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VOTERS APPROVE TOWN CONTROL OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Unusual Interest Shown in Election of Fire Chief for Coming Year.

ORRIN J. ATWOOD CHOSEN TO FILL THIS POSITION

Frank Cheney, Jr. and E. L. G. Hohenthal Re-elected—No. 2 to Get New Apparatus—Tax to Be Lowered.

The officers of the South Manchester Fire Department for the coming fiscal year are, as follows:
President, Frank Cheney, Jr.
Treasurer, E. L. G. Hohenthal.
Secretary, Oliver F. Toop.
Collector, William Taylor.
Superintendent, E. N. Heebner.
Auditors, Robert E. Carney, W. J. Crockett.
Chief, Orrin J. Atwood.
1st Ass. Chief, Thos. Bennison.
2nd Ass. Chief, Albert Foy.

The recommendation of the Fire Commissioners of Manchester that the town take over the entire fire department and assume its duties and responsibilities was unanimously approved by the voters of the town at the annual meeting of the South Manchester Fire Department, held at the Town Hall last evening.

The proposition which has been under consideration for a number of years has now been endorsed by the taxpayers and it is only a matter of time when the entire department will be transferred under municipal control. This action was undoubtedly the feature of last evening's session to those interested in the welfare of the town.

Orrin J. Atwood New Chief.
The election of a fire chief for the ensuing year however, proved to be of especial interest to those who were present at the meeting. The large attendance predicted that there was something in the wind and that this prediction was true was evidenced by the fact that Orrin J. Atwood, a former chief, was elected chief for the ensuing year, succeeding William H. Burke, the present incumbent.

The meeting, harmonious throughout, was called to order at eight o'clock, Frank Cheney Jr., president of the Fire Department and chairman of the commissioners presiding. Mr. Cheney was elected chairman of the meeting and instructed Secretary Oliver F. Toop to read the call.

Officers Read Reports.
Reports of the various officers of the department were read and approved. Reports of the Commissioners, Treasurer, Secretary and Fire Chief will be found elsewhere. Collector William Taylor stated that the amount of unpaid taxes was but \$49.27. Of this amount \$34.80 had been secured by liens. The total taxation of the district amounted to \$33,306.86. Superintendent Louis N. Heebner said that the alarm system was not in A-1 condition and advocated a few minor improvements.

An appropriation of \$10,000 was made for the expenses, repairs and maintenance of the Fire Department and property of the district for the ensuing year. This amount was recommended by the commissioners.

New Apparatus For No. 2.
On a double motion made and seconded the commissioners were empowered to purchase a new fire fighting apparatus for Hose Co. No. 2 and also to exchange one of the present machines now used by this company. An appropriation not to exceed \$3,000 was made for this purpose.

In presenting the proposition of the commissioners that the town take over the department, President Frank Cheney Jr., said that the town had progressed to a point where the functions of the fire department should be a town function.

Advocates Consolidation.
The 8th and 9th Districts together with other districts could easily be consolidated. These districts

German Diplomats Planned To Sell the Fleet to England

Amsterdam, Aug. 22.—Admiral von Tirpitz, originator of Germany's submarine warfare, accuses German diplomats of trying to dispose of the German fleet to England in his memoirs, extracts from which were published here today.

SHORT SKIRTS TO BLAME FOR HER HUSBAND'S ARREST

So Says Chicago Woman When Told He Had Been Caught Flirting With Actress.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—"It's the fault of the skirts" indignantly declared Mrs. George Rasmussen, commenting today on the arrest of her husband, wealthy head of the George Rasmussen Tea Company on the charge of being a "masher."

BUTTER PRICES GO UP WITH PLENTY ON HAND

Food Sleuths Find Three Million Pounds in Cold Storage in Boston Alone.

Boston, Aug. 22.—Startling revelations of hoarding of food, and profiteering in necessities of life are said to have been unearthed by three separate investigations which have been going on here. Drastic action was forecasted today.

Food sleuths, have discovered, it is reliably reported that while thousands of tons of food stuffs are stored in and about Boston, prices have been mounting sky high. No individual or corporation has been spared by investigations representing the federal, state, and city governments. The probe centers at the federal building where the grand jury is hearing evidence. A dozen butter, cheese and egg dealers were before the jury today. Efforts were being made to learn why the price of butter should have gone up when figures in the possession of government agents show that there are 3,000,000 pounds in cold storage in Boston alone.

HERE ARE NINE UNITS TO STAY IN GERMANY

War Department Announces What Will Constitute American Force After Sept. 30.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The nine units which will constitute the American force in Germany after September 30, the War Department announced today are:

- Eighth Regiment of Infantry.
- Seventh Machine Gun Battalion.
- Second Battalion of the Sixth Field Artillery Regiment.
- Thirty-Fifth Field Signal Battalion.
- First Supply Train.
- First Mobile Ordnance Repair Shop.
- Company A, of the First Engineers.
- Field Hospital 13.
- Ambulance Company 2450.

Vacation pictures will be good to look at later, get films at Balch & Brown Pharmacy—adv.

U. S. TROOPS CATCH 8 MORE BRIGANDS; FIVE ARE KILLED

Mexicans Put Up Feeble Resistance—No Americans Injured.

BELIEVE THERE ARE 60 MEMBERS OF BAND

Thirty of the Outlaws Known by Slight to American Cavalrymen—Prisoners Taken to Marfa for Investigation.

Marfa, Texas, Aug. 22.—An unconfirmed report was in circulation here early today that eight Mexicans have been captured and placed under arrest as possible participants in the holding of Lieutenants Peterson and Davis of the American air forces, for ransom.

It was rumored that the men had been brought to Marfa and are being held here incommunicado.

Thirteen Picked Up.
According to the report thirteen Mexicans were picked up by an American cavalry column but five of them were released soon afterwards. The remaining eight were identified as "bad men," many of them being fugitives from justice in the United States. They are said to have been taken to Ruidosa first and then brought here. In the meantime they will be held, it was reported, until their movements have been established during the time that the bandit gang was last active.

Four Outlaws Killed.
All of the feeble resistance which Mexican bandits in the Sierra Madre foothills are attempting to put up is being crushed as soon as it develops and four more outlaws have been killed in a fight in a mountain pass. This makes at least five Mexicans killed and two captured since the Americans crossed the border on Tuesday morning while not a single American has been even wounded.

News of the killing of the four Mexicans was received at Military Headquarters in Marfa from Major James P. Yancey, who is with the four troops of the Eighth Cavalry that swept over the line.

PRINCE GIVEN WELCOME ON PLAINS OF ABRAHAM

Places Wreath on Monuments of Both Wolfe and Montcalm in Quebec.

Quebec, Aug. 22.—On the Plain of Abraham, where, more than a century and a half ago the British and French fought for the mastery of Canada the Prince of Wales today placed a wreath upon the monument to Wolfe and Montcalm, British conqueror and French loser in that struggle.

English and French residents thrived enthusiastically today in paying homage to their future ruler. Great crowds lined the flag bespattered streets and cheered when the prince appeared and numbers of tourists from the United States joined in the ovations.

One of the features of the day's program was the opening of the Quebec bridge, which has been completed after two accidents that caused heavy loss of life.

There were numerous processions and addresses.

WANT SIX MONTHS PAY.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 22.—The legislative committee of the Veterans of Foreign Wars left today for Washington in an effort to obtain favorable action by Congress on the proposal to give six months' pay to soldiers, sailors and marines. Delegates representing 250 posts in convention here unanimously directed the committee to make the effort.

LEAVES BUTLER \$25,000.

Pittsfield, Mass., Aug. 22.—The will of the late Mrs. William M. Kingland, filed here, bequeathed to her companion, Miss Ethel M. Perkins, \$75,000; to her butler, Daniel Egan, \$25,000; to her chauffeur, James Butler, \$7,000. An automobile and all the furnishings and supplies in her villa at Belair are left to John Ollen who had charge of the grounds.

Busses will leave Center for Wilimantic Camp Grounds, Sunday, about 7 a. m. Book seats in advance. Call No. 1 for particulars.—adv.

Governor Holcomb is Asked If Connecticut Will Admit Emigrants from Germany

Shipments of American Food Into Hungary Given Up Now

AUSTRIAN REVOLUTIONISTS ATTACK RED CROSS TRAIN CARRYING FOOD

Wilson Plans to Meet Pershing on Arrival

EXPRESS CRASHES INTO FREIGHT AT NEW HAVEN

FRANK ROLSTON'S CAR STOLEN IN HARTFORD

DEPOSE ARCHDUKE JOSEPH HOOVER TELLS PREMIER

KILLED BY CLOUD BURST

COPS DEMAND RAISE

London, Aug. 22.—Shipment of American food into Hungary has been stopped because of the action of the Roumanian military authorities in requisitioning Hungarian relief supplies said an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Budapest today.

Class reigns in Hungary according to the Exchange Telegraph and the Austrians are reported to have armored trains on the frontier and are ready to re-occupy the western part of Hungary.

American officials at Budapest declare that the Roumanians are still requisitioning cattle although thousands of persons in Budapest have been without meat for weeks.

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Washington, Aug. 22.—Details of a dozen attacks by Austrian revolutionists on an American Red Cross train carrying relief supplies from Paris to Bucharest, some of which were repelled only at the rifle point by French, Serbian and Roumanian soldiers, reached National Headquarters of the Red Cross today. It required three weeks for the three Red Cross officers in charge of the trip, Captain G. H. Smith and Lieutenant M. G. Watkins, of Chicago and Lieutenant P. H. Dodson, of Waco, Texas, to bring their 35 cars overland to the Roumanian capital and during the last four nights of their trying journey none was able to sleep because of the constant menace of the outlaws.

The Trouble Begins.
Trouble began at Combs, Austria, where the Red Cross train ran into a congested freight yard and was immediately surrounded by armed men. The French guard stood by and there was intermittent firing all night. When it began to look as though the train crew was purposely delaying the train until the revolutionists could arrive in large enough numbers to overcome the train guard, an armed detail mounted the tender and the reluctant engineer pulled out of the yard covered with a loaded rifle.

Split Train in Two.
"In this fashion we passed through Zombor and finally reached Sebadka, the edge of Bolshevik territory," the Red Cross officers report. "Here again the yards were crowded. Civilians and soldiers prowled all around our cars and shooting was constant. Our guard was posted but not quickly enough to prevent the revolutionists from splitting the train into two sections. One section was carried ahead, backed in on another track and deliberately derailed. The outlaws seized the engine and were making off with it when stopped by French police.

Austrians Did Not Interfere.
"The operations were watched by suiler hundreds of former Austrian soldiers but the arms of the French and Serbian guard prevented an outbreak while the train was being reassembled. At Brasso the attacking outlaws cut off one car, which was recovered with difficulty, and at Predal they broke open two cars and were looting them when the armed guard appeared and scattered them. At another point the revolutionists concealed a group of their looters in four cars, planning an attack later, but this was nipped when we dropped the four cars and proceeded on our way. Throughout the remainder of the trip there was much shooting but only one was wounded.

Strangely enough, it is possible to save yourself a lot of trouble by getting rid of what you have.

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In all about 5,500 men will be affected. The demand will come through the Massachusetts Police Association.

Does this ever bring heavy on the hands of a clerk?

Letter Received Today from Germany Indicates That Germans Intend to Swarm to United States as Soon as Peace is Declared—Letter Forwarded to the Federal Authorities.

Reports that the United States was threatened with a swarm of Hun emigrants began to give place to facts today when Governor Marcus H. Holcomb received a letter from T. Stahl, German emigration officer of Duisburg, Germany, stating that his office desired immediate information concerning the emigration laws relating to the various states, exact information as to what restrictions had been placed on Germans in the different states and what professions were most desired.

Letter Mailed July 28.
The letter which was mailed July 28 from the emigration offices at 14 Reischulstrasse, Duisburg stated that a large number of Germans were ready to come to this country, but that the emigration authorities wished to gather information concerning "restrictions" in the various states before they left the country. The letter emphasized the "value of German labor, good education and decent customs" and also asked for detailed information as to the manner in which arable land could be acquired at what cost and under what "restrictions."

Sent to Washington.
Major John Buckley, executive secretary to the Governor received the letter in the absence of the Governor and said that he would let the matter rest until he could communicate with the Governor.

ORDER OF EAGLES VOTES IN FAVOR OF IRISH CAUSE

Sympathy of Organization With Ireland in Its Attempt to Gain Independence.

New Haven, Aug. 22.—The Grand Fraternal Order of Eagles, in convention here today put itself on record as being in favor of the Irish cause. The sympathies of the organization of 400,000 members is with Ireland in its attempt to gain independence and this sentiment was expressed by the convention, in the adoption of a resolution which was presented and passed, the author of the resolution being Delegate Corrigan, of Waltham, Mass. The resolution originated as a result of conference of members of the order of Irish descent who are visiting here.

The Buffalo team won the \$1,000 prize for being the best drilled degree team of the order as a result of a contest of thirteen teams. Other awards were made to Syracuse Aerie, \$800; Milwaukee, \$600; Worcester, Mass., \$400 and Southbridge, Mass., \$300.

The next convention will be held in Syracuse, N. Y., as a result of the vote of the convention.

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JUDGES SELECTED FOR INDUSTRIAL FIELD DAY

Officials for the Industrial Field Day which will be held at the West side playgrounds tomorrow have been selected by the committee in charge of arrangements. William C. Cheney will referee all the contests. The judges are Hamilton Metcalf, Jr., Walter Olson and Fred Weber. Ralph Howard has been appointed scoreman and Edward McCarthy will announce the events and the winners. Director W. H. Whiting will be the starter.

The events are open to the employees of Cheney Brothers and will be run in the following order:

- 1-100 yard dash.
- 2-Baseball throw.
- 3-Shot put.
- 4-Base running.
- 5-Standing Broad Jump.
- 6-1 mile relay (inter-department-5 men teams).
- 7-Tug of war (8 men to a team).
- 8-Baseball game. All State of Industrial League.

JAIL BUS LOSES TRADE ON ACCOUNT OF PROHIBITION.
Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 22.—City authorities are considering discontinuance of bus service between the city jail and Warrensville correctional farm. For years the old bus had been making trips daily well loaded, but since the demise of John Barleycorn its passengers have been growing fewer and fewer. Recently the bus made the trip empty.

PHEASANTS DAMAGE CROPS, SAY FARMERS; ASK LAW TO KILL THEM.

Windsor, Col., Aug. 22.—There is a law protecting pheasants, but the farmers in this section have asked permission to kill them because of their damage to crops. One instance of the activity of these birds is told by a farmer who states one field embracing ten acres was almost entirely stripped of leaves. They also eat the crown out of growing beets and this has resulted in thousands of dollars loss to farmers.

Blind horses are never known to make a mistake in their diet when grazing. Like all other horses, they are guided by the nostrils in the selection of proper food.

VOTERS APPROVE TOWN FIRE CONTROL

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would turn into the town their entire apparatus, the valuation to be fixed by a committee. The money turned in could be used for general expenses and the bulk of the taxes would fall on the two larger districts. The amount to be turned in by the smaller districts would be very small.

Mr. Cheney said that at the present time the boundaries of the fire district were not distinct and also made mention of the fact that the volunteers have never ignored property outside of the boundaries. "The departments," said Mr. Cheney, "should be treated as a whole. It will take some time to bring about the change and legislative authority must also be obtained. I think it is the proper thing and the commissioners recommend that action be taken on the matter."

Favors Town System.
Other prominent citizens advocated the move. F. Ernest Watkins spoke of the great opposition met when the department was organized 21 years ago. The department was very small at the outset and was centrally located. In time petitions from property owners came in requesting that the district be enlarged. "Every home in town can now be reached by the department," said Mr. Watkins, "and I am decidedly in favor of a town system of control in order that all may reap the benefits."

On a motion made and seconded the commissioners were authorized to investigate consolidation, confer with the selection and district officers and make a report at the next annual meeting.

Tax to Be Levied.
A tax of two and one-half mills was levied on all taxable property in the district to meet the current expenses for the ensuing year. This tax is payable November 1st. Chairman Cheney resorted to the almanac to ascertain whether this date fell on Sunday. He did not wish, he said, to have the collector working seven days a year. John Cairns brought a laugh when he cautioned Mr. Cheney to take care that the almanac was not over the line. In connection with the levying of this tax, Treasurer Hohenthal said that the grand list of taxable property of two years ago showed a total of \$16,300,000. A two and one-half mill tax, he said, would raise about \$42,000.

Authority to Borrow.
The treasurer was authorized to borrow in the name of the district a sum of money not to exceed \$40,000 for the expenses and uses of the district during the coming fiscal year. The meeting then turned to the election of officers.

Frank Cheney Re-elected.
Frank Cheney, Jr., was nominated by John Shewry and was elected to succeed himself for the ensuing year.

Mr. Cheney in accepting the nomination thanked the meeting for its confidence in him and stated that although he had intended to retire, the matter of consolidation was one where, he thought, his experience as head of the department in the past might be of some value. He said he was willing to withdraw in favor of another candidate, but he was unanimously re-elected.

Hohenthal Again Treasurer.
Oliver F. Toop was nominated by John Shewry for re-election as secretary. The nomination was unanimously approved. Lewis Grassell nominated E. L. G. Hohenthal to succeed himself as treasurer. This nomination brought forth comments from a number of citizens on the efficiency of Mr. Hohenthal and at the conclusion of the applause which followed these remarks, Mr. Hohenthal was unanimously re-elected.

John Shewry presented another candidate for re-election in the person of William Taylor, as collector. Mr. Taylor was re-elected after comment on his efficiency. Louis N. Heebner was nominated to succeed himself as superintendent of the district by Attorney Harry M. Burke, who said that in his opinion Mr. Heebner was the only logical candidate. The applause which followed Mr. Heebner's re-nomination demonstrated the high esteem in which he was held by the residents of Manchester.

Robert E. Carney and W. J. Crockett were re-elected as auditors. **Chief's Place Contested.**
The big surprise was sprung in the selection of a candidate for chief of the department. Edmund Rogers nominated the present chief, William H. Burke to succeed himself. This was followed by a nomination made by N. B. Richards that O. J. Atwood be appointed. This was the only contest in which a ballot vote was taken. Chairman Cheney appointed as tellers: Herbert B. House, J. Howard Keith, Edward J. Holl and E. T. Blish.

Atwood Elected.
The tellers' result showed that 334 had been cast. Of this amount 168 were necessary for the nomination. Mr. Atwood polled 200 votes against Mr. Burke's 134 and the former was declared elected. In the election of assistants to the chief, Thomas Bendeson was elected first assistant and Albert Foye, second.

FIRE COMMISSIONERS MAKE ANNUAL REPORT
Report of Board of Fire Commissioners of the South Manchester Fire Department for Year Ending August 21, 1919.

To the Voters of the South Manchester Fire District:
During the past year the Commissioners of the Fire District have endeavored to so conduct its business as to improve its organization and complete such improvements as were in progress. Our most important

work has been the completion of the new Fire Alarm System. This represents the installation of a new Circuit Repeater, a new Switchboard and Battery, and a complete rearrangement of the Alarm Box Circuit with the substitution of considerable underground cable for overhead wires. The Alarm System is now thoroughly modern and with additions below mentioned will be complete.

We have built an addition to the District Building on School Street to care for the Chief's Automobile and have made repairs to the building used by Company No. 3.

We have purchased 1,200 feet of new Fire Hose supply of Rubber Clothing and have cared for the usual repairs and maintenance of the Fire Department.

All the property of the District is in good order and except as noted below we can see no unusual expenditures for the coming year.

The Fire Department is in good condition and the thanks of the District are due its volunteer members for their loyal services. The organization of a force of twelve Fire Police has been a needed addition.

During the year our Superintendent of Fire Alarms has conducted in connection with the schools an interesting exhibit of our Fire Alarm System, in order to instruct the young people of the Town as to its use.

At the serious fire which occurred in the Ferris Block it was felt advisable to ask for assistance from the Hartford Fire Department. The efficient aid given us by the two Auto Pumping Machines which they sent was much appreciated and demonstrated the great value of the Mutual Aid System.

Recommendations.
Our recommendations for the coming year are the following:
1st. Substitution of a new Combination Pump and Chemical Hose Auto for the White Auto now used by Company No. 2. This will cost about \$9,500, less what may be realized by the sale of the White car.

2nd. The purchase of a Six Circuit Recorder for the Fire Alarm System at a cost of about \$1,500. Our Superintendent thinks this very necessary.

During the past year our expenses have increased in common with all other things and have been as follows:
Total expenditures . . . \$15,641.66
as per Treasurer's report.

We estimate the expenses of the coming year as follows:
General purposes . . . \$10,000
Our present debt is \$21,500 and in view of the expected expenditures as noted above we recommend that a District Tax of 2 1/2 mills be levied payable November 1st, 1919. We estimate this tax will bring in about \$40,000.

General Recommendations.
For some years it has been evident that the time would come when there should be a greater centralization of all the activities of the Town. It seems unnecessary to have two or

separate departments for Fire Districts in the Town each with its independent apparatus, organization and separate taxation. Would it not be much better to consolidate all of the Fire Protection work in a Department of our Town Government, to be governed as is our Police Department? We strongly recommend that the District Commissioners be authorized to investigate this subject in connection with the Selectmen and other Fire District Officers and make a report to the next Annual Meeting. As Legislative action will probably be necessary no final action can be taken until 1921.

Should the District not be disposed to favor the above recommendation we think some action should be taken to change the By-Laws of the District to allow the election of one Commissioner each year to serve three years and to make certain other changes which experience has shown to be desirable.

O. F. TOOP REVIEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT WORK
Describes Improvements Which Have Taken Place—Fire Police Force.

To the taxpayers of the South Manchester Fire District:
In making my first annual report as Secretary of the Board of Fire Commissioners I shall endeavor to give to you a brief synopsis of the doings of the Board during the past year on assuming the duties of Secretary to which you elected me. I found no records of any Board meetings. Today the Board has in its possession a report of all the meetings held during the year. On October 7, 1918 your Board met at the quarters of Hose Co. No. 2, it was voted at that meeting that regular monthly meetings should be held, the same to be held on the first Monday of each month, same to be held at the quarters of the different Hose Co's. This, I think has been a step in the right direction as it enables your Commissioners to inspect each Company's quarters and apparatus, and to keep in touch with matters in general.

Since a year ago your Board has held 11 regular and one special meetings, and I wish to say here that at all these meetings the entire Board has been present. The first matter to claim the attention of the Board was the placing of the new boxes and changing the location of some of the old ones. This was done under the direction of the Commissioners, Supt. of Fire Alarms and Chief William H. Burke. A trip over practically the entire district was made, and the location of boxes made, as was thought best for the different localities.

The long deferred matter of Fire Police has been taken care of, and at the present time we have a Fire Police force of 12 men, three from each Company. These men are offered by a Capt. and Lieutenant and are vested with power to make arrest at fires if necessary. Also at fires they are under the direct supervision of the Chief of Police or his deputy. The quarters of Hose Co. No. 4 has been enlarged to take care of the Chief's car, the apparatus room of Hose Co. No. 3 has been repainted and made more inviting, the Fire Alarm System has been completed and is in good working order. The taxpayers of this Fire District should bear in mind that the grave responsibility of this very intricate and delicate price of mechanism rests on the shoulders of your Supt. of Fire Alarm, Mr. Heebner, who does not at the present time receive any remuneration for these responsibilities. The old system of having all the Companies respond to all alarms has been discarded, and at practically all fires there is a pump-chemical and hook and ladder truck. This plan has worked very satisfactorily so far.

The hydrants throughout the district have been newly painted during the past year and instructions placed upon each hydrant as to the opening and closing of same. These instructions should be carefully carried out so as not to have a recurrence of the trouble which occurred at the Ferris fire and I might state in passing that it is the opinion of the Commissioners that no person other than a member of the Fire Department should attempt to handle the hydrant at a fire.

Another contemplated change which will take place in near future is the changing of the hydrants on Main Street to the west side of the street; this will enable the firemen to handle the hose to a greater advantage, and lessen the danger of burning hoses, and also the possibility of being deprived of the use of a hydrant by its being too close to the building should it be burning.

The Board has at all times welcomed any suggestion from the fire

district. The session in this hall relating to the Town assuming the duties of Fire District is one that should be given your earnest consideration. Yours Respectfully,
Oliver F. Toop, Secretary

REPORT OF CHIEF BURKE SHOWS 35 FIRES IN YEAR

One Less Fire Than Last Year—Ferris Building Brings Up Property Loss—Response Prompt.

During the year brought to a close last night by the annual meeting of the Fire Board there were thirty-five fires in Manchester. This was a decrease over 1918 in number of fires. However, in the year just passed it is estimated that there was a damage of fire amounting to \$28,183 and property amounting to over a half a million dollars was endangered. In 1918 there were thirty-six fires with a damage of \$805 in property valued at \$143,000. In 1917 there were 24 fires with a damage of \$6,810 to the \$59,500 property involved.

Following is the report submitted last night by William H. Burke, chief of Fire Department.

To the Officers of the South Manchester Fire Department, South Manchester, Connecticut, Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as chief of the South Manchester Fire Department for the year today closing. During the year, there were thirty-five (35) fires, twenty-one (21) being bell alarms and fourteen (14) still alarms. In addition to these the department was called out once on a false alarm.

During the early part of July there were fires in the vicinity of Oak and Spruce streets, which were of exceptionally suspicious appearance and, but for the prompt response of the department, would have proven more serious. At these fires the response was exceptionally prompt.

The loss by fire during the year amounted to \$28,183, the larger, of course, being the Ferris block fire. The property endangered was over half a million dollars.

The following is the list of fires—Bell Alarms.
1918—August 17, August 17, October 4, October 29, December 3, December 7. 1917—January 19, February 10, March 10, April 20, April 25, May 4, May 26, May 30, June 10, June 22, June 24, July 4, July 7, July 9.

Still Alarms.
1918—September 9, September 21, October 15, October 29, December 1. 1917—January 15, February 3, February 7, February 12, February 18, March 10, April 3, April 11, April 20.

HOHENTHAL OFFERS TREASURER'S REPORT

Following is the report presented by Treasurer E. L. G. Hohenthal at fire district meeting last night.

Receipts.
Aug. 15, 1918, balance on hand . . . \$ 608.78
1917 tax . . . 135.33
Interest on 1917 tax . . . 0.25
Loans . . . 14,500.00
Toll line telephone fees . . . 5.70
Services of William Taylor, No. 4 . . . 884.00
Rebate on insurance premiums . . . 267.01
\$15,894.73

Disbursements.
General account . . . \$4,769.40
Chief's car . . . 256.76
Chief's salary . . . 600.00
Hose Company No. 2 . . . 618.00
Hose Company No. 3 . . . 618.00
Hose Company No. 4 . . . 2,222.00
Special . . . 5,800.00
Balance on hand . . . 258.00
\$15,894.73

The present indebtedness of the district is \$21,500.00 in ten notes payable on demand at the Manchester Trust Company.

General account includes repairs and re-balding of fire alarm system; insurance; ground rent; telephone, etc.

Chief's car includes maintenance and repairs.
Hose Company No. 2 includes insurance; heating; plumbing; alterations; janitor and caretaker.
Hose Company No. 3 includes insurance; heating; painting; janitor and caretaker.

Hose Company No. 4 includes insurance; heating; painting; janitor and caretaker and fuel.
Special account includes interest on notes; No. 4, new hose and fire alarm system.

E. L. G. HOHENTHAL, Treasurer.

A Visitor By Morris



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PAINT BRUSH PATRIOTISM.

As a matter of practical public service what could stand higher than the cleaning up and beautifying of an entire block of what was formerly a group of ugly and unsanitary dwelling houses?

The recent improvements of the so-called Kennedy Court, which was described in yesterday's Herald, represent something more than the practical business sense of a real estate owner. It was against the best interests of Manchester that such a shabby and unkempt area should exist directly behind our best business section. This place has given the town a "down-at-the-heel" appearance which no amount of improvement along our main street could offset.

A wholesale clean-up like this has a good effect on an entire neighborhood and its influence is by no means limited to material things. Clean surroundings make for self respect which is advantageously reflected in every aspect of our civic affairs.

IN THE GLASS OF FASHION.

Fashion's brightest arts are said to be no longer the exclusive production of Paris and the French designers. At a recent New York exhibition of mylady's newest gowns it was noticeable that the sign "Made in America" hung over those creations which attracted the most attention and drew the highest praises from the many connoisseurs who were present.

Fashions have not flourished in France during the war. Money has been scarce, fine fabrics next to impossible to obtain, and the tragedies of the battlefield have sent thousands into the conventional habiliments of mourning. In the meantime, American dress designers have been left to their own resources and assured a freedom from European competition which they had never known before.

The result has been the development of distinctly American gowns for American women. This year the originality and grace of Yankee fashions is more pronounced than ever. Individuality is the prevailing note and our dress dictators have laid it down that the gown must be made for the woman who is to wear it without regard to any prevailing style or mode.

Still we are meeting sharp criticism from the dethroned lords of fashion across the water. While it may not be a matter to come before the high court of the League of Nations or even to bring up the next time the President has the Committee on Foreign Relations in to lunch, still it is not to be supposed that we can allow some of the aspersions that have been cast by these Parisian dressmakers to go unheeded.

Take, for example, the momentous question of the proper length for a skirt. Paris says, cut 'em short. New York frowns on anything more than seven inches from the ground. Whereupon a Parisian modiste derisively remarks that of course the real reason our gowns are long is that American women do not have pretty ankles.

"Nonsense," retorts a Yankee authority. "American women have the prettiest ankles and feet in the world and they also the best shod." If our ladies screen them, in the somewhat more ample folds of an American skirt it is simple through a characteristic belief in moderation and not at all for the horrid reason suggested by the Frenchman. Unfortunately Lincoln's famous rule that a man's legs ought to be long enough to reach from his body to the ground will not apply to this perplexing matter, which is upsetting the amicable relations between New York and Paris. The real difficulty in this problem of the skirt is not how long, but how short.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy possesses a collection of over 20,000 coins, which is said to be the finest in the world.

The sole difference between black and green tea is one of preparation; both kinds can be made from the same of the same plant.

MANY LITTLE MOTHERS ARE ON HONOR ROLL

Work of League Concluded—Miss Moore Pleased With Progress Made by Girls.

The members of the Little Mothers' League of the Eighth District have finished their course of eight lessons in the treatment and care of infants given by Miss Isabelle Moore at the Eighth District School. The course of instruction has been enthusiastically and profitably attended by more than a score of north end children.

"Although the course is finished," said Miss Moore, "we hope that the children will continue to do the many helpful things for the babies that they have learned during the past eight weeks. The pledge cards they were asked to sign upon joining the League requested that they do one thing each day to help a baby."

Thirty-five girls were registered when the course began but some of these were forced to discontinue to go to work. Vacations took a few more. But there was always an attendance of 17 to twenty. Twenty-three won League pins for proficiency and fifteen showed such skill that their names are on the honor roll. Their names are printed below.

The girls who enrolled in the League were given practical demonstrations in the care of babies and real live babies were used in the work. They were taught also practical sewing and one of their tasks was the making of a complete layette for an infant.

The Little Mothers' League was under the supervision of the Health Center of the Eighth District and Miss Moore in direct charge of the League instruction has been advising mothers on the correct care of their babies. She believes that the League has done much for the future better babies.

The Little Mothers on the Honor Roll are: Lillian Spillane, Mary Limerick, Clair Hannon, Estelle Thrall, Edith Purington, Ruth Smith, Florence Wiley, Freda Skoneski, Alice Hickey, Ruth Morton, Margie Welch, Eva Marcin, Lena Burke, Alina LaTorge, Margaret Obright.

ROLSTON AND ELMAN NOW OWN TINKER BLOCK

Final Papers Made Out—George Forbes Sells His Bangalow to Windsor Couple.

Final papers for the sale of the Tinker block on Main street were passed yesterday in the office of Robert J. Smith. Maurice Elman and Frank A. Rolston are now owners of one of the largest business blocks in town.

Contractor George Forbes has sold through the agency of Robert J. Smith, the new bangalow he is building on the south side of Delmont street. The purchasers are Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Dart, who recently sold their large farm on Avery street South Windsor.

The house is now being plastered and will contain all the latest improvements. The new owners will move to Manchester as soon as the house is completed.

YACHT SINKS.

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 22.—Keeled at an angle of more than 45 degrees, the upper deck submerged on the starboard side, Colonel Edward H. R. Greene's palatial yacht United States, sister ship of the ill-fated Eastland, today lies docked on a ledge inside the breakwater at Padanaram. The yacht was lying at anchor and for no apparent reason the bow swung around and struck the rock. The plates protecting the engine room were sprung and immediately the vessel began to list to starboard. Now it lies in 16 feet of water. Lighters have taken off the more valuable part of the fittings and police are protecting the remainder.

MYSTERIOUS PHILANTHROPIST.

Boston, Aug. 22.—"Mysterious Mr. Smith," the unknown benefactor of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has pledged \$4,000,000 towards the \$1,000,000,000 endowment fund for which alumni of the school are to campaign. It was learned today.

"Mr. Smith" names as a condition of his gift that other friends of technology donate an equal amount before the end of 1919. A committee of the alumni headed by T. Coleman du Pont and Theodore N. Vail has been formed to obtain the fulfillment of the condition. "Mr. Smith's" latest gift brings the total of his benefactions to technology to \$7,000,000.

SAM GOMPERS MAY SETTLE TO SERVE "HASH" AT TALCOTTVILLE

Newly Formed Dramatic Society Will Give Opening Play September 5—Talcottville Personal.

(Special to the Evening Herald.) Talcottville, Aug. 22.—The Talcottville Dramatic Society will make its debut Friday, September 5 when the members will present a vaudeville revue of their own composition, entitled "Hash." Running true to its name the production will contain a variety of ingredients that will make an appetizing and tempting whole.

Each of the members of the society has contributed an act, idea or selection. There will be song numbers, fancy dances, impersonations and skits.

On the program is also a short one act play entitled "Her Son," written by Kenneth Britton, one of the leading members of the society. The cast for the various numbers includes Isabel Bachelier, Christine Bachelier, Edna Hansen, Mildred Polsten, Jeanette E. Talcott, Kenneth Britton and many others.

Many people have already signified their intention of seeing opening play of the society and the sale of tickets is growing.

The society is formed to make a social study of noted dramatic productions and after the members have gained more confidence in their skill they will attempt to stage the works of Ibsen, Maeterlinck and Shaw.

FOLLOW U S TROOPS NEWS FROM HEADQUARTERS.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 22.—The headquarters of the Southern Department is without any word from Marfa of the scene of the campaign against the Mexican bandits but the belief is general that the forces will not be withdrawn until the outlaws have been captured or their trails completely lost.

Expects Gen. Dickman. Colonel W. T. Johnston, chief of staff, said he expected General Dickman to return tomorrow unless the situation at Marfa grew more serious than it is now. The belief was general that the protest made by the Mexican government would have absolutely no weight in the matter of withdrawing the troops.

In some quarters it was considered probable that the troops would be kept in Mexico several days to guard the district so recently terrorized by the bandit outbreak. Using 10 Airplanes. Colonel J. W. Fecht, the air service officer in the Southern Department, said that 14 planes were available for use at Marfa today and that ten or eleven of them were being used to scout for the outlaws.

The headquarters of the Southern Department has received a report on how the American flyer took a message from the Mexican consul at Presidio and after circling over the column of Carranza troops marching to look for the bandits, dropped the note to General Prugada informing him that United States troops had crossed the line in pursuance of the plan of following the "hot trail" of law breakers who got across the line.

The highest steam-navigated body of water in the world is Lake Titicaca, which lies at an altitude of 12,545 feet, partly in Peru and partly in Bolivia.

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Talcottville Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith are spending a few days at Savin Rock. John G. Talcott is at Franclinstown, N. H., for a couple of days.

Fourteen young people will leave tomorrow by automobile for a day's outing at Savin Rock.

Mrs. C. D. Talcott and Miss Alice Dexter have returned from Northfield.

Mrs. M. Gardner Talcott and family have returned to their home in Bristol after a visit at the home of M. H. Talcott.

Miss Flora Crooks is spending her vacation at Watch Hill, R. I. Mrs. Samuel Gaylord has returned to Manchester after spending the summer with Mrs. William Stiles.

Miss Belle Doggart is visiting in Stamford. William Douglas will spend a week with the Fin and Feather Club at Coventry.

WATER POWER BILL.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Water power legislation was speeded up by the Senate today. A sub-committee of the commerce committee took up the water power bill which already has passed the House, determined to bring about speedy action and report the measure back to the Senate for final vote at the earliest possible moment.



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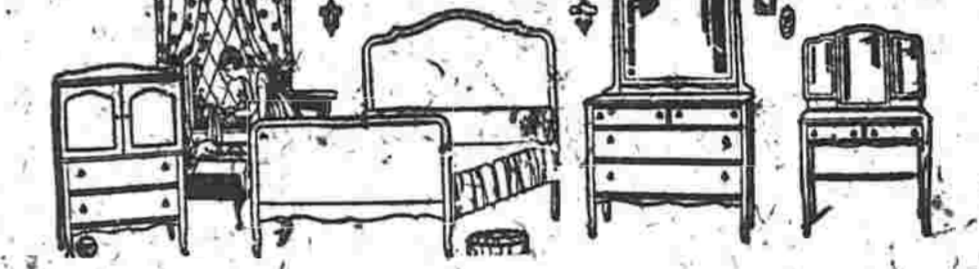
"If you intend buying housefurnishings in the near future, buy them NOW. You may be hearing this "Buy it now" talk, still, we feel it our duty to urge you to anticipate your needs ahead of time. So many examples of the existing conditions of the Furniture market are forcibly brought to our attention daily. For instance, a lady desired to purchase a dining suite that was marked "sold", we wrote to the manufacturers asking if they could duplicate this suite, their reply was, "It will be three months at least before we can make delivery and the price will be \$50 more." The foregoing is one of many instances. Now that we are talking about high prices let's find out the reason why. We have been repeatedly asked "When will furniture decline in price?" Here's some of the salient points taken from the report issued by the National Council of Furniture Associations:

- "The impossibility of any marked decline in prices is apparent to those who will give the facts consideration. The principal items entering into the cost of furniture are labor, lumber and overhead expenses. Glass is also a large item in bedroom furniture."
- Labor: "There can be no decrease in the wage scale until the cost of living is greatly reduced, nor until the supply of skilled workmen is at least equal to the demand."
- Lumber: "The day of cheap lumber is a thing of the past."
- Overhead Expense: "Taxes of all kinds, insurance, fuel, up-keep, salaries of superintendents, foremen, and non-productive labor. All of these items have increased, not only from year to year, but from month to month. Freight rates have advanced from twenty-five to fifty per cent on all materials used in manufacturing."
- Miscellaneous Advances: "Alcohol, fifty-six per cent; tow, fifty per cent; leather, twenty per cent; shells, one hundred and twenty-five per cent; packing paper, eighty per cent; glue, two hundred and thirty-three per cent; locks, one hundred and twenty per cent; nails, three hundred per cent; built-up stock, one hundred per cent; sheet glass, one hundred and fifty per cent; mirrors, one hundred and sixty-seven per cent; cane webbing, two hundred per cent. Since this report there has been further advances."

Now read our special offerings, that will make you more cheerful!

Have you seen this Adam Suite? Special Price \$139

It is a delightful combination of cane and mahogany, upholstered in blue velour, consisting of a roomy lounge, comfortable chair and rocker. Regular price \$165. August Sale price \$139.



Something in Ivory for the Bedroom

Why not brighten that guest room now—or your own bedroom, if you please. Here is a Louis XVI period suite in old Ivory, containing four pieces—a roomy chifforobe, a beautiful mirrored dresser, large comfortable bed and a dainty Princess dressing table. Regular price \$195.15. To be sold at the very moderate price of \$165.88.

Attractive Adam Suite \$119.50

Let us show you this four piece Adam suite finished in Ivory with bed, dresser, chifforobe, Princess dressing table. Regular price \$190. August Sale Special \$119.50.

Red Seal VICTOR RECORDS at Half Price

All Red Seal records from \$2 up can now be had for half price. Better come in now and be sure of a good selection. Former price \$7 to \$22. Now \$3.50 to \$11.00.

Very Special!

Ladies' Rocker, upholstered in tapestry, loose spring cushion. Regular price \$39.75. August Special price \$29.60.

A charming new rocker for your living room. Mahogany and cane combination, popular wing construction. William and Mary design. Regular price \$18. August special price \$12.98.

Eclipse Electric Vacuum Cleaner, slightly used. August Special price \$15. Mattress Special. Regular price \$15.50. August Special \$10.50.

From Tonight you've Eight more Shopping Days.

Our August Clearway Offerings for SATURDAY

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Saturday	
\$9.98 WHITE VOIL DRESSES	\$4.95
Saturday	
\$11.98 VOIL AND GINGHAM DRESSES	\$7.95
Saturday	
\$18.00 NAVY BLUE SERGE CAPES	\$6.95
Saturday	
\$25.00 SUITS—Navy and Mixtures, Sizes 16 to 36.	\$10.00
Saturday	

RUBINOW'S SPECIALTY SHOP

NO MORE SALARY ADVANCES FOR CHICAGO CITY EMPLOYEES.


Chicago, Ill., Aug. 22.—"That's a good fellow, lend me five," may be heard frequently around the Chicago City Hall, hereafter, unless city employees learn the stiff lesson which City Treasurer Henry Stuckart is going to teach them. Hereafter the city will make no more salary advances to its employees.

According to Stuckart, about 15 per cent of the employees at present collect nothing but I. O. U.'s when the bi-monthly payday rolls around. They recently received an increase in pay, and Stuckart says they should get along without borrowing. Anyhow they will have to as far as the city is concerned.

KEEPING THEM DOWN ON THE FARM.

Take it the year round and the world over, man work for horses more than horses work for men. Chores the farmer always has with him, and of them horses care forms no small part. With the tractor it is different; the driver can shut off the power and that is all there is to it. Repairs or adjustments can wait his convenience. Nor is the labor of driving the tractor hard or exhausting. The horse has no small share in driving the boys from the farm. It is the tractor that will call them back.—The Nation's Business for September.

San-Tox Peroxide Cream, a splendid toilet necessity for that vacation trip. Balch & Brown Pharmacy—adv.



HEADLINE HISTORY WORLD WAR

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- 1914. Battle raging on 20 mile front from Namur to Charleroi—Main German army heading for French frontier at Lille—10,000 French and 50 guns captured by Germans in Lorraine—Russians advancing in Prussia.
- 1915. American Secretary of State Bryan declares sinking of Arabo by U-boat no cause for war—Russians defeat German navy at Riga; Germans lose 11 ships, rest see—Henry Ford starts peace campaign, denounces preparedness.
- 1916. Roumanian army mobilized for war; Allied army in Balkans advances—Russians in force join Serbs.
- 1917. President names board of three to study Mexican situation—British advance 1-3 mile at Postoms. Germans start drive toward Riga, Russians fall back; news worries Washington—Austrian losses on Carso 13,000 men as Italians push ahead—Haig thrusts again east of Ypres, takes Ypres-Magnin road—U. S. Senate voted increase on income taxes; 1 per cent on \$5,000 to 50 per cent on \$500,000.
- 1918. British capture Albert in fresh attack, advance 2 miles—French advance on entire front; capture 1,500 cannon—Bolshevik in Petrograd declare war on U. S.—Philip Scheidemann goes to Switzerland on new German peace drive.

The war has greatly stimulated the Japanese to undertake the manufacture of leather and several large factories have been established in Tokio and other districts. Owing to the undeveloped condition of the live-stock industry in Japan, practically all the leather used in the manufacture of boots and shoes here-tofore has been imported. The end of August probably will see the signing of the Austrian peace treaty, the Paris Journal declares.



Going Fast Suits at \$22.50

Top notch values at rock bottom prices. If you are interested in the subject of clothes, and want to save money it would be a good idea for you to come in at once and see the suits we are selling at \$22.50.

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- \$32.50 Suits, Serge, Worsted and Tweed \$20.00
- \$5 Trousers \$3.25
- \$3.50 Khaki Trousers \$2.50
- 75c two piece Underwear, medium weight Balbriggan 49c
- \$1.25 Union Suits 85c
- \$2 Dress Shirts, sizes 14 to 15 1-2 \$1.49
- \$1.25 Blue Chambray Shirts 95c
- \$1.25 Blue Shirts, fast colors \$1
- 25 pair Socks, 2 pairs for 35c
- \$1 Neckties, large assortment 35c, 3 for \$1.00
- \$10 Rain Coats \$6.50

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE EVENING HERALD

Navy Has Most Underpaid Professional Men In World

By FRANK G. MENKE.
Washington, Aug. 22.—If you are going to write to your Congressman about anything you might, if you take my view, add a lengthy postscript in behalf of the officers of the American Navy.

No class of professional men in the nation are more underpaid when the hardships which they must endure, the sacrifices they are forced to make and their working conditions are considered.

Eleven years ago a kindly Congress fixed the pay of navy officers and decided that it had performed a rather charitable deed. The salaries then were fair, perhaps a trifle beyond. But not since that day, has there been any wage increase for navy officers, although living expenses have riddled more than 100 per cent in the meantime.

Oddly enough the pay of the enlisted men of the navy has been boosted approximately 50 per cent; that of all the workers in the various navy yards of the nation have been hoisted from 50 to 100 per cent to meet the new standard of living. But the powers that be down in Washington have stubbornly refused to do any uplift work as far as the navy officers are concerned.

The absurdity of the salaries paid to navy men is shown best by citing that of the captain and the responsibility that is his for a flat salary of \$4,000 per year.

The skipper of a first line battleship is placed in absolute control of a warcraft that is valued at anywhere from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000. He is the chief executive officer then of a \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 corporation for a fixed salary of \$4,000; that's the standard navy wage for a man in whose hands is placed the tremendous responsibility of handling a \$15,000,000 craft.

The boss of any privately owned \$15,000,000 corporation would be paid no less than \$25,000 a year. Youngsters go to the Annapolis Academy buoyed by the thought that after four years they will emerge upon a navy career spectacular in its result. But the day they enter the navy is the day they discover the folly of such a thought. They find themselves confronted with hurdles so placed that it is nothing short of a miracle for them to advance from aspirant to captain within a lifetime.

Back in 1914 the lists were so cluttered that it was found that if all promotions were made in the order scheduled—and no one died meanwhile—it would take 300 years for an ensign of the 1914 class to graduate into a captaincy.

War conditions changed that somewhat. But now that the war is ended, there's the report—fairly well authenticated—in navy circles that all those who were promoted during the war are to be demoted. In other words, they were good enough and efficient enough to hold higher jobs when the war clouds hovered over us and our navy needed the manning of excellent men. But in peacetime they lack the ability.

Why doesn't a navy officer get out of the navy if conditions are so discouraging? Simply because he can't—that's the sole reason. If Secretary of the Navy Daniels were to announce today that he would accept all the resignations of the men in the navy who want to quit the service he would be overwhelmed with requests.

Right now there is in the American Navy a vast number of officers—some regulars, some who enlisted only for the war-time emergency—who have filed one resignation after another to Daniels—and been turned down. They don't like their job; they want to quit their job; they could get a far better one in civil life. But they are shackled to the navy.

If it isn't a condition akin to serfdom, many navy men are keen to know exactly how it should be described.

Here are the rates of pay for navy officers: Admiral, \$6,000; captain, \$4,000; commander, \$3,500; lieutenant-commander, \$3,000; lieutenant, \$2,400; junior lieutenant, \$2,000; ensign, \$1,700.

An extra 10 per cent is added for sea duty, and for every five years of service up to twenty the official gets 10 per cent additional.

During the war the officers were granted a little extra money, technically termed commutation for quarters. It was to serve as an allowance for the wives and families of the officers. Ensigns got \$24 per month extra, junior lieutenants \$36, lieutenants \$48, lieutenant-commanders \$60, commanders \$72 and captains \$84. It was a pitiful enough allowance to meet the extraordinary increase in living expenses, but in October, unless some

one rushes to the rescue of the navy officers, it is to be taken from them because "navy officers are well MORE enough paid without it in peacetime."

Some persons incline to the erroneous belief that the pay of a navy officer like that of a seaman, is all "velvet." The idea is wholly wrong. The officer must pay for everything he eats aboard ship. He must pay for the laundering of all his bed linen, no small item in a year's time. And he must be "dolled up" to an immaculate extreme.

The ordinary officer must purchase to meet the demands of the Navy Department, at least a half dozen duck suits yearly. Sometimes it is nine or ten. They cost about \$20 each. He must have a half dozen pairs of white shoes and a lot of white caps with the proper insignia and braid. Caps cost anywhere from \$7 to \$13 each, according to the amount of insignia.

And every month or so—sometimes oftener—the officers must get new gold braid for their shoulder straps and caps; gold braid that has become almost as costly as the pure metal itself. If the captain ambles around with braid made green and badly colored by sea spray or sunshine, he is in line for a call down from the admiral. And the commander failing to be perfect in appearance hears from the captain. The commander "pans" the so-called slovenly under officers. And so it goes.

They've all got to look neat and almost classical. The navy rules just that way. But the navy also rules that the underpaid officers must meet the expense out of their own income.

And in addition to white suits, they must have regulation blue uniforms and topcoats—woolen. Once they were purchasable for \$35 or \$40. Now such a suit and overcoat costs anywhere from \$65 to \$100. Each officer to keep within the strict laws of "look your prettiest," must have at least three such uniforms. About every year the blue section of the wardrobe must be renewed in its entirety—and that includes caps, shoes and other equipment to match the navy blue.

It costs an ensign at the very least \$80 to \$100 per month for bare living expenses aboard ship. His pay is in the neighborhood of \$1,370 a year. That leaves between \$570 and \$70 a month beyond his own actual needs. If he's married and has a family you can figure out how wonderfully well the family can get along with \$50 to \$70 per month in these days.

And that's not all. A sailor rarely visits his home port, if he's a sailor in the navy. Even if he does it's only for a few days. If his home is inland he's lucky if he sees his wife and children once in six months or a year. He lives away from his family and it must exist without his company, and upon the pitifully small sum of money which the Government makes it possible for him to send them. The life of a navy officer is a life that no parent that really loves his son would outline for him under existing conditions.

In times of peace the navy officer sails the seas at the will of the Navy Department, far away from his home. In times of war he must be ever ready to risk his life for his country, still farther removed from home and those who love him. And all this for wages that are outrageously small in comparison with the services rendered, pay that should at the very least be boosted from 30 to 60 per cent, all around to enable the navy officers to live decently and for their families to do likewise.

Why not write to your Congressman about it now?

HURT IN WRECK

Hagerstown, Md., Aug. 21.—Nine persons were seriously injured, two of them believed fatally, when passenger train No. 2 of the Norfolk and Western Railroad was wrecked near Boyes, Va., 48 miles from here at an early hour today. The train was running at high speed to make up time, when the tender dropped to the tracks, spreading the rails. The first two coaches of the train got over the rails safely but a third coach and two pullmans were flung completely over.

WHAT PREMIER SAID

London, Aug. 21.—The war cost forty billion pounds, Premier Lloyd George declared in his speech in the House of Commons on the financial industrial situation.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS TO HIGHLAND PARK MAN

Willimantic Camp Meeting Association Honors Memory of R. N. Stanley—Highland Park Briefs.

(Special to the Evening Herald.)

Highland Park, Aug. 22.—At the annual business meeting of the Willimantic Camp Meeting association at which Rev. W. H. Bath, formerly of Manchester presided, the following resolutions concerning the late R. N. Stanley who for a long time was actively identified with the camp ground work, were read.

"Whereas, it has pleased our Heavenly Father to translate from the activities of the church triumphant our esteemed brother, Robert N. Stanley; for many years an active member of the executive committee of the Willimantic Camp Meeting association and an untiring worker for the highest interest and prosperity of the camp meeting, therefore resolved that we hereby record our high appreciation of his sterling Christian character, his very efficient services, the privilege of our fellowship with him in these years of service, and the deep sense of loss that is ours in his going from us; that we extend to his family our sincerest sympathy in the great affliction which has come to them; and that these resolutions be recorded on the books of the committee and also that a copy be sent to the family."

Mrs. Anthony Burns of Highland Park is visiting friends in North Windham.

A. L. Cole is visiting friends in Nantucket.

Miss Doris Nichols is spending her vacation at Momaugh, New Haven.

Mrs. Flora N. Stanley and her daughter and Miss Ella Stanley are at the Willimantic Camp Meeting Ground.

Mrs. Martha Sanderson is improving the appearance of her home with painting and repairs.

Miss Edna Case Parker spent yesterday with friends in Waterbury.

DARK HORSE MAY WIN BIG GOLF TOURNAMENT

Chick Evans and Francis Outmet Out of the Running—Fownes the Favorite.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 22.—Prospects of a dark horse winning the highest amateur golf honors this year loomed large today when the semi final stage was reached at the tournament at Oakmont.

Only one former champion remained in the running, W. C. Fownes Jr., of Pittsburgh, the winner of the 1910 tourney. He was matched to play Bobby Jones, the Atlanta boy wonder. Jones has been playing steady golf every day. Fownes' game has been improving with every match and he should be at the top of his form today.

J. Wood Platt, of North Hills, Philadelphia, is matched with Davidson Herroh, of Pittsburgh. Platt furnished the biggest surprise of the tournament when he eliminated Francis Outmet, the favorite, in a sensational 38 hole contest. Outmet's playing was below the form he displayed when he put Chick Evans out of the running, but Platt proved himself a worthy opponent.

STATE CONSTABLES HUNT FOR BEAR OR IS IT BULL?

Greenburg, Pa., Aug. 21.—Was it a bear or bull a bull?

That's what the residents of Hecla, near here, are asking following a report that a big brown bruin was browsing in the community's favorite berry patch. John Mindosky ran back to town terror stricken with the story that one of the animal's paws just missed handing him a gentle slap.

Meantime, nobody molests the fine luscious berries while the State Constabulary is having an enjoyable bear hunt.

CAPTURES SHARK WITH HIS HANDKERCHIEF

Saugus, Mass., Aug. 21.—John Hobbs, nineteen, captured a mackerel shark 3 feet 9 inches long by tying a handkerchief about its tail.

Hobbs' sister was on her way home from a grocery store when she heard a splashing in the water on the edge of Riverside Cemetery. Investigating, she found the shark trying to get into the river. It had become stranded when the tide turned. She called her brother, who wound his handkerchief around the slim tail of the shark, dragging it ashore.

LADY PAGET'S WILL

London, Aug. 21.—Lady Paget, who died recently, left an estate of \$685,000, the will revealed today. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paton Stevens, of New York.

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UNINJURED IN FIFTY FOOT FALL

Boston, Aug. 21.—Instead of a lot of broken bones and other injuries, Samuel Czeleski came through with only a cut on the head and a few scratches after falling fifty feet in the elevator well at No. 615 Washington street where he is employed. He stepped through the elevator well door in the belief that the car was there and dropped from the third floor to the basement. He is fifty-five years old and lives at No. 77 Second street, Chelsea.

TORQUAY WILL BE THE LOS ANGELES OF ENGLAND

London, Aug. 22.—Torquay, the beautiful Wales watering place just off the British Channel, promised to become the British equivalent to Los Angeles as a centre for motion picture studios. Many scenes already have been filmed in the Torquay region.

British movie producers are attracted to the necessity of improving their goods if they are not to be further outclassed by American rivals.

TIMELY HITTING AND SPLENDID WORK OF PITCHERS HAVE KEPT GIANTS IN FRONT



Some Leading Factors in Keeping Giants on Top.

The hard and timely hitting of the Giants and the work of two pitchers, Barnes and Benton, have been the leading factors in keeping the Giants in the front row of the pennant race thus far this season.

DIAMOND NOTES

Felsch has few superiors throwing home. McCabe, utility Cub, weighs 190 pounds and is in fine shape. Dave Robertson is considered one of the best outfielders in the National League.

PITCHING FOR STRIKE-OUTS

Manager Pat Moran's Twirlers Are Urged to Fan Out Batters on Opposing Teams.

Pat Moran urges his pitchers to work for as many "strike-outs" as possible. Long ago Manager Pat was converted from the "let-'em-hit-and-trust-to-your-support" crowd of managers.

UMPIRE QUIGLEY IS PRAISED

Applauded by Fans for Making Some Sensational Stops of Liners on Foul Territory.

"Who is the best fielding umpire in the National League?" is the question which is often asked, and it might be said that this honor undoubtedly should go to Ernest Quigley.



Umpire Ernest Quigley.

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Louise's Lodger

By IZOLA FORRESTER

Louise watched the ambulance out of sight from the corner windows, her handkerchief pressed closely against her lips, her blue eyes filled with anxious yearning.



He Forgot Political Economy.

rooms were furnished in three tiny suites of two rooms each, study and bedroom, leaving two rooms for them.

In an article in the London Daily Mail, R. E. Howard, an eminent golf authority, touching on the wonderful outlook for golf and the probable growth in its ranks, wrote as follows:

"An Australian officer told me a few days ago he had become a golfer under protest, as part of his course of treatment for shell shock, and had succeeded so completely to the lure of the links as to reduce his handicap to 4. He was convinced that by the time he received his discharge he would be a plus player—and then let voluntary enthusiasts beware!

This same critic has figured out that more than a hundred amateurs "batted from scratch to plus have been killed in the war. The most prominent were Capt. John Graham and Norman F. Hunter and Sergt. L. A. Phillips.

How Population is Divided. By the last census there were in the United States 2,405 incorporated cities and towns, of which 1,178 had a population of between 2,500 and 5,000 each;

Wheat Yields of Nations. The average wheat production per acre in the 15 years before the world war (1899-1913) was 32.5 bushels in Denmark, 35.4 bushels in Ireland, 65.1 bushels in Belgium, 81.5 bushels in Great Britain, 27.7 bushels in Germany, 20.2 bushels in France, 19.1 bushels in Austria, 18.1 in Hungary, 16.7 bushels in Roumania, and 14.1 bushels in the United States.

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HAD LOTS OF FUN

Mr. Goslington's Experience That of Many Others.

Who Wouldn't Feel Pleasure at Having to Secure Larger Safe-Deposit Box for Liberty Bonds and Other Valuables?

"I never would have thought it," said Mr. Goslington, "but I've had to get a bigger safe-deposit box."

"Before the great war I had a modest check account, and a little fund, saved away in a savings bank for emergencies, but no safe-deposit box, large or small. I had no use for one, I had no stocks or bonds to keep in one; but when the war came and we all began buying Liberty bonds it was different. I didn't want to keep even the little bonds that represented my initial investment lying around in a bureau drawer or stored away in a trunk, so I rented a safe-deposit box."

"I had often read the advertisements of the safe-deposit companies telling of how little you could get a box for, and from that on up, pleasant reading always, suggestive of wealth and coupon cutting, and that sort of thing, and now the time had come when I needed a box myself; and it was a very pleasant reflection."

"Still, I thought that box would be plenty big, enough for me. I hadn't many bonds to put in, you understand; but, do you know, as soon as I got the box I found that I had some other things that really belonged in it; insurance policies and some other papers and documents that were of value to me for financial or other reasons; and, so while the bonds didn't begin to take all the room I soon found that my little box was packed so that I had to crowd the cover down to get it to close."

"And I will admit that the safe-deposit experience was a lot of fun to me. It was a real pleasure to me to have my box politely hauled out for me from its deep pigeon hole in the safe-deposit vault; and it was a pleasure to be shown to a cubby hole with a door that I could close, and where I found a desk and pens and ink and paper and shears and coupon envelopes and so on; it was a pleasure to be a safe-deposit customer; and I certainly did smile when I used those shears for the first time, cutting off coupons."

"Then the time came when, as I bought more bonds, and what with the other stuff in it, the box was so full that they had hard work to crowd it into its pigeon hole and hard work to pull it out, and then I simply had to buy a bigger box, and that was fun, too."

"Of course, you know I did not now buy a large safe, or a room with shelves around to store my bonds on; nor did I have to hire a scissor sharpener to keep my coupon shears sharp, so that my clerks would not be delayed in cutting the coupons. I may come to that, why not? Stranger things than that have happened to other people, and I don't know why they might not happen to me. But meanwhile it was a satisfaction to me to reflect that I had at least outgrown the little box, even though for the time being I might be able to get along nicely with one just the next size bigger."—New York Sign.

Jazz. Those of us who have fancied that our "jazz" originated in Uganda or among the Igorrotes are, according to the latest news, quite wrong. Le Matin of Paris maintains that the jazz band idea originated in Paris 120 years ago. "In those days as well as now," it says, "people did not know what to do to amuse themselves; so they made a noise. Those who had a great taste for noise went to the concert of the cat orchestra. There were 20 cats with their heads in a row on the keyboard of a harpsichord. The performers by striking the keys worked a device which pulled the cats' tails, causing a caterwauling which—" Le Matin feels would leave us Americans little musically to desire. Is this an attempt to discredit us at the peace conference?—The Review.

Tribute to the Lilac. The lilac has no place in mortuary annals of man. It is not a flower for the graveyard. It is a flower for the freshening of thought, the lightening of life, and the creation of the ideals of living. It is the flower of all others that belongs to the home and to the heart and to the years that are gone and the years that are to be. Happy the wall where the lilac blooms! Happy the window through which is wafted the lilac's fragrance! Brief the period of the flowering of this bloom of all others in the liking of all who love that which is old-fashioned and that is ever new.—Baltimore American.

Revealing. According to returned doughboy officers, Paris fashions are getting more bold and amazing every day. "While I was at Monte Carlo," remarked one, "I saw a lovely girl standing with a friend of mine. She had just joined him and was obviously proud of her costume."

"How does my new gown show up?" she purred. "To the knees," he answered promptly, and rubbed it in by adding, "and what stunning thistles you have in your garter."

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ALL HUMANITY MUCH ALIKE

Only in Early Life Does the Average Man Imagine He's Different From Others.

One of the great discoveries that come to us as we advance in life is the fact that deep down in the human heart all men are alike. In early life we think we are different from the rest of the world, but as years go by we find that this is not so, that other men have the same hopes and aspirations, the same troubles and anxieties, the same yearnings after happiness and peace. We learn this from our friends, from those who tell us their troubles and ask for sympathy and advice. Then we learn it from books; from the works of great poets and writers, and especially from biographies and autobiographies.

As a child I was sensitive and shy, and felt that I was peculiar in this respect, and different from the others, who always seemed to take themselves for granted. And yet I have discovered that this is the universal lot of all men. G. Stanley Hall speaks of a "newly revealed and grave danger that works countless tragedies in life— that the child's feelings of inferiority should become dominant and make him feel in his earliest years that he is condemned to a low level of existence, without respect, appreciation, admiration or love." Thus the chronic teaser or hector may do great mischief to the tender soul of the child. The child is always asking himself unconsciously, "Do I look worse or better than others?"

This tendency lasts with most men all their lives. We are all the time comparing our lot with that of others. As Emerson says: "Every ship looks romantic except the one we are on;" and again, "Every man's life seems to him covered with the slime of failure and defeat, while that of others seems ideal." It is a great help to know that men are alike in this respect. I could give a long list of well-known men and women who suffered from this sense of inferiority, incapacity and defeat, followed by moods of gloom and melancholy—men like Tennyson, Ruskin, Lowell, Symonds, John Stuart Mill, and, in our own day, Rudyard Kipling, Richard Harding Davis and others.—Exchange.

Solid Heat. Another of the problems that our army in France disposed of in a practical way was the supplying of fuel for heating and cooking purposes in the trenches. Solidified alcohol filled the bill because it was safe, convenient to handle and burned without odor or smoke. As a result of the demand, huge factories were built to produce this novel fuel. Now new uses must be found for the vast output of solidified alcohol.

Mr. J. Popper of New York City, who made its use of such practical value, by inventions such as the mess kit stove, airplane food carrier, dug-out heater and various other devices, has again come to our rescue by inventing a special kind of portable stove, ideal for picnics, camping, boating and other outdoor excursions. The stove, made in the form of a suitcase of heavy steel and is provided with a hinged drop which forms the front of the stove when it is erected. Folding feet beneath the stove serve to raise it an inch or so above the surface on which it may be placed. The fuel is supplied in the form of cans, which are placed beneath the burner holes.—Philadelphia North American.

Goldenrod Maligned. A protest has recently been raised against the time-honored project of adopting the goldenrod as the national flower of the United States, on the ground that this plant is a cause of hay fever and hence nothing ought to be done to encourage its prevalence. A statement now has been issued by Dr. W. Scheppegrell, on behalf of the American Hay-Fever Prevention Association, in defense of the goldenrod. It is asserted that while the pollen of the goldenrod may cause trouble when applied directly to the nostrils by used in large quantities for room decorations, as a cause of hay fever out of doors it is absolutely negligible. "It is one of our most beautiful flowers," said Doctor Scheppegrell, "and well merits its selection as the national flower of the United States."—Scientific American.

On Leaden Wings. Here's another one at the expense of the colored boys who fought in France. Seems a detachment walked square into the center of a German ambulance of machine guns, which without warning broke loose at the rate of several thousand shots a minute. Simultaneously two colored infantrymen from Dixie started for the Mason-Dixon line. After an hour's hard running one of them looked back. "Hy dar, nigger," he shouted to his comrade, "look at all them flies a-followin' you!" "Get out ob mah way, fool," yelled the other. "Dem ain't flies; dem's bullets!"—Exchange.

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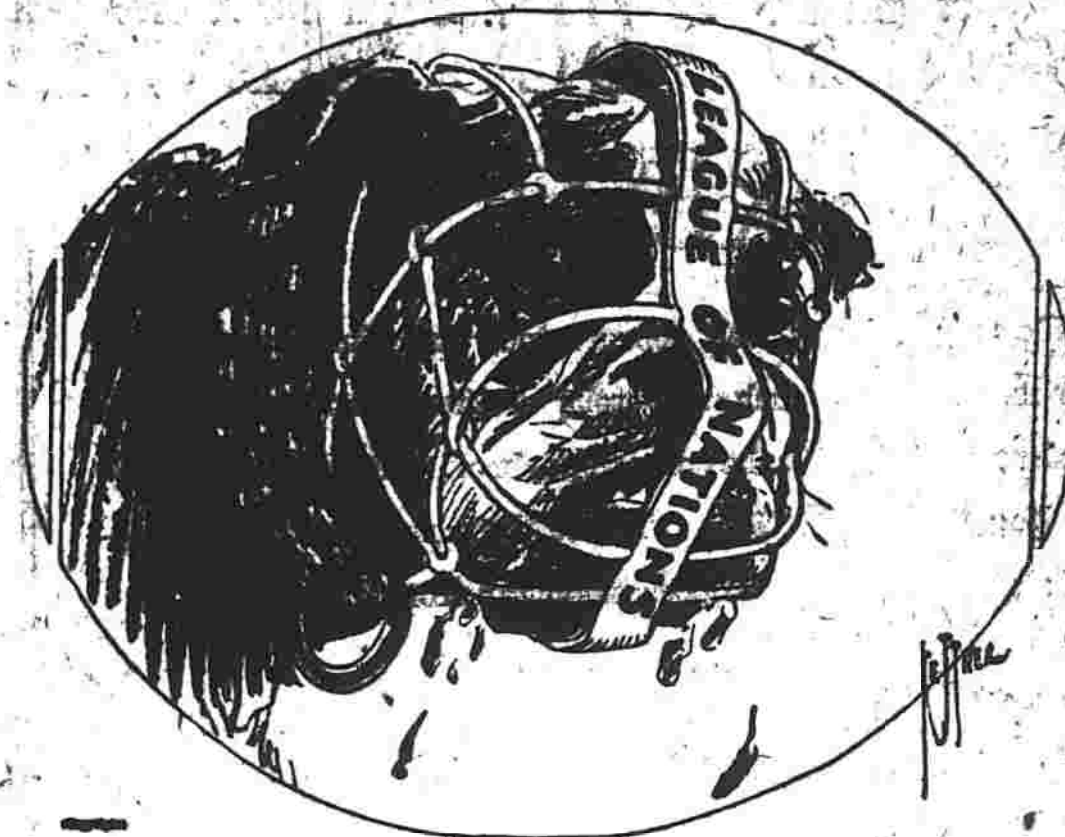
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He Has Had His Day



LEAGUE FULFILLS AMERICAN IDEAL

Herbert Hoover Says Democracies Replaced Autocracies at Our Bidding.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION CHIEF.

Urges Ratification on Ground That Peace Treaty Will Collapse Without League of Nations.

Herbert Hoover is so deeply concerned over the opposition to the League of Nations in the United States that he has let himself be interviewed at length on the League situation. In a talk with the New York Times correspondent in Paris, the Food Administration Chief asserts that having caused the League idea to prevail America cannot abandon it.

Mr. Hoover's wide acquaintance with conditions both here and abroad, his reputation as an administrator, a man of great affairs who deals with facts, not theories, make his statement one of the most important contributions to the recent League discussion.

There are one or two points in connection with the present treaty," said Mr. Hoover, "that need careful consideration by the American public. We need to digest the fact that we have for a century and a half been advocating democracy not only as a remedy for the internal ills of all societies, but also as the only real safeguard against war.

American Ideas Have Prevailed.

"We went into the war to destroy autocracy as a menace to our own and all other democracies. If we had not come into the war every inch of European soil today would be under autocratic government. We have imposed our will on the world. Out of this victory has come the destruction of the four great autocracies in Germany, Russia, Turkey and Austria and the little autocracy in Greece.

Benefits of the League.

"One thing is certain. There is no body of human beings so wise that a treaty could be made that would not develop injustices and prove to have been wrong in some particulars. As the covenant stands today there is a place at which redress can be found and through which the good-will of the world can be enforced.

"It would take the exposure of but a few documents of my hand to prove that I had been the most reluctant of Americans to become involved in this situation in Europe. But having gone in with our eyes open and with a determination to free ourselves and the rest of the world from the dangers that surrounded us, we cannot now pull back from the job.

"We have succeeded in a most extraordinary degree in imposing upon Europe the complete conviction that we are absolutely disinterested. The consequence is that there is scarcely a man, woman or child who can read in Europe that does not look to the United States as the ultimate source from which they must receive assistance and guardianship in the liberties which they have now secured.

"This is not a problem of protecting the big nations, for the few that remain can well look after themselves. What we have done is to set up a score of little democracies and if the American people could visualize their handiwork they would realize that the same determination that they did in 1912 that our government proceed.

TAD'S TID-BITS

NO HEAVYWEIGHT EVER HIT LIKE DEMPSEY

New York, Aug. 22.—Every now and then you hear some fellow say that Fitz or Jeff or Maher could hit like Dempsey. They could hit a bag, probably, but they were never as accurate or as speedy as Jack Dempsey, is while in the ring.

Jeff never made any speed in his bouts. He was a big, powerful fellow, but was as cautious as a cat and usually fought a long time before he put the crusher on. Fitzsimmons was a good hitter, but he never dropped them as Dempsey does. Fitz usually took a pasting himself before he ever won his fight. Then, like a longshoreman, he slugged his way to a win.

Maher was a good hitter, but rather wild in his efforts. This Dempsey socks and socks right to the point, and he doesn't delay a minute. Some fighters say that he had tinfoil in his hands. Dempsey laughs at the idea himself. They can't understand why it is that he hits such terrific punches. The answer is that Dempsey hits the way that Babe Ruth bats. He puts everything into that swing and lets her go.

Dempsey goes in to kill or he killed.

NO RELATION.

A newspaper heading the other day read: "Canadian boxer dies in dive." We hurriedly scanned the story but it wasn't Fred McKay. If diving were dangerous they'd have had the candles near Fred's head years ago.

AUGUST GREAT FIGHT MONTH.

August was a great month for fighters. Looking down the list we find that some of the greatest fighters we ever had battled during that month.

Give this list the north and south. 1883—John L. Sullivan knocked out Herbert Glade, three rounds, New York.

1887—Jim Corbett and Jack Burke, eight-round draw, San Francisco.

1898—Jim Jeffries beat Bob Armstrong, ten rounds, New York.

1899—Tommy Ryan beat Jack Moffat, twenty rounds, Dubuque, Ia.

1900—Bob Fitzsimmons knocked out Gus Ruhlin, six rounds, New York.

1900—Bob Fitzsimmons knocked out Tom Sharkey, two rounds, Coney Island.

1900—Jim Corbett knocked out Kid McCoy, five rounds, New York.

1903—Jim Jeffries knocked out Jim Corbett, ten rounds, San Francisco.

1901—Abe Attell and George Dixon, ten rounds, draw, Denver.

1903—Frankie Neil knocked out Harry Forbes, two rounds, San Francisco.

1904—Jim Jeffries stopped Jack Munroe, two rounds, San Francisco.

1905—Tommy Burns knocked out Dave Barry, twenty rounds, San Francisco.

1908—Stanley Ketchel knocked out Joe Thomas, two rounds, San Francisco.

1908—Tommy Burns knocked out Bill Squires, thirteen rounds, Sydney, N. S. W.

1911—Willies Lewis knocked out Sailor Burke, six rounds, New York.

1911—Sam Langford knocked out Jack O'Brien, five rounds, New York.

1911—Al Falzer knocked out Tom Kennedy, nine rounds, New York.

1912—Matt Wells and Knockout Brown, ten rounds, draw, New York.

1912—Abe Attell and Tommy Murphy, twenty rounds, draw, San Francisco.

1912—Jess Willard and Luther McCarthy, ten rounds, draw, New York.

PETER JACKSON'S FINISH.

Those who declared Jim Jeffries a great fighter because he looked Peter Jackson might read the following with interest. This is a description of Jackson two years before he met Jeffries.

bloomin' shame, poor old Jackson." "With the exception of the appearance of his eyes and a certain flabbiness of body and laxity of movement, Jackson's London life has left slight marks on him. Alcohol has not swollen his face, and his cheeks have the old look, while the high cheekbones, which usually go with the combative temperament, are as prominent as ever. It is only when he talks or when he moves around that the change in him is noticed. Sometimes when he lifts his glass his big hands shake a little, and there is a curious halt now and then in his speech, as if he were groping for something, he could not find. Although he has no occupation, Jackson apparently has plenty of money. He dresses in the very latest fashion, and from the crown of his high-top polished hat to the soles of his patent leather shoes he is a model of correct attire."

Park Theater

Pauline Frederick in "The Woman on the Index" is presented by Goldwyn at the Park theater tonight. Audiences are promised no end of suspense, thrills and big surprises.

Sylvia Martin is a poor girl who is driven from home by the greed and heartlessness of her father. Fainting in a doorway, she is plied by a passerby, a man, who carries her in to a warm room. It is the rendezvous of a band of crooks of which he is the leader. In time Sylvia marries him, ignorant of his status.

By accident she learns the truth when she overhears the crooks discussing a successful "job." At this juncture the police enter and Sylvia's husband shoots himself. She is accused of his murder and is held as an accessory in the robbery. Eventually she is freed and subsequent events bring about her marriage to a man who has no knowledge of her past.

Sylvia herself finds her name and the crime for which she was accused in the police records. She is "the woman on the index." She imagines she is lost when the detective who arrested her turns up as her husband's friend. He is now chief of the Secret Service. From this point the drama mounts to a climax no one could have anticipated.

There will be a New Weekly and comedy on the bill also tonight.

Circle Theater

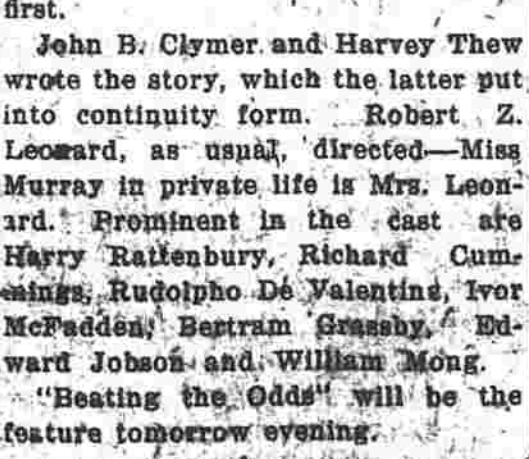
A fascinating story of New York's night life is promised in "The Delicious Little Devil," in which Mae Murray, the former Follies girl, will be seen at the Circle Theatre again tonight.

Before embarking on her successful career as a screen star, Miss Murray was one of the toasts of Broadway, and so she is admirably cast in Mary McGuire, a cabaret dancer. The whole production is on a lavish scale, and some striking scenes are promised.

"The Delicious Little Devil" is the greatest Mae Murray picture of its series. It tells of the adventures of a girl of the tenements, with a natural talent for dancing and an unconquerable nerve. She applies for a place as a dancer at a fast roadhouse and is accepted principally on the advertising value of a pretended "affair" with a Duke in Paris. She becomes the sensation of the town, but when she falls to live up to her reputation for devilry, things begin to happen. The play works up to a finish which, while melodramatic and thrilling in the extreme, retains the sympathy for the star which has been inherent from the first.

John B. Clymer and Harvey Thew wrote the story, which the latter put into continuity form. Robert Z. Leonard, as usual, directed. Miss Murray in private life is Mrs. Leonard. Prominent in the cast are Harry Rattenbury, Richard Cummings, Rudolph De Valentino, Ivor McPadden, Bertram Grassby, Edward Johnson and William Mong.

"Beating the Odds" will be the feature tomorrow evening.



A Nutritious Diet for All Ages. Quick Lunch at Home or Office. Avoid Indigestion and Subsequent...

THE THEATER IN ARGENTINA

Translated from El Mercurio, Valparaiso, Chile.

The extreme fondness that the people of Argentina have for the theatre is shown by the way the public has attended the theatres night after night in spite of continued heat this summer. In any of the many other cities the people would throng to the parks and other places where they could keep cool, if they should experience such warm weather. The people of our city will bear any of the extreme temperatures, providing that they can have an hour or two of enjoyment at the theatre. Although we have no fixed number of people that attend the theatres, we can safely say that the attendances are larger than those of any of the large cities of Europe. At present we have performances of opera, Russian ballet, Italian comedies, Spanish comic opera, small and large, vaudeville, as well as the moving pictures; and one will find that every one of these amusements is successful.

The leading attraction, without doubt, is the Russian ballet, which hold performances out of doors in the theatre which belongs to the Exposicion Rural. This theatre, which is surrounded by the beautiful foliage of large trees, has as beautiful a setting as the most fastidious artist would desire, at the same time enabling one easily to grasp the interpretation of such dances as Chopin's "Visiones," Massene's "Thais," and the Hungarian as well as the Dutch dances. These together with the artistry such as the Russians are known to possess, make it a wonderful sight to enjoy.

Second to this wonderful troupe comes the popular opera company at the Teatro Marconi, where one can hear artists who are of international reputation. At this theatre, Manager, Alfredo Padovani has been able to organize an opera company which is second only to that of the Teatro Nacional. Although this is not a theatre which is so pretentious in its list of artists, it has adopted the novel idea of presenting new plays every week, introducing local artists not generally known to the public.

On the vaudeville stage we have several troupes which perform at the theatre built by the municipality on the banks of the Rio Plata. The attractions held at this theatre are similar to those of Folie de Neuilly in Paris. At the Parque Japonese, where one sees the "Russian Cascades," trains go up and down the mountains. There here is the Roman Theatre, where more than 3,000 people attend daily.

The press of our country is constantly speaking of the theatrical life of Buenos Aires and other cities of South America as well as those of Europe. In one of the latest editions we have read some reports regarding the manner in which some theatrical companies from Buenos Aires have been received in Chile, and are now playing at Santiago and Valparaiso. It seems as if the Chileans consider us too tropical for praise; to a certain degree they are right. For some years past our enthusiasm has been greater than usual. In Chile, on the contrary, the people believe in idolizing an artist to an extreme, regardless of what merits the performance may possess.

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

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the State Highway Commissioner, State Capitol, fourth floor, west end, until 3 P. M., Tuesday, September 2nd, 1913, for the following sections of highway improvement.

TOWN OF EAST HAVEN: About 5175 ft. of concrete on the Short Beach Road. Plans and specifications at the Town Clerk's office, c/o W. S. Coker, East Haven, Conn.

TOWN OF BOLTON: About 4378 ft. of bituminous macadam on the Coventry Road. Plans and specifications at the office of R. W. Stevens, Division Engineer, 408 Main Street, Hartford, Conn.

TOWN OF EAST HARTFORD: About 4180 ft. of bituminous macadam road on Silver Lane. Plans and specifications at the Town Clerk's office, East Hartford, Conn.

All bids must be accompanied by a surety company bond as a certified check, not less than one-third of the cost of the work. The State Highway Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, August 15, 1913.

C. J. BENNETT, STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER, FOURTH FLOOR, WEST END, CAPITOL, HARTFORD, CONN.

GIANT AIR PLANES TO LINK CITIES OF WORLD, SAYS BRITISH EXPERT

SUMMER CALLS MANY TO THE BOLTON HILLS

Many New York People Find Rest and Recreation in the Fine Country Air—Plans Begin for School Opening.

(Special to The Evening Herald.) Bolton, Aug. 22.

Many young people from New York have been spending their vacations in Bolton this year and are leaving grateful for the refreshing days spent here.

The Misses Adeline De Martini, Mamie Canaglia, Eugene De Martini and Louis Cattabiani who have been visiting at Mr. Manegga's home have returned to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Johnson have returned to New York after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bende Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Manegga are entertaining the Misses Mabel Casazza, Maggie Casazza, and Garmella Molinelli of New York.

Miss Margaret Daly and E. Patrick Daly are at Sgratona where they have gone to visit Miss Daly's father, Michael Daly, who is there for a month.

Dr. Spicer of Providence, R. I., was in town Tuesday to visit his brother-in-law's old home, formerly known as the Gladding place, and now occupied by Mrs. L. H. Levy.

Dr. Spicer's sister married Howard Gladding.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Loomis of Pawtucket, R. I., and their son Norman Loomis, have been visiting with Charles N. Loomis of the Center and are now the guests of Mrs. Charles Loomis' parents, Rev. and Mrs. Cyrus M. Perry of Ellington.

Keeney Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hutchinson of this place is to marry Miss Lillian Deer at St. Michael's Monastery, West Hoboken, N. J., on August 30th. Many people here have received invitations.

Rev. G. E. Davis of Belknap is to occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday.

The caretakers of the various school houses in this vicinity are beginning the annual repair work and cleaning preparatory to the fall opening of school. The following teachers have been engaged for the coming year: Miss Margaret Daly, South School; Miss Esther Horowitz, Mountain District; new teachers, Miss Ralph Hills of Hillstown for the Belknap School, and Miss Jane Pasan for the Center School.

PEN VERSUS FIST, AND FIST WON.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 22.—The time-honored query "Is the pen mightier than the sword?" has had an answer in a new version. "Is the pen mightier than the fist?" it came when a well-known poet remonstrated with his seaman.

The seaman used his fists, and the poet exhibited two blackened eyes when he appeared in police court seeking a warrant for the seaman.

REVISED TARIFF WILL INCREASE COAL OUTPUT.

Grand Junction, Colo., Aug. 22.—Coal operators in the vicinity of Palisade expect to double their output as a result of revised tariff reducing the freight rates on coal, thus permitting them to compete with the Utah mines and extend their trade territory to various parts of Colorado and Utah.

Equipment enlargement to handle increased output is in progress.

POWERFUL PILE BENEDICTION DISCOVERED

Has Never Failed to Meet Most Obstinate Case of Piles in Few Days.

For years it has been proved that so-called "cure" remedies applied to or inserted in the rectum, failed to cure piles, and at the same time only give temporary relief. The only effective remedy also do not remove the cause, but stop the formation.

This powerful pile benediction, known as Miro Pile Remedy, is so efficient in the treatment of piles, that even chronic cases of from 20 to 40 years standing with profuse bleeding have been completely cured in from three to ten days.

Just read what Henry A. Stone of the Detroit, Ohio, Police Department says: "I had bleeding piles for three years and tried all kinds of remedies, without result, but was thoroughly cured after taking one bottle of Miro."

Frank J. Phillips of Bird Island, Minnesota, says: "I used a bottle of Miro. It worked like a charm. I no longer suffered with bleeding and protruding piles. I never recurred the money for such medicine. I am now enjoying good health. I used the whole bottle, but it was not necessary."

All Pharmacies dispense Miro or you can buy it for 75c per bottle direct from the manufacturer. It is worth the trouble to obtain it to be safe in piles forever.

AERIAL TIME TABLE.

The Daily Chronicle, which indulges in a bit of fanciful prophecy, publishes this airship time table:

From London to	
New York	2 to 2 1/2 days
San Francisco	4 1/2 days
Cairo	1 1/2 days
Colombo	3 1/2 days
Perth, Australia	7 days
Cape Town	4 1/2 days
Rio de Janeiro	4 days

Airships would have balloons rivaling those of great steamships for comfort, says the Chronicle. "As lightness is essential, practically everything would be made of aluminum alloy, as strong as steel and one-third the weight."

London, Aug. 22.—With the first experimental round-trip transatlantic voyage by airship written in history by the R-34, two main issues arise: First, further experimental flights by the Zeppelin type of airship; and, second, commercial possibilities with types far larger than the R-34.

Giant airships which will bring every important city in the world within ten days of London are fore-shadowed by Sir Trevor Dawson, managing director of Vickers, Ltd., which has built airships of the Zeppelin type for the admiralty.

Brigadier-General Groves, in charge of the airship fleet of the Royal Air Force, says it will only be a few years until airships of four times the power of the R-34, capable of travelling 15,000 miles, are sailing the skies. Such airships would have 8,000,000,000 cubic feet gas capacity and a lifting ability of 150 tons.

More optimistic observers like H. Massac Buiset aviation expert says the 10,000,000,000 cubic feet airship of 200 tons carrying capacity will be a reality by the summer of 1921.

Brigadier-General Groves also has planned an experimental type for a R. A. F. seaplane of the intant type by short stages through the heart of Africa, starting from the mouth of the Nile, going across the Great Lakes, the Zambesi, and the Congo to the Cape. General Groves points out that eight great rivers of over 4,000 miles in length passed through the world's markets, and therefore there was a great future ahead for flying boats.

The trip of the R-34 to New York and return demonstrates that an airship only 2,000,000 cubic feet gas capacity has no future in the commercial world. They must be larger. That is clearly recognized here, and an airship of 3,000,000 cubic feet capacity will be completed this year. However, this will be used, like five others of similar type, by the Admiralty.

At least a crew of twenty-two were necessary for operation of the R-34, and thus a ship of this size, with all available cargo space used for supplies needed for operation of the ship, could carry only nine persons to America, which would be wholly impractical as a commercial proposition. Thus only a larger airship, whereon the operating crew would practically be the same and with but slightly more supplies needed, can hope to be of value in air commerce. A ship of the R-34 type, out in all weather, would be serviceable not more than two years. Then it would have to be rebuilt. The initial cost of such a ship is about \$1,675,000.

A 5,000,000 cubic feet gas capacity airship would be 370 feet long and could easily lift 100 tons. Such a ship certainly could be used in transatlantic air voyages about nine months out of a year, carrying passengers, mails and light cargo of great value.

A "ten million" airship would be 1,100 feet long. Officers who flew the Atlantic in the R-34 say a ship of five million capacity would be easier to handle than one of two million.

Vickers officials are convinced it would be a practical proposition to build an airship fifty tons of passenger and freight for a non-stop voyage of 10,000 miles at sixteen miles an hour. They figure airships for commercial work may fall into three classes:

First, ships of moderate size and high speed, such as the R-34, for carrying express mails and passengers. The R-34's capacity is forty-seven tons.

Second, air liners for passenger traffic of a large size and high speed, carrying slow speed and a large carrying capacity for general transport.

Sir Trevor Dawson says his firm is experimenting with steam engines for use on airships, an outfit of light weight but giving great power being the goal desired.

Brown Thomson & Co HARTFORD'S SHOPPING CENTER

Our August Clearance Sale Means Sensational Reductions On All Summer Coats Suits Dresses Etc.

To clean out all summer Coats, capes, Suits, and Dresses remaining on hand, to make room for fall stocks and to offer you exceptional values are the three reasons for this extraordinary value giving event.

25 PER CENT OFF ON WASH SKIRTS. Regardless of what price they are selling for, we will give you 25 per cent discount on skirts priced \$1.00 to the higher skirts selling for \$10.

TAKE SELECTION. From our Girls' Section about 40 coats, sizes 6 to 16 years, in colored silk poplins, serges, taffetas, formerly sold from \$7.50 to \$27.50.

COATS AND CAPES. For Ladies and Misses we have about 125 Coats and Capes, that will sell at about 1-4 of their former prices.

GIRLS' RAIN COATS. And Rain Capes of checks, mixtures and plain and silk pongees. All \$2.98 Models choice \$2.00. All \$3.98 Models, choice \$3.00.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS. SUITS AT \$15.00 that formerly priced up to \$39.50. Made of serges, poplins, taffetas in navy, black, and white colors.

SUITS AT \$20.00, including all samples, show pieces and high priced models that were sold up to \$75.00 and regular stocks that sold regularly at \$29.50 to \$45.00, you have choice at \$20.00.

SPECIAL DRESS VALUES. We are offering for your selection three lots of Dresses. IN LOT ONE you will find Summery Dresses of colored voiles and Organdies in various styles and colorings.

LOT TWO consists of about 60 Dresses of dark colored Voiles in figured or plain patterns in navy, taupe, copen, black and white and a few tans, pink, etc. also white Dresses of Voiles and a few Net Dresses, values up to \$18.50. Choice at \$7.50.

LOT THREE there is an assortment of better kinds, stylish models in figured Voiles, Organdies and Challis, formerly priced at \$16.50 and \$18.50, now only \$10.00.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' Silk Dresses will be also on sale as follows:

LOT ONE Dresses that have sold up to \$22.50, special at \$12.50.

LOT TWO Dresses that have sold up to \$29.50, now \$18.50.

ABOUT TOWN

Workmen are giving the Morris beef box a fresh coat of paint.

Miss Hortense V. Packard is visiting at Limewood Grove, Indian Neck.

Miss Florence Johnson of Clinton street is visiting friends at New York.

Miss McGrath of New York city is visiting friends on West Center street.

Frank H. Anderson left today to join his family at Bethlehem, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Donahue and nephew are at the Edgewood cottage, Indian Neck.

Miss Ruth Warner is spending a week's vacation at Cottage Chez Moi at Huntington Beach.

Miss Catherine Sullivan of Naugatuck is visiting her brother John L. Sullivan of Pearl street.

Mrs. Beaucor of Bristol is visiting her daughter, Miss Lillian Beaucor who is pianist at the Park Theater.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Whedon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carter at the Wyndover Cottage of Clinton Beach.

The Athletics trimmed the Hudsons by a score of 15 to 0 in a 6 inning practice game at the West side last evening.

Hartford parties have leased the small store on the north side of the Park Theater. They intend to open a small restaurant.

Miss Marjorie Dunn and Miss Jenny Clarke of Middletown will leave tomorrow for Block Island where they will spend a week.

Mrs. Albert Anderson and children Evelyn and Sherwood and Miss Clara B. Saffstrom have returned after a ten days' visit to Boston and vicinity.

The force of men in the employ of the Manchester Electric Co. were on the Hollist lot today making ready for the carnival that comes here next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Miner, Miss Mary Weldon, and Paul Carter recently back from France are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Weldon at their cottage at Crescent Beach.

Miss Alice McEivitt of Walnut street is spending her vacation in northern New York state. She will visit Antwerp, Potsdam, Plattsburg, Lake Placid and Thousand Islands before she returns.

The members of the Athletic team will leave the south end post office at 11.45 Saturday morning. Four trucks and about twenty-five autos will carry several hundred rooters to the Athletic-Hendee game.

The fourth game of the White Sox-Hudson series will be played at the Pleasant street grounds Sunday afternoon. The Hudsons won last week by a score of 1-0 and have one game to their credit against two for the White Sox.

Today nomination papers were filed with the town clerk for Samuel G. Gordon, Herbert H. Bissell and James W. Foley for constables. Papers have also been filed for G. H. Howe as collector. Up to noon none of the selectmen had filed any nomination papers.

The shoemakers of Manchester took a day off yesterday and went to Savin Rock on a picnic. They enjoyed a short dinner and the various side shows at the Rock. When the shoemakers reached New Haven they were held up because of the Bagli's parade which was one of the finest seen in New Haven in a long time.

Try a City Seal Cigar. Biggest and best smoke for 5 cents. McNamara's Pharmacy.—adv.

An airplane passed over Manchester at midnight last evening.

A baby boy was born today to Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Renahan at the St. Francis Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ludington and children of Middletown are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crane.

Perrett and Gleaney are making arrangements to run one of their large buses to the Willmatic Camp Grounds on Sunday. They will leave for the grounds at 7 a. m.

MAJORS TO REORGANIZE CRACK FOOTBALL TEAM

Old Stars Back From Service Ready to Break All Lines in State-Dwyer to Coach.

Now that the Army and Navy has released all the old Major football stars, Manchester, after a long, lean year is again promised some real, snappy, stellar gridiron sport.

All because the Majors have decided to reorganize and will hold their first meeting and practice next Tuesday evening at the north end.

Local lovers of the true American sport missed the Majors last year. The war called so many of the players into the service that the remaining man decided it was better to let the team ride through one year on its old reputation.

Now the Majors are sending out a call for the old stars and for new material. Many plans will be considered at the meeting to be held Tuesday and the manager urges that all who wish to make the team be on hand.

The former Majors who were in the service and are now returned are Mathison, Duke, Chartier, Massey, Styler, Chace, Murphy, Wright, Linell, John E. Dwyer has been engaged to coach the team. Dwyer formerly played with the Army team with the Carlises and in many positions on local teams. Unfortunately he was injured in the service and so will be unable to do any actual playing. But he intends to give the Majors an enviable position among the crack teams of the state.

The schedule of games and lineup will be announced later.

REMEMBER WHEN YOU GET YOUR ARMY FOOD

It Costs Less to Buy One Can Than a Dozen—Fractions Bother.

Army prices contain some innovations for the housewife. When she bought canned vegetables of the War Department, on August 18, through the new firm, Messrs. War and Post Office, Ltd., she discovered that the usual rule, of smaller prices for quantity, did not hold good. On the contrary, she could buy one can of beans for seven cents, but if her mayor had a municipal scheme for distribution he had to pay 89 cents for a dozen of the same cans!

The Army explains the upset of the usual rule by saying that it dropped the fractions for housewives but kept them against the mayors. The Nation's Business for September.

FUNERAL OF JOHN FAHEY. The funeral of John Fahey, a former Manchester resident, who died at his home in West Hartford on Wednesday morning was held at the undertaking rooms of Hollohan Brothers this morning at 8.30 o'clock. Mass was celebrated at St. James' Church at 9 o'clock by the Rev. William J. McGurk, rector of the church. Interment was in St. James' cemetery.

Eastman Kodaks, Films and supplies. Developing and Printing. Twenty-four hour service. McNamara's Pharmacy, Johnson Block.—adv.

STYLISH AND BECOMING FALL DRESSES

Materials are many; both silk and wool are well represented, sometimes alone, and again in attractive combinations. There is such a diversity of effects produced by panels, plaits, sashes and draperies; and the touches of fringe, braid embroidery and buttons lend a charm which is altogether irresistible. To see these new dresses is to desire them, and their very moderate pricings make possession far from difficult.

\$9.95 to \$49.50

Special 50c Bodices 39c each Swiss ribbed, merterized tape draw string, fine mercerized lisle material.

Saturday only, 15c Tal. Powder 10c The best and finest Italian talcum powder odors. Baby borated and trailing arbutus.

Ladies' 39c Straight Vests 29c each Square neck, fine lisle thread, fine stitch, trimmed arm holes.

One Lot Children's Hats and Bonnets 39c White muslin and pique, values that sold from 59c to \$1.39/each.

The J.W. Hale Company SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.

MANCHESTER GIRL WEDS IN BEACHMONT MASS.

Miss Alice Kennedy Becomes Bride of James Bouse of Hub State.

Word has been received in town that Miss Anna Kennedy of Broad street, Hartford, a former resident of this place, was married on Sunday to James Bouse of Beachmont, Mass. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's sister-in-law Mrs. G. Frankland of that place.

The young couple are now on an automobile wedding tour through Canada. On their return they will reside at 23 Endicott avenue, Beachmont, where Mr. Bouse is engaged in the automobile business.

TO USE STRIKEBREAKERS. Trouble Expected in Pittsburg Where Big Strike is On.

Pittsburg, Aug. 22.—With the strike of the conductors and motormen on its eighth day the receivers of the Pittsburg Railway Company were preparing today to operate its cars with non union men and trouble is expected. The first move was an appeal to the old employees to return to work as individuals. The receivers petitioned the United States Court to issue an order requiring the immediate operation of the cars and at the same time Mayor Babcock was asked to furnish police protection to meet any emergency.

The strikers at a meeting yesterday voted overwhelmingly not to return to work.

Milk of Magnesia, double strength, very palatable. Ideal remedy for the relief of acidity of the stomach. McNamara's Pharmacy.—adv.

Our School Shoes for Boys Stand the Racket

The best shoes are the cheapest when it comes to wear. We sell and recommend that kind.

Boys' Shoes at \$3.50 to \$5.50 A few pairs (not all sizes) \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 Youths' sizes (11 to 2) \$2 to \$4.50 Growing Girls' Shoes (sizes 2 1-2 to 6) \$3.50 to \$6

Glennay & Hultman

QUINN'S NEW DRUG STORE ORFORD HOTEL BUILDING

Our Soda Fountain

Ready for Business Saturday

Tomorrow we shall be ready to supply our thirsty patrons with Quinn's Quality Soda and all the popular ICE CREAM combinations.

Our drug department is ready to take care of your needs in prescriptions and drugs.

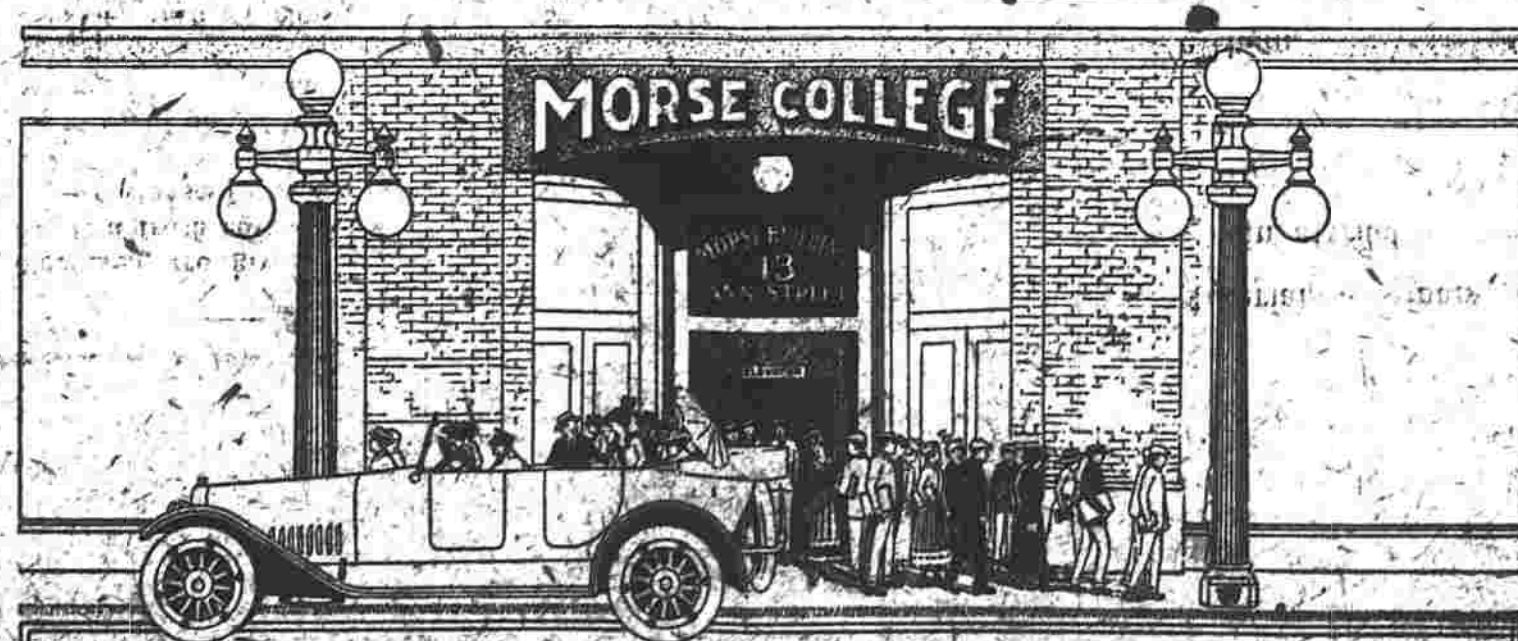
Bring In Your Prescriptions.

Telephone your wants. We deliver.

Take along a box of Old Chief Cigars for the week end. McNamara's Pharmacy.—adv.

Advertise in The Herald

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Murray of North Main street announce the engagement of their daughter, Loretta Virginia, to Herman C. Reinhold of Hartford.



An Institution of Quality in Business Education Equipped like a Modern University All Morse Graduates get Good Positions and the demand exceeds the supply

A Remarkable Sale OF BLOUSES

We will offer you an extraordinary opportunity SATURDAY to purchase one or more of these blouses that are developed from a fine quality of georgette crepe that are handsomely trimmed with lace, embroidery or beads, in colors of flesh, white and bisque. Worth up to \$7.50. \$5.50

FOR SCHOOL WEAR Children's Dresses

Smart models developed from gingham and chambray with contrasting collar, cuffs and belt. Sizes 6 to 14 years. SATURDAY Worth from \$2.25 to \$3.50. \$1.79 AND \$2.69

ELMAN'S

Corner Main And Bissell Sts.

ATHLETICS WILL PLAY ANSONIA NINE SUNDAY

Norwoods Have Record of Trimming Invincible Teams—Hendees Will Play Off Series Here.

After stacking up against the Hendees at Springfield tomorrow the Athletics will be in good trim to meet the Norwoods of Ansonia who will come here Sunday to play at Mt. Nebo at 3.30.

The Norwoods are reported as having an exceptionally fast team and also one of the best semi-pro. pitchers in the state. This team has played the Elm City Colored Giants and is one of the few teams to defeat the crack Stamford Rolling Mill team. Jack Burkhardt or Freddie Warnock will pitch for the Athletics in this game with Lamprecht or Crockett behind the bat.

If a third game is necessary in the Hendee-Athletic series, Manager Daley of the Hendee team said Sunday he would be willing to have this game take place in Manchester. Tommy Sipples will again be pitted against the Indians in Springfield Saturday and the probable line-up of the Athletics for this game will be:

Lamprecht, Crockett c., Kotch, Sipples pitch, Warnock ss, Fay lb., Massey 2b., Wilson 3b., Scheldge Jr., O'Connell or Edgar cf., Kotch rf., O'Connell, Burkhardt pitch.



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