

## ONE BIG RAILROAD, PRIVATELY OWNED, IS LENROOT'S PLAN

### Government to Guarantee Minimum Earnings of the System.

### EMPLOYEES TO HAVE THEIR REPRESENTATIVES

### Directors to Establish Boards to Study Working Conditions, Wages and to Settle Labor Troubles.

Washington, Aug. 27.—A single national system of railroads, privately owned, is provided in a bill introduced in the Senate today by Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin. Minimum earnings would be guaranteed by the government and management shared by the shippers, farmers security owners, employees and the public under the provisions of the bill.

Senator Lenroot said he believed that his plan would afford protection for all interests concerned and would provide a means of economical and efficient transportation.

Principles of Bill.

The outstanding principles of the bill are as follows:  
Ownership and operation of all railroads by one railroad company under public control.

Management of this company under supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission by a board of eleven directors selected by the President from nominations made by shippers, farmers, security owners, the Interstate Commerce Commission and state railroad commissions.

Director General.  
Directors to select director general. President to name an efficiency board of five from nominations of leading technical and engineering organizations.

Valuation of all railroads by averaging original cost less depreciation, the reproduction cost less depreciation and net earnings over the last ten years capitalized at five per cent per annum, varied by urgent equities.

Stockholders' Share.  
Existing bonds not to be disturbed; new stock with maximum dividends of six per cent per annum to be exchanged for existing stock as valued by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Earnings in excess of six per cent to be distributed 40 per cent to labor, 30 per cent to the public for improvements and retiring outstanding stock thus reducing rates and 30 per cent to the stockholders.

Government Guarantee.  
Government guarantee of dividends of 4 per cent on all stock issued by the corporation. No stock to be issued without consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Directors to establish boards with equal representation for labor to study and suggest improvements, working conditions, wages and to mediate all labor troubles.

EXPECT REPLY TODAY.

Actors Believe Gompers Will Help Them Win Strike.

New York, Aug. 27.—A quick reply from the strike bunn theatrical managers to Samuel Gompers' endorsement of the Actors' Equity Association and the principles for which it is fighting is expected today.

"Mr. Gompers did not consult the managers at all," was all one manager would say in advance of a formal announcement from the Producing Managers' Association.

## Railroad Shopmen Vote To See If They'll Strike

Washington, Aug. 27.—What the next move of the government will be in the event that the 500,000 railroad shopmen of the country vote to strike for an immediate increase in wages was being made a question for speculation in official circles today. It was the consensus of opinion, however, that the government's action in such an eventuality, has not yet been considered, and there were indications, that, for the time being the attitude of the officials would be to "cross that bridge when they came to it."

Ordinarily labor leaders pointed out, it would require about three weeks to take a strike vote among the half million workers involved. "But in this instance orders have been given that the balloting be expedited and the returns made by wire, with the possibility that the result would be known at the end of two weeks."

Make No Predictions.  
Bert M. Jewell, head of the railroad employees division of the American Federation of Labor, with which the shopmen are affiliated, refused today to predict what the outcome of the balloting would be—whether the men would accede to President Wilson's decision that there be no general wage increases until the gov-

ernment has shown its ability to check the rising costs of living, or whether they will stand out for their original demand of a raise to 55 cents an hour. At the same time, however, he expressed the belief that because the ballot would be a secret one there would be a much larger vote in favor of accepting the President's proposal than there otherwise would be.

Vote a Secret One.  
"There are many shipmen, I think, who might be carried off their feet and vote to strike were they to take an open ballot," said Jewell. But with the vote a secret one, those inclined to be conservative will be able to register their attitude without being swayed by any other influence.

The letter sent to the shopmen calling for the strike vote was, in the opinion of Mr. Jewell, a "very conservative one." He pointed out today that the communication laid special stress upon the fact that if there were to be any wage increases for railroad employees the shopmen would get the same consideration and that it was impressed upon the shopmen that if they struck at this time, they would "strike alone to force an increase for two million railroad employees."

## SHOOTS HIS FIANCEE WHEN SHE JILTS HIM

### Maid in Home of Wealthy Woman is Dying in Hospital—Slayer Escapes.

Paris, Aug. 27.—Alexandrine Frechard, a beautiful young woman, lies in the hospital in a critical condition as the result of a dramatic shooting affray in the home of Mrs. Jackson Gouraud, the divorced wife of Prince Miskoenoff.

Mlle. Frechard was a maid in the employ of Mrs. Gouraud and it is alleged that she was shot by a youth whom she had jilted.

According to the story told to the police the assailant visited the Gouraud residence on Monday night insisting upon a final interview with his sweetheart. Mrs. Gouraud's young daughter, Sylvie, was sent out on some pretext and the youth drew a revolver and began shooting. He escaped and has not yet been found although the police have been searching the whole city.

Mrs. Gouraud is a member of the millionaire Crocker family of California, but has lived most of the time in recent years in New York.

## U. S. FLIERS TO FIGHT WITH THE POLISH ARMY

### Already Six Have Enlisted—To Form An Independent Flying Corps.

Paris, Aug. 27.—General Rosvoldski, chief of the Polish mission in Paris, today formally authorized Major C. E. Fauntleroy, of Chicago, and Captain M. C. Cooper, of Jacksonville, Fla., to form a flying corps to fight with the Polish army. It will be known as the Kosciuszko Escadrille and will correspond to the Lafayette Escadrille that fought with the French army during the war.

The squadron will be limited to nine pilots. In addition to Major Fauntleroy and Captain Cooper the following Americans have already enlisted:

George M. Crawford, of Wilmington, Del.; Kenneth Shrewsbury, of Charleston; Carl H. Clark, of Tulsa, Okla.; and C. Arsi, of New York. All are expert pilots.

## WOMAN KILLED IN BLO.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Fannie Collins, 45, organizer for the United Mine Workers, and a foreigner, were shot and killed and five other persons were injured in a clash between strikers and their sympathizers and mine guards at Brackenridge, near here, late yesterday. There has been a strike at the Allegheny Coal and Coke Company mines for some time and the fight started when the guards ordered the strikers away from the property.

## NO SHORTAGE OF COAL IF CARS ARE SUPPLIED

### Congress Plans to Take Steps at Once to Get Cars—No Profiteering in Coal.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Steps to insure an immediate supply of cars for the transportation of coal will be taken by Congress, as the result of the first day of investigation of the coal situation by a sub-committee of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Senator Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, chairman of the sub-committee, said today.

One of the first recommendations to be made by the investigating committee to the Senate will be that the Railroad Administration be called upon to show what efforts it is making to furnish all of the coal cars needed by the mines. If the investigation shows that the Railroad Administration is not meeting the demands then corrective steps will be taken. The transportation problem appears to be the crux of the whole situation, Senator Frelinghuysen said.

No Coal Profiteering.  
Coal miners and producers appearing before the sub-committee have maintained that with sufficient transportation and co-operation from labor and the consumer that there will be no coal famine.

Denial was made by Harry N. Taylor, president of the National Coal Association, that there has been any profiteering in coal thus far. Warning was given by Taylor, however, that there would be profiteering if there is a coal shortage.

Can't Control Snow Birds.  
"As soon as there appears a shortage then the little men will open up their mines and they will charge all that the traffic will bear," Taylor said. "We can't control them and I doubt whether Congress would be able to control them. These men are called 'snow birds' for they come and go with the winter and close their mines when there is no coal shortage."

## MYSTERY NOT CLEARED.

New Haven, Aug. 27.—Deputy coroner Wynne today received word from Superintendent C. F. Radigan, of the New York Prison Department, stating that he had been unable to identify the finger prints sent him in an attempt to clear up the identity of the Milford murder victim or his murderers.

Several persons were called on the coroner today, reporting persons matches but none have been identified.

## UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

Győr, Aug. 27.—All of Hungary was put under martial law today, said a dispatch from Prague. The situation is getting worse and there is great political uncertainty.

## HOUSE AND LORD GREY TO REACH U. S. SEPT. 15

### Reports That Break Has Occurred With Wilson, Are Denied.

## MAY RETURN TO PARIS

### Even Though Peace Conference Work is Finished America Must Be Represented.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Colonel Edward M. House, who since last November has been in Paris as a member of the American Peace Commission will return to America next month, it was learned today. Colonel House will be accompanied by Lord Grey, the newly appointed British ambassador to the United States and will land about September 15.

Deny Rumors of Break.  
Revived reports that there has been a break between Colonel House and President Wilson, reaching this country in the form of press dispatches, were said in authoritative sources to be entirely without foundation. White House officials were emphatic in asserting that their relations were never more cordial than at the present time and that this fact is emphasized in the recent correspondence that has passed between the two.

From other sources close to both the President and Colonel House, it was stated in equally emphatic terms that reports of a rupture between the two were "utterly false and out of the whole cloth."

Friend of Lord Grey.  
Colonel House, it was learned, was chiefly responsible for Lord Grey's acceptance of the American Ambassadorship and a strong friendship has sprung up between the two. Lord Grey was so anxious that Colonel House make the trip with him to America that the Colonel immediately laid plans to that end. With those matters still remaining before the peace conference not of vital interest to the United States, it was decided that Colonel House's presence could be spared and that he would accompany the new ambassador to this country.

## May Return to Paris.

Whether Colonel House will return to Paris or a successor appointed on the commission could not be learned today. The belief was expected, however, in view of the fact that, so far as the United States is concerned the peace conference work is finished, America would continue to be represented by the members of the mission remaining behind.

## NO PROSPECTS OF STRIKE AMONG STEEL WORKERS

### Labor Leader Says Situation is Satis- factory But Expects No Immedi- ate Trouble.

New York, Aug. 27.—Prospects of immediate trouble in the steel industry in which 400,000 workmen are threatening to strike, are not, apparent, leaders of the workers said today.

John Fitzpatrick, chairman of the Workers' Delegation which unsuccessfully sought a personal interview with Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, declared that the situation is "satisfactory."

"No one can foretell the outcome of this," he said. "But I do not see the probability of immediate trouble."

Fitzpatrick previously declared that not a wheel would turn in the steel industry if the word was given to strike. Leaders of the workers were waiting today for a reply to their written communication sent to Judge Gary last night.

## MINISTERS RESIGNS.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Paul S. Reinsch, American minister to China since 1913, has resigned. It was learned at the White House this afternoon. In his letter of resignation Dr. Reinsch stated that his health was poor and that he desired to return to the United States to take up his private life.

## BOLSHEVIK FORCES RETREAT BEFORE WHITE ARMIES

### Gen. Denikin's Troops Have Captured Several Stra- tegic Cities.

### MOSCOW IS MENACED; PEASANTS IN REVOLT

### Armored Trains and Tanks Manned By British Trained Crews Oper- ating Against Reds—Counter-Of- fensive Smashed.

London, Aug. 27.—The Russian Bolsheviks are massing all of their resources to meet the menace to Moscow from the White armies advancing from the south, said a dispatch to the Daily Express from Helsinki today.

Kremenchug Captured.  
General Denikin's troops have captured several strategic cities, including Kremenchug, an important railway center and have overrun the grain district of Ukraine along with the Ukrainian forces.

## Tanks Used.

Armored trains and tanks manned by crews trained by the British are operating far in advance of Denikin's chief force. The Bolshevik retreat is further hindered by revolting peasants who are hanging on the flanks of the retreating Red army.

The Reds operating against General Denikin's left flank are threatened with complete annihilation.

South of the Saratov in the Don region, an attempted counter-offensive by the Bolshevik troops was smashed.

## GOMPERS MEETS HEADS OF BIG ORGANIZATIONS

### Leaders of Railroad Shopmen and Steel Workers Holding a Confer- ence.

New York, Aug. 27. A series of conferences were in progress here today between labor leaders and President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor.

President Gompers saw leaders of the two organizations, in which strikes seem imminent—the railroad workers and the steel workers.

President Gompers and Daniel J. Tobin, who accompanied him on his European trip were summoned today to attend an extraordinary meeting of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor to be held in Washington tomorrow forenoon. It is expected that at this meeting the railroad and steel situation will be the principal matters dealt with.

## LAND VALUED AT \$12,000 RECLAIMED BY ENGINEERS

### Engineer Bowen Makes Swampy Tract at East Cemetery Available —Adds 225 Plots.

By a good piece of engineering work the town food for working under the direction of Engineer Bowen and the town engineering force, a large and valuable tract of land between the old and new cemeteries has been reclaimed. It is estimated that the value of the land is approximately \$12,000.

For a long time this piece of land which separates the two cemeteries could not be used because of the swampy condition of the ground. Engineer Bowen built a drain of about 450 feet in length of oblong stones and an eight inch pipe in the gutter. By means of this the water is carried to the surface water sewer on Hamlin street.

The reclaimed land will probably provide room for 225 burial plots and these can be sold for almost \$12,000. It will tend to relieve the congestion that is becoming apparent in the cemetery.

## SENATORS GREATLY EXCITED IN DEBATE OVER THE TREATY

### WILSON IN WITH JAPS IN 1916, SAYS WRITER

### French Journalist Refuses to Tell Source of His Information.

## PRESIDENT'S REAL REASON

### When U. S. Went to War He Could Not Divulge the Agreement That is Why He Consented to Shantung Plan.

Paris, Aug. 27.—Pierre Albin, the journalist who yesterday declared in the Petit Marseillaise that President Wilson had entered into an agreement with Japan in 1917 to day enlarged upon his explanation of the article, but continued to refuse to divulge the source of his information.

## Began in 1916.

"I understand that President Wilson personally began negotiations with Japan at the end of 1916 as part of the American policy of improving relations between the United States and Japan," said M. Albin. "I cannot affirm that a written treaty was completed but the President is said to have gone so far as to recognize that Japan had special interests in China in view of the geographical relationship. The accord was in China's interests, because it limited economic and financial considerations and guaranteed China's sovereignty. The entry of the United States into the war prevented the President from divulging the pact which it is believed here was the real reason for Mr. Wilson's assent to the Shantung arrangement in the peace conference."

## M. Albin, who was formerly at- tached to the French foreign office has written several books on treat- ies.

## REAL BEER IS BREWED BY ILLINOIS BREWERS

### U. S. District Attorney Says He Has Evidence Against 15 Officials—Dry Drive On.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—More arrests, including officials of large breweries, are looked for today in the City of United States District Attorney Clynne on the liquor business, which he charges is thriving here despite the war time prohibition laws. In the meantime the liquor interests have laid plans to fight the efforts of the United States District Attorney to stop the traffic.

They began their battle with a petition for an injunction asking that Zion City officials be restrained from interfering with the removal of 19 trucks which were held there en route from Milwaukee with cargoes of beer. The liquor interests when presenting their petition in the United States district court let it be known that they intend making this a test case of the search and seizure law of the state.

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### Fall and Nelson Say Things on Senate Floor That at Times Threatened Physical En- counter—"Don't Consider My Age," Shouts Nelson When Reminded He Was an Old Man.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The peace treaty was the center of a heated fight on the floor of the Senate today which started when Senator Fall of New Mexico, Senator Nelson, of Minnesota and Senator McCumber of North Dakota, engaged in a battle of words that at times threatened physical encounter.

Senator Fall was answering the charge made yesterday by Senator McCumber that the action of the Foreign Relations Committee in amending the peace treaty so as to restore Shantung to China was a poisoned dagger.

## Never Read Treaty.

"All through this debate there has run a strain of impatience with those who did not agree with all in the treaty," said Senator Fall.

"I want to say to the public that at the first meeting of the Foreign Relations Committee Senators sat down admitting that they had never read the treaty but that they were ready to vote on it then.

"Yet some of those Senators have been debating the treaty in the body and on the forum and those are the most impatient. There have been words of scorn instead of argument."

## Chopping Up Treaty.

Senator Nelson of Minnesota interrupted here to inquire whether Senator Fall's objections to the treaty related to the return of Alsace-Lorraine and other provinces to their rightful owners.

"There is no use attempting to chop up this treaty into mince meat," said Senator Nelson, "when it gets into the Senate this mince meat will be wiped out."

## Looked Like Fight.

"There is no use of the Senator taking advantage of his old age," retorted Senator Fall.

Jumping to his feet and pounding his desk, Senator Nelson shouted: "You need not consider my age; consider me the youngest man in the Senate."

"Well there is a second childhood," answered Senator Fall, "but I don't know that the Senator has a right to shove the committee for a hearing on the disposition of the Aland Islands."

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**NOTED SCIENTIST TO BUILD CEMENT WALK TO AID IN DETECTING EARTHQUAKES**  
San Bernardino, Cal., Aug. 21.—Orville J. Kennedy, attorney, scientist and earthquake prognosticator, who predicted the tremor of San Jacinto and Metrol April 21, 1918, almost to the minute, is going to build a 1,000-foot cement sidewalk to assist him in predicting earthquakes.

The sidewalk, he believes, will inform him in advance when Mother Earth is ready to smother out some of the wrinkles Dame Nature made in her face. Kennedy is in no hurry to build the walk, as he says there will be no earthquake of consequence in 1919.

Schools, now starting up again in Poland after a lapse of five years, are at a great loss for text books and materials. At a girls' school in Flinck, an American Jewish relief worker found a class in embroidery working with thread that had been unraveled from old worn out socks.

## GOSH SCHOOL STARTS JUST ONE WEEK FROM THIS MORNING. GOSH!

Sammy of the Garden Street Gang Thinks It's a Shame.

## GIMMINY! THE SUMMER WENT LIKE THE DICKENS

"Honest, Us Fellers Don't Get a Chance to Start to Have Fun before It's All Over."

Two boys—"Just kids"—were standing at the depot square Sunday waiting for the carnival shows to leave in sight. One became thoughtful and said to the other: "Gee, Sammy, nex' week you'll be sitting in school with shoes 'n' stockings 'n' 'neverthin' 'n' be trying to do multiplications 'n' geography. Gee, Sammy!"

"Gosh, Pie-face, what's the matter with you?" "Can't you think of somethin' pleasant to talk about? Gosh, gimminy Christmas. You crazy yapp!"

The ill-timed remark of Pie-face— if he allows us to take the liberty of using his pet name, was just a little surface indication showing the trend of juvenile thought during these days—the last of a grand and glorious summer.

With many "goshes" and several "gimminies", not to say "gimminy crickets", Sammy tells us that the summer was not long—"jes' like a minute—shorter'n that—a second". He didn't get a chance to go "fishin'" with the gang at Bolton as he planned last February "n' we were goin' to take our grub along 'n' hike 'n' maybe some feller with a machine would give us a lift with the fish."

Sammy, We're Sorry Too. And Sammy didn't have time to whip the Bearcat pipe into shape "ah, gee, we could a cleaned up on everything in this little old town, I betcha, we'd been next to the Athletics. There's Muggy. I hope to tell you he can throw a ball you can't see. I'll bet Jerry Fay, even, can't see it. And what Jerry can't see ain't worth seein'."

Somehow or other Sammy didn't get a chance to start on the trip to the west coast that he and "Flapper" Smith had been planning. "We could a done it. Other guys have done it. Me and Flapper can walk faster 'n' anyone in Manchester. 'N' we could a hopped freights 'n' I betcha we could a swum the Mississippi. It aint much more'n, twict

## ANDREW CARNEGIE WAS SUPPORTER OF METRICS

Said That It Must Come Sooner—Would Aid World Trade and World Peace.

San Francisco, Aug. 21.—The passing of Andrew Carnegie brings to mind the fact that he has been for years an ardent advocate of world standardization in weights and measures through the adoption of metric units.

Andrew Carnegie was a member of the Metric Committee of the National American Association of Manufacturers, which strongly urged metric standardization. At the time the committee met, he made the following statement:

"The metric system of weights and measures is one of the steps forward that the Anglo-Saxon race is bound to take sooner or later. Our present weights and measures, inherited from Britain, are unworthy an intelligent nation today. The advantage America possesses over Britain in the decimal dollar system as compared with their pounds, shillings, and pence, would be fully equalled by the adoption of a metric system of weights and measures."

Carnegie believed that world standardization of weights and measures would aid greatly not only the cause of world trade, but also that of world peace. On another occasion he said: "The old weights and measures are a discredit to us. We shall inevitably adopt meter-liter-gram, if for no other reason than as an aid to peace; but they would enormously aid our world trade."

Local Team Took the First Game and a Victory Sunday Will End Series.

The Rover A. C. of Hartford will appear here Sunday in the second game of their annual three games series with the local Atlas club. The game will be played on the Main street ball grounds.

The Atlas boys have an edge on their opponents having captured the first game by a close score. The visitors have strengthened their lineup and will probably use Pinto on the mound.

One week from Sunday the crack Sand Hills of Burnside with the invincible Ambach twirling will stack up against the Atlas in a series game. The locals won the first game by a score of 3 to 2 the contest going 13 innings.

When your cups lose their handles or are cracked, don't throw them away. They make excellent gelatin and custard moulds.

## MISS HAZEL ROBERTSON BECOMES BRIDE TODAY

Is Married to Rev. Harold S. Winship of Deep River This Afternoon at Bolton.

Miss Hazel Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Robertson of 73 Sherman street, Hartford, became the bride of the Rev. Harold S. Winship of Deep River this afternoon. The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the North Coventry, Congregational church by the Rev. H. C. McKnight, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Rosemae.

The maid of honor was Miss Julia Robertson, a sister of the bride. Miss Annie Stiles of Willimantic and Miss Edna Skinner of this town were bridesmaids. The Rev. Harris C. Beebe of South Coventry, a classmate of the groom at the Hartford Theological Seminary acted as best man.

The ushers were William P. Robertson, Jr., recently returned from overseas, and a brother of the bride, and also J. Harris Minkin of Farmington. Miss Hortense Minkin of Farmington was flower girl.

Following the ceremony there was an informal reception at The Crestland, the summer home of the bride's parents in Bolton. The groom is well known in this section. Prior to his enlistment for overseas service he was pastor of the North Coventry church. He is now in charge of a pastorate at Deep River.

## STOCK MARKET

New York, Aug. 27.—The unsettled labor situation caused some selling at the opening of the stock market today, opening losses ranging from one to over two points.

Steel Common started one point lower at 101 3/8 and Baldwin yielded 2 1/2 at the start to 104 1/2; at its opening of 148 1/4. Southern Crucible Steel showed a loss of 3-4 Pacific dropped 1-1/4 to 97 and Reading one point to 79. Marine Common was under pressure and yielded one point to 55.

Prices quickly rallied after the start and at the end of the first 15 minutes good advances were made from the low in many issues.

Crucible rallied to 150; Baldwin two points to 108 1/2; Marine Common one point to 58 and Reading one point to 80.

Mexican Petroleum rose one point to 176; U. S. Rubber one point to 122 1/2. Keystone Tire was in supply and dropped three points to 78.

**HUBBY ADDICTED TO VANILLA JAG; GETS DIVORCE.**  
Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 21.—Because Andrew P. Goodwin was alleged to have been addicted to the "vanilla jag," Mrs. Ida P. Goodwin was granted a decree of divorce in Judge York's Court here.

One witness testified after Goodwin vacated a house he had rented in San Pedro a bushel of empty vanilla bottles was left behind.

"Was Mr. Goodwin in any business which would require the use of vanilla?" inquired Mrs. Goodwin's attorney of the witness.

"He was not," was the reply. Mrs. Goodwin also charged her husband with desertion and non-support.

**BURN HOME WHEN TRYING TO EXTERMINATE SQUIRREL.**  
Chico, Cal., Aug. 21.—Fully prepared to write a testimonial to the destroying qualities of a squirrel exterminator, Mr. and Mrs. D. Huds-peth, here, mourn the loss of their home today.

Here's how it happened: A squirrel had tunneled under their home and the exterminator was purchased. It was poured into the hole, but it was an inflammable liquid. An oil tank and smudge pots caught fire and the house burned to the ground.

It is not known what happened to the squirrel.

**ENGLAND SAVING MONEY.**  
London, Aug. 27.—The manufacture of explosives in Great Britain has practically ceased as a result of the government's program for national economy, it was learned today. The admiralty has suspended all warship construction pending revised army, navy, and air estimates. Radical new economy measures are said to be forthcoming soon.

**LITHUANIAN JEWS HAVE ENDURED AWFUL YEARS OF WAR.**  
Three hundred thousand of them were driven from their homes by the five armies that fought there. Now the American Jewish Relief Committee, which has success in raising aid supplies to Lithuania reports that thousands of the returning refugees are dying of a terrible Typhus plague.

**2.75 PER CENT BARTENDERS WON'T WORK ON SUNDAY.**  
Chicago, Ill., Aug. 21.—South Chicago bartenders have a Sunday closing law all their own. The South Chicago Bartenders' Union has issued an order to members to refuse to work on Sunday. Agreements of the union with saloon owners call for a six-day week. Bartenders who serve near ones on Sunday are threatened with expulsion from the union.

**APPLE TREE GROWS IN KINDS OF FRUIT—FROM FRUIT.**  
Friday, Ohio, Aug. 21.—A young fruit tree, which has been planted since it was first sown with seeds, when it first got the soil, it was found to have produced both apples and pears. It is one of the most fruitful in its kind, having some of the many varieties of fruit annually.

## Park Theater

Artistic photography is quite in vogue, but Douglas Fairbanks believes in bright, cheerful back-grounds for his particular type of pictures, rather than the dim, indefinite settings, characteristic of some film productions. It is his theory that to try to spread the gospel of good cheer in a dark room is even more ridiculous than expecting people to laugh during a funeral procession.

Therefore his new Artcraft photoplay, "The Knickerbocker Buckaroo," which will be shown again at the Park Theater tonight is laid in bright, cheerful interiors. He had an opportunity to learn town built in preference to the typical setting that usually exploits negligence and filth on the part of the natives and is bound to be distasteful to screen patrons. This town was erected on the side of a California hill, vivid with colorful touches that are pleasing, and automatically have effect on the action of the play.

The new picture is said to be based on sound constructive philosophy, not of a "preachy" nature, but treated in a comedy-dramatic spirit. Fairbanks believed that the people of America like to laugh. He likes to laugh. It braces him up and makes him feel fine and keeps him in prime mental condition. His nervous system requires it, and it is the object of his new picture to make everybody laugh, with the hope that it will bring a happy moment to those who know for the most part, only sorrow and discontent.

Marjorie Daw appears opposite Fairbanks in the new production in his latest film, directed by Albert Parker, with a supporting cast that includes Frank Campeau, Edith Chapman, Albert McQuarrie, Ted Red Reed and William Wellman.

Those who saw "Doug" last evening say it is the best picture he ever played in.

The play is well advertised for this evening and a capacity audience is expected.

## Circle Theater

Portraying the role of a poor lawyer who is in love with the beautiful daughter of a millionaire, but who wins an ugly widow "with a nest" to win a reward of \$100,000, John Barrymore, the talented Paramount star will be seen in one of the most humorous roles of his screen career in "Here Comes the Bride," which will be displayed at the Circle theatre tonight.

Mr. Barrymore is one of the best known actors in the country and he is now appearing in Tolstoy's play "Redemption" at a New York theatre with great success. Notwithstanding that much of his time is taken up with this attraction, he finds time to devote many hours to motion picture work.

In "Here Comes the Bride," Mr. Barrymore has the part of a poor struggling lawyer who is induced to wed a strange widow for a bribe of \$100,000, despite the fact that he loves the beautiful daughter of a corn magnate. She loves him, but the father is opposed to the match. This unfortunate marriage provokes numerous situations in all of which the artistry of Mr. Barrymore is finely displayed.

The heroine of the story is portrayed by Faye Binyon, a charming actress who won popular favor by her characterization in the Paramount-Artcraft special picture, "Sporting Life." Miss Binyon has won many admirers by her conscientious work and personal charm. The supporting company is of the best and includes such well known players as Frank Losee, Frances Kaye, Alfred Hickman and others.

For tomorrow and Friday "The Wicked Darling" will be the feature.

Is he coming or going?

By Morris



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CAUSES OF FRICTION.

In a recent interview granted to a representative of the new York "Nation" by President Carranza, the statement was made that the people of this country desired only friendly relations with Mexico and then this question was asked.

"What proof does Mexico desire of this increased cordiality of sentiment on our part?"

After making a false statement regarding the neutrality of Mexico during the war and a foolish one to the effect that it would have been to Mexico's advantage to have entered the war, the President of that unhappy republic spoke as follows:

"The best proof of friendship the United States can give us in the future would be to establish complete freedom of commerce and communications with us, and to follow a policy of non-intervention in our internal affairs and, on the part of the American government, to avoid occasions of friction by exercising greater caution in making representations or claims on behalf of foreign citizens residing in Mexico."

The facts are that the American government, that is the Wilson administration, has sought to avoid occasions of friction to such an extent that it has come perilously close to failing in its fundamental duty of protection for citizens of this nation. Our government has blinked at robbery, has virtually overlooked all manner of brigandage and has at times been oblivious to murder itself.

What would President Carranza have? Does he desire the United States to adopt a policy which would mean that we will not take effective action when citizens of France and England are shot on their own property in Mexico, that we will so distort the Monroe Doctrine as to prevent those nations from themselves taking such action and that we will remain equally quiescent when our own citizens are murdered?

The Mexican government and the Mexican people have had repeated demonstrations that when this country sends its armed forces across the border it is solely in the interests of order and law. No innocent man or woman has suffered from such expeditions, no property damage has been permanently occupied and not an iota of Mexican sovereignty has been abridged or annulled.

When the Mexican government is willing and able to establish even the elements of order and justice for itself the "occasions of friction" will vanish of themselves and until that time there will be no serious results from such occasions unless the Mexican government wills it otherwise.

A WISE DECISION.

The President has told the striking shopmen that there could be no such further increase in their wages as they demanded without a general increase in freight rates or in taxation. Since either of these would increase the "burdensome cost of living which now weighs us down" the demands are refused and the shopmen are asked to yield an advantage which in normal times, with the roads in private hands, they might have won at the end of a violent strike.

The argument of the shopmen was that the wage increase was necessary because of the serious increase in the cost of living but the President replied that the wage increase would mean higher freight rates and higher freight rates would mean higher prices on the necessities of life and the shopmen would find themselves no better off than before while an added burden would be placed on the general public.

In his address to Congress on the present economic situation the President spoke of this increasing round of higher prices and higher wages and their still higher prices as a "vicious cycle" and in his decision to the shopmen he hit the cycle a smashing blow.

It is gratifying to have this official declaration that we are to quit whipping the devil around the stump and the sooner the practice is abandoned

doned throughout all industry the better it will be for every household's bank account. There are just two things that will save this country and the rest of the world in this present giddy slide toward economic chaos and that is honest effort on the part of every producer through every working hour and watchful thrift in the expenditure of every dollar that is earned. Producing and saving are the only things that can restore the balance that has been so violently upset by the destruction and lavish expenditure of the war.

THE COBBLERS' CHANCE.

Twelve thousand Lynn shoe-makers and their employers have completed an agreement for one year from Sept. 1 for a 15 percent advance in wages and a 44 hour week. That doesn't look much like a decrease in the present high price of shoes. Meantime the number of small shoe shops is increasing rapidly and most of them are equipped with labor-saving machinery. The proprietors of these shops work themselves and do not limit their hours of labor to 44 hours a week. On the contrary they work days and evenings. They have saved consumers an immense amount of money by repairing old shoes and making them fit to use as substitutes for new ones. We shall not be surprised to see some of these cobbler shops develop into shoe manufacturing. When leather comes down to something like a normal price they may be able to compete successfully with the big factories with their short hours and high wages.

If the United States agrees to adopt the metric system for measurements, will the foreign countries adopt the decimal system of money? The changes would eventually work to the advantage of all concerned.

ANDOVER'S SPEED TRAP CATCHES LOCAL MOTORIST

Haled to Court Under an Apple Tree and Fined \$25 and Costs for Speeding.

Local motorists are warned to drive carefully through Andover if they wish to avoid arrest. The authorities are bound to put a stop to speeding through the town, especially on Sunday. Last Sunday Constable Frank Deming, assisted by a special officer with a motorcycle, arrested seven automobile drivers who were taken before Justice Chas. D. Foylken and fined. One of the victims was Fred H. Heine, of 140 Center street, Manchester. Mr. Heine gave his experience as a warning to Herald readers.

"Andover may be a very quiet place but is more dangerous to the motorist than most large cities. As one goes through the town it resembles Sleepy Hollow; but danger lurks behind each tree in the form of a motorcycle 'Cop.' He is on the watch for motorists who go around curves at a greater speed than a walk. Should you happen to be noticed by him, you must visit the judge, whose court is under a shady apple tree and who, in token of his good fellowship and brotherly love, will impose on you the minimum fine, which in my case was \$25, plus 'court cost' amounting to \$14 more."

COPS GIVE HERMIT HIS ANNUAL SHAVE AND BATH; FIGHTS HARD AGAINST IT.

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 27.—John May, aged hermit who lives in a dilapidated shack in the river bottoms here, has been given his annual haircut, shave and bath. The police did the tonsorial act and also administered the scrubbing. It took several of the cops to do it, for John is a strong man and put up a determined struggle throughout the performance. He went to the police station with grizzly hair and beard, which reached almost to his waist. He came away with a smooth face and head and smelling like high-priced toilet water.

John makes his living by mending tinware and his customers didn't recognize him when he came around the next day. "It's not my fault, lady," said John as one of the women failed to recognize him. "Them loafing cops are who did it." John got his first haircut, shave and bath in thirty years last year when the cops ran him in and trimmed him up.

There was a recent epidemic of sickness in the Jewish quarter of Jerusalem; due to sewers which have been left open since the time of the Turkish regime. The old government started to put in a new drainage system, but in true Turkish fashion they quit in the middle of the job. Funds contributed by American and British news recently completed the work.

The Open Forum

Morin Could Have Umpired Just as Well With His Eyes Closed—He Had All Kinds of Help.

The Editor of the Herald: In regard to the recent Hendee Indian-Athletic baseball series, I would like to discuss several points in questions, in respect to one Morin of Rockville selected as umpire by several out of town duffers. In the first game played here Sunday, August 16, in which the home team was defeated 7 to 5 in 11-innings, the umpire allowed one run to score for the Indians after the captain of the home team had called attention to the umpire that the runner had cut third base by several feet. Mr. Morin says he didn't watch or see the base runner, and allowed the run. In Springfield on Saturday August 23, in which the Athletics were defeated 2 to 1, practically the same play occurred, the bases being full, and where Fay scored the tying run. Waite, captain of the Indians ran in from his position in center field, and protested to the umpire that Fay wasn't on the third base, when the ball was caught in right field. The protest was allowed, and Fay who had been declared safe by Mr. Morin, was declared out by the latter. Mr. Morin stated that he didn't see the play, but in spite of the fact that an umpire cannot make a decision on an unseen play, he reversed his decision. On the home grounds he allows the Hendee run, when he didn't see the play, and at Springfield he does not allow the Athletic run when he didn't see the play—what kind of consistency is this? Looking backward when all's over it was the appearance of the biggest "frame up" ever pulled off on the local fans, who demand another series of games with the Indians, with no more Rockville products for umpires who might be influenced in close decisions by the fact that "Chet" Waite, captain of the Hendee Indians is a Rockville man. Finn, the Hendee pitcher, who was in this town last Monday, stated that the Indians never expected to win the games, but with good luck and a "little help" they got away with them. Where did the help come from? If it is unnecessary to ask.

Respectfully, W. O. Bostwick.

VESSEL BURNS AT SEA; CREW ADRIFT 8 DAYS

Caught Fire 300 Miles Off Nantucket—Crew at Mercy of Elements in Open Boat.

Boston, Aug. 27.—A message from the American steamer Pequot to the E. P. Boggs Company here today announces the destruction by fire at sea of the three masted schooner George D. Edmonds, of Boston; and the rescue of her crew of seven men by the Pequot after they had drifted at the mercy of wind and waves for eight days in an open boat.

The Edmonds was bound from Bermuda to Hillsboro, N. B., where she was to have taken on a cargo of plaster for New Haven. She caught fire 300 miles south-southwest of Nantucket on August 17. The flames spread so rapidly that Captain B. D. Coleman, of Springfield, ordered the crew to abandon here.

RED, WHITE, BLUE CORN DEVELOPED BY PROF.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Luther Burbank, former professor at Northwestern University, has evolved a form of corn with ears of red, white and blue.

The system used by the professor to attain this patriotic effect is remarkable, say his colleagues. About every ear of corn on the stalk he ties a paper bag to prevent the pollen from falling on other ears. Using a blowpipe he then blows a special pollen, his own discovery on the ears, producing the red, white and blue corn.

NEW HOLY CROSS COACH.

Somersville, Mass., Aug. 27.—Leo O'Donnell, former football coach at Burdett University, has accepted the position of football coach and graduate manager of athletics at Holy Cross. O'Donnell was a star player at Holy Cross during his college days. He was considerable times as coach of several "unbeatable" Everett High School football teams and has been coach at Somersville High School.

HARTFORD COLPERS DISCOVER MANCHESTER

Think Country Club's Course One of Best—Crack Players Arranging Team Match.

Over in South Manchester, there is one of the neatest little nine hole courses in this section of the state. The Manchester Country Club was started during the war, but its membership has grown steadily until now there are about 175 members. The clubhouse was a private home, but has been converted into a cozy gathering place for chasers of the little white pill. There is much interest among the members of the club, both in golf and tennis and a challenge board has been started, promising keen competition for places.

Course 3,266 Yards.

The course proper is 3,266 yards long, which is about championship distance. Far on the course for nine holes is 40, bogie is 44, and for eighteen holes par is 80, and bogie 88. This is a rather high rating and the actual par is probably 38, 38-75. The fairways are in very good condition and the greens are very large and smooth. The greens, due to a lack of proper watering facilities, are unusually hard, but this will soon be remedied. All the holes are sporty, and some of them are well trapped. The ground is rolling, and consequently some of the approaches are blind. The last hole is a hard one to play for anyone but a long hitter, it being 600 yards long.

The professional at the club is Edward Conner, an old timer, who is very likely known to the Hartford golfers who play on the courses in New Hampshire, as he is also professional for one of that state's larger clubs.

Local Golfers Play Course.

A foursome composed of Norman L. Cloutier, F. H. Jarvis, Harold Deschamps and J. H. Jarvis were extended an invitation to play the course and turned in some very good courses considering the fact that the course was perfectly strange to them. The amateur record for the course is 84 for eighteen holes and 41 for nine, while the professional record for nine holes is 39, and for eighteen holes 80. Deschamps came within one stroke of tying the amateur record by getting a 42 on the out round. Cloutier and Jarvis were tied with 86 which is only two strokes worse than the amateur record for eighteen.

Team Match Soon.

Captain Norman L. Cloutier of the Goodwin Park team is arranging for a team match with the Manchester Country Club, the team to consist of six men. He says that with Ray Hartz, Frank Ross, Harold Deschamps, Fred Jarvis, Jack Vanderweg and Frank Ross, Goodwin Park has a good chance to win and incidentally to take a crack at the course records.

The Hartford players will have to go some, for in J. P. Cheney, Royal Little, John and Will Hyde, Mark Cheney and F. H. Anderson, the Manchester Country Club has some fast players.

PORTLAND BERRY PICKERS LOST IN FOREST

Woman and Nephew Spent Night Among Rattlesnakes of Masomitic Mountain.

Mrs. Edward S. Hale, an adept huckleberry picker of Portland who for years has traversed Masomitic mountain, which is a vast forest abounding in thick underbrush and rattlesnakes started with her nephew, Kellogg S. Hale, on Monday to find huckleberries. They penetrated farther into the mountain than they realized and when they were ready to start for home they were lost. They had left their auto by the side of the road, intending to stay only long enough to get a quantity of berries, which Mrs. Hale always finds in abundance. As they wandered deeper and deeper into the wilderness they lost their bearings, and were compelled to build a fire and wait for help. C. Irving Hale, a brother of Kellogg Hale, became worried over the failure of the couple to arrive home, having been notified after midnight of their not appearing, and he concluded at once they were lost. He secured a friend's car and went with Mr. Post to the home of William Synott, a noted rattlesnake hunter, who took along his Spanish bloodhound, which picked up the trail. The searchers spent from 1 o'clock until 4 o'clock Tuesday morning and just at daybreak they caught a glimpse of the fire. The place where they were found was nearly seven miles from the road. All arrived home shortly after 5 o'clock.

Advertisement for Watkins Brothers Inc. featuring 'Last Four Days of the AUGUST FURNITURE SALE'. Includes images of a gateleg table and a library table. Text describes the benefits of the sale and lists various furniture items like library tables, a silent maid, and floor lamps. The company is located in North Manchester, N.H.

Advertisement for 'WORLD WAR' featuring a 'HEADLINE HISTORY' collage. The collage includes various news snippets from 1914 to 1919, such as 'Germans burn and sack Louvain', 'Italy and Rumania declare war on Germany', 'Panics in Austria over recent victories of Italy and France', 'English under fire three miles beyond Hindenburg line', 'Germany links her promised curb on submarines with a plea that U.S. modify embargo on foodstuffs', 'Russia Minister of War will add 2,000,000 men to army—Fire kills wife and three daughters of General', 'U. S. MISSION LEAVES BERLIN', and 'A new wire collecting will be tried as long as it is given two weeks. This will also keep it from rusting.' The ad includes a coupon for a free copy of the book.



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**U. S. FOOTBALL TEAM ON WAY TO SWEDEN**

Bethlehem Steel Football Club's Visit is Looked Forward to With Great Deal of Interest by Scandinavian Players.

Stockholm, Sweden.—The great football event of this year will be the visit to Sweden of the United States Football players, which will take place in August and September, and will embrace nine matches, including the two played in Copenhagen and Helsingfors. It is well remembered how successful the last visit here of American players was in 1916, and how the stadium was filled at all the matches in a way which has even the Swedish-Danish Federation match could rival. And there is no doubt whatever that the American visit this year will be welcomed with still greater enthusiasm and interest.

**U. S. Champs.**

This time the United States sends its very best team of players, the Bethlehem Steel Football Club, which has proved itself to be the champion of the United States in football. The members of the team that visited Sweden in 1916 were chosen from some of the best players of America. It is true, but they could not claim to be representatives of real first-class football in that country.

Sweden remembers them well, these players, swift and hard, first-class sportsmen, but whose handling of the ball left a great deal to be desired.

In spite of their lower qualifications with respect to the technical and tactical subtleties of the play, they proved, thanks to their extraordinary energy and all-round playing, good enough to be a match for Sweden's best teams and to defeat her federation teams.

**Know the Game.**

The Bethlehem Steel Football Club has other qualifications, than sheer energy and skill. With a well-grounded knowledge of the weaknesses of the last team, Mr. Cahill, America's Anton Johansson, writes of the team with which he is now coming over: "The team I am now bringing with me will play in a style altogether different from that of our 1916 team. You will estimate the team once you have seen it play. I will mention that its trainer, Mr. Sheridan, is the trainer of the Dehigh University, and has earlier been champion of Scottish Amateur Wrestling. A number of the players coming over this time are of English or Scottish origin, and have learned the game on 'the other side.'"

**English and Scotch.**

The fact that the Bethlehem Steel Football Club has kept up its dominant position in such an excellent way in the United States, is in a great measure to be ascribed to the Scottish and English elements of the team. If Sweden had hard work with a team which could only run and kick, she will have much harder work with a team that can play football too.

Including the reserve, 18 players are coming over to Scandinavia. The expedition starts on the S. S. Stockholm at the end of July. The guide of the team will be the secretary of the American Football Association, Mr. Thomas Cahill, who captained the last tour and became very popular. Further, the trainer of the team, Mr. W. Sheridan, will come as well. He is superintendent of all branches of sport and gymnastics at the big steel works of Bethlehem. Mr. A. S. Stearns, gymnast, will come, too, and Mr. E. T. Viberg will act as interpreter.—Christian Science Monitor.

**BUNCO COP FINES STRANGER \$30 FOR CROSSING STREET.**

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 21.—"I thought he was a policeman and I paid him \$30 he fined me for crossing the street," Ramon G. Gamboa, Mexican, explained to the Central Detective Bureau. "He told me I had no right to cross Central avenue."

**BABY GIRLS FALL BEHIND IN OKLAHOMA'S BIRTH RATE.**

Oklahoma City, Mo., Aug. 21.—The number of white boy babies born in Oklahoma during the past year was approximately 1,000 more than the girls born during the same period, according to figures announced by State Health Commissioner A. B. Lewis. The figures show that 15,478 boys and 14,548 girls or a total of 30,026, were born during the year 1918.

What the war had to do with this fact is only conjecture, Dr. Lewis says, but the fact remains that this is the first time the boys have outnumbered the girls.

**CROWDS EXPECTED AT CONNECTICUT FAIR**

Horse Racing, Agricultural Exhibits and Other Attractions Expected to Make This Year's Fair a Record Breaker.

With the big Connecticut Fair but a week away the officials of the Connecticut Fair Association are making final preparations to handle the crowds that will be here for the five days of horse racing, farm, home and industrial exhibits, midway and amusements. Indications point to an attendance for the week that will break all former records at Charter Oak Park and the word has gone out to those in charge of the handling of traffic and transportation to get everything in readiness for one of the biggest crowds ever assembled for an agricultural fair in this state. A young army of workmen out at the park is engaged in putting the track and grounds in condition and experts are working on a layout that will best utilize about every square inch of the big enclosure.

**Racing Events Each Day.**

The grand circuit meeting, which is held in conjunction with the fair, promises to be of unusual interest and the \$37,500 in purses is bringing to this city the fastest horses with their famous drivers and prominent owners and grand circuit followers from all over the country. The race program has been so arranged that each day will be an exciting one on the track and the entries have been so large that it is by no means certain who will be in the money. Geers, Murphy and Cox, who have been the big winners over the circuit this season would better look to their laurels at the Hartford meet.

**2,022 Sensation.**

A special event, just announced by the fair association, will be one of the foremost attractions of the fair this year. This is the match race between the trotting stallion Lu Princeton, 2:05 and the sensational New York mare Ante Guy, 2:03 1-4. Lu Princeton was the champion trotting stallion last year and Ante Guy conceded a chance to trot in two minutes this season. Because of the speed of these two it developed that they were the only entries in the free-for-all, and on account of the rules, the free-for-all, which didn't fill, had to be dropped. But, in order to bring this king and queen of the turf to Hartford the fair association arranged for this match race for a purse of \$1,000 to the winner and \$500 to the loser.

**Big Dairy Exhibits.**

As in all former fairs the cattle, poultry, agricultural, home, and industrial exhibits have been big drawing cards; these exhibits for this twelfth annual fair play a prominent part. Each department is busy night and day in getting ready and in addition to those mentioned the association has added a swine exhibit that will bring to Hartford some of the highest aristocracy of the pen to be found in the East.

What with balloon ascensions, sensational slides-for-life, aerial trapeze-cradles, Roman horse riding, band concerts, singing and speeches, fireworks, etc., the free entertainment program will be unusually elaborate. The Governor's Foot Guard Band will play afternoon and evening and for an added feature they will have Captain Francis W. Sutherland, formerly of Hartford and late of the A. E. F., forces as cornet soloist and assistant director. Miss Grace Hamlin, will also sing with the band as she did last year with such splendid success.

The midway will be a magnet for the possessors of dimes and this tented city will be about the biggest thing ever for the demands for concessions have been far greater than in former years.

The fair looms up bigger and better than ever this year and with a break in the weather Labor Day should start off a mighty successful week for the fair association.

**"MARRIED TO HIMSELF" IS EXPLANATION FOR WOMAN'S MAKEUP.**

San Bernardino, Cal., Aug. 27.—Wearing a woman's hat, a long veil and a bushy black beard, Albert de Sanchez was brought into Superior Judge Curtis' Court to explain his unique makeup.

"Mentally, I'm perfectly normal," declared Sanchez, "and I have a right to wear what pleases me. However strange it may seem, I'm just as rational as anyone in this court. The fact is, I am a dual personality. I used to be a man, but I have been a woman ever since I was married recently to myself."

This explanation did not satisfy the Court and de Sanchez was committed to Patton Asylum.

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**Banded Plush Ready-to-Wear HATS \$3.69**

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**WEDDED WIFE ON 50-50 BASIS ENDS IN DIVORCE.**  
San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 27.—The 50-50 basis of life was gotten down to a fine science by Carl F. Rosen, contractor here, who is sued for divorce today by Mrs. Clara Rosen. She told the court here that in twenty-two years of married life she "worked out" and carried her

half of all household expenses. Even the gas bills, light, fuel, meat, groceries, confuses, etc., were strictly "50-50," she said.  
Now the couple have \$10,000 worth of property. Once on a plea, she tried, said Mrs. Rosen, her husband compelled her to give him her half of the costs, including capture and admission to an amusement

park, before he would set forth on the jaunt.  
"In God we trust" is an excellent motto, but it is just as well to keep one eye on the devil.  
London banking circles are being depleted of their women players so as to make room for returning soldiers.

NEW COGNOMEN MUST BE IMPROVED FOR MORAN IF CINCINNATI REDS WIN PENNANT



Leader and Prominent Red-Leg Players.

They called Pat Moran a miracle man when he piloted the Philadelphia National League club to its first pennant in 1916, but they must improvise a new cognomen for him now as manager of the Cincinnati Reds, for it seems as if he is leading that hard-tore professional team into a championship.

of hurlers who are just budding in. One interesting thing about the present Reds is that it is a team of cast-offs. But in that the Reds do not differ from other National League clubs that recently have won championships.

There is real talent on the Reds, however, but it took a capable manager to bring it out. The club has some real stars in Rottach, Groh, Daubert and Wingo, and there is a lot of batting power in the club. The Reds, however, have been badly in need of utility material, and since the injury to Left Fielder Sherwood Magee, Rube Bressler, a pitcher, has been playing in the outfield.

BASEBALL STORIES

Walter Barbare is surprising himself by betting 237 for Pittsburgh.

They will soon be calling Bressler "The Babe Ruth" of the National League.

George Stiller of the St. Louis Browns has been doing some wonderful batting of late.

It seems natural to see Ty Cobb's name again at the top of the American league list of leading batsmen.

Duffy Lewis is particularly popular with the New York fans, who give him a hand every time he comes to bat.

It is generally believed in baseball circles that the Detroit Tigers will bear washing in the next few weeks.

The Chicago White Sox are gradually strengthening their hold on first place in the American league pennant race.

When it comes to roaming around the ballpark and pulling down hard drives, Neale and Rousch are a nifty pair.

Frank Bradley, who a few years ago led the National League in batting for the greater part of the season, is hitting like a slugger.

Have you ever noticed that the guy who usually catches about the "same ball," "hit ball," or "smery ball" couldn't hit a medicine ball with a telephone pole?

Managers Moran says that Helme Groh is the best third baseman in baseball. In fact he says he is the best third baseman since the days of Jimmy Chatham.

Bressler's critics say the recent defeat of the Reds to Detroit, over a score of 10-0, was a disgrace, and the pitcher's error in getting the bases empty in the seventh.

TOM LYNCH AS UMPIRE

Tom Lynch, who was the president of the National League in 1915, was at one time a famous umpire.

His manner, dignity and courtesy impressed all he met, and his personality dominated the whole field.

When he made a decision there was such positiveness about it that no one questioned it.

No one ever saw Lynch around the hotels at night. He always had a room at the hotel where the players and they seldom caught a glimpse of him until he came on the field to umpire the game. He was known for his general good conduct and honesty.

WHEAT OF BROOKLYN IS NATURAL BATTER

Sluggish Crawling Shifts Feet and Kicks the Muck Dirt.

Was Decidedly Awarded Motions While at Bat, But in Position to Hit Anywhere, He is Called a Free Swinger.

What is the difference between form and style? In other words, what is the difference between a natural propensity to do the right thing in a sport and the doing of that thing in an easy and graceful fashion? asks Thomas S. Rice, baseball critic on the Brooklyn Eagle.

We have discoursed upon Helme Zimmerman as the naturally easy and graceful ball player, and have given him credit for the same. Now come we to a distinguished athlete who is very much different. The same is Zachary D. Wheat, left fielder of the Brooklyn Superbas.

Zimmerman would catch the golfer, because he has a foot in precisely the best way. Wheat stands well up to the plate, but has decidedly awkward motions while there. He shifts his feet, crouches a bit, kicks the dirt from behind him and hits the ball better than Tim. How come? The experts on golf form would say that his hands at the sight of Zach, or duck their heads out of the way of one of his terrific smashes.

But the graceful and easy stuff does not fool the old-time baseball player or manager any more than does the awkward stuff. Uncle Wilbert Robinson of the Brooklyn Superbas says Wheat is one of the most natural batters he ever beheld.

"You can tell he is a batter as soon as he steps to the plate," says Uncle Wilbert. "Each every movement of the shoulders and arms is well-timed. He may kick up some dirt and give the groundkeeper unnecessary labor, but as soon as the ball starts toward him you can see that his limbs are free. That is, he is in position to hit anywhere if the occasion arises.

"What is called a free-swinger, and being left-handed, has a natural tendency to pull to the right."

CADY PREFERS VERNON CLUB

Former Philadelphia Backstop Would Rather Play on Coast Than in National League.

Forest Cady, former Phillie backstop, who quit his job when Jack Combs was dismissed, will play ball with the Vernon club of the Pacific Coast league.

He could remain in the National League, says St. Louis and a couple of other teams want him, but he is a free agent and wants to play on the coast for a season or two.

MASTER TRIF OF SIGNALS

Helme Wagner, Manager of Boston Red Sox, is Called a Being Dangerous Man.

Ray Schalk, catcher of the White Sox, who "Killer" Wagner believes has a great deal to do with the success of his pitchers, had this to say about guarding against the signal thief.

"Helme Wagner is one of the most dangerous at this game in the league. Wagner had to be watched all the time, and he disturbs me more than any other coach. I have fellows who have sharp eyes, but Helme Wagner, Chief Bender and Joe Judge."

As to studying the batter, Schalk says: "I have watched some wonderful hitters in the American league. I have fooled some, and have the dope on practically all of them. I have detected a weak spot in everyone except Ty Cobb. I consider that I have been made to find out the weakness of a better or a worse runner."

ATHLETE WHO STOLE BASE

Has Ambition of Fifteen Years Standing.

John Watson, the famous, Galatin runner, his eyes were dimmed and his voice husky, recently confided to sorrowing friends the story of a life's tragedy, of an ambition of 15 years' standing never yet and apparently never to be fulfilled.

"I've been playing baseball for 25 years and I've never stolen a base."

Watson, who is now a member of the Philadelphia Athletics, has been playing for the Philadelphia Athletics for several years.

COBB SAYS TRAINING CAMPS ARE BUGABOO

More Harmful Than Beneficial, Thinks Great Player.

Enemies of Tiger Star, Have Repeatedly Declared That Failure to Train Would Handicap Him Considerably.

Ty Cobb answers the critics of his training camp methods by the assertion that the routine of one month or six weeks is entirely too long for the ball player.

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JOHN WATSON IS HOPELESS

Pitcher Lacked Good-Luck Year, but Starts This Season Showing Nothing to Dennis Mack.

Connie Mack gave John Watson up as hopeless last week and released him to Baltimore. Watson looked pretty good last year, but in his three starts this spring showed nothing that would encourage Mack to keep him. In his place Mack has signed a young pitcher named Eisenberger, who comes from an independent team at Marysville, Pa. He recently returned from France, where he made a reputation pitching army baseball, though it is not explained how a doughboy with such a name got by.

MAKE BUSINESS CALL BRIEF

Well to Remember That Executives, as a Rule, Have Little Time to Waste.

Mouth-talk or brain-talk — which kind do you chiefly use during a business call or conference? "I can't see half as many men as I could see or as I should like to see during the day because my callers, once they get in to see me, waste my time with inconsequential talk," said a busy executive recently. "Consequently, my secretary is under instruction to admit only such persons as she thinks I must see."

"If you make a business call know beforehand what you are going to present and how. Don't waste time in nonessentials and triflingities. Fix the objective of your talk before you call. It may be a yes-or-no decision; it may be a promise merely to consider your proposition; it may be the fixing of a specific date when you can go into the matter in detail. Whatever your objective is, work toward it as rapidly as you can; and when you have reached it pick up your hat and say "Good-by." This is one of the surest ways of making a favorable impression.—Race Student.

Always the Boss. I was visiting my brother, who is a country minister, and one day he asked me to be a witness at the wedding of a couple who had just come in.

The bride was tall and slender, while the bridegroom was much underdressed. The minute the ceremony was over, the bride grabbed the minister, and gave him a resounding kiss, then hung her arms about the bridegroom and fairly flung him from the room in her embrace.

Turning to me, she said in a stage whisper: "What do you think I married him because he is so much smaller than me, and he's six years younger, too? I can manage him. I've always been boss, and I always mean to be."

Change in my opinion regarding the couple's future life was later in the day, and they were an extremely happy and prosperous pair.—Chicago Tribune.

Don't Run, but Be a Winner. Maybe it's only the best — but his constant runs with the umpire proved that the number are rotters, or that they are something on the level that crosses him to free.

HOLLOCHER'S HARD LUCK

All luck has trailed Charley Hollocher, sensational left fielder, since the start of the season and out his team heavily. He has been forced out of the game at least three times on account of injury and missing his batting and field work suffered considerably.

Hollocher last season was by long odds the best shortstop in the circuit, but injuries have kept him down quite a distance this year. Mitchell, however, still regards him as the best of them all, and as he is the ultimate prospect Hollocher has nothing to worry about.

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"Early in my career I spent four to six weeks in training camps. Usually I reported for the opening of the season in fine condition. But after about two months I would begin to get a little stale. My work would lack zip. I decided finally that it was because I did not report to the camp for the full training, but merely put in about ten days' work.

"As a result I was able to put into the regular playing season all the endurance that was necessary and I carried it right along through to the end of the season. Instead of finishing the baseball year ragged and worn out and trained off, I was just as good physically as when the season began. And ever since then I've followed that system of training, just enough to get the kinks out of my arms and legs without the sacrifice of stamina."

BEALS-BECKER HITTING HARD

Former Major League Player in Civil War, Hendry Hard Battle for Batting Honors.

Beals Becker, former Giant, Red and Philly, is giving Tim Hendry a hard battle for the batting lead in the National League.

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RED SOX GET BEST OF TRADE

Shannon Outlined From Athletics in Young Player at Much Premium—Is Hitting Hard.

That the Red Sox got the best of the recent trade with the Athletics of Shannon and both for Barry and Strank is being demonstrated every day. Shannon, particularly, is a young ball player of much promise, who is doing great work with the Sox. He is doing it in the brilliant way that he is knocking the apple hard and regularly.

SEES BIG TASKS IN PEACE PLANS OF RED CROSS

Ethan Allen, Division Manager, Returning From Europe, Describes Future Work.

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Mr. Allen has just returned from a trip to England and France, and brings back with him first hand information about the work of the American Red Cross in the field and the plans of the League of Red Cross Societies for the

development and co-ordination of humanitarian effort throughout the world.

"A most strenuous task is ahead for the Red Cross in America," said Mr. Allen. "In community work, in recreational activities, in the hospitals operated by the United States Public Health Service, in home service work for the benefit of needy and suffering civilian families, in nursing and in Justor Red Cross work in the schools, the American Red Cross will yield the best that it can offer.

"The health work alone is an immense undertaking. An enormous toll is claimed each year by preventable diseases. Each year, in giving birth to babies, 18,000 mothers die. Then, there are the diseases which work havoc among children and there is the lack of proper care which results in undernourishment and underdevelopment. The work of the Red Cross not only will contribute to building up the lives of these children and safeguarding the health and strength of American mothers, but it also will do much toward the happiness of American homes.

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NOTICE

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the State Highway Commissioner, State Capitol, fourth floor, west end, until 2 P. M., Tuesday, September 2nd, 1919, for the following sections of highway improvement:

TOWN OF EAST HAVEN: About 5175 ft. of concrete on the Shore Beach Road. Plans and specifications at the office of J. W. Stevens, District Engineer, 498 Main Street, Hartford, Conn.

TOWN OF EAST HARTFORD: About 4450 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 or a certificate 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, 1919.

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ABOUT TOWN

Ralph Lameno of Pleasant street left today for a two weeks' stay at Sound View.

Ernest Doneler of Cooper street is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Myrtle Beach.

Thomas Hayes has sold the Chas. Murphy house on Hamlin street to Mrs. Stella Hayes.

Mrs. Annabelle Warnock of Cottage street left this morning for a week's stay at Myrtle Beach.

Carriers Smith and Allen are back on duty at the South end post-office after a fifteen day vacation.

Thomas Hayes has sold to Edward Ferris, two building lots on the corner of Norman and Oak streets.

The Cash Gang of Company G will hold a re-union on September 13th to mark the victory at St. Mihiel.

The scarcity of sugar is again being felt by the local housewives. No relief is promised by the local grocers.

Work has been started on the excavation for the addition to the House and Hale building on Oak street.

The Class of '18, South Manchester High School, will hold a dance in Assembly Hall on Tuesday evening, September 2nd.

Sherwood Robb, Donald McKinnon and George Dougherty are spending the week at the Behnfeld cottage, Watch Hill.

Harold Nichols of Highland Park reported at the War Bureau yesterday as having been honorably discharged from the service.

Carrier Joseph McVey of the South end post-office begins a fifteen day vacation today. Gordon Thornton will substitute in his absence.

Francis Strickland of Strickland street and his cousin, Kenneth Muller of Hartford, are at the Andraeu Hotel, Pleasant View.

Robert Campbell of Locust street has purchased a one family dwelling from Allan Hayes of 56 Pearl street. The sale was made by Thomas Hayes.

The members of the local Salvation Army band, are planning an outing at Silver Beach. The party will leave on Saturday and stay over Labor Day.

Word has been received that Ernest McNally of Woodbridge street has arrived from overseas and is now stationed at Camp Merritt awaiting his discharge.

Word has been received that Albin Anderson of Pleasant street has arrived from overseas and is now stationed at Camp Merritt, N. J., awaiting his discharge.

The South end Lodge of Moose will hold a memorial meeting at Forester's Hall this evening. Paat Dictator James J. Callahan of Hartford will deliver the memorial address.

The annual meeting of the Men's Bible Class of St. Mary's Episcopal church will be held in the Guild room of the parish house at 7.30 this evening. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Hazel Johnson of Garden street is enjoying a week's vacation at Sound View.

Miss Dorothy Noren and Miss Eva Friberg are visiting friends at Sound View.

Albert Stroka of Spruce street has returned from overseas service and has reported at the War Bureau as having been honorably discharged from the service. Stroka was attached to the military police.

Walter W. Cowles was a visitor in town over Sunday. Since being discharged from the service he has been employed as a salesman for Swift & Co., at Webster, Mass. He has now moved his family there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Holman started this morning on an automobile trip that will include a visit to Saratoga, N. Y., Rutland, Vt., and the White Mountains. Mr. Holman expects to be home some time next Monday.

The young people of the North Congregational church are hoping for good weather tomorrow evening. The lunch boxes to be provided by the young ladies will be auctioned off, should the weather tomorrow night be stormy the affair will be postponed to Friday night.

Word was received in town this morning of the arrival of Arthur E. Holmes at Camp Merritt. He was a member of the Signal Corps, Third Division, and has been overseas for the last fifteen months. Since the armistice was signed he has been in the Army of Occupation. Holmes was a compositor on the Evening Herald before enlisting in the service.

Miss Mary Foley of the Woolworth store is enjoying a week's vacation in Boston.

The weather bureau's prediction of fair weather for today indicated that somebody's wires were crossed.

Joseph Benson and Thomas Bradley have broken ground for a stucco bungalow on the north side of Cambridge street.

Mrs. Charles Ebersold and her son and daughter from Astoria, Long Island, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Gibson of North Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. Egan Barber of the South end entertained a party of their friends at a "Dog" roast yesterday at their summer home in Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ferguson and son of New York city, are spending the week with Mr. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ferguson, of North Elm street.

Mrs. Margaret Altkin of North Main street, was operated upon for appendicitis at St. Francis' hospital this morning. Drs. Boucher and Higgins performed the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Murphy are spending the week at Ocean Beach and the shore resorts near New London. F. B. Horton is substituting for Mr. Murphy at 'Baleh & Brown's' drug store.

The members of the Army and Navy club's team which will compete in the athletic events on Community Field Day are requested to report for practice on Thursday evening. Practice will be held at the West side playgrounds and those who desire try-outs should make every effort to attend.

The Sons of St. George will hold a welcome home reception this evening in honor of Lieutenant Charles Hall who returned recently after three years' service with the British Air Forces. The reception will be held in the old Armory on Wells street. All members of this lodge are requested to attend.

Edward Gardner, a cork insulating expert from New York city, has completed the insulation work at the plant of the Manchester Dairy Ice Cream company on Summit street. The ice cream making machinery is now ready for operation and it is thought that the new plant will be ready for occupancy next week.

Another of the Series of Popular Affairs to Be Held at the Army and Navy Club.

The fourth of the summer series of Army and Navy dances will be held at the clubhouse on Friday evening. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Victor orchestra. Refreshments will be served during the intermissions.

Tentative plans are now under way for a series of winter socials and smokers. The summer events have been such a success that it is very probable that the winter schedule will be extensive. There is ample room in the auditorium for entertainments.

On Saturday a team composed of ex-service men will compete in the program of athletic events on Community Field Day. It is also very probable that a football and basketball team will be organized.

ATHLETES TO COMPETE ON COMMUNITY DAY

Some of Town's Best Men to Match For Honors Saturday—Medals to Be Awarded.

Community Field Day, the most important of the Recreation Center's series of athletic events will be held at the West side playgrounds on Saturday.

Many prominent athletes about town have announced their intentions of competing in the events and in addition to this a number of clubs have entered teams.

The prizes to be awarded consist of gold, silver and bronze medals. A gold medal will be awarded for 1st place in all events, a silver medal for second place and a bronze medal for third.

The events to be held are: 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, one-half mile run, 15 pound shot put, discus throw, javelin, pole vault, running high jump and running broad jump. Application blanks and information can be obtained at the Recreation Center.

WINE SUPPLY SHORT

Boston, Aug. 27.—Admiral Hugo Conz, in command of the visiting Italian dreadnaught Conti, said today he is worried. The supply of wine on his ship is short and the admiral is wondering where he can get first quenched for his men.

Advertisement for J.W. Hale Company featuring 'Fall' coats. Includes illustration of three women in coats and text: 'A Bewitching Display Of New Fall Coats'. 'Wooltex' and 'Printess' Models. 'The J.W. Hale Company SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.'

Advertisement for Quinn's Drug Store featuring 'QUINN'S POPULAR FOUNTAIN'. Text: 'moved and installed at our new drug store, is ready to quench your thirst with the BEST SODA IN TOWN. Try our Fresh Peach Sundae. We are still serving that delicious hot Fudge, the kind that's different. For a light lunch try a chocolate Malted Milk with egg. Our Prescription Department is the very last word in Prescription Quality. Phone Your Wants. We'll Deliver. Quinn's Drug Store NEW LOCATION. ORFORD HOTEL BUILDING'

Advertisement for Marlow's School Supplies. Text: 'School Supplies Everything the boys and girls will need in school except text books. Pencil and Ink Pads. Composition Books. Note Books. Pens, Pencils, Erasers. Rulers, Pencil Boxes. Slates, Book Straps. Boys' Knee Pants. Girls' School Dresses. Boys' and Girls' Stockings. Boys' Caps. Marlow's Cor. Main St. and Brainard Pl.

Advertisement for Dolan's campaign for Selectmen Board. Text: 'DOLAN WILL NOT RUN FOR SELECTMEN BOARD. Didn't Know He Had Been Nominated—Is Too Busy to Run. Dr. Edward G. Dolan whose name appears on the list of Democratic nominees for the office of selectman announced last evening that he had positively declined the nomination. Dr. Dolan has just returned from a vacation spent at Block Island and was unaware that his name had been entered until he returned home. My father demands no constant attention, I said the doctor, therefore I could not consider the nomination. It will be remembered that Dr.

Advertisement for the Cermen's International Union. Text: 'Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 27.—Officers of the Cermen's International Union were in Pittsburgh today to take charge of the strike situation here. As a result the conductors and motormen will vote again on the question of returning to work. In the meantime the receivers will not attempt to run the cars with strikers. The international officers insist that the men return to work in accordance with their written agreement to abide by the award of the

Advertisement for glasses. Text: 'QUALITY AND PRICES ARE WHAT COUNT. We believe in giving a new deal to all, which means perfection, highest quality goods and prices. As we sell six pairs of glasses as anyone else in Manchester we can afford to sell them cheaper. If you want good, you can pay the high price charged some, than you should call at South Manchester and see a square deal and get your Office Open Every Night on Saturday from 8.00 to 2.00. At Optical Dept. G. during the day. LUDWIG'S OPTICAL DEPT. G. 100 N. MAIN ST. MANCHESTER, CONN. war labor board. Unless they the local union will be authorized the international will attempt the cars with new machinery.'