S. inally planned to have Sheridan's in" point for sight-seeing trips, says a book which was bound in solid a Efrestone, who, with his son, is a minstrels all next week but unfor- Popular Mechanics. Five specially which she were suspended to

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What Happened August 9

and Muelhausen in Alsace-Kaiser on. at French frontier-Japan's Fleet puts to sea. .

Italy masses army to aid Allies; will send 500.000 men to France, man U-boats quit Mediterranean for 150,000 to Dardanelles-Kaiser's intensive Atlantic campaign. fleet defeated off Riga: Mackensen divides Russian forces in south-German newspapers wage peace campaign-British capture Hooge trenches on 120 yard front in Flan-

Italians capture Gorizia, take 30,-000 prisoners; chief positions on Isonzo and Carso abandoned by plants-American casualties to Austria-Russians in Galicia advan- 16.324.

) cing rapidly on Halicz British gall French capture cities of Altkirch beyond Pozieres; French also push

> Root mission advises against sends ing army to Russia-President Will son issues draft call to colors Ger

1918. Allies gain 5 miles more b Somme; 17,000 prisoners, 300 guns taken-Germans abandon mora Lys salient to British-Allies within mile of vital railroad center Chaulnes-U. S. meat restrict abolished-None but war work remainder of war in U. S.

WHEN BOOKS WERE BARD

Get Kodaks and Films mara's Pharmacy, Job Developing and printing.

# President Wilson's Message on High Cost of Living

mendations designed to reduce the cost of living, follows:

to address you because it is clearly the world. by duty to call your attention to the present cost of living and to urge upon you with all the persuasive goods out of our ports to foreign force of which I am capable the legislative measures which would be fore—not foodstuffs merely but substantially the same in price.

"In a few foodstuffs the prices had most effective in controlling it and stuffs and materials of every sort-

country are paying for everything the effect the volume of our exports creased. For example, the stock of that it is necessary for them to use will have on supplies and prices. It canned tomatoes had increased 102 in order to live are not justified by is impossible yet to predict how far clined only 25 cents per dozen cans.

or a shortage in supply either present or how long foreign purchasers will in some long there are not justified by is impossible yet to predict how far clined only 25 cents per dozen cans. or prospective, and are in many be able to find the money or the cases artificially and deliberately credit to pay for or sustain such pur- following a decrease of supply, but in created by vicious practices which | chases on such a scale; how soon or bught immediately to be checked by to what extent foreign manufacturlaw. They constitute a burden upon ers can resume their former producus which is the more unbearable be- tion, foreign farmers get their acposed by those who have the power and that it can, by vigorous public former output, foreign merchants action, be greatly lightened and set up again their old machinery of made to square with the actual con- trade with the ends of the earth. ditions of supply and demand. Some once by legislation.

A Vicious Cycle. "I need not recite the particulars of this critical matter; the prices demanded and paid at the sources of supply, at the factory, in the food markets at the shops, in the restaurants and hotels, alike in the city governments of the world. Until ers and marketers of these and other and in the village. They are familiar to you. They are the talk of every domestic circle and of every group of casual acquaintances even. It is a matter of familiar knowledge. is likely unless something is done, to bush prices and rents and the whole cost of living higher and yet higher no logical or natural end.

Unjust Increases. "With the increases in the prices of necessaries of life come demands for increases in wages—demands which are justified if there be no other means of enabling men to live. Upon the increase of wages there follows close an increase in the price of the products whose producers have been accorded the increase -not a proportionate increase, for the manufacturer does not content himself with that, but an increase onsiderably greater than the added wage cost and for which the added wage cost is oftentimes hardly more than an excuse. The laborers who not get an increase in pay when ey demand it are likely to strike, nd the strike only makes matters orse. It checks production, it aflects the railways, it prevents distribution and stops the markets, so that there is presently nothing to

low conclusion that they are natural management be kept so. and inevitable in sitting inactively by and letting them work their fatal results if there is anything that we can do to check, correct or reverse them. I have sought this opportuniexecutive is doing by way of remedy and control, and to suggest where effective legal remedies are lacking

"We must, I think, frankly admit that there is no complete immediate remedy to be had from legislation and executive action. The free processes of supply and demand will not operate of themselves and no legislative or executive action can force them into full and natural opperation until there is peace.

"There is now neither peace nor war. All the world is waitingwith what unnerving fears and ly say?-waiting to know when it shall have peace and what kind of sort of speculation which always repeace it will be when it comes-a sults from uncertainty. Great surmakeshift for itself as it can, or a peace buttressed and supported by market would disclose and dealers the will and concert of the nation, that have the purpose and the power to do and to enforce what is right, eager to reap the full advantage of Politically, economically, socially rising prices. They will now see the the world is on the operating table, and it has not been possible to ad--minister any anaesthetic. It is of distribution. conscious. It even watches the capital operation upon which it knows that its hope of healthful life depends. It cannot think its business cut or make plans or give intelligent face of abundance have been disand provident direction to its affairs closed by the inquiries of the Departwhile in such a case. Where there ment of Agriculture, the Department is no peace of mind, there can be no of Labor and the Federal Trade emergy in endeavor, there can be no Commission. They seem to justify confidence in industry, no calculable the statement that in the case of basis for credits, no confident buy- many necessary commodities effecing or systematic selling, no certain tive means have been found to preprospect of employment, no normal vent the normal operation of the law restoration of business, no hopeful of supply and demand. Disregarding stitutional power of the Congress to the present, that our economic relaattempte at reconstruction - or the the surplus-stocks in the hands of the make similar permanent provisions tions with Europe were built up. proper reassembling of the dislocated government, there was a greater sup- and regulations with regard to all has been established and, so far as June 1 of this year than at the same merce and to exclude them from in- less we help Europe to get back to and of the world will suffer irreparatise the question as to how the may be, guaranteed.

Effect of the War. been less radically disturbed and prices have risen.

Significant of other peoples whom the war more

Our Foreign Trade.

but this is no index of what our for-

customed crops from their own fields, foreign mines resume their

provisional. There can be no set- have a prompt corrective effect. tled conditions here or elsewhere way and the work of liquidating the ber and of textiles have been mater war has become the chief concern of ially affected by forms of concert our government and of the other and co-operation among the producthen business will inevitably remain universally necessary commodities speculative and sway now this way which it will be possible to redress. be no peace prices so long as our tion will be necessary. Public action whole financial and economic system will no doubt cause many who have is on a war basis. Europe will not, perhaps unwittingly adopted illegal restless, distracted peoples to work and of their own volition. until she knows exactly where she we will do is for her the chief quesmind and confidence of purpose depend. While there is any possibility that the peace terms may be changed or may be held long in abeyance or may not be enforced because of divisions of opinion among the powers associated against Germany, it is idle to look for permanent relief.

Must Lower Price of Flour. "But what we can do we should do, and should do at once. And there is a great deal that we can do, privisional though it may be. Wheat shipments and credits facilitate the purchase of our wheat trolled in such a way as not to raise but rather to lower the price of flour here. The government has the power, within certain limits, to regulate that. We cannot deny wheat buy, and there is another excessive to foreign peoples who are in dire addition to prices resulting from the need of it, and we do not wish to do so; but, fortunately, though the "These are facts and forces with wheat crop is not what we hoped it which we have become only too would be, it is abundant if handled familiar; but we are not justified with provident care. The price of because of our familiarity with them wheat is lower in the United States or because of any hasty and shal- than in Europe, and can with proper

"By way of immediate relief, sur plus stocks of both food and clothing in the hands of the government will be sold, and of course, sold at prices at which there is no profit. ty to inform the Congress what the And by way of a more permanent. correction of prices surplus stocks in private hands will be drawn out of storage and put upon the market. Fortunately, under the terms of the food control act, the hoarding of foodstuffs can be checked and pre vented; and they will be, with the greatest energy.

Sell From Storage. "Foodstuffs can be drawn out of storage and sold by legal action soon as the situation is systematithe courts will often have to be resorted to.

"Much of the accumulating stocks has no doubt been due to the peace in which each nation shall pluses are accumulated because it was impossible to foresee what the were determined to be ready for whatever might happen, as well as disadvantage as well as the danger of holding off from the new process

Supply of Food Greater. "Some very interesting and significant facts with regard to stocks on hand and the rise of prices in the ements of enterprise until peace ply of foodstuffs in this country on goods destined for interstate comfoods in dry and cold storage the with. "Our national life has no doubt excess is quite 19 per cent. And yet

Significant Figures.

President Wilson's address to es are inextricably interwoven with frozen fowls had increased more than although the present act prohibits of a world confused, distracted, she and make ourselves a great and tri "GENTLEMEN OF THE CONGRESS war fell and who are now most de- 129 per cent. and the price from 41 be persuasive. "I have sought this opportunity pendent upon co-operative action of to 53 cents per pound. The supply of salt beef had been augmented by 3 per cent. and the price had gone up "We are just now shipping more from \$34 a barrel to \$36 a barrel.

declined, but in nothing like the pro-"The prices the people of this eign sales will continue to be or of portion in which the supply had inusual result of an increase of price the decrease in stock.

Combines to Be Prosecuted. "The Attorney-general has been making a careful study of the situation as a whole and of the laws that All these things must remain un- tion and temptation of exceptional sale dealer. of the methods by which these prices certain until peace is established and circumstances, commissions of proare produced are already illegal, the nations of the world have con- ducers and combinations of traders some of them criminal, and those certed the methods by which normal have been formed for the control of who employ them will be energtic- life and industry are to be restored. the supplies of prices, which are ally proceeded against; but others All that we shall do, in the mean-clearly in restraint of trade, and have not yet been brought under time, to restrain profiteering and put against these combinations presecuthe law, and should be dealt with at the life of our people upon a tolera- tions will be instituted and actively ble footing will be makeshift and pushed which will in all likelihood

"There is reason to believe that until the treaty of peace is out of the the price of leather, of coal, of lumi and again that, with heavy losses or No watchful or energetic effort will heavy gains as it may chance, and be spared to accomplish this necesthe consumer must take care of both sary result. I trust that there will the gains and the losses. There can not be many cases in which prosecu-

"And publicity can accomplish a facts and influences he is dealing will suffice. We need not hesitate with; and purchasers are not disin- to handle a national question in a clined to do anything, either singly national way. We should go beyond sary for their-self-protection. Department of Commerce, Department of Agriculture, the De-Frade Commission can do a great deal toward supplying the public, systematically and at short intervals, with information regarding the actual supply of particular commodities that is in existence, and available and with regard to supplies which are in existence, but not available because of hoarding, and with regard to the methods of price fixing which are being used by dealers in certain coodstuffs and other necessaries.

etailers are in part-sometimes in tant prices; and it is quite practicaagencies I have mentioned, to supply the public with full information as to the prices at which retailers buy and as to the costs of transportation they pay, in order that it may be known just what margin of profit they are demanding. Opinion and concerted action on the part of purchasers can probably do the rest.

Congress Should Supply Funds. "That is, these agencies may perform this indispensable service provided the Congress-will supply them with the necessary funds to prosecute their inquiries and keep their price lists up to date. the appropriation committees of the houses have not always, I fear, seen the full value of these inquiries and have been very much straitened for. means to render this service. That adequate funds be provided by approvided as promptly as possible, s one of the means of greatly amelcally dealt with it is not likely that lorating the present distressing conditions of livelihood that I have come to urge in this attempt to concert with you the best ways to serve the country in this emergency. It is means underlying many others, and can be supplied at once.

"There are many other ways. Exmany perfectly legitimate methods by which the government can exercise restraint and guidance.

Extend Food Control Act. "Let me urge in the first place, that the present food control act should be extended both as to the period of time during which it shall remain in operation, and as to the commodities to which it shall apply. Its provisions against hoarding should be made to apply not only to food but also to feedstuffs, to fuel, to clothing, and to many other commodities which are indisputably necessaries of life. As it stands now it is limited in operation to the period of the war and becomes inoperative upon the formalis proclamathat it was clearly within the con- was upon the former conditions, not

Make Prices Public. cold storage as it is regulated, for example by the laws of the state of New Jersey, which limit the time during which goods may be kept in storage, prescribe the methods of permitted period, and require that goods released from add to the service ability of the law, selves sharing in the disaster. for the purpose we now have in view, almost every instance the increase of if it were also prescribed that all price had been disproportionate to goods released from storage for interstate shipment should have plainly went into storage, By this means ple. can be applied to better it and is to learn what profits stood between tion and saving action. There must convinced that, under the stimula- him and the producer or the whole- be no threats. Let there be only in- man in the street" in the specific case

"It would serve as a useful example to the other communities of the country as well as greatly relieve loregulate all such matters very fully coercive is in the discard. for the District of Columbia, where who seek to employ it only prepare its legislative authority is without their own destruction. limit\_

"I would also recommend that it be required that all goods destined marked with the price at which they left the hands of the producer. Such a requirement would bear a close analogy to certain provisions required that certain detailed inpackages of foods and drugs.

Suggestions for the Future. "And it does not seem to me that federal license of all corporations engaged in interstate commerce and embodying in the license, or in the conditions under which it is to be mendations to the object immediately in hand, which is to lower the

"May I not add that there is a bill now pending before the Congress which, if passed, would do much to stop speculation and to prevent the fraudulent methods of promotion by which our people are annually earned money. I refer to the measure proposed by the Capital Issues Committee for the control of security issues. It is a measure formulated by men who know the actual conditions of business and its adoption would serve a great and beneficial

World in Grave Condition. "We are dealing, gentlemen of the very critical and very difficult matconfidence along the road we see but we should also seek to comprehend the whole of the scene amidst which we act. There is no ground for some of the fearful forecasts I propriation for this purpose, and hear uttered about me, but the condition of the world is unquestionably very grave and we should face it comprehendingly. The situation of thing, the most fatal thing that can tunate. We, of all peoples, can afford to keep our heads and to determine upon moderate and sensible pers which are working such deep unhappiness for some of the disisting law is inadequate. There are tressed nations on the other side of the sea. But we may be involved in their distresses unless we help, and help with energy and intelli-

World Must-Pay for War. palling destruction wrought by the great war, and we are part of the world. We must pay our share. For five years now the industry of all Eu- about and are willing to remedy exrope has been slack and disordered. The normal crops have not been produced; the normal quantity of manufactured goods has not been turned out. Not until there are the usual crops and the usual production of manufactured goods on the other side of the Atlantic can Europe re-

'We must face the fact in unevitably be communicated to this

Congress today, embodying recom- those of other nations and peoples 298 per cent. and yet the profiteering, the profiteering ourchief burden and confusion of the of creamery butter had increased alty should be provided which will by her action in arms; she must now looked to us for leadership in vain, save it by her action in peace. In saving Europe she will save herself, "To the same end, I earnestly as she did upon the battle fields of recommend, in the second place, that the war. The calmness and capathe Congress pass a law regulating city with which she deals with and masters the problems of peace will be the final test and proof of her place among the peoples of the world.

> Our Own Self Interest. "And, if only in our own interest, we must help the people overseas. disposing of them if kept beyond the Europe is our biggest customer. We must keep her going or thousands of inal, so that there will be findings storage our shops and scores of our mines shall in all cases bear the date of must close. There is no such thing their receipt. It would materially as letting her go to ruin without our. a balance of opinion between lawyers

> Light Not Heat. "In such circumstances, face to face with such tests, passion must be discarded. Passion and a disremarked upon each package the sell- gard for the rights of others have no ing or market price at which they place in the counsels of a free peo- to be pressed to a decision than civil We need light, not heat, in the purchaser would always be able these solemn times of self-examina-The world has just destroyed the arbitrary force of a military junta. It will live under no

"We cannot hastily and over night calling this precedent. One is the revolutionize all the processes of our economic life. We shall not at- similarity of the complaints. In Bring Your Suits for interstate commerce should in tempt to do so. These are days of both cases they are based on the sort every case where their form or pack- deep excitement and of extravagant age makes it possible be plainly speech; but with us these are things of the surface.

Faith in the Masses. Everyone who is in real touch with the silent masses of our great of the pure food act, by which it is people know that the old strong fiber stolen money. There was no possible and steady self-control are still there doubt that the money was stolen and formation be given on the labels of firm against violence or any distempered action that would throw their affairs into confusion. I am serenely confident that they will read- the conduct of the packers lies at Alterations of All Kinds. ily find themselves, no matter what the threshold of the case against cost of living higher and yet higher in a vicious cycle to which there is in a vicious cycle to which there is cannot recoup her capital or put her and of their own volition. measures of this kind, if it is indeed will address themselves to the tasks our purpose to assume national con- of peace with the same devotion and trol of the processes of distribution. the same stalwart preference for trying their cases on innuendoes. great deal. The purchaser can often I take it for granted that that is our what is right that they displayed to There are allegations enough in the tion upon which her quietude of take care of himself if he knows the purpose and our duty. Nothing less the admiration of the whole world Federal Trade Commission's report in the midst of war.

Appeal to Merchants. "And I entertain another confior collectively, that may be neces- the measures I have suggested. We dent hope. I have spoken today to consider before. They said that should formulate a law requiring a chiefly of measures of imperative the people had not suffered, and they regulation and legal compulsion, of could not see that the defendants tion of selfish processes, and these no doubt are necessary. But there issued specific regulations designed are other forces that we may count against the trust has been strength to secure competitive selling and on beside those resident in the De- ened. Also, perhaps the defendants prevent unconscionable profits in the partment of Justice. We have just then were emboldened by their ac method of marketing. Such a law fully awakened to what has been gowould afford a welcome opportunity ing on and to the influences many of to effect other much-needed reforms them very selfish and sinister, that in the business of interstate ship- have been producing high prices and ment and in the methods of corpor imposing an intolerable burden on the size of their business will rather ations which are engaged in it; but the mass of our people. To have increase their offense. The situafor the moment I confine my recom- brought it all into the open will ac- tion is serious for them, but opinion complish the greater part of the result we seek. I appeal with entire confidence to our producers, our middlemen, and our merchants to eral Trade Commission deal fairly with the people. It is heard in court, so also will facts not their opportunity to show that they comprehend, that they intend to act presented by it. The grievance justly and that they have the public against the men of the trust has been increst sincerely at heart. And I said to be that they bought their fleeced of many millions of hard have no doubt that housekeepers all live stock so cheap as to discourage over the country and everyone who the producers and sold their meat buys the things he daily stands in need of will presently exercise a greater vigilance, a more thoughtful They would be foolish to do so, and economy, a more discriminating care it has been said in debate in Conas to the market in which he buys gress as a matter of fact they have or the merchant with whom he

trades than he has hitherto exercised. Strikes Make Matters Worse, treme leaders of organized labor there was a gain in cattle in prowill present yield to a sober second thought and like the great mass of their associates, think and act like exported nearly 600,000,000 pounds strikes undertaken at this 'critical the exports of 1901, when the poputime are certain to make matters lation was 35,000,000 smaller. worse, not better, worse for them Cattle are more numerous now than and for everybody else. The worst our own country is exceptionally for- be done now is to stop or interrupt but lighter. That does not indicate production or to interfere with the discouragement of the producers by distribution of goods by the rail- the trust's reduction of its buying ways and the shipping of the coun- price. The growth of hogs has been one of the absolutely necessary courses of action which will insure try. We are all involved in the disus against the passions and distem- tressing results of the high cost of in proportion to the price induceliving and we must unite, not divide, ment which was more marked than to correct it.

> Invites Conference. ought to be corrected in the relations between capital and labor in respect and I, for one, am ready to go into salers. conference about these matters with any group of my fellow countrymen who know what they are talking remedy is possible while men are in a temper and there can be no settlement which does not have as its

Employers and Workmen. "I believe as I have hitherto had occasion to say to the Congress, that the industry and life of our people ities hereafter, there is likely to date last year. In the combined total derstate shipment if the require- her normal life and production a sible damage if employers and work- home market is to be supplied. Nevertheless, if the trust profiteers, able damage if employers and work- home market is to be supplied. test as antagonists. They must, on Some such regulation is impera- country. For the present, it is one plan or another, be effectively practices extortion, it ought to go to tively necessary. The abuses that manifest we must quicken, not associated. Have we not steadiness jail if proved guilty, and the prose-We and self-possession and business cution is to be welcomed. Significant Figures. have grown up in the manipulation slacken, our own production. We and self-possession and business "The supply of fresh eggs on hand of prices by the withholding of food- and we almost alone, now hold the sense enough to work out that redirectly affected, with all its terrible in June of this year, for example, stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Upon our steadfast-stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Undoubtedly we have and we stuffs and other necessaries of life world steady. Undoubtedly we have and we stuff to the meantime than the supply on hand at the supply on hand in the graph of national representation of national representation of national representation of prices by the within older than the supply of treatment of the stuff of national representation of national representation of prices by the within older than the supply of the national representation of national representation of prices by the within older than the supply of the national representation of national representation of prices by the within older than the supply of the national representation of prices by the within older than the supply of the national representation of prices by the will work it out. In the representation of national representation of prices by the stuff of prices by the stuff of the national representation of prices by the stuff of prices by the stuff of pric tion especity, our economic process- 30 cents a year ago. The stock of call attention to the fact, also, that, prove her mettle. In the presence more to frank and intimate counsel -adv.

-most intimately of all with the risen also, from 30 1-2 cents per companied by no penalty, it is clear- self-contained, capable of sober and selves a united force in the life of nations and peoples upon whom the pound to 37 1-2 cents. The supply ly in the public interest that a pen- effective action. She saved Europe the world. It will not then have

> LET NO GUILTY PROFITEER ESCAPE. (N. Y. Times.)

It is good news that the Meat

Trust is to be prosecuted by the Department of Justice at the direction of the President. It is also good news that the procedure will be crimof fact by common men rather than or Judges. We have had too many decisions by a divided bench and too many reversals of lower courts by higher courts on the questions raised anew. Criminal cases are likelier cases, and they have the advantage telligent counsel, and let the best at least. But that is not true of the reasons win, not the strongest brute Beef Trust. It has been tried before upon the indictment of the Federal Trade Commission, and at its accal distress if the Congress were to other. All that is arbitrary and quittal the Federal District Attorney had made a case.

There are several reasons for re-

of reasoning from the marshaling of figures that convicted Tweed. There was not a doubt in the Tweed case, because they proved divisions of that those who divided it had no right to it. But the lawfulness of to convict a pirate, but the facts are of the same sort as the jury refused ought to be convicted on such evidence. It may be that the case quittal and have committed offenses calling for punishment. If so, their wealth will not protect them, and on the merits must await the event. While the statements of the Fed-

so dear as to oppress consumers. not done so. In 1914 we had little beef to spare for export, but in 1918, for the first time since the public "I believe, too, that the more ex- lands were closed to cattle grazing, portion to population. Last year we before the enormous war business, in the case of beef. It is true that the wholesale price of beef has fallen "There are many things that since the war ended, and there has been a reduction of war exports. The of wages and conditions of labor and retail prices have not fallen equally, other things even more far-reaching, but that is no fault of the whole-

The Federal Trade Commission has recommended that the Government should take over large fractions isting conditions by frank counsel of the trusts' business plant, having rather than by violent contest. No no doubt that Government management could and would improve upon that of the trust. During the war motive and standard the general in- there could be no doubt of the effivided. But if the Federal Trade Commission is to oversee its activ-

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Robert Richardson of Oak street left this morning for a week's stay have been spending a few days with at Silver Beach.

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Director Walter Olson and Mrs Olson have returned from a two week's stay at Indian Neck.

Motorman Frank Nichols wil substitute for Dispatcher James Duffy during the latter's vacation. Miss Florence Benson of Lilley street left today for Forestville

where she will spend the week end. Herbert Hale left today for an auto tour of the Berkshire mountains. He expects to be gone about two weeks.

The Misses Mae and Annie Armstrong of Buckland left yesterday for a two weeks' vacation to be spent at Niagara Falls and vicinity.

Miss Agnes Finnegan, secretary of the local War Bureau left this morning with the Travelers' Girls' Club of Hartford for a week's stay at Ocean Beach.

Dennis Murphy of Cottage street has arrived at his home in town having been honorably discharged from military service. Murphy has been overseas for about a year.

Miss Marjorie Dunn, secretary to the superintendent of Ninth District schools left this morning for Boston from which city she will motor to New Bedford and spend a few days there.

Wallace D. Robb has sold for William F. Hess of Burnside his two family house on Foster street to George and Minnie Weir. Mr. Weir expects to occupy his new home in the near future.

visiting friends in New York City. Despatcher James Duffy and family left this morning for Coventry Lake where they intend to stay about two weeks.

uated from the Connecticut Agricultural college in June, left yesterday to take up duties with the Litchfield two Fridays just fifty applications County Farm Bureau. He will do were received from persons who milk testing for a recently formed association of 25 Canaan dairymen and will spend one day a month on each of the farms.



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street is spending her vacation at Silver Beach.

Miss Jessie Richardson and Robert Richardson go today for a vacation to Silver Beach.

Miss Dorothy Staye and Miss Dorothy Norris are spending the week end with friends in Wethersfield. Mrs. Sam Richardson and son, Ernest, of Oak street are spending the week at her brother's home in

New York. Mr .and Mrs. Harold Bince Scollin Mr. and Mrs. E. Byrd Freeman of Middle Turnpike. Mrs. Scollin was Miss S. M. Evangeline Jones before her recent marriage. They are going to Boston to make their home where Mr. Scollin will be a private nurse. His specialty is mental

# REPUBLICAN CAUCUS LIST

The Republican Registrar Gathers Converts to Majority Party-Almost 2,500 Names On List.

The last session of the registrars of the year at which time voters could enroll for the caucuses was held last evening. The registrars had a busy time. The result of the session demonstrates once more that Manchester is a Republican town. The Republican caucus list last year contained almost 2,200 names out of a total voting list of about 3,300. The Democratic list contains about 300 names. This year there was added to the Republican list 114 names. These additions were made up largely from the new voters made last fall and were secured through the efforts of Thomas Ferguson, the Republican registrar of voters. The Democrats added five new names to their list. There were very few transfers from one party to other. The registrars will immediately revise the caucus lists and new Charles Wilkie of Center street is lists will be printed this fall in time for the primaries which come the second Tuesday in September.

For an off year in politics, it appears now as though the number of new voters in Manchester would be Lincoln L. Crosby, who was grad- larger than is usually made in the town in election years. At the sessions of the registrars held the last want to become voters in this town. There are many more applications to come in. All persons who wish to be made voters in time for the town election this fall which comes on the first Monday in October should hand their names to the registrars before Monday, the 22d of September. On that day the registrars will meet to receive these applications but persons who wish to be made, can hand their names in any time before that date. Every person who wishes to be made must get his name on the "To Be Made List."

> A LETTER TO A CHILD. One of Lewis Carroll's most characteristic and delightful letters to children, is that written to Miss Gertrude Chattaway. This is it:

"Reading Station, "April 13, 1878.

"My dear Gertrude: "As I have to wait here for half tomobiles have considerable an hour, I have been studying Bradtrouble getting started. What- shaw (most things, you know, ought ever your troubles may be, we to be studied: even a trunk is have a remedy. Come in and studded with nails) and the result get acquainted. Tires, Tubes, is that it seems I could come, any Oil, Greases, Bulbs, Ford parts day next week, to Winckfield, so as to arrive there about 1; and that by Let Williams' Auto Doctors leaving Winckfield again about halfpast 6, I could reach Guildford again by dinner. The next question is. How far is it from Winckfield to Rotherwick? Now, do not deceive me, you wretched child! If it is Center St., West of Cooper more than a hundred miles, I can't come to see you, and there is no use First in town. Last out of town to talk about it. If it is less, the next question is. How much less? These are serious questions, and you must be as serious as a judge in answering them. There mustn't be a smile in your pen, or a wink in your year. ink (perhaps you'll say 'There can't be a wink in ink; but there may be ink in a wink'-but this is trifling; you mustn't make jokes like that when I tell you to be serious). You might as well tell me at the same ARE WHAT COUNTS time whether you are still living at Rotherwick-and whether you are at home-and whether you got my

### Miss Mary Klein of Charter Oak POSTMASTER WALL GETS REAPPOINTMENT

Department at Washington Notifies Him of Four-Year Appointment-Is an Energetic Postmaster.

A letter received at the Manchester post office today from the First Assistant Postmaster General Washington gives notice of the reappointment of Postmaster Fred H. Wall for a term of four years. The postmaster is at present at Old Orchard, Maine, on his vacation. His service as postmaster at Manchester the course of his term he has constantly shown a willingness to render assistance in movements for civic betterment.

As a representative of the federal government Postmaster Wall has HIMP shown himself an earnest worker in all local patriotic movements. Although the war greatly increased other issues. U. S. Steel closed at the duties of the post office, he found time to render valuable aid as the



Fred H. Wall.

newspaper publicity representative for Manchester in eight important war drives, including those of the Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus. United War Work drive, two Red Cross drives, two Liberty Loan drives and the Near East campaign In addition, between drives he was active as a Four-Minute speaker, member of the War Bureau, and as publicity man for the Manchester War Stamp committee.

During his term Mr. Wall introduced many improvements in th postal service at the Manchester office. In many matters his experience gained during his period in Washington as private-secretary to Congressman Augustine Lonergan enabled him to render assistance in many ways. Congratulations on his reappointment are coming to Mr. Wall

gaged in the preparation of a history of the deeds of our men who were in the service. To complete the work

SHOPPING HINTS. Shop with a definite purpose. Don't be lured into unneeded pur

Learn to recognize quality. Don't expect great savings from the bargain counter unless you are

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New York, Aug. 9 .- The stock market was full of buying orders at the opening today and this demand was reflected in advances of from one to four points all through the

four points.

Some of the advances during . the early trading were lost in the final dealings due to profit taking sales while a strong tone prevailed in 104 5-8. Crucible advanced from 135 1-2 to 137. New Haven for a time was strong advancing two points to 34 and American Inter ad vanced nearly three points to 100 3-4. American Car and Foundry closed at 126 1-2, a gain for the day of nine points.

Beth Steel B was finally 87 3-8 Mexican Petroleum 175 1-4 and United Food 81 1-2.

Reported for The Evening Herald by Richter & Co., 6 Central Row Hartford. Closing prices. Alaska Gold . . . . . . . . . . . 2 1/2 Am B Sugar ..... 86 Anaconda ....... 69 1/8 Am Smelter ...... 78 A T & S Fe ..... 91 1/2 Butte & Sup ...... 24 1/4 

Mer M ..... 56% Miami Copper .......... No sales Norfolk & West ....... No sales National Lead ....... No sales North Pacific ...... 87% Press Steel Car ...... 85 Penna ...... 43 %

from a wide circle of friends. At present, Postmaster Wall is en-

of the war activities of Manchester. He has been commissioned to do this work by the War Bureau. The book will not only contain a history of the work that was done by the town but will give a comprehensive account as outlined in present plans of Postmaster Wall will take nearly a year

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Estate of ELLEN ZIMMERMAN of
Manchester, in said district, a minor.

Manchester, in said district, a minor. We believe in giving a square deal to all, which means perfect vision, highest quality goods and low prices.

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"Your loving friend,
"Your loving friend,
"Your loving friend,
""C. L. DODGSON."

""Battate of ELLEN ZIMMERMAN of Manchester, in said district, a minor, and principle and the surface of read minor with said catato to this court for allowance, it is low. Inchester to this court for allowance, it is low. It is court for allowance, it is low. August A. D. 1919, at 9 e'clock, fore-ton, and the stant of the court for allowance, it is low. August A. D. 1919, at 9 e'clock, fore-ton, and the stant of the court for allowance, it is low. August A. D. 1919, at 9 e'clock, fore-ton, and the stant of the court for allowance, it is low. August A. D. 1919, at 9 e'clock, fore-ton, and the stant of the court for allowance of august and the stant of this court for allowance, and the stant of the court for allowance, and the sta

Steel Common was the center of interest that stock moving up 1 5-8 to 104 5-8. Baldwin Locomotive rose 2 1-4 to 105 3-4 and American Car and Foundry rose to a new high record of 122, an advance of over

The oil stocks generally showed advances of from two to three began in March, 1914, and during points. Inspiration was the most active of the coppers and rose 1 3-8 to 61 1-2 while Utah Copper advanced to 87 3-4 an upturn of 2 3-8

The market closed irregular

Gt Northern ...... 88 llinois Cent ................No sales Kennecott ...... 37 1/2 Louisville & Nash ........No sales Lehigh Valley ..... 49

People's Gas .......... 45 Repub I & S ...... 87 %

Reading ..... 79

Chic R I & Pac ...... 25

Southern Pac ....... 971/8 Southern Ry ...... 25 1/2 St. Paul ...... 41 Tex Oil ......257 U S Steel Pfd ......... No ales Utah Copper ....... 87 % Westinghouse ...... 53 % Lib Bonds 4s1st ..........94.20

Lib Bonds 4s2nd ...... 93.26 Lib Bonds 4 1/4 ..... 94.82 MUST NOT RAISE RATES.

Washington, Aug. 9-The applicaion of the Clyde and Eastern Steamship Companies for increased charges on interstate traffic at Boston was denied today by the Inter-

state Commerce Commission. AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD it Manchester, within and for the disrict of Manchester, on the 8th day of August A. D. 1919. Present, WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq.

Present, WILLIAM S. HYDE, Esq.,
Judge.
Estate of ANNIE BOUCHERT, formerly Annie Zimmerman of Manchester, in said district, a minor.
The Guardian having exhibited his
resignation as said Guardian and her
Guardian account with said estate to
this court for allowance, it is
ORDERED—That the 16th day of
August A. D. 1919, at 9 o'clock, forenoon, at the Probate office, in said
Manchester, be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of
said resignation and guardian account
with said estate, and this court directs
the guardian to give public notice to all

MIGHT BE "PUSSY'S" COUSIN Though Givet Cat Makes Its Home In the Open, and Is Larger Than

liver meet a bassarisk? No, not a basilisk; that is something different. A bassarisk is a cacomistle.

But the animal is better known as the "civet cat"-though why so called nobody knows, inasmuch as it is not a civet and not a cat.

It is a strange little creature, related to the raccoon, with a very long bushy tail ringed in black and white. Sometimes it is called a "ring-tailed cat" and sometimes a "cat squirrel"the latter designation bestowed on account of its squirrel-like habit of climbing trees and nesting in hollow

Like a cat, it catches rats, mice and small birds. It is about 16 inches long, not counting the tail, which measures another 16 inches. In color it is brownish gray. It is a night prowler, like a cat, and often makes its home in outbuildings and deserted ranch houses.

The civet cat ranges from Mexico and Texas to California and as far north as southern Oregon. Occasionally it is kept in captivity, making an attractive and interesting pet.

### REALLY OF ENGLISH ORIGIN

Punishment by Tarring and Feathering First Instituted by King Richard Many Centuries Ago.

Throughout the English-speaking world there seems to be a widespread impression that the punishment of tar and feathers is something peculiarly American and that the practice originated with and is confined to mobs in the wilder or more remote sections of the United States. But the practice did not begin in America and is, in fact, English in origin.

The first known use of tar and feathers was in the British navy 730 years ago. It is on record that in 1189 Richard of the Lion Heart, when about to start on the Third crusade, ordered that such of his sailors as were found guilty of theft should be feathers or down be then strewn upon

This ancient employment of boiling pitch of course meant death, while the modern application of pitch heated only enough to run and smear is not necessarily fatal. The modern American practice is, therefore, a more merciful adaptation of an ancient British substitute for the usual hanging of a thief.

All Should Toll. Ideal social progress requires the productive activity of every human capable of adding to the general total. This is Utopian. It ought not to be so much of a dream, but it will be what it is so long as human nature remains what it is. Men differ so much. Some acquire laziness and some are born lazy. But the results are the same. You even have aristocratic loafers who pull all sorts of hereditary stuff in make-believe attempts at superiority. They would have you subsidize them, and guarantee their future against want and work. It's all bosh. They have no claim upon humanity other than a right to an opportunity to make good in the world. Instead of an easy time they need the prod of necessity. The Lib Bonds 8 1/2 ...... 93.16 lazy few, be they poor or rich, are the drones of society.-Exchange.

Bird Dreases in Spanish Style.

In his distinguishing black on the forehead and yellow on the throat, the Maryland yellow-throat is one of the most beautifully marked of any member of his tribe and gives an appearance of Spanish grandeur, says the American Forestry association of Washington. There is no mistaking the song of this bird, and it is rendered in a variety of ways which make it sound like any one of the following: "Which-is-it? which-is-it?" or "What-apity, what-a-pity;" or "Which-way-sir? which-way-sir?" or "I-beseech-you, Ibeseech-you;" or "Witchery, witchery, witchery." The bird is particularly fond of thickets by the side of running water.

A Food Luxury. Large jars of baked clay were used by the ancient Romans as cages for

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With said estate, and this court directs the guradian to give public notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in the Town where the deceased last dwelt, six days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

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WILLIAM S. HYDE, Judge.

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