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CONNECTICUT STATE AGENCIES PREPARE TO FIGHT SMALLPOX

General Endorsement of Vaccination Will be Asked at Conferences This Week — Disease Growing Daily More Virulent, Says Dr. Black — New York Lays Embargo on Connecticut Goods — Feared Demoralization of School and Industrial Life.

Hartford, Conn., April 25.—General endorsement of vaccination by state agencies in an attempt to avert an economic loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars to the state, as well as the danger to the health of the state, will be asked at conferences to be held later in the week with the state board of education, the county health officers of the state and the state health council, with possibly also a conference with the heads of the state chamber of commerce, as a result of a conference to be held between Dr. John T. Black, commissioner of public health and Governor Everett J. Lake, over the serious menace of small pox in Connecticut.

"These state agencies will be urged to inaugurate efforts to bring the disease under control as soon as possible," said Dr. Black today.

Heavy Loss in Fairfield

Already, he said, New York concerns had refused to accept goods from two Bethel factories as a result of the small pox situation in that town.

Hundreds of owners of shore cottages in Connecticut are abandoning their cottages this summer, he declared, because of fear of small pox. The loss to Fairfield County alone in this respect will amount to hundreds of thousands, declared the state health commissioner.

New York Embargo

New York is already considering the establishment of an embargo against certain places in this state, he declared, and stated that he could not blame them.

"In the town of Windsor where there are several cases we are reasonably safe," said Dr. Black, "because of the 1,400 school children only eight are unvaccinated." The same is largely true in New Haven, Hartford, and Waterbury and a number of other towns.

Says William Jennings Bryan is "Tyro in Theology and a Joke in Science"

Speaker at Yale Divinity School Convocation Calls Bryan "a Shadow Boxer," Fighting a Man of Straw in His Assaults on Darwinism, a Scarecrow in His Attacks on Evolution.

New Haven, Conn., April 25.—Referring to William Jennings Bryan as a "tyro in theology and almost a joke in science," Dr. Cornelius Woelfkin created much amusement among the scores of ministers gathered at the annual convocation of clergymen and alumni at the Yale Divinity School. Attacking the former presidential candidate's stand on evolution, Dr. Woelfkin declared that he was fighting a man of straw in his assaults on Darwinism, a scarecrow in his attacks on evolution and depicted him as a "shadow-boxer."



MARSHAL JOFFRE

Hero of the First Battle of the Marne Who is Receiving a Warm Welcome From New York City.

NEW YORK WELCOMES MARSHAL JOFFRE

Strenuous Program Laid Out for Veteran Hero of the Marne During His Stay.

New York, April 25.—Marshal Joffre, hero of the Marne, today entered upon the strenuous program laid out for him during his stay in New York. At noon he was the guest of the Pennsylvania Society at a dinner in his honor at the Plaza Hotel. From the dinner he will be whisked to the Ritz-Carlton where he will attend the Mollere anniversary, observe and in the evening he will again be dined, this time as the guest of city officials.

Tomorrow the aged veteran will be the guest at a private luncheon at the Union-Club and will then attend a reception at the Army and Navy Club. Later in the afternoon he will review the World War veterans. Early in the evening another reception awaits him, given by the committee for devastated France with a theatre party later. Thursday also will be a full day with several receptions scheduled and a review of the 106th infantry regiment. Most of Friday will be taken up in the same manner. Marshal Joffre sails for France on the White Star liner Celtic on Saturday.

Because of exhaustion incidental to the strenuous program, the marshal has denied himself to interviews, saying he preferred to rest between receptions.

Latest State News

Justice Gager Falling

New Haven, Conn., April 25.—Justice Edwin B. Gager of the Connecticut supreme court was reported as growing weaker at Grace Hospital where he is suffering from an attack of congested aphasia sustained in his office at the county court building in this city last Saturday night. He has been in a state of coma practically ever since the attack and his condition is reported as improving but the morning. A consultation of physicians was held last night. Mrs. Gager is at the bedside of her husband.

Yacht Club Loses Suit

Bridgeport, Conn., April 25.—Upon the direction of Judge John E. Keeler in the superior court today a jury brought in a verdict in favor of the defendant in the \$10,000 damage suit of the Columbia Yacht Club against the United Illuminating Company. In the complaint it was alleged that a construction of a new power house had partially filled a basin and had damaged a pier on the yacht club property.

Stockholders Suit

Bridgeport, Conn., April 25.—A suit of Frank S. Butterworth receiver of the Gilbert Transportation Company against Richard Breul, a stockholder of the company, which has been hanging fire in the courts here for a number of years, has been settled out of court, it was announced today. The name of John S. Fullman of this city was recently substituted for Mr. Butterworth as plaintiff. The suit was for payment for common stock in the company, which it was claimed by the defendant was given as a bonus to stockholders who purchased the preferred stock. The terms of settlement were not made known.

Pleasure-Beach Assessment

Bridgeport, Conn., April 25.—Receivers for the Ingersoll Engineering & Construction Company, owners of Pleasure Beach, have filed an appeal from the assessment of the property at Pleasure Beach. The assessors valued the property for taxation purposes at \$325,000.

Bridgeport Smallpox

Bridgeport, Conn., April 25.—Commenting today on the report of Dr. John T. Black of the state health department to Governor Lake that small pox has become epidemic in the city, health officer William H. Coon of this city said today that the disease had never been epidemic in Bridgeport. There had been a good sized outbreak, he said, which was now burning itself out among the unvaccinated. The disease among children, he said, was absolutely under control.

North Mianus Robbery

Greenwich, Conn., April 25.—Rocco, Frank and Fortunato Spazano and Philip Cipio, who were caught by Stamford police after they had robbed a store in North Mianus Saturday night, were today bound over to the superior court for trial on a robbery charge by Judge James R. Mead, before whom they were arraigned in the Greenwich borough court. Bonds were fixed at \$10,000 in the cases of the Spazano brothers and \$2,500 in Cipio's case.

Meriden Fatal Burnings

Meriden, Conn., April 25.—Two cases of fatal burning were reported here today. Mrs. Imogene Bassett, 70, housekeeper for Rev. Dr. David Washburn, a retired Congregational minister, was probably fatally burned when stove polish exploded while she was attempting to polish a stove. Reverend Mr. Washburn, 90 years of age, tried unsuccessfully to extinguish the flames and neighbors were called in. Mrs. Bassett was taken to the hospital.

Frances Dingwall, 5-year-old daughter of Charles Dingwall of Capitol Avenue, was probably fatally burned at her home while playing with matches, her clothing catching fire.

Requisition on New York

Hartford, Conn., April 25.—Governor Lake today issued a requisition on the governor of New York for the return to Stamford of Charles Rinaldi, a retired Congregational minister, on a charge of non-support. Rinaldi is now held in New York city and officer Thomas Foley is commissioned to bring him back to Stamford.

Darien Fire

Darien, Conn., April 25.—Fire last night gutted the home of G. W. Given on Old King's Highway here, doing damage estimated at \$5,000.

Westport Smallpox

Westport, Conn., April 25.—One more case of smallpox was reported here today, the 29th since the outbreak of the disease in this town. The victim is Frederick Crawford, of Taylor Avenue, whose boy has been ill with the disease for a week.

ARMY PROPOSALS ARE BELOW SAFETY NEEDS

Congress Could Commit "No Greater Folly" Declares Secretary Weeks.

ARRAIGNS SUPPLY VOTES

Says Appropriations are Inconsistent With Requirements of Real Economy and Sound Business Principle.

Washington, April 25.—Congress could commit "no greater folly" than to reduce the enlisted strength of the United States army below 150,000 men, Secretary of War Weeks declared today before the Senate appropriations committee.

Weeks said that the allowances made by the House, contemplating the reduction of enlisted personnel to 115,000 men, are "below safe requirements."

"I am convinced," he told the committee, "that they are inconsistent with the requirements of a real economy and sound business principle."

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LOYD GEORGE LOCKS HORNS WITH POINCARE OVER TREATMENT OF GERMANY AND RUSSIA



PREMIER LOYD GEORGE

Who Has Emphatically Challenged the Extreme Policy of France Toward Germany and Russia.

British Premier Declares "We Will Have Nothing to do With a Policy of That Kind"—Not Afraid of German or Russian Menace But Will do Utmost to Prevent Europe Being Made a Shambles—French Premier Widens Breach by Demanding 48 Hour Ultimatum to Russia.

GENOA CONFERENCE ON BRINK OF FAILURE

The Genoa conference stands again today on the brink of failure or open rupture.

Russia has demanded a thirty-year moratorium and five billion rubles loan as the price of recognition of the pre-war Czarist debts.

Premier Poincare, of France, is reported to have instructed the French delegation to demand a 48-hour ultimatum of Russia.

Lloyd-George is quoted as branding Poincare's uncompromising Bar De Luc speech as "ill advised."

The British premier has disagreed openly with the Poincare policy and indicated his conviction that such policies make the situation in Europe today delicate and dangerous in the extreme.

There is danger, Lloyd-George indicated, of Europe again becoming a shambles.

The Pall Mall Gazette, official organ of the Lloyd-George government, publishes revelations today that Washington knew of the intention of Russia and Germany to form an economic alliance, and foreseeing the present crisis refused for that reason to join the Genoa conference.

Genoa, April 25.—Prime Minister Lloyd George of England today emphatically challenged French policy regarding treatment of Russia and Germany, as outlined by the French premier, M. Poincare, in his speech at Bar Le Duc yesterday.

"We will have nothing to do with a policy of that kind," said a statement authorized by the British premier issued here this afternoon.

"We are not afraid of a German or Russian menace but will do our utmost to prevent Europe being made a shambles."

"If peace is not made, if Russia and Germany are left in isolation and misery, the inevitable result will be the conclusion between these two of a fierce friendship directed against the entire west of Europe."

The statement further widens the gulf between the French and British points of view and constitutes another check to the growth of international accord in the Genoa conference.

In the Bar Le Duc speech, Poincare opposed any concessions to Russia threatened withdrawal of French delegates from Genoa and threatened independent French action if Germany fails to separate.

London, April 25.—The Pall Mall Gazette, political organ of the coalition government of England, in an article today asserts that business men of the Far East have known for weeks that the Russians and Germans were planning an economic alliance through a treaty.

The Pall Mall Gazette intimates that Washington had this information and, therefore, refused to enter the Genoa conference at the invitation of the allies.

CITY OF FORT WORTH SWEEP BY THE WORST FLOOD IN ITS HISTORY

\$100,000,000 LOAN TO CANADIAN GOVERNMENT

New York, April 25.—Formal announcement of the loan of \$100,000,000 to the Canadian government by a syndicate of bankers here today. The loan is made in thirty years and pay five per cent. interest.

The proceeds of the loan will be used by the Canadian government to refund the existing debt of the dominion.

PAWTUCKET DEPUTY SHOOTS STRIKER

Pawtucket Textile Strikers Ask Rhode Island Governor for Military Protection.

Pawtucket, R. I., April 25.—Cosmo Almeida, 27, a textile striker, was shot in the head here today by a deputy sheriff, near the Jenckes Spinning Company plant. The bullet lodged in the base of the man's brain. He was rushed to the memorial hospital where his condition is regarded as serious.

NEW ENGLAND BACKS SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

Delegations Appear Before Congressional Committee Considering Measure.

Washington, April 25.—The Harding-Lasker ship subsidy bill today was upheld by New England mercantile interests before the joint congressional committee considering the measure.

Delegations from New England not only approved the bill but urged its passage at this session of Congress in order to prevent disintegration of the American merchant marine. They voiced the same appeals as were previously made by South-eastern, Middle Western and Pacific Coast interests.

Congressman Greene, of Massachusetts, George W. Eddy, Captain Eugene E. O'Donnell and Charles F. Dutch represented the Boston chamber of commerce, while William A. Chandler and Stanley King were heard in behalf of the city of Boston. Andrew P. Lane represented Maine. E. C. Southwick of Providence, appeared for Rhode Island and Waldo E. Clark of New London, for Connecticut.

Trinity River Rises 26 Feet in 12 Hours and Breaks Levee —Several Lives Lost it is Age Has Already Reached Half a Million Dollars.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 25.—The Trinity river, which jumped 26 feet in less than 12 hours to a flood stage of 33.5 feet, swept the city with the worst flood in its history. It was feared several lives have been lost. The damage, it was estimated, will exceed a half million dollars.

The flood was caused by a seven and one half inch rain fall which began at ten o'clock last night and was continuing today.

Large areas of the city were under water and families were being rescued by boats.

The Cameron Lumber Company's plant was destroyed by fire with a loss estimated at over \$200,000, the firemen being unable to reach the plant because of the flood.

Interurban traffic with Dallas was cut off and a number of street car lines were discontinued. One of the water works plants was closed because of the flood. The levee protecting part of North Fort Worth broke this morning and lowlands in that section were quickly inundated. Several houses were washed away.

Sycamore Heights, on the opposite side of the city was also flooded and scores of houses were surrounded by water. Thousands of persons residing on Arlington Heights were completely cut off by the flood and could not reach the business section of the city.

At the Van Zandt viaduct the river was 500 feet wide. One street near the viaduct was under from eight to ten feet of water for a distance of half a mile.

GREECE RESUMES WAR ON TURKS

Greek Troops Have Occupied Practically the Whole Valley of the Meander.

Athens, Greece, April 25.—Reports from Smyrna today say that the Greek advance against the Turkish Nationalists is continuing and Greek troops have occupied practically the whole valley of the Meander.

Greek officers have sent word that they are ready to participate in the fighting with 25,000 volunteers.

Explosion of Tank of Benzol Causes Sensational Fire in New Haven

SHANTUNG CAUSE OF CIVIL WAR

Leader of Central Chinese Forces Predicts Early Victory Over War Lord of Manchuria.

Cheng Cho Who, China, April 25.—Shantung is the underlying cause of China's impending civil war, according to General Tsao Kun, old military head of the Wu Pei Fu faction of North China, who has returned to active service to head Wu's forces.

I found General Tsao here in the midst of a great troop movement towards Shantung.

"Shantung," he told me, "is the underlying cause of the present war. 'Chang Tso Lin would control Chinese mineral resources, and mines for the purpose of exploiting them jointly with Japan."

"We will crush Chang within a month and win Shantung for China. It is our purpose to arrive to accomplish a union with Sun Yat Sen, of Southern China."

LIGHTWEIGHT DIES FOLLOWING KNOCKOUT

Lew Brody, Brooklyn Boxer, Struck the Floor With the Back of His Head.

New York, April 25.—Lew Brody, 21, Brooklyn lightweight boxer, died in a hospital early today following a bout with Frankie Pitcher, also of Brooklyn, last night. Pitcher knocked out Brody in the ninth round with a blow to the jaw. In falling the back of Brody's head struck the floor.

Firemen of Entire City Fight Successfully to Prevent Blaze Reaching Two Im- mense Gas Containers— \$50,000 Loss to Gas Com- pany.

New Haven, Conn., April 25.—Explosion of a tank of benzol early today in the ammonia plant of the New Haven Gas Company at East and Chapel streets and, subsequent fire which threatened to sweep the plant, caused the calling of all the firemen and apparatus in the city, due to the proximity of the fire to the two immense gas containers of the company on East street. The fire was controlled without serious results, though the company sustained considerable loss to the gas plant. A number of families living in the vicinity were driven out of their homes by the ammonia fumes which developed following the explosion.

A new fire, while of huge proportions designed to call all the firemen in the city for a general alarm, was sounded for the first time.

The loss to the gas company was estimated at \$50,000, caused largely by the flames which partially gutted the ammonia plant, a three-story building. There were four explosions during the blaze which scattered the burning benzol to various parts of the plant, occupying an entire square of property. The firemen were obliged to fight the flames and fumes of ammonia and innumerable danger of injury as the result of the frequent explosions.

Apparatus was placed about the ammonia plant, and the firemen were ordered to prevent the benzol from reaching the ammonia tanks. The benzol was contained in a tank which was being filled with ammonia gas. The firemen were obliged to fight the flames and fumes of ammonia and innumerable danger of injury as the result of the frequent explosions.

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AMHERST TOWN

Dave Lander... Dave Lander of J. W. Hale Co. is out of town on a week's vacation...

Mrs. Maude Sheehy of East Hartford has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Ida House of Pearl street, the past week.

Troop 3 of the Girl Scouts will hold a benefit performance at the Circle theater Wednesday evening. The Scouts have arranged an excellent program.

Chandler, the six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Gerrish, of East Center street, died Sunday evening and will be buried tomorrow in Webster, N. H.

A daughter, Lois Bradford, was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wheeler of Waterbury, Mrs. Wheeler was formerly Miss Mildred Bradford Barber of this town.

Manchester Grange will hold its regular meeting in Cheney Hall tomorrow evening. The lecturer's hour will be in charge of the Home Economics Committee.

A daughter, Gloria Stewart, was born Sunday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. White of Barker street, Hartford. Mrs. White was Miss Lillian Heyer, formerly of this town.

Temple Chapter, O. E. S. at the meeting one week from tomorrow evening, will give a whist party to which the members and their wives are invited. Whist will begin promptly at 8:30.

Campbell Council, Knights of Columbus will hold a large third degree on May 21. One of the largest classes that ever took the degree in this town will be put through on that evening.

Announcement have been received from Mr. and Mrs. William Mainwaring of N. J., announcing their engagement to their daughter Margaret to Clarence E. Bissell of this town.

The feed wire which controls the local lines of the Connecticut Company blew out yesterday under the bridge in East Hartford disrupting the service until repairs were made. The high tension line which fell across the feed wires last week was responsible for the trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lester Hohenthal will leave on Thursday for the 78th semi annual session of the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance of Connecticut to be held in Bridgeport. After the conference, Mr. and Mrs. Hohenthal will go to New York City to spend a few days with relatives.

A surprise party was held last evening at the home of Anna Lauff of Spruce street in honor of her birthday. About thirty of her friends attended and spent an enjoyable evening. Solos were rendered by Andrew Wagner, Susan Tuck, and Joseph Lauff. Fancy dancing by Helen Lauff and Susan Muske also pleased. Refreshments were served and the party broke up at a late hour.

Past Chief Daughter Rachael Munroe, of Helen Davidson Lodge, No. 88, Daughters of Scotia, will attend the Past Chief Daughters State Convention at Bridgeport on Thursday, April 27. Mrs. Munroe is the first Past Chief Daughter of the local lodge and will be initiated into the Past Chief Daughters State Association at this convention.

Germany has 4,500 ex-soldiers living in darkness as a result of having lost their eyesight during the World war. This number is said to be steadily increasing.

At C. H. Tryon's Sanitary Market Telephone 347.

Meats: Pork to Roast 25c lb. Leg of Lamb 42c lb. Best Rib Roast Beef 28c lb.

Groceries: Daniel Webster Flour, \$1.85 1-8 barrel sack. You know the quality. 17 lbs. Sugar for \$1.00.

BUSINESS PICKS UP

Real Estate Dealers Report Many Sales—Labor Situation Improving Business in this town is certainly picking up. A steady improvement in the labor situation is evident and thousands of dollars worth of real estate have been recently turned over.

Charles Stattenfeld has sold his single house on Griswold street to Stephen McAdam of Ridgewood street.

William Perrett has sold his two family house on Edgerton street to James Kelley of Lincoln street. James Kelley has also purchased from Ben Silson his two family house on Walnut street.

Robert Clougher has sold his six room cottage on Middle Turnpike West, to James Belle, who has been living in the house next to it. Mr. Belle will lease the house he has been occupying and will move into the other.

NATIONAL GINGHAM WEEK. National Gingham week is being observed by department stores all over the United States this week. Locally, the J. W. Hale Co., has a wonderful display of dress goods in plaids and checks and an endless variety of patterns.

DOG LICENSES. Up to this noon, only 250 dog owners had taken the trouble to get their licenses. They have until Monday, May 1, to get these licenses. After that, delinquents will have to pay one dollar extra.

BOY STEALS BIKE. Joseph Kendall, a boy of 16, was before Judge Johnson this morning in the police court charged with stealing a bicycle from Reinhardt Lehmann. Young Kendall pleaded guilty. He, however, claimed that the bicycle was his own.

BALCH-SMITH. Allen I. Balch, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Balch, of 622 North Main street and Miss Ruth Smith, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Frank M. Smith, of Willimantic, were married last Friday evening by Rev. Warren Archibald, pastor of the old South Congregational church of Hartford. Both are employed at the City Bank & Trust Company of Hartford where Mr. Balch is assistant treasurer.

WARE THE PAINT. Let the bright new red paint on the hydrants about town be a warning to those in the habit of using them for leaning posts. Several hundred of these hydrants are being painted and for a day or two it will be best to keep one's clothes from coming in contact with them unless you wish to decorate yourself with red paint.

DIES IN FIT. Raymond C. Gardner, formerly of 18 Church street, who moved last week to South Coventry, was found dead by the roadside yesterday morning. He had been cutting brush when he was stricken with an epileptic fit with which malady he had suffered for some years. Mr. Gardner was employed at Cheney Brothers up until last week when he moved with his step-brother to South Coventry, thinking that the change would benefit his health.

GIRL SCOUTS REHEARSE. Troop 3, Girl Scouts held a dress rehearsal Saturday morning for the vaudeville to be given at the Circle theater tomorrow evening. The troop has worked hard to prepare an entertaining program and hopes that it will have a large audience at both performances, 7 and 8:30. The movie which will be shown, "The Golden Braid," tells the story of a girl who gained the highest Scout award, and will furnish plenty of thrills as well as showing many phases of Scout activities.

ARMY PROPOSALS ARE BELOW SAFETY NEEDS

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ent with the requirements of real economy, and sound business principle. "I am aware that important international adjustments have been made during the past year and I am confident that the prospects of continued peace are greatly brightened. But arrangements of this kind do not abolish war. They affect the probability of war in the immediate future, but they do not affect the fundamental requirement that if war should come we must be prepared to meet it with full and timely development of the nation's war power."

Weeks said he was aware of no issue that threatens to involve the United States in international complications but, he declared, "we must recognize that throughout the greater part of the world a condition of instability prevails which renders the permanence of world peace very uncertain. It would be the height of imprudence not to recognize that from them, conditions may evolve which would gravely imperil our national security."

RECREATION NOTES. (School Street.) Tonight, the State Guard in "the gym. Tonight, the 'Big Pin League' of the alleys. Tonight, swimming pool open for men. Wednesday, open alleys. Wednesday, swimming pool open for women. Wednesday, girls' gym class. Friday, the Red Cross basketball team will give a dance and entertainment in the gym. Saturday, roller skating in the gym for members and their friends.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS WHIST. The final whist party of the season was given under the auspices of the Royal Neighbors last evening at Tinker Hall. Two prizes were awarded for the grand total of points for the series. They were won by Mrs. Anna Johnson and Lester Beebe. Mrs. Nicholas Anderson of Pleasant street won the barrel of flour. Wainwright's winners were: Ladies, Ann Swanson, first prize, Mrs. Edna Dwyer, second prize, consolation Mrs. Eliza Olds; gentlemen, Lester Beebe first, second prize Adolph Carlson, consolation, Ned Conroy.

CONCERT TOMORROW NIGHT. A treat is in store for those who attend the concert which is to be given tomorrow evening in the audience room of the Second Congregational church at 8 o'clock. This is the third time Benjamin E. Barry has come from New York to entertain here and he has always pleased those who have heard him. He will be assisted by Mrs. Vredenburg soprano, also of New York and Miss Dorothy McCormack of Hartford, as reader. A piano will come from Watkins Brothers and Mrs. Charles J. Strickland will be the accompanist.

LACK OF DEMAND FOR COAL. Washington, April 25.—Lack of demand for coal has kept the non-union mines operating below capacity since the beginning of the strike. Secretary of Commerce Hoover said today. Reports to the Commerce Department show that the big industries are still plentifully supplied with fuel and have made no unusual demands upon the non-union mines. The output of these mines will be increased, Hoover said, when new orders are placed by large consumers of coal.

TRIALS OF WEST VIRGINIA MINERS. Charlestown, W. Va., April 25.—Arrangements for the selection of a jury twenty-three miners, indicted for treason against the state of West Virginia, were begun this morning. Judge J. N. Wood, when court convenes, will pass upon the motion to quash the indictments, which he took under advisement late yesterday. The 23 men charged with the most serious crime under the state's penal code, will enter pleas of not guilty.

TORRENTIAL RAINS FLOOD VAST AREAS IN TEXAS. Dallas, Texas, April 25.—Torrential rains, approximating five inches in this city, have flooded vast areas in this section today. Many railroad and interurban connections are severed. The water was higher than ever known. Five miles of tracks between this city and Fort Worth are under water. More than twenty families are marooned here. Property damage, it was estimated, will run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. Flood warnings have been issued to families along the bottom lands of the west fork of Trinity river between Dallas and Fort Worth. The stage of the river here was 23 feet this morning and still rising.

AT FORT WORTH. Fort Worth, April 25.—At noon two deaths had been reported and at least 1,500 were temporarily homeless. The two victims were women, names unknown, who had taken refuge in a tree. They were swept from the tree and their bodies had not been recovered. The Red Cross headquarters were besieged with persons seeking missing friends and relatives.

BOARD PREPARES CALL FOR THE TOWN MEETING

Main Street Improvement, Most Important Item—Voters to be Asked to Buy a Gravel Bed—How Improvements Will be Financed.

The selectmen met last evening in a special session at the Hall of Records and approved the call for the special town meeting which will be held on Monday, May 1, at 7 o'clock, standard time, in the Assembly hall of the South Manchester High school. The first clause contains a request to authorize the selectmen to purchase a gravel bank. The bank which the selectmen propose to buy is situated in Green Acres and is owned by E. J. Holl. It contains approximately 12,000 yards of exceptional gravel and is located where the cost of hauling it will be greatly reduced. The cost of the gravel at present is close to 25 cents a yard. Under this arrangement the town can save quite a bit of money. The gravel taken from the town bank would cost approximately 15 cents a yard.

It was stated that Commissioner Bennett of the State Highway Department was ready and willing to help the town widen Main street. The problem of widening Main street will be settled by the voters this time. Many of the questions which have held the work up have finally been straightened out. The South Methodist church people will strip of land from their property to be given for highway purposes after the proposition has been presented at the conference.

Frank Cheney, Jr. told the board last night when the hearings on the Main street question were held, that Cheney Brothers were willing to sell the land between Forest street and the Methodist property. He asked also that the selectmen make arrangements to have the improvements made permanent. The west side of the present walks between these points would form the curb and the sidewalks. Moving back the walks would give the necessary distance for the road.

The Olcott estate agrees to give the land necessary to widen the street at the narrowest point. This point lies between St. James and Forest streets. It also is situated on the west side of Main street. Traffic conditions were bad there at present, and with the street widened at the point suggested, would relieve the conditions there on Tuesday and Saturday nights.

If the town undertakes the task of widening Main street and carrying the tracks the question of financing will come up. It will cost under the figures prepared by George H. Wadsworth, less than one mill to carry it. How the town can do this is explained by the following: The indebtedness amounts to \$240,000 including the cost of the improvements on Main street. \$90,000 is a part of the \$170,000 which the town owes at present. The other \$90,000 will be taken care of by the additional three-mill tax levied by the selectmen on April 17. There is a bond issue or notes to the amount of \$50,000 which makes the grand total \$140,000 with the bond issue for the proposed improvements.

Under the plan as detailed by Town Treasurer George H. Wadsworth the whole indebtedness including the \$100,000 of the \$140,000 total above will be taken care of by a serial issue of bonds from one to ten years, \$10,000 retired on the Main street improvements, \$10,000 on the \$90,000 debt and \$5,000 on the \$50,000 bond issue, totaling \$25,000 a year.

This is considered by the selectmen the best way to solve the town's financial problem. It was also suggested that the selectmen be ready to give the proposition to the voters in several plans but the ten year bond issue seems to be the best, in the opinion of the board. It was also proposed by the selectmen to have the voters allow the selectmen time to present the different angles to them before deciding the question.

In addition to this, Z. Frank Bowen, town engineer, will have the estimated costs of the different qualities of materials and construction prices to present to the voters. The whole proposition will be laid before the voters in a clear way so that the matter can be settled definitely.

The selectmen have prepared an alternative proposition for the voters to act upon if they should see fit to reject the plans as prepared by the board. This proposition will allow the selectmen to go ahead and take the preliminary steps in the work. Chairman Cheney stated that he had several requests to have the matter of all night lights up before the voters again at the special meeting. He was willing to do this but the members of the board voted the suggestion down. It was claimed that while all night lights would be a benefit it was apparent that the voters were not ready for them at this time.

Secretary Aitken stated that he believed the town ought to try the lights for a month and then see if the voters were ready for the question. To this Selectman Bowers objected, saying that while he favored the lights personally the question had better be held in abeyance.

Who remembers the old-time housewife who used up Monday doing the family washing, Tuesday ironing, Friday in general house cleaning, Saturday in baking and Sunday in cooking for visitors, leaving her only two days out of the week in which to do her housework? It's always funny to watch a "bossy" man try to "boss" a railway ticket agent.

ROUTINE MATTERS.

Selectmen Hear Complaint About Street in Outskirts of Town and Decide on Other Questions.

William Risley, who lives in the extreme eastern section of Manchester, wants better roads. He appeared before the selectmen last night and asked that he and other put in shape so that he and others could visit Manchester once in a while. Mr. Risley said: "The roads leading to my place on Vernon street are in bad condition. The selectmen have done nothing since there were seven men on the board. Automobiles have trouble every time they get on this street, often sinking to the hubs in the mud. I believe that if the road is scraped well and then a gravel dressing with ashes for a binder is rolled down in good shape, it can be done with little expense to the town."

He admitted that the town of Manchester had done more than Vernon in the matter. Manchester scraped the roads but Vernon has not. At the town line which is next to Mr. Risley's home the water runs in the middle of the street instead of in the gutters making travel difficult. The matter was referred to the highway committee with power.

Joshua Robb of Center street was given permission to build on Center street. S. Emil Johnson, building inspector for the town, brought a set of plans to the selectmen's meeting last night showing the extension that Mr. Robb intends to erect. Permission was given with the understanding that Mr. Robb would place a foundation under the proposed extension.

Secretary Aitken stated that he did not favor allowing the building to be erected unless there was a foundation. Leaves would blow under the building and be liable to catch fire endangering nearby property. It was on his suggestion that the permit was granted with these modifications.

The advice of the town counsel will be sought regarding the Home Rule Act passed by the 1921 Legislature empowering selectmen to make new by-laws. No official action was taken on Daylight Saving. It was understood, however, that the town's departments would go on daylight saving without the state does not recognize anything but standard time. The municipal bodies cannot take any action. With the clocks in the Hall of Records and the Town Hall ticking on standard time, the officials will work under daylight saving time.

Cheney Brothers requested that G. Burton Carpenter, special constable at the silk mills, be appointed for another six months. It was granted. G. J. Todd of Linden street, asked for a special constable to patrol the streets.

CHURCH CHOIR. Three new faces will be seen in the Center church quartet after May first. Mrs. Julie Allen, a lyric soprano from Hartford, will be the new soprano. She is a pupil of Miss Masselotte and is now singing in Mr. Laubin's choir in Hartford. Miss Emma Trebbe, of South Manchester, will continue as contralto. She is a pupil of Mrs. Naylor and is the only member of the old quartet to be retained. The Center church is very fortunate in being able to secure from its own town a contralto who combines a voice of beautiful quality with real musicianship.

Russell W. Bessier, of Hartford, will be the new tenor. He is now soloist at the Bristol Baptist church. He was formerly leader of Brown University glee club and quartet, and sang in a Providence church. Jarle Johnson, of South Manchester, will be the bass. Mr. Johnson is a pupil of Mr. Knox and is a promising young singer. He has been substituting in the quartet for a few weeks past and his work has been so satisfactory that he has been engaged for the coming year.

Miss C. Louise Dickerman, of Hartford, whose work as organist and musical director for the past five years has been most satisfactory, will continue in that capacity. Miss Dickerman had a wide experience before coming to the Center church. She is an organ pupil of L. B. Hawley, of South Manchester, and has studied organ and choir direction with George Wedge, of New York City.

There is every reason to think that the music at the Center church the coming year will equal if not exceed the high standard which has been maintained in the past. We have opened over 2000 accounts with the Louis Herrup Furniture Co. We are looking for 500 more. Will you be one? Low prices, quality and a good assortment with our confidential credit plan and a good live agent. Refrigerators, oil stoves, baby carriages and strollers, Torrington Vacuum cleaners, \$5.00 down and \$5.00 a month. Linoleum, Congoletum rugs, living room furniture we are strong on. Call 243-3 or come to the store. Just ask for Benson.—Adv.

Mrs. Mary Freed, Atlantic City's first woman justice of the peace, has elected her husband to the same position.

CABARET DANCE AT THE REC.

The Recreation Center girls will give a cabaret dance Friday evening April 28, in the big gymnasium. The Midnight Sons of Wesleyan have been engaged for the evening and they will play not only for the dancing but will also give a special number on the program.

Everything will be done to make the evening as nearly like a cabaret as possible. The dancing space will be outlined with gaily lighted tables where refreshments will be served throughout the evening. Talented dancers will perform between dances and the program will also contain several special dance numbers.

The Recreation Center girls include all the girls that came out for gym and basketball this year. From this group the basketball team was chosen that represented the Recreation Center during March. The girls are divided into committees to arrange for the dance and each committee is working hard to make the cabaret one of the most successful dances that has been given in Manchester this year.

NOTICE. ATTENTION DOG OWNERS! Monday, May 1, is the last day for paying dog taxes. All dogs six months old or over should be registered on or before that day or an additional fee of one dollar will be charged. For the convenience of dog owners, Miss Hattie E. Strickland, assistant town clerk, will be at the office to receive these taxes on Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week until 9 o'clock, also Saturday afternoon and Monday, May 1, until 9 o'clock in the evening.

Paying engineers in France are experimenting with highways made by setting small, hollow iron blocks in concrete, and filling their hollows with finer concrete.

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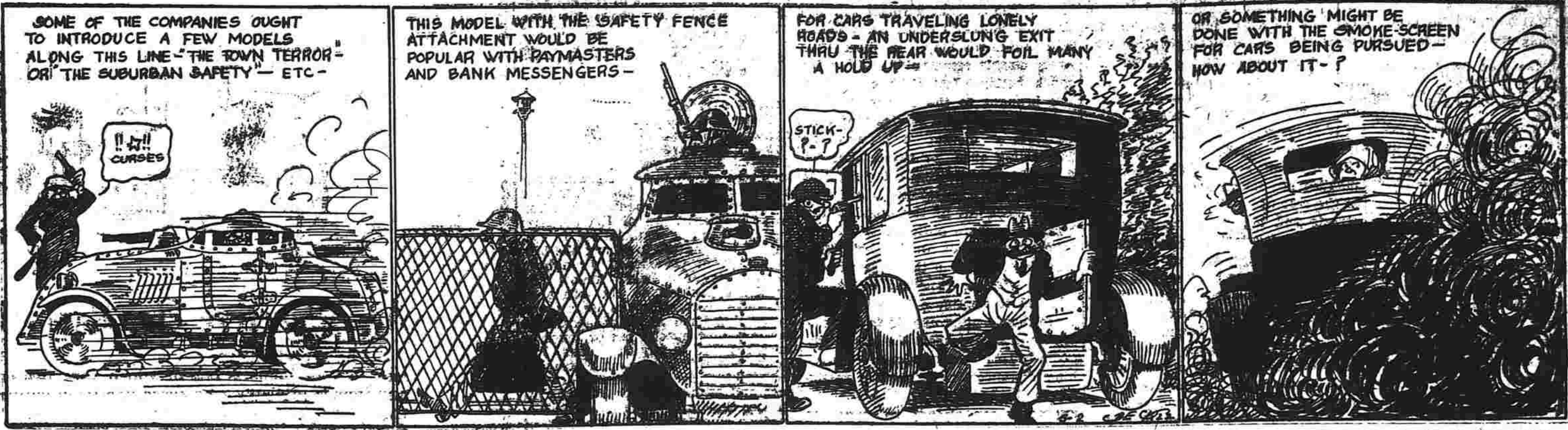
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WICKED OLD DAYS.

(Whitling in Boston Herald.) Stationary accounts have before now given occasion for engaging stories of Congress. Mr. Blanton failed to hang on an already irritated Congress the empty obolus of obtaining free but unexported whiskey flasks from the House stationery room, but he has emphasized for the unwilling attention of many members the parsimoniousness of our times. It used to be different in the old days. Thomas Nelson Page relates an anecdote of flavor, dating back to the remote days when Congress met at Philadelphia. The story is that Benjamin Harrison of Virginia ordered some rum from the supply department of Congress, which purveyed stationery and fuel for the members and in due time the rum arrived, together with a bill for it. Mr. Harrison demanded an explanation of the bill. "My New England colleagues tell me," said he, "that they get their rum here, and that they do not have to pay for it."

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By PAUL WEST.

Twice as hard to get to school today and severer felt by the way-side and had the pleasure of being found-ed up by Short-Leg Milliken. He's earning his money these days.

THANKS, FATTY! Fatty Bellows maid what would of been a very tedious morning quite happy for a few minutes, with the kind assistance of Andy Anderson. Andy happened to bring a croaky nest egg to school in his pocket and was kind of fooling with it under his desk when Fatty, with his eye allus pealed for anything to do, rose on his seat: "What is it, a hard-boiled leftover from breakfast and Andy sed 'uh. Then Fatty sed 'ed he had to have it, but Andy sed 'ed and put it in the corner of his desk. Then Fatty dropped a pencil and stooped down to pick it up and swiped the nest egg out of Andy's desk like Andy knewed he would, Andy making on he didnt see him do it.

Park Theater

"FOOL'S PARADISE" That the art of Cecil B. De Mille, famous Paramount producer, is still in process of expansion was demonstrated with signal force when his latest production, "Fool's Paradise," was displayed at the Park Theater last night. This is a magnificent picture and it may be maintained that it is one of the best he has thus far presented to an admiring motion picture public.

PRISON REFORM IS DAUGHERTY'S HOBBY

Washington — Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty has a lot of hobbies. He likes to drag away on a rusty-looking pipe. He's a pretty fair fisherman. He turns a wicked tenor in an impromptu barber shop quartette. When not engrossed with official cares he enjoys a card game, a horse race, a billiard game, or any one of forty other varieties of pastimes.

Circle Theater

The players in making scenes for "The Sheikh's Wife" which is now showing at the Circle Theater had many exciting adventures. The production was filmed in the Arabian desert. On one occasion the members of the company became separated from the Arabs with which they traveled. A sand storm arose and obliterated the tracks across the desert. It was during this storm that the Europeans learned something that surprised them. Contrary to popular belief sand storms are never severe enough to bury people alive. For several days the players roamed the desert without water.

productive output—production that would be lost if they remained in prison.

The success of industrial enterprises at Atlanta, so conducted that there is profit both for the Government and for the prisoners themselves on a bonus basis, according to their output, had led Attorney-General Daugherty to urge Congress to pass a bill authorizing the installation of similar industrial features in the prisons at Leavenworth and McNeill Island.

Mr. Daugherty's opinion is that idleness is dangerous both to the idle and to society.

"Idleness is pernicious," he said—"pernicious both morally and physically to all men, especially to prisoners. If men in prison are to again fill places of usefulness in society it is imperative that constructive labor be furnished them during their confinement. No record of merely material accomplishment can give such satisfaction as comes from the re-establishment of a man as a useful member of society. The period of a man's incarceration for an offense against the State need not necessarily be destructive of the man's present or future worth to society nor if his self-respect or immediate earning capacity."

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REGULATION OF UNIONS

No stronger argument ever was advanced for the incorporation of unions so that they could be made responsible as bodies for actions that would render individuals liable to legal penalties than the attitude assumed by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, before the Lockwood investigating committee of New York state.

Mr. Gompers was asked by the committee to make good his offer to state how the building trades could be purged of labor abuses without interference by the state. He was the perfect type of the "I don't know" and the "I can't recollect" witness.

The head of American labor learned for the first time that a few days before the bricklayers on six Brooklyn buildings struck for an increase from \$10 to \$12 per day and got it. He also did not know of a similar strike where the workmen exacted promises of \$13 per day before doing another stroke of work.

Here are a few of the other things Mr. Gompers did not know, incredible as it may seem: He did not know that plumbers' unions of New York had been closed to candidates, except brothers and sons of members, since 1920; that plumbers refused to install certain modern fixtures because they required fewer labor-hours than other kinds; that one union had compelled an employer to pay his men several hours overtime because they waited 10 minutes after the whistle for their weekly wages; that plasterers, unions forbade the use of moulds for interior decorations in any building that the one for which designed, in order that the mould-makers might remain steadily employed; that more than 100 mantels intended for installation in a New York hotel were destroyed because they contained a percentage of cement, and the plasterers refused to install them; that an imitation marble wall, in the same hotel was destroyed because it did not meet with the approval of a union delegate and his executive committee; that certain unions had a rule that when only one man was required for the job, he should receive a foreman's wages; or that contractors from other cities, on jobs in New York, were required to pay the union scale prevailing in their resident city, if it was higher than the scale here.

Mr. Gompers was compelled to admit that such practices were "unwise, regrettable and unjustifiable" and against the principles of organized labor but when asked the natural question "since all your efforts at moral uplift within the American Federation of Labor have failed to stop such practices, do you now believe the state should be given power to grant the suffering contractor redress in the courts?" his uncompromising reply was "I certainly do not."

Mr. Gompers says relief must come from within the American Federation of Labor. Yet in the face of his declared ignorance of conditions which have existed for years what relief can be expected from the federation of which he is president? He cannot make a bad case better by his shuffling. The losses of New York contractors have run into the millions while the unions have waxed and grown fat on huge bribes paid them to do work for which millions of unemployed are pining. As in the heyday of the old London guilds they restrict their ranks so that the American people must go on their knees to beg for their services. They trample on the right of every American to the opportunity to learn a trade by their apprentice rules and then coolly tell the American people to take it or leave it.

The whole situation in the building trades of the metropolis has become unbearable. The unions have deliberately blocked the relief of congestion, of house shortage and of excessive rents. They will not allow the construction of cheap dwellings. Insufferably arrogant and swollen with pride of power they defy the people and the state. It is high time for the incorporation of all labor unions. They are all getting tarred

with the same brush. If Mr. Gompers and his fellow leaders do not wake up pretty soon they will find the demand for their proper regulation in consonance with justice grown invincible. The American people can be pushed just one step too far but not a single inch farther.

THE SPEED MENACE

It is expected that the number of automobile drivers in Connecticut this year will exceed 170,000. Automobiles are increasing in this state at the rate of 15,000 a year. But the streets and highways are no wider except in a few instances and the protective agencies against accident have not perforce been able to keep pace with the added danger attendant upon increased traffic.

The season is just beginning when we may expect to read with deadly monotony of fatalities on the highways of the state. In the great majority of the cases in the past the immediate cause has been excessive speed.

Massachusetts already has opened war on the speedster. That state has called upon the courts to back up its campaign to check deaths and injuries from automobiles and many of the courts have indicated their willingness to uphold the hands of the police and the law officers.

Superintendent Hurlay of the Connecticut state police is alive to the big burden of work that faces his command this coming summer. He is determined to do what is in his power to make the highways comparatively safe and to that end will have the roads of Connecticut regularly patrolled by fifty state policemen during the height of the motoring season.

A country visitor to New York city would not suspect for an instant that the metropolis possessed any reasonable speed laws. But Connecticut does not desire to emulate the New York juggernaut. And automobile drivers here should ever remember that the safety of our roads principally depends on the care with which they use and guide the powerful and death-dealing machines in their hands.

ROSE COGHLAN

Whatever their widely advertised failings may be, no one ever has accused the stage folk of a lack of generosity. It has been one of their salient and shining characteristics since the days of the strolling players. Their ears are never deaf to the cry of distress, their hearts never unresponsive to the suffering, their pockets, when there is anything in them, are never so closely buttoned up that their brethren in difficulties may not get a share. The eternal motto of their brave fraternity has been from the earliest times, "Aw, kid, don't snifle. Here, take this. The worst is yet to come."

Not that they, usually do snifle when fate hits hard. Often, it is only by mere accident that their bitter need is laid bare. Often, like a stricken animal, they hide their wounds away from the kindly sympathy of the great companionship, from the eyes of those who would be only too delighted to succor.

Thus it was with Rose Coghlan, one time flower of the American stage, the adored of playgoers in both hemispheres. Old and ill and in dire want, her plight was discovered accidentally. Her name had but to be mentioned to recall the glorious round of triumph upon triumph that marked her long career on the boards. Some of the assailants of the stage today might be benefited by a study of the good life of Rose Coghlan.

It has taken but a few days for the players to collect \$10,000 to aid her battle against illness and old age. It probably will be ample, but, if not, there will be as much more coming as is needed. Fortune's toys and public favorites often are broken on the wheel of neglect and forgetfulness. Sometimes, they are remembered before it is too late. No one who ever witnessed the last appearance of Nellie Farren on the London stage under similar circumstances to those now surrounding Rose Coghlan can ever forget the unflinching love of the much maligned company of players.

available at hand without having to hear it through a multitude of discordant sounds. Is it a bed time story? The strident wireless will never equal mother's voice. Brass bands and orchestras may be heard in every sizable community and with much better effect than when they are brought to the ear by wireless receivers. A church service reproduced from a distant city may be interesting once or twice, but for a steady diet, the real thing right at home is more satisfactory. A lot of matter sent out by the broadcasting stations is mere piffle on which listeners would not waste their time were it produced in their presence.

The wireless receiving outfit as adapted to amateurs is as yet little more than a plaything. It is interesting because it reveals the possibility of wireless communications over long distances, never before realized. In the hands of experts, wireless apparatus can already be made to serve a useful purpose and undoubtedly will be developed to a point where it will rival the telegraph and the telephone in their respective fields. Doubtless some amateurs who happen to have exceptional ability will contribute ideas to this development. But we doubt very much whether popular interest in wireless apparatus as a plaything will continue much longer. If it is to be at all permanent, broadcasting stations will have to improve the programs which they send out and deliver the goods with more clearness and certainty than they have thus far been able to attain.

THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Legal notice is given in another column of a special town meeting in High school hall Monday evening, May 1, at seven o'clock, at which two important matters are to be considered. One is the improvement of Main street from the Center south to Charter Oak street and the other is providing means for caring for the floating debt incurred by the town prior to 1921. This debt amounts to \$90,000 which is represented by short term notes about to mature. The selectmen propose to refund this debt either in notes or bonds maturing at regular intervals so that the amount to be paid in any one year will not be burdensome.

The removal of the trolley tracks from the west side of Main street to the center of the street is something which ought not to be delayed. At present only one side of the street is available for business purposes. With land as valuable as it now is, it is wasteful to permit so much of it to the business center to remain idle. With the removal of the trolley line, which now entirely blankets the west side of the street, the erection of business blocks on that side of the street would speedily follow. These would not only add materially to the town's taxable property, but would increase the importance of Main street as a trading center for surrounding towns. Of course repaving the street and widening the south end of it would also be desirable improvements, but the centering of the trolley tracks must come first.

The state stands ready to bear part of the expense of the Main street improvements and the balance to be borne by the town can legitimately be carried in long term bonds at a low rate of interest. The increase in the value of Main street real estate as a result of the improvements would go a long way toward meeting the interest on the bonds and canceling the bonds as they became due.

The improvement of Main street will take at least a year, but if the task is begun at once it should be completed in time for the celebration of the town's one hundredth anniversary, which will occur in 1923.

REGULATING AIR TRAFFIC

The Navy Department denies reports of discrimination on its part in the use of naval radio, and Secretary Denby indicates his approval of the plan of the radio commission headed by Secretary Hoover to vest the control of radio communication in the Department of Commerce. It seems to be agreed that there must be specific central control of all radio transmitting stations, and there appears to be every probability that this can be brought about without any conflict of authority or rights that affect the government stations and those of the amateurs. The report of the Department of Commerce conference on radio telephoning sticks to the idea that "radio communication is a public utility and as such should be regulated and controlled by the federal government in the public interest." Of course there is very little in the other utilities that is similar in character to the handling of radio unless one perceives a likeness in the fact that the political newspapers are already criticizing the use of the air in the transmitting of political speeches. Nevertheless the marvelous interest shown in wireless telephoning has impeded air traffic, and even though there has been a very wholesome respect for the rights of others exhibited by those who have been sending apparatus, the necessity for federal control is indubitable—and everyone agrees that we should have it. It is already possible to regulate the use of the "waves" within a small variation of comparative lengths as to avoid most of the head-on and tail-end collisions which blocked the traffic so often when two

or more transmitting stations insisted on using practically the same wave lengths. A further development of wireless by the use of the dot-and-dash method of communications overseas, permits the sending of two messages at the same time over the same wave lengths to the same receiving station.

BONUS ADVOCATES HAVE HOPES

Friends of the soldiers' bonus bill appear to be optimistic, and they assert they have polled the Senate and find that a large majority of the members are in favor of passing the bill at this session. There has been considerable talk about opposition from the taxpayers of the country, but this has not materialized in an "urge" to Senators to oppose the bill. Chambers of Commerce throughout the country are being impurported by the opposition to the bonus to get busy. Naturally the Senate is concerned itself about proposals for the levy of a special tax or taxes to raise revenue to pay the bonus. The House left this important feature of the problem for the Senate to work out; and as in so many previous instances the Upper body is anxious to produce completed legislation out of the hodge-podge that has been sent over to it. But so far the Senate is in the same fix as was the House, because it has not been able to evolve a plan for raising the money. The Senate does not regard the sales tax which many favor more than the scheme obtained in the House. And the House "wouldn't touch it with a ten foot pole." The former service men who are following the situation declare that there are not more than fifteen votes in the Senate against the bonus measure, and they say that if the bill comes to a vote they will win.

France is militaristic because she fears. The vehement outcry that M. Barthou raised against the "perfidious" alliance of Germany and Russia was even more forgetful than that of Lloyd George. And yet France herself is responsible for the very alliance that she now bitterly condemns and that threatens her supremacy in Europe. The repeated attempts of her statesmen to extract blood from the turnip, and their absolute refusal to modify the terms of the unlucky Versailles treaty have done more than anything else to bring Germany and Russia together. The attempt to quiet French fears has produced a greater booby.

Talking about questions of the day is so easy that most persons never take the time to think about them.

SHALL WE HAVE A SHIP SUBSIDY?

Ten or a dozen years ago the country was up in arms because an attempt was being made to get a ship subsidy law through Congress. "The spoliators," or "the robbers of our natural resources" were regarded as petty grafters in comparison with those who proposed a ship subsidy. But listen to what Chairman Lasker of the Shipping Board has to say about this question now. "The Republican Central West has joined with the Democratic South in distaste and revulsion against subsidizing our shipping," he admits, but "times have changed," making it imperative that members of Congress of both parties join in the support of the ship subsidy plan. From statements of the Shipping Board it appears that of the 1,142 steel ships which the government owns only 421 are used to keep trade routes open. The other ships are idle, and we are told that in the Hudson and other rivers that there are "acres and acres of them looking more like hulks than potential cargo carriers." The government is losing more than \$50,000,000 a year by trying to provide the country with a merchant marine, and there isn't any question but what we "are making a mess of it." The purpose of government operation, as defined by law, was to build up the shipping industry so that the government ships might thus be sold with established good-will to private owners." But with the deficit running so heavily, and with an ever-increasing volume of criticism against government operation, Mr. Lasker has induced President Harding's administration to get behind him in urging the speedy unloading of our ship-holdings. In order that this may be accomplished it is proposed to subsidize American shipping. Lasker thinks this must be done quickly, otherwise "the fleet shall be operated by the government until it is worn out, and thus assure the elimination of the American flag from world commerce."

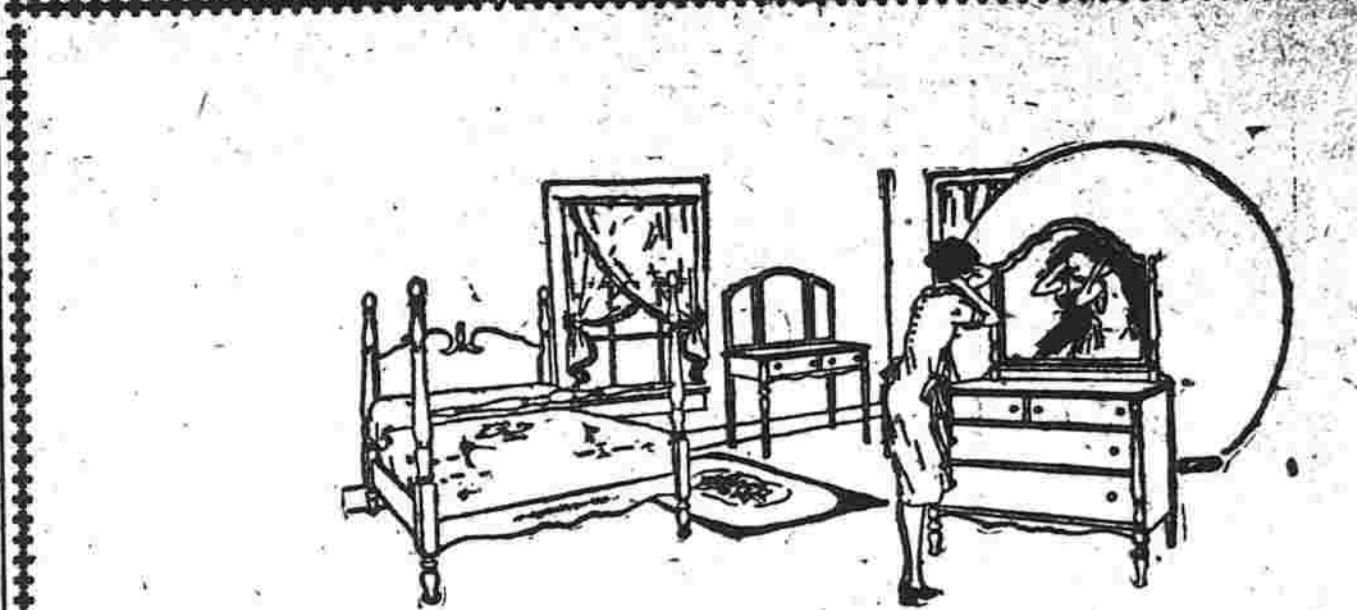
American women walk like camels and sit like cats, says Roshanara, queen of the Hindu dancers. Some of them waddle like ducks, she continues, while others roll from side to side, when they walk, like bears. Dr. John Roach Straton has already said that the modernized female drinks like a fish and soon the biological category will have become exhausted. Which is a soothing thought.

The sixteen-year-old boy who threw more than \$100,000 worth of securities in the East River in New York City and took \$550 in cash and \$50,000 in checks from his firm for a long contemplated trip to Arizona, was paid \$10 a week. The Justice who held him in \$2,000 bail hit the nail on the head when he said: "Wall Street brokerage houses should get some responsible concern to deliver their money instead of relying on messenger boys."

LAKES TO THE SEA

President Harding has let it be known that he proposes to negotiate a treaty with Great Britain in behalf of Canada to bring the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterways project to fruition. The President has made it plain that he intends to press the inland waterways plan.

A prophet should never be with his armor in his own country.



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Big, roomy bags of heavy canvas with rope for closing, well made throughout. Can be used as a laundry bag or duffel bag for campers, cottage owners, etc., 39c

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FIRST LADY OF ILLINOIS HAS FAITH IN HUSBAND

Wife of Governor Accused of Embezzling State Funds Talks of Trial

(Copyright, 1922, I. N. S.) Kankakee, Ill., April 25.—"I shall always be proud of my husband. They won't—they can't—down him!" Eyes flashing, her low-pitched voice rising slightly, Mrs. Len Small, "The First Lady of Illinois" used these words today in expressing faith in her husband, Governor Small, now on trial as the alleged embezzler of huge sums in public interest funds. It was the first time Mrs. Small had discussed her husband's indictment.

Seated beside a pink-shaded floor lamp in the parlor of her beautiful residence in the suburbs of Kankakee, the governor's wife talked frankly of the charges against her husband, reiterated time and again her confidence in him and predicted that "when the truth comes out it will prove a boomerang." "I have never for a moment lost faith in Len," she said simply. "It may seem strange," Mrs. Small confided, "but I never wanted Len to be governor. I knew that with power goes strife, and heavy burdens. "But when he did become governor I was proud of him. "It was not the brilliant inaugural ceremonies, the social recognition, the sense of power—or any of that sort of thing—that I cared for; it was, rather, that feeling of pride that every woman and mother must feel when the man she loves makes good."

"I really dislike politics. I dislike politics because of what it sometimes does to men. Yet I believe that politics, next to religion, is the most important thing in the life of the nation. Politics should be taught in our schools and in our churches." "I would have been satisfied, indeed, were Len to remain as just president of the First Trust and Savings Bank of Kankakee. He would have an easier time, fewer tribulations and anxieties. But destiny beckoned."

Mrs. Small paused. The earnest expression on her face gave way to a smile. "But we are not worrying," she said. "There is nothing to worry about." "Really," she added, laughing, "I am more worried trying to boss three men doing the spring house cleaning."

Asked concerning a published report that the governor is on the verge of a nervous breakdown, she replied: "None. Why he never felt better. He sleeps like a top. You see, he has a clear conscience. Would I be away from him if he needed a doctor's care?"

The governor's only concern now, she said, is to clear his name as quickly as possible and then get back to the public's business. She said she told her with evident regret that he had already lost 52 days going back and forth to Waukegan. Yet, she said, he has been in his usual high spirits. "One thing about my husband," she said, proudly, "he's not a quitter; he will fight, and win."

The telephone bell rang. It was the governor calling from Waukegan, Mrs. Small was all smiles when she returned. "He told me to be careful what I said to the newspapermen," she reported. "Then he said: 'Ida, if you must say something tell him we're going to lick him—out of them.'"

BOOBS IN BUSINESS

One of whom, my brethren, I am which. Owing to circumstances that I seem to have proved myself inadequate to control, I have become, as the lawyers say, "seized" of certain properties and possessions that require management and intelligent custodianship of these things, as if I were a nervous woman who had been presented with a den of snakes or a roomful of mice to care for. I keep these various evidences of alleged wealth in a long sheet-steel box with a hasp over the end which is, in turn, kept in a hole in the wall of a steel-lined room. I cannot get into this pigeon hole without the assistance of a uniformed attendant who comes and makes medicine with a key that has a strange family resemblance to one I own. After he has primed the lock I can insert my own key and the door flies accommodatingly open. Then I haul out that box and open it and look awestruckly at its contents.

Some of the handiwork of these contents, that I admire most from a wholly scenic standpoint are, I am told, of least value commercially. I have, for example, some mining stock. I know its good for I know a man who went through the mine himself, personally accompanied by the owner and his daughter, and this friend of mine saw the gold just as plain as could be. So at ten cents for each hundred-dollar share, I bought a thousand of them. Subsequent anxious efforts on my part to locate that mine and find out anything complimentary about it, have proved very discouraging indeed. And as for dividends on that stock, periods have passed with the most commendable regularity. I have occupied the reviewing stand while they passed. The man to whom I showed the stock laughed and said it was worthless. But it was by believing a fellow, that I was led originally to buy the stuff. So I will not believe anybody again. I shall hang on to that stock. I feel sure I shall.

However, far be it from me to raise God about any of these stringencies I have been vouchsafed by my smooth boys. When a fellow will pay a hundred dollars for that much of that sort of stuff, he is very badly

in need of good sense, and any price he may pay for it must not be regarded as exorbitant. And it is well to be stung just enough in early life by buying fake stock so that one is as it were, vaccinated or inoculated. It may save him hundreds or thousands later on. So, my worthless stock is in some ways the best investment I have. It not only was, but it still is, very dear to me.—Strickland, Gillilan in Farm Life.

FRANCE CAN CALL AN ARMY OF OVER 3,000,000 SOLDIERS

Paris.—France can put in the field an army of 3,000,000 trained combatant troops despite the reduction of the time of service to one year, declares General Tauffieb, Senator of the Department of Bas Rhin, in writing an editorial for the Petit Parisien.

Official circles have been making a strong stand to prevent the reduction of the term of military service to one year, and have put up a strong campaign to influence the passage of a law which will call for eighteen months' conscriptive service with the colors. "Service of one year will not only create in the world an atmosphere of confidence in France, but also will recuperate our financial situation and will free our arms for the economic fight, which will keep us actually strong," writes the General. "Between the ages of twenty and thirty-five we have fifteen classes of about 200,000 men each, which would enable us to dispose of approximately 3,000,000 combatants on mobilization, who could be assigned to active and reserve units. This would give about 129 brigades, forty divisions and twenty army corps. The men from thirty-five to forty-five years of age could be used for the reserves and for the service of the rear."

Don't get the dress reformers wrong. It's not the way the girls dress, but the way they don't that alarms the busybodies.

THE EVENING HERALD

is on sale at the following places: Manchester News Shop, Depot Square, Pagan Brothers, Depot Square, Pinehurst Soda Shop, Main and Middle Turnpike, Packard's Pharmacy at the Center, Pritchard & Walsh, Old Fellows' Block, Blue Bird Soda Shop, 701 Main, Murphy's Candy Kitchen, 221 Main, Magnolia Drug Co., 1001 Main.

SILK MILL NEWS

MARGERY ALDEN CHOSEN DEMAND MAJOR BE TO HEAD GIRLS' CLUB DISCHARGED FROM ARMY

Redelected at Last Night's Meeting of Mill Athletic Association—Radio Concert Enjoyed.

At the annual meeting of the Girls' Athletic Association held in Cheney hall last evening Miss Margery Alden was re-elected president of the association and Miss Ruth Freeman was elected recording secretary. The executive secretary and treasurer, Miss Bonnie Cotteral, is named by Cheney Brothers. The directors will be named as soon as the ballots are counted. Votes must be received by tonight.

Following the election an unusually good radio concert was enjoyed. The weather was favorable and those present enjoyed listening to the concert and reports from distant points. Refreshments were served and those girls who attended the meeting were well pleased.

SILK MILL ENDS

There will be a meeting tonight at the Machine Shop Rest Room of the various mill representatives to organize an Inter Mill baseball league. The meeting will be called at shortly after five o'clock. Since daylight saving will be adopted plenty of time will be given for the games after hours.

There will be no dancing at Cheney hall tomorrow noon.

A CHALLENGE.
The Throwing Mill baseball team challenges any team in the Cheney Mills averaging seventeen to nineteen years for the junior championship of the mill. The team is composed of the following: A. Anderson, J. Pentland, A. Noble, S. Shan, Jr., Gardner, Hennequin, Hall, Denis, J. Mahoney, R. Holliday and F. Wilkie.

Address all communications to A. Noble, Mgr. or J. Sandler, Asst. Mgr. care Throwing Mill.

Michigan is paying \$1,111,017 a year in mother's pensions.

CONNECTICUT AGENCIES TO FIGHT SMALLPOX

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her of other cities and towns, but there are scores of communities where the number of vaccinated persons, including school children is not over twenty per cent. Those communities are in danger.

Growing More Virulent
The disease is growing daily more virulent in form and will probably continue next winter. And if vaccination is not accomplished by that time there will be general demoralization of school and possibly of industrial life.

"These are factors which should be considered by other than health agencies, also in the interest of the general welfare. If the conditions continue there is likely to be an embargo against infected localities. The loss in the Bethel cases alone is estimated at 35,000 for the first six weeks.

Necessity of Vaccination
"We ought to impress upon everyone the necessity for general vaccination, not as an order but as a necessity in meeting the general emergency.

"The progress of the disease in the state demands more stringent measures even than have been adopted. We find that generally 95 per cent of the people are willing to be vaccinated, 50 per cent want it, 45 per cent are willing to be if there is danger. Only five per cent object, and those five per cent should not be permitted to jeopardize the welfare of the state as a whole. It is in part for the purpose of counteracting the influence of this minority that these measures are proposed.

"Governor Lake is willing to take any action necessary in the matter and further conferences will probably be held after the meetings to be held the latter part of the week."

ARGENTINE COUPLE DETAINED AT NEW YORK

New York, April 25.—At the request of the Argentine consul here, Mrs. Regina Waltz Grossmann, a pretty woman of 27 years, who is accompanied by her two small children, and Volka Lisnowsky, 35, the leading harbor of Buenos Ayres, were detained by the immigration officials when they arrived on the steamship Vasari today. The woman claimed she was eloping with Lisnowsky, as alleged by the Buenos Ayres police, but was on her way to visit her mother in Buffalo. The young man said he was coming here to visit an uncle in Brooklyn.

ENGLISH QUEEN WANTS LONG SKIRTS

London, April 25.—Queen Mary today lent her support to a movement to restore long skirts to English styles.

Through the usual unofficial channels she advised women of the court that the official dress during the Ascot races season would include long skirted gowns and picture hats.

DE VALERA'S POWER IS WEAKENING

Republican Chieftain Continues to Warn That Civil War is Threatening

London, April 25.—Brig. Gen. Adamson, commandant of Free State troops at Athlone, a city seventy-five miles from Dublin, was held up and killed last night, says a Central News dispatch from Dublin.

A number of officers of mutineer troops were arrested and taken to Free State headquarters.

Hope of Peace Grows.
Dublin, April 25.—Irish people today were more hopeful of ultimate peace between warring factions, following yesterday's general strike. The only untoward events which marred the otherwise quiet strike day were the reported seizure of Mason's Hall by mutineers and the murder of Sergeant John Gunn.

There were well founded reports today that the next few days will see an agreement whereby military methods by factions in the Irish Republic Army will be abandoned. It is probable the Dail, at its meeting tomorrow, will consider the situation.

Communism Not Failure.
The reported attempt of Irish workers to proclaim a workers' republic was a flat failure encouraging provisional Free State leaders.

The unsuccessful attempts served to indicate the baseness of reports that Communists were strong in Ireland.

Eamonn De Valera, leader of the forces fighting against the Free State, continues to call on the people to support only the Dail government, in spite of evidence of his lessening power. De Valera warns that civil war is threatening.

The Dublin Tax Payers' Association today issued a manifesto setting May seventh as the date for a demonstration asserting the peoples rights. This constitutes another move of protest against the methods of the militant leaders of the two Irish factions.

Fighting in Ulster.
London, April 25.—A new outbreak of fighting is reported in the Banagh Ridge of Aughnacloy district, according to a Belfast dispatch to the States.

The intensity of the firing forced families to evacuate their homes. Railway lines have been fired upon. The special constabulary has been reinforced and the situation is reported serious.

FEDERAL REGULATION OF ALL RADIO

Bill Will be Introduced in the House of Representatives Next Week

Washington, April 25.—Federal regulation of all radio communication as approved by Secretary of Commerce Hoover is provided in a bill being framed by Rep. White, Republican, of Maine, for introduction in the House next week. It was announced today. The legislation has been in the making for nearly two years. After the preliminary draft of the bill was completed by White he submitted it to the Department of Commerce where many changes were made by government radio experts.

The remarkable growth and development of wireless communication during the past two years has made federal regulation of radio a public necessity, White said today. He stated that his bill was intended to strengthen and perfect the law of 1912, pointing out that more than a million individual amateur radio outfits have been sold in the United States.

POLITICS NEEDS WOMEN SAYS LADY ASTOR

New York, April 25.—The world needs the hand of women in politics, it needs peace and it needs the moral leadership of America, Lady Astor, the first English woman to be seated in Parliament told guests at the annual luncheon of the Associated Press at the Waldorf Astoria this afternoon.

THE STOCK MARKET

New York, April 25.—The stock market was irregular at the opening today with dealings on a small scale. Studebaker rose 3/4 to 123 1/8, and Kelley-Springfield was 1/2 higher at 51 1/2. Sipeclair Oil dropped 1/2 to 32, and Mexican Petroleum yielded 1/4 to 13 3/4. U. S. Steel showed a gain of 1/8 at 38 1/8, and Amsonda was 1/4 lower at 53 3/4. Marine Preferred dropped 1/2 to 34 3/8.

LOON, WHICH RESEMBLES AIRPLANE, IS DISCOVERED

Amherst, Ohio.—A peculiar bird was captured by Michael Schafer when it became helpless, due to striking against a telephone pole. Ornithologists said the bird is a loon.

Loons inhabit the extreme north country. Their characteristic of hopping for a distance before being able to fly reminds a person of the start-off of an airplane.

The bird is attracting considerable attention.

VATICAN AND RUSSIA IN CLOSE TOUCH

Representatives Lay Basis of Increased Cordiality in Genoa Conversation.

Rome, April 25.—The probable basis of increased cordiality between the Vatican and the Russian Soviet government was worked out last Saturday in a conversation between the Archbishop of Genoa and M. Tchitcherine, leader of the Russian delegation to the Genoa conference. It was learned today. The conversation took place during the luncheon served by King Victor Emmanuel to the conference delegates.

The archbishop asked for information regarding the condition of religion in Russia. Tchitcherine affirmed that the Soviets are following a policy of political and religious liberty, and that they intended adopting legislation analogous to that of the United States.

It is understood that the archbishop conversed with M. Tchitcherine at the direction of Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state.

FIVE YEAR OLD CHILD MISTREATED

Dead Body of Missing Girl Found With Man's Finger Marks on Her Throat

New York, April 25.—After an all-day search for Lillian Givner, five years old, the body of the child, with the finger marks of a man on her throat and showing evidences of having been cruelly mistreated, was found on the ground floor of an apartment house early today. Wasell Gorazza, whom the police say they found hiding in the place, was arrested and charged with homicide.

Paul Collinsky, said by the police to have rented the apartment a week ago, is missing and is being sought by detectives. He is said to have been discharged by the child's father, Isidore Givner, foreman in a sausage factory. The child had been dead about four hours when found.

SIZE OF NAVY FIGHT ON AGAIN

Little Navy Men Will Try to Restrict Authorized Personnel to 86,000

Washington, April 25.—The congressional fight over the size of the United States navy will pop up again in the House this week but it is expected to be devoid of most of the fireworks that featured it before.

Members of the House naval affairs committee laid their plans today for getting quick action on the bill to give the President authority to scrap the thirty capital ships which the government agreed to dispose of under the terms of the naval limitation treaty of the Washington conference. It was tentatively decided to take the bill up in the House on Thursday.

Almost unanimous approval will be given to the granting of this authority to the President but the fight over the strength of the navy will be reopened when the little navy men try to tack an amendment, on restricting the authorized enlisted personnel to 86,000—the amount fixed in the appropriation bill passed by the House several days ago.

This proposal, it was learned today, will meet with strong opposition.

Friends of the navy in the House contend that the total authorized strength in officers and men should be kept far above the actual strength so that quick expansion of the naval establishment could be effected in an emergency when prompt action by Congress might not be possible.

Slight opposition has developed to the provision of the "scrapping" bill which appropriates \$2,000,000 for the conversion of two battle cruisers now building, into airplane carriers. The navy now has only one airplane carrier, a converted collier and Secretary of the Navy Denby is insisting that two more are needed.

ADMINISTRATION WILL OPPOSE GERMAN LOAN

Washington, April 25.—J. Pierpont Morgan's trip to Europe to confer with European financial interests on the question of a possible American loan to Germany was arranged without consultation with officials of this government, it was authoritatively declared today.

Mr. Morgan will go to Europe at the urgent request of British and other European bankers, but officials were a bit skeptical that the negotiations will result in the making of an American loan.

The administration it was said on high authority would look with disfavor upon a loan to Germany at this time when German financial conditions are so chaotic and lack promise of improvement. The attitude of the State and Treasury departments, it was said, is one of firm opposition to any proposal for the release of American capital in the midst of the present German financial turmoil.

THE COTTON MARKET

New York, April 25.—The cotton market opened active and steady today at an advance of 2 to 13 points. A feature early was the liberal buying of May by a spot house, the demand being supplied by commission concerns. New Orleans and Liverpool sold.

Local traders purchased new crops on heavy rains in Texas and better news from Manchester.

Later the list was a trifle easier under local offerings.

AUCTION SALE OF DEMONSTRATORS

The Florence oil stove and the Hoosier kitchen cabinet used by demonstrators at Watkins Brothers will be sold at auction on Tuesday, May 2 at the store. Anybody may make a bid, seal it in an envelope and leave it with the telephone operator at the store. The bids will be opened at 8 o'clock on May 2 and the stove and cabinet go to the highest bidder.

By mistake a carload of mattresses was sent to Watkins Brothers and rather than send them back they are being offered at sensationally low prices. Already many have been disposed of.

FRANCE THINKS DEPOSED HAS OWN AMBASSADOR

Paris, April 25.—Le Matin today headlined Jack Dempsey heavyweight boxing champion of the world as follows:

"The man who doesn't smoke doesn't drink, doesn't gamble—it's Jack Dempsey—but goes to bed very late—because he loves to dance."

England's champion bride is a Mrs. Goodwin, of Kingston-on-Thames, who at the age of eighty-four has just made her seventh trip to the altar.



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LESSON NO. 21.

PLUCK NECESSARY IN PITCHING.

It seems unnecessary to say to a young American that pluck, courage and confidence in himself and in his



A GAME PITCHER—SHOCKER. ST. LOUIS BROWNS. Shocker's entire attitude and expression of his face indicate courage and confidence. Note position of feet on rubber, both feet pointing in.

fielders is as necessary as good pitching. In achieving success as a pitcher, the successful pitcher is always unafraid, always confident that he will strike out every batter that faces him.

Courage alone goes a long way towards making a pitcher successful. It is indispensable to good pitching. Fielders always do better work when they know that their pitcher is game and courageous than when they fear he is nervous and afraid. Opposing batters are always more confident and aggressive when they know that the opposing pitcher is of weak heart.

The pitcher must never be afraid. It does not matter if the opposing batters are hitting him hard. That is the time when courage counts. When he is being hit hard the pitcher should, above all things, take his time, never be in a hurry to pitch and when he does pitch, keep the ball away from the batters. It is no time to give batters the ball when they are hitting it. That is the time to keep it away from them as much as possible. Here is where control and change of pace count most. Let the eager batters wait and shake their bats. They can't get hits unless you give them the ball.

Especially never give the batter a fast ball over the plate when they are punishing your delivery. Use curves or change the pace.

It is never wise to be in a hurry when pitching. Always take your time. It is suicidal to be in a hurry to pitch when the batters are eager to hit.

NEXT LESSON—Things a Pitcher Should Have.

Wapping quintets will hook up in a post-season game at Wapping Friday evening. The Wapping outfit has closed a season of fourteen victories out of fifteen games played and should make things interesting for the locals when the game is played. The Atlas will lineup as follows: Hunt, left forward; Stevenson, right forward; Curly Gustafson, center; Wright, right guard; and Captain Stowe, left guard. Wapping will lineup: Hills, captain and right forward; Grant, left forward; Foster, center; Sele, right guard; Wood ward, left guard.

The Manchester soccer team showed real scoring ability in the final fifteen minutes of their game with the Ansonia outfit Sunday afternoon on the Adams street grounds. Ansonia got through the locals' defense for a tally in the final period. When the ball was put in play, Manchester started a whirlwind attack that did not stop until the ball was through the net for the necessary count. This style of attack will carry the locals to the top rung in the state league and give them an excellent chance for the Spring Cup.

Manchester has passed through all the delights of a successful basketball season. Some of the fastest teams in the state came here and with but two or three exceptions were sent away with the short end of the score. The famous Rec Girls have probably played their last game in Manchester. That they were popular goes without saying as the monster crowds which attended both games testified to that. The Montanks had an exceptionally good season. They defeated some of the best teams in the state by big scores. Although they lost to the Kaceys in the final games of the season these defeats did not lessen their share of the glory which was rightfully theirs. They simply met a better team and bowed gracefully to defeat. It left no unpleasant results. The Kaceys came through their season with flying colors. Getting away to a bad start they came within a hair of copping the state league honors. An odd schedule that seemed to favor New Britain all the way, helped that team to annex the honors. Manchester's greatest trials in all lines of sports, Williams, were forced to succumb to the superior playing qualities of the Kaceys. A brief summary shows that Manchester enjoyed the favorite indoor sport and supported two teams in good style when the playing dates did not interfere.

Baseball will open here for the fans in two weeks. The Forsythe Tap and Dye Company of New Haven which forced the locals to extend themselves to the limit to get a verdict last year will meet the locals. It was not until the last three frames that the wrecking crew found Anderson for the necessary swats to gather a win. It was Gallagher's last game in a local uniform and he pitched excellent ball.

Soby Vendrilla, manager of the Liberty baseball team, sauntered into the South office early last night and said: "Who's this team that wants to play the Liberties?" We replied that they must be a new outfit never to have heard of the famous Liberties. This is Soby's proposition: "We will play the Young Giants for a new ball on May 7, at Mt. Nebo. All we ask is that the ball be handed to the Sports Editor of The Herald two days before the game. And tell them we want a new ball; not a second-hand one," was the part shot of the Liberties' doughy manager. It's now up to the Giants.

Nobody ever seems to have just what he wants. The flappers are cutting their hair off and the post flappers wish they could cut theirs on.

BILLY DWYER TO COACH MANCHESTER'S THIS YEAR

Popular Shortstop to Take the Place of Eddie Munson Who Will Not Play This Season—Scheduled Announced.

Billy Dwyer will coach the Manchester baseball team this year. Manager Tom Chambers completed the deal last evening. Eddie Munson who piloted the team last year will not wear a local uniform this season. Business connections will keep Munson tied down.

Dwyer is considered one of the best shortstops in the country. He was in the state while a student at Colgate he was used at shortstop and played a brilliant game. After graduating he played with the Torrington club, one of the fastest in the state, for three years. He next came to Hartford and played with Gillette's Pull team for two seasons. He came here last year for the first time and made good from the start. He was recognized as a charter member of the famous wrecking crew. For his first season in Manchester he hit for .337 and fielded for .978. He was a flash on the path, stealing 19 and getting 22 free trips to first base.

It is certain that the members of the team will back the new pilot as he is popular with the players. He will have a good pitching staff to start the season with in Johnson and Burkhardt. His outfield is practically the same as last year. The infield will probably be the same.

The first game of the season will be the Forsythe Tap and Dye Company, of New Haven. The game will be played at Mt. Nebo on May 7. The New Haven outfit has one of the fastest semi-pro teams in the state and a red hot battle is looked for in the opener.

Chris Leary, who handled the indicator last year to the satisfaction of the fans and players alike, will again be heard at Nebo announcing the batteries. Leary enjoys the confidence of the fans and players alike and is one of the most popular officials in this section of the country.

Manager Tom Chambers announced a portion of his games for the coming season. He will bring the Bristol team here on July Fourth in which looks like the biggest game of the season hereabouts. The Ware aggregator, which has been booked for a five game series is reported to have a speedy bunch of flycatchers.

As yet Williams is not on the local schedule. The Thread City ball tossers will probably enter the Eastern Connecticut League this summer and will not be available until after Labor Day. The schedule follows:

- Sunday, May 7, Forsythe Dye Company of New Haven.
- Sunday, May 14, Rosebuds of Bridgeport.
- Sunday, May 21, All-Insurance of Hartford.
- Sunday, May 28, American Chain of Bridgeport.
- Sunday, June 4, Elm City Giants of New Haven.
- Sunday, June 10, Manchester at Ware.
- Sunday, June 11, Columbus of Hartford.
- Saturday, June 17, Manchester at Fitchburg.
- Sunday, June 18, Nutmegs of New Haven (pending).
- Sunday, June 25, Ware at Manchester.
- July 4, a. m., Manchester at Bristol at Manchester.
- Sunday, July 16, Fitchburg at Manchester.
- Saturday, July 22, Manchester at Ware.
- Sunday, July 23, American Chain at Fitchburg.
- Sunday, August 6, Ware at Manchester.
- Saturday, August 26, Manchester at Fitchburg.
- Sunday, September 10, Fitchburg at Manchester.

SPORT BRIEFS

Movie For Derby
New York, April 25.—Denial of a report that Morvich had shown poor form in a recent time trial was made today by Benjamin Bloch, the owner of the Derby favorite. Mr. Bloch declared that no secret trial had been held and that he had every hope that Morvich would win the Derby.

Golfers For England
New York, April 25.—General satisfaction was expressed in the local district today over the selection of the American amateur golfers who compete in the British championship at Prestwick, May 23 to 27. Those named were Edward Van Velsch, of Garden City; John D. Chapman and Reggie Lewis, of Greenwich; George Dixon, of the National Links, and Donald Parson, of Toubstown, Ohio. In addition, Jess B. Gullford, national champion and J. Harrison Johnston, champion of Minnesota, are likely to take the trip.

It is felt here that while few of the men are national figures, the strength of the team is sound.

If your temper gets so hot as a child that he is ready to burn your hand with it.

PIRATES LOSE TO WILLIMANTIC

The Pirates traveled to Willimantic Sunday afternoon and went down to defeat in their opening contest of the season, score 7-2.

The locals scored their first run in the first inning when Barrett, the plucky short stop, hit the ball for a two bagger. Hewitt brought him around to third. Ambrose brought him in on a sacrifice. Willimantic scored two runs in the second, kept the lead throughout the game. The West Ends scored two more in the fourth and the locals brought one across in the fifth, both teams being held scoreless the rest of the game. Jigg, pitching for the West Ends held the locals hitless when his meat runs.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Barrett ss.	3	0	1	4	4	0
Hewitt c.	3	0	1	6	2	0
Ambrose 3b	4	0	0	2	0	2
Norris 1b	3	0	0	8	1	1
Sherman c.f.	3	0	0	0	1	2
Harrison p.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Powers l.f.	4	1	2	0	0	0
St. Heller r.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Oakes 2b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Pirates (2)	30	2	6	24	10	4
West Ends (4)	AB <th>R</th> <th>H</th> <th>PO</th> <th>A</th> <th>E</th>	R	H	PO	A	E
Smith ss	3	0	2	2	4	1
Haggarty 1b	4	1	0	7	2	0
Sturdy 2b	2	0	0	9	1	1
Bicknell c.	3	1	1	9	1	0
Lanamore r.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kegler l.f.	3	1	1	2	0	0
H. Heller c.f.	3	0	0	4	0	0
S. Heller 3b	3	1	1	2	2	1
Jigg p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
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Two base hits; Barrett, Powers; double plays, Harrison; Norris; hit by pitcher, by Harrison; Smith; struck out by Harrison 6 by Jigg 7.

BABE RUTH IS NOT INDISPENSABLE

New York, April 25.—Now that all of us have managed to work off a fund of hysteria upon the subject of Babe Ruth's value to a ball club, just how much does the esteemed Babe contribute to the success of the Yankees?

As the most prolific individual on record for driving in and carrying in runs last year, he was hailed as the greatest single factor in the Huggins payroll. As a prominent box holder in all local games, various and sundry, he has always been a source of pride to the Yankees.

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BEGINS TO LOOK LIKE BETWEEN DEMPSEY AND WILLS

New York, April 25.—It is all very tense now. When a couple of business men like Messrs. Kearns and Dempsey set out bitterly for the pleasure tour of Europe we raised the interrogative eyebrow and wondered who was going to pay the heavy tax. Kearns and Dempsey are all for luxury but they pay the freight from the gate receipts. The first intimation that a receipt was about to lift itself upon a feeble elbow and look around for a home came yesterday. It came in the form of a cable from George McDonald, British promoter, to Dia Dollings, British fight manager, now in this country. George wished to ask Dia what he might be able to do from this end of the wire about a Dempsey-Wills fight in London.

The cablegram read as follows: "Can you get Wills to come to London to box Dempsey. Signed George McDonald, Regent Palace, Southwest, London."

Could Dia get Wills? It seemed entirely possible. Indeed Mr. Wills appeared quite enamored of the idea and suggested that he might become restive waiting for the next boat to sail.

However that would not do at all. These sort of things have to be "smoked up" with a bit of diplomacy and the hasty appearance of Wills in London might have the appearance of coarse work. The British would think that they were being rushed into something. Therefore, Wills and his manager, Paddy Mullen, were made to say that they would be ready to sail on the next boat.

... About that time that word came for the boat; if any takes place, it will have been carefully completed. ... London, Paris and the continent in general will have seen Dempsey and the irresistible Wills fight. The newspapers will have depicted the fight over and over again. That Dempsey is no man worthy of being called a champion with the champion, Dempsey will have studiously avoided the last pass of appearing in anything but exhibitions and, in short, the public will be clamoring for an opportunity of seeing the champion in action against a real opponent before he returns to America.

Enter then the dark and reasoning Mr. Wills. Not before that would be extremely bad business. He will just happen to appear upon the scene, and Europe, which has no objection to mixed bouts, will be ready to listen to what he might have to say. He will be careful in his choice of words and actions, this Mr. Wills. He will be quiet, restrained, polite and altogether persistent.

Mr. Dempsey may not seem so anxious to do business but in the end he will yield to his public. They'll do that.

And long before negotiations are completed the young bloods of London will be lining up waiting for the box office window to open. That bout, if held, will draw big and pay big. Pleasure trip? Well, perhaps. Then again Dempsey may find himself in the position of the well and widely known 'bus driver who rode around on the front seat of his vehicle on his day off.

TAGGING THE BASES

When it comes to drawing fine decisions, award the gun metal engagement ring to Speaker's Indians. After trailling the White Sox nearly all the way, they pulled out a tenth inning victory on singles by Wood, Nunamaker and Jamieson.

The Cincinnati Reds are fast qualifying as the official door-mat of the National League, with the welcome sign displayed in large, well script: The Reds lost their tenth game in eleven starts, the Cardinals winning.

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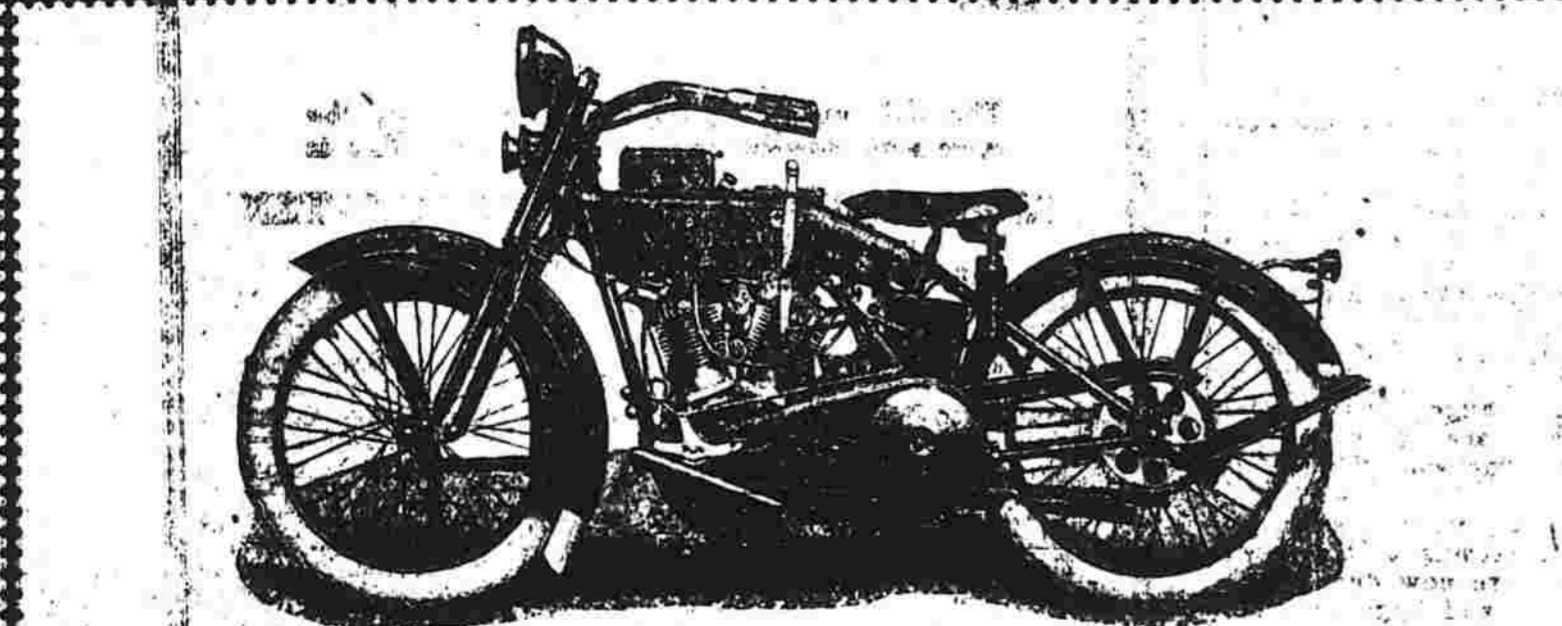
LOCAL SPORT CHATTER

WITH THE KIDDIES.

The Rovers of the West Side challenge the Young Giants. The Rovers will play them either on the West Side playgrounds or the Mt. Nebo diamond on any date to be fixed by the managers of each team. The Rovers are looking for other games with any teams in town averaging 13 to 15 years. For games, address Edward Boyce, 103 Cedar street.

The manager of the Liberties wishes to announce that if the locals have any argument to offer on the statement which is in the above Sport Chatter column, he will be glad to come to a meeting in the South End Herald office any night in the week to talk it over.

The Liberties are planning to hold a practice on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. No definite team has yet been picked and the manager wants all players who are the size of the Liberties and want a position to come to a meeting in the South End Herald office any night in the week to talk it over.



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WITH THE BIG LEAGUES

American League

New York, April 24.—Pipp's homer with a man on the paths defeated the Athletics after eleven frames of a hard baseball. Connes Mack's triple like the offerings of Mays, but grand support saved the underhand finger. Score by innings:

R H E Athletics 001 000 201 000—4 12 2 N. York 201 001 000 02—6 9 0 Batteries, Harris, Hymack, Rummel and Perkins; Mays and Schang. Umpires, Owen, Chill and Walsh.

Senators Stop Leasing Washington, April 24.—The Red Sox were whaled unmercifully by the Senators on their own stamping grounds. Quinn was forced to take the showers in the second frame. Morgridge was hit hard but kept them well scattered. Score by innings:

R H E Boston 101 000 100—3 12 1 Washington 340 013 000—11 14 2 Batteries, Quinn, Fullerton and Walters; Morgridge and Garrity. Umpires, Connolly and Wilson.

Indians in the Tenth Cleveland, April 24.—Trix Speaker's clan forged ahead in the last frames and nosed out the White Sox halting their losing streak. Wood scored on singles by Nunamaker and Jameson. Score by innings:

R H E Chicago 010 300 001 0—5 11 1 Cleveland 000 031 001—4 14 0 Batteries, Faber and Schalk; Mails, Morton and Nunamaker. Umpires, Evans and Nallin.

Shocker Beats Tigers St. Louis, April 24.—Williams hit another circuit clout today bringing his total to five for three days. Shocker held the Tigers safe all the way. Jacobson crashed a homer off Oldham. Score by innings:

R H E Detroit 000 000 020—2 9 1 St. Louis 023 010 000—6 11 0 Batteries, Daus, Oldham and Bassler; Shocker and Sevier. Umpires, Moriarty, Hilderband and Dinesen.

National League

Philadelphia, April 24.—The Giants got to Hubbell in the third and sent three men clattering across for the necessary tallies. Douglas was in rare form with men on bases. Score by innings:

R H E St. Louis 000 000 000—3 3 3 Philadelphia 000 000 000—3 0 0 Batteries, Daus, Oldham and Bassler; Shocker and Sevier. Umpires, Moriarty, Hilderband and Dinesen.

Cubs Stopped Pirates Chicago, April 24.—Aldridge stopped the Pirates winning streak and held them to five lone bingles. Aldridge hit a triple with two men on the paths that helped considerably in the victory. Score by innings:

R H E Pittsburgh 200 090 000—2 5 1 Chicago 100 000 012—4 12 1 Batteries, Cooper and Gooch; Aldridge and O'Farrell. Umpires, Sentell and Klem.

Braves Beat Dodgers Boston, April 24.—The Braves took the Dodgers into camp in a weird game. The Boston pitchers were given excellent support. Score by innings:

R H E Brooklyn 000 040 102—7 10 2 Boston 013 011 11x—8 10 0 Batteries, Mitchell, Mammaux and Hungling; Watson and O'Neill. Umpires, Hart and O'Day.

Cardinals Win From Reds Cincinnati, April 24.—St. Louis took the second game from the Reds today through poor fielding on the part of the losers. Score by innings:

R H E St. Louis 001 003 020—6 7 0 Reds 000 002 011—4 12 1 Batteries, Felicia and Almsmith; Donohue, Marklen and Winsco. Umpires, Moran, Quigley and Emale.

THE STANDINGS

Table with columns for National League, American League, and International League, listing teams and their records.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Table listing results of games from the previous day, including National League and American League games.

HOW THEY WROTE ADS.

AWAY BACK IN 1769

Since the popular favor now all over the country is for early American antiques, especially in furniture, it may not be amiss to show how the old time furniture dealers advertised their wares. Following will be found advertisements used in 1769 and later in Philadelphia newspapers. Looking over modern furniture advertisements by Watkins Brothers one is struck by a great similarity in ideas, although experts say advertisements have taken great strides in the last 25 years. It will be seen that the advertiser, one John Mason, first called himself an "upholsterer" and later an "upholsterer." Here are the ads:

From the Pennsylvania Gazette. November 16, 1774. JOHN MASON, Upholsterer. At the Corner of Front and Market Streets.

Carries on the Upholstery Business. In all its various branches, and shall be extremely obliged to those Ladies and Gentlemen that will please to employ him, and they may depend on having their orders neatly and carefully executed.

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FLASHES FROM FAR AND NEAR

Princess Mary Is 25 London, April 25.—The Princess Mary celebrated her twenty-fifth birthday at Newmarket. Viscount Lascelles, her husband, presented her with a very costly gift it is understood.

Jockeys Assaulted Policeman New York, April 25.—Lawrence Lyke, a prominent jockey, and Thomas McTaggart, formerly well known as a rider, are under arrest, charged with assaulting a policeman, following an altercation brought on by the policeman's charge that Lyke was guilty of recklessly driving an automobile.

Radio Lecture On Bugs Schenectady, N. Y., April 25.—Dr. E. F. Felt, state entomologist, has the distinction of delivering the first radio lecture on "bugs." Through the General Electric's broadcasting station, Dr. Felt last night talked about bugs to the members of the Madison Entomological Club of the University of Wisconsin, 800 miles away.

Railway Wage Hearings Chicago, April 25.—Several weeks are expected to elapse before the United States Railway Labor Board hands down its decision on petitions by railroads for reduction in wages of their employes. Hearings that began seven weeks ago were concluded late yesterday.

The New Bonus Plan Washington, April 25.—Hantford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion, and R. G. Woodside, commander in chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, were today to tell the Republican members of the Senate finance committee whether the new McCumber soldiers bonus plan is acceptable to them.

Track Walker Killed New York, April 26.—Kusma Kurshman, a track walker, employed by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, was instantly killed today and his brother, John, also a track-walker narrowly escaped death when a subway express train suddenly surprised them while walking on the tracks. John heard the rumble of the train and jumped out of the way but Kusma was taken by surprise and was crushed to death.

75,000 FRENCHMEN DIED IN WAR FROM OWN GUNS Paris.—"Because of a false conception of offensive principles, by lack of liaison between artillery and infantry and by the irrational use of heavy artillery 75,000 Frenchmen were killed in the war by their own artillery." This is the astounding revelation made by General Etienne Percin, once commander of a French army corps, in his latest book, "The Massacre of Our Infantry."

Referring to the cost of munitions in the war and in order to give what he calls an example of the waste shown during battles General Percin remarks: "As a result of waste of ammunition from August 2, 1914, to November 11, 1918, we spent 26,000,000,000 francs in munitions, or one-seventh of our total war expenses."

BACK BAD TODAY? Backache is usually kidney-ache and makes you dull, nervous and tired. Use Doan's Kidney Pills for weak kidneys—the remedy recommended by your friends and neighbors. Ask your neighbor!

C. E. Brewer, 140 Pearl St., S. Manchester, says: "Some time ago I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills for a continual dull aching pain in my back which was very annoying on account of having to use my back in bending and stooping so much at my work. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills cured the pain. I know how good Doan's Kidney Pills are and can speak highly of them. (Statement given May 1, 1916.)"

On Feb. 25, 1921, Mr. Brewer said: "The relief Doan's Kidney Pills gave me several years ago has become permanent. I can recommend Doan's to anyone troubled with their kidneys. I don't have to use them now." Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Brewer had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mrs. Buffalo, N. Y.

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SULFUR AS FERTILIZER

Important Plant Food, But Usually Abundant in Soil

Frequent inquiries received at the New York Agricultural Experiment Station at Geneva regarding the use of sulfur as a fertilizer have called forth a communication from the Station on the subject in which it is stated that, while sulfur is undoubtedly an essential plant food, there is usually a sufficient supply in all fertile soils to meet the demands of most crops. In addition to forming a part of the proteins, which are the basis of all plant growth, sulfur also plays an important part in the flavor of such crops as cabbage, turnips, mustard, onions, etc. Large crops of cabbage are said to remove from 30 to 35 pounds of sulfur per acre, while cereal crops will use from 8 to 10 pounds and beans, peas and other legumes about 15 pounds per acre. To offset this demand, most fertile soils contain from 300 to 500 pounds of sulfur in the upper 6 to 8 inches, while the rain and snow bring to the soil annually from 6 to 10 pounds per acre.

Sulfur as such in the soil is of no immediate value to the crop, say the Station experts, as it must undergo certain chemical changes which convert it into sulfate before it can be used as food by the plant. The beneficial effects on plant growth of land plaster, (which is sulfate of lime) have long been recognized and this compound is added to the soil whenever acid phosphates are applied. Where sulfur occurs in a free state in the soil, it is attacked by certain bacteria, usually present in large numbers in fertile soil, and is converted into sulfate. During this process insoluble phosphorus and potassium compounds may also be rendered available as plant food, so that sometimes sulfur might be added to a soil to good advantage, especially if the soil has been cropped for a long time. The continued application of sulfur to soils inclined to be acid is said to increase the acidity somewhat unless sufficient lime is added to counter balance the acid. This phase of the matter may be especially important on potato soils as potato scab is more prevalent in acid soils.

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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS WOULD REGULATE DAN CUPID BY LAW

Seven Million Women Will Fight for Uniform Marriage and Divorce Laws, Health Certificates, Notices of Intention and Four Grounds for Divorce—Proceedings at Baltimore Will Be Broadcasted by Radio.

BROADCASTED BY RADIO

Baltimore, April 25.—The proceedings of all the sessions of the third annual convention of the League of Women Voters opening tomorrow will be broadcasted over the country by radio.

The 1922 woman's interest in science will be demonstrated by Miss Abby P. Morrison, New York society girl and expert radio operator.

Miss Morrison, who became an expert electrician in the war, teaches radio operating to a class of girls in one of New York's colleges.

She has sent the League of Women Voters word that she can handle alone the job of broadcasting the news of the convention throughout the United States.

Regulating Cupid

Baltimore, Md., April 25.—Cupid's activities will be regulated and "divorce easy" colonies put out of business, if the League of Women Voters has its way.

Uniform marriage and divorce laws which would aim to sound the death knell for Gretna Greens and divorce colonies like Reno are recommended in a report to be presented to the third annual convention of the league, which formally opens here tomorrow.

"Equal alimony rights," for men were advocated in an interview by Catherine White McCulloch, well known woman lawyer of Chicago, chairman of the committee which will submit the report.

"If a man marries a wealthy woman and she encourages him to believe that he will have an interest in her property, he should be given the right to claim alimony in case of a divorce," said Mrs. McCulloch. "Also if the woman has money, he should have the same alimony rights as a woman under the law if he is incapacitated or old."

Will Adopt Report

According to league leaders the report of Mrs. McCulloch's committee will be adopted and a drive started by the organization which represents about 7,000,000 women voters to put the recommendations on the statute books of every state.

Health certificates would be required in each state from every couple applying for a marriage license, if the laws proposed are adopted.

Elopers would have their impenitence checked by a provision demanding a five or ten days notice of intention to marry before a marriage license was granted.

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Sense and Nonsense

Howdy, men! Made up your mind where you are going to camp this summer? Neither has my wife.

Health Hint. Brag about her cooking.

There are seven or eight things we don't understand (sarcastic voice from rear of the hall: "Oh, impossible!") and one of 'em is why a climate in which one shovels snow and cuts grass in the same day is called "temperate."

When you see what happens to many a man with money poverty doesn't seem such an unmixed curse; after all.

Mary said a little damn, In subdue style, you know, But her mother washed her mouth with soap In the style of long ago.

We sometimes wish Justice would grab that bandage off her eyes and take a look.

Boys Will Be Boys. Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 16.—James Munroe, 106 years old, was arrested today on a charge of being drunk and disorderly.—Newspaper dispatch.

Bathing suit: The alibi used to get a shape into the public print.

Much for Little. One of our wealthy society women says she spends \$18,000 a year for clothes alone. That seems a lot of money to pay for next to nothing.

"It is the nature of man, when spring time comes, to wish to work in the soil," says a writer in a current magazine. Probably the writer knew better when he wrote it. When the spring time comes it is the nature of man to want to lay off and fish, or play golf, or sit and spit. The only reason he works in the soil is because his wife makes him.

The Cartoonist. There was once a cartoonist named Best, Who thought he would feather his nest, So he drew funny papers, Four our best daily papers, And he'll soon be as right as the rest.

Fool Questions. "Jerry," asks: "Is it the hard work it does that makes the powder puff?" Oh, girls shame on you!!!

We saw a couple of young women going up the street yesterday who have been wearing some excuse for stockings, but if they were, you couldn't tell it across the street. Even rubbernecks were disgusted by their vulgar display, as a rubberneck never fails to have something left to the imagination.

Poems for Your Ash Can. He caught five kings and shortly there Arose a merry chuckle, Of course the other players knew 'The card deck was pinocchio.

This is a good time to strike, because if you leave your job now, you may never have to go back to it again.

Liberty bonds are worth almost their face value now. We may expect Uncle Sam to arise any day and say, "I told you so."

TIMELY POULTRY NOTES. Don't relax! The fowls need proper attention just the same in the pleasant weather of spring time as they did in the more rigorous winter weather now past.

If the slop or refuse from the kitchen is fed to the chickens it should be done while fresh and not allowed to stand until sour. Scatter or scatter the slop freely about the houses and yards; it goes a long way towards preventing disease.

It is always easier and better to prevent sickness by proper care and timely forethought than by trying to dope and doctor after it is too late. Now that winter weather is coming on, gape worms will soon put in an appearance in certain localities. They can often be prevented by putting a few drops of turpentine in each quart of water—and scattering air-shaken lime about the coops and runs.

Avoid over-crowding. It is bad practice with fowls of all ages, but especially with youngsters. Chickens with mother hens or in brooders of ten are crowded at night. When they get out in the morning most of them are better salaried, make struzz take cold and this often develops into a crop, which is usually fatal in the case of young chicks.

Too many farmers still pursue the old-fashioned policy of breeding from the whole flock of poultry. It is far better to have just one or two small pens of your choicest fowls from which to get eggs and hatch chicks. Thus your standard of quality will show improvement from year to year.

The various brands of prepared chick feed are good and economical to use. They save time, make struzz chicks, and do away with the uncertainty of mixing a correct ration at home.—Farm Life.

RELIEF WORKER IN RUSSIA. (T. H. Dickenson, in Tribune.) The peasants have no food. For our part, we have to carry our own provisions, and we can eat only in the cottages, the weather being bitterly cold outside. One of our difficulties of travel in the famine regions was to take out the stores of cocoa, canned meats and condensed milk, which to us had become wearisome almost to nausea, and yet not to give it all away to the clustered peasants in one grand gesture. But one can not be too sensitive if one wants to

CHINESE LANTERN FEAST.

Gods Welcomed Back from Vacation by Seings and Parades.

Shanghai, April.—New Orleans may have its Mardi Gras, St. Louis its Veiled Prophet Parade, Paris its Bastille Day, Dallas its State Fair, but Shanghai has its Lantern Feast and Festival.

Pink rabbits—the kind that grow only in dreams, story books, and Chinese—exquisite lotus blossoms, red fish, with great staring eyes; yellow dragons, with long, undulating bodies, and any number of other flowers, fish and animals are invading the Chinese city and the settlement and giving a bright note of color and romance to gray, rainy Shanghai.

The annual Lantern Festival and Feast of the Lanterns has just been celebrated in China.

In the Chinese homes the older boys made the lanterns of paper, cloth and bamboo for their little brothers and sisters to carry on Lantern Day.

There are many superstitions and customs regarding the Lantern Festival, which, by the way, is one of the most spectacular of the many Chinese religious celebrations.

The Feast of the Lanterns dates back some two thousand years to the Han dynasty—and was originally a ceremonial worship held during the first full moon of the new year to bring the New Year's celebrations officially to a close.

Chinese also declare that during the Chinese New Year all the gods have been off to heaven on a vacation and that on their return to the earth the people give them a cordial welcome by shooting off firecrackers, holding lantern processions, giving theatricals and employing the singing boys to clang the cymbals and blow their flutes in the temples and private gardens.

In the interior cities of China and even in Shanghai picturesque lantern processions are held. Hundreds of boys, in gorgeously embroidered coats, carrying the lighted gods upon one foot in length, wind their way through the narrow, dark little streets crowded with laughing, chatting Chinese, all "out for a good time."

The feature of a procession is the great, wriggling, undulating dragon, from thirty to forty feet in length, which is carried on the shoulders of boys whose heads are hidden in the brilliantly illuminated facsimile body of the great monster.

Bands of Chinese, costumed in reds and greens, richly embroidered and with elaborate headresses, playing the haunting music of the Orient, are features of the procession.

Besides the great flower lanterns which are very beautiful, are trick animals, performing horses, water buffaloes drawing water, various gods upon one foot in length, and great illuminated busts of heroes of China and even of America.

The handle-ends from the dragons are sought by childless women, eager for souvenirs.

Lanterns are hung on the pagoda, which reach toward the sky like great pine trees, and when lighted the pagodas give the effect, at a distance, of giant Christmas trees. In the temples special prayers are offered by the Taoists, and theatricals lasting three days are held in many Buddhist temples.

Girls who come to China during the Chinese New Year celebrations had a glimpse into the picturesque Orient, which is unchanged by foreign influence.

UNITED HEARTS.

That sounds sentimental, doesn't it? But, as a matter of fact, it is merely the name of a delicious sandwich, recommended by Mary Masor Wright in the May Designer.

Twenty-four-hour-old bread in about one-fourth-inch slices, spread one-half of them sparingly with butter, and then spread with a piment mixture, made by draining the piment of all liquid, drying them then forcing them through a potato ricer or potato-strainer, and mixing them with salt. Cut these out with a heart-shaped cutter, also the rest of the slices with a heart-shaped cutter, and the centers too. Spread these with finely minced chicken mixed with a little mayonnaise, and placed on top of the other slices.

PAINS ACROSS SMALL OF BACK

Husband Helped in Housework—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her Strong

Poston, Oregon.—"I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for pains across the small of my back. My husband was so badly that I could do my work only with the help of my husband. One day he saw the 'ad.' in our paper, telling what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was doing for women, so I began to take it. It has helped me wonderfully. I am feeling fine, do all my housework and washing for seven in the family. I have been irregular too, and now am all right. I am telling my friends what it has done for me, and am sure it will do good for others. You can use this letter as a testimonial. I will stand up for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound any time."—Mrs. Wm. J. Foster, Poston, Oregon.

Doing the housework for a family of seven is some task. If you, as a housewife, are troubled with backache, irregularities, are easily tired out and irritable, or have other disagreeable ailments, get a box of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. Let it help you.

TRUCK MACHINE WINS.

Wayne Dinsmore, head of the Horse Association of America, firmly expresses the belief that power farming are costly delusion and that horses are inevitably more profitable than tractors.

C. F. Charlson, head of the Society of Automotive Engineers, on the other hand, declares that the tractor of today makes possible better crops at less cost. And he approves the recent statement of a British engineer that "just as the motor vehicle is driving the horse from the public roads, so will the motor tractor inevitably usurp the place of the horse on the majority of the arable farms of the world."

Each man, of course, says what he might be expected to say. It is an endless debate between the man of horses and man of machines. The farmer is the judge between them. He loves horses, but when he wants to go somewhere he prefers the motor vehicle rather than the buggy. So in the end, the logic lies with the machine, no matter what the present argument may be.—Farm Life.

WITHIN THE ATOM

Lectures given during March at various American centers of learning by Dr. F. W. Aston of Cambridge made a notable contribution to the general knowledge of the remarkable advances of the moment in physical chemistry. More and more it is coming to be taken for granted that the chemical elements are made up of identically the same stuff, and that they differ only in their structural arrangements. More and more the passage from one element to another which has so dumbfounded science when it was first observed taking place spontaneously is coming to be a matter of course and something which we may ultimately hope to control.—Scientific American.

DUCTLESS GLANDS.

The past few decades have seen enormous progress in various branches of biological research—particularly in the investigation of the mechanism of the bodily and mental activities. Anatomy had progressed to a point where the detailed structures of the body were subject to the minutest investigation. But the question of the activities of the body functioning as a whole, was still subject to much doubt, and little was known of the nature of the dynamic forces which were at work in the actual operation of the body and its various separate organs.

It may be admitted at once that such is yet to be learned concerning these various processes. Science is as yet on the very fringe of the innermost recesses of life; and while research has been discovered as to the body itself, and its grosser forms of activity, little is yet known as to its "finer" activities, and those subtle energies which are manifested under abnormal conditions, or in that matter, even during its ordinary processes of functioning. Nevertheless, great progress has been made, particularly within the past few years; and this is nowhere more manifest than in the recent researches upon the activities of the ductless glands. The functions of the ordinary glands of the body such as the salivary gland, the sweat gland, etc., have been long understood. All of these glands are provided with minute canals, or "ducts," which lead either to the exterior of the body or into the internal blood-stream, and secrete certain substances whose nature has long been known. In addition to these, however, we possess certain "ductless glands" so called because they do not possess any canal or duct which conveys their secretion either to the outer work or into the blood-stream direct. These glands have recently been shown to possess an extreme importance, and, though they are very minute, their functions have been shown to be so necessary that without them we should soon die; and, on the other hand, without them we should never have been able to grow up into sane, normal human beings.—Scientific American.

IT'S A SAD TALE FOR SODA POP IS PASSE!

Kansas City, Mo.—Don't take your sapper friend into the corner drug store and call for "soda pop."

There's no such thing, according to the Missouri Soda Water Manufacturers' Association, which recently met in convention here. It's "soda water," and there's no "pop" about it.

"Soda pop" was originally a home-made drink, and the formula can be "old" without fear of "prohibition prosecution," said one manufacturer.

"Its principal ingredients were water, vinegar and baking soda with a fruit flavoring. When the cork was pulled it made a loud 'pop' not unlike the explosion of certain 'home brews,' and from that it got its name.

"There is no soda 'pop' any more. The bottled soda water of today is entirely different, and we have put the name of 'pop' into the discard. 'Pop' bottles will continue to be thrown at baseball umpires.

SHOULD HAVE USED GASOLINE

(Salem News) Those who stood up for the christening of the Henry Ford when it was brought to Essex know that it was not champagne that was in the bottle. From all reports it was nothing more or less than a bottle of water. Perhaps that is why the boat was discouraged and clamped up on Essex Bay.

BRUISES—SPRAINS

Apply Vicks Vapo-Rub to the affected part. It will relieve the pain and reduce the swelling.

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NEWS FROM SURROUNDING TOWNS

MARLBOROUGH

Work has begun again on the Hartford-New London turnpike in Dark Hollow. Last fall this stretch of road of about one half mile in length remained unfinished on account of the cold weather. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts Saturday. H. Dorman gave an opening dance

of his store and hall last Saturday night. There was a large attendance of townspeople as well as a good many from out of town. State Inspector R. A. Haines of Hartford has been in town recently inspecting the farmers' cows, stables and surroundings. Dr. E. M. Keene of Glastonbury was in town on business Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hart E. Buell of Gilead were in town calling on friends the first of the week.

COLUMBIA

Columbia Grange held a meeting on Wednesday evening, but as the evening was stormy there was only small attendance. During the lecturer's hour there was a reading by Mrs. W. H. Carpenter, a mystical selection was given on the piano by Mrs. Clayton E. Hunt, and a very interesting address on gardening was delivered by Madison Woodward. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lyman and Mrs. Raymond Squier spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wiley at their home on the Green. Frank Mitchell, who was employed in connection with the building of the state roads in town recently, has been living in Thompson and more recently in Willimantic. Lately he bought the Denison Avery place and an acre of land belonging to the estate of John W. Fuller and expects to take possession shortly. Frank Bogue of Bolton has recently bought the Schillinger place on the Pine street road, and moved his household goods there on Saturday. Edward Stiles of Tobacco street is and is a patient in St. Joseph's hospital, Willimantic. During the past year he has been raising and selling tobacco. On Thursday his son passed through the center with a load of baled tobacco leaves, weighing 1,000 pounds, which he was taking to Manchester for delivery. Early Friday and Saturday mornings there was hail and rain, and in the rain barrels, and the ground was frozen, the thermometer being 22 degrees only at H. W. Porter's store. The flowers of a large magnolia bush, which had just come into full bloom were blasted, and those on another bush which were just ready to bloom were also blasted. It is the opinion of some that the blossoms on the pear and peach trees are killed, but not the apple blossoms. A. A. Latham has purchased a building site on the Pine street road, about half a mile from the Green, from Fred A. Hunt, where he expects to build a home for himself. The first annual meeting of the Columbia Improvement Society which was organized a year ago, was held at the Town hall on Saturday evening. Plans for the improvement of the Green, and means for the procuring of funds for the purpose were considered. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. H. Carpenter, president; Mrs. Henry B. Hutchins, secretary; H. W. Porter, treasurer; Hubert P. Collins, Rowland L. Cobb, Clayton E. Hunt and Mrs. Lester J. Hutchins, directors. The case against Edward Phillips for having a rabbit in his possession during the closed season for hunting, which was decided against him, and which he appealed to the superior court, was heard at Rockville on Tuesday last, before Judge Haines. On Friday the judge rendered his opinion, reaffirming the verdict of the lower court, adjudging him guilty. The lawyer, Samuel B. Harvey, gave notice of an appeal to the supreme court. The sermon on Sunday morning was on the text, "Lord increase our faith." The speaker said the disciples prayed for spiritual ability to "manage their lives with humility and faith." He asked the question, "Does our faith increase as do the inventions in the world?" The Lord asks us to worship an unseen God, and if we can respond to it, our lives will be worth while, as faith is "the victory that overcomes the world." A local cyclone of considerable force which appeared to travel down the highway from the direction of the lake, stopped at the home of W. H. Carpenter, tearing off the roof of his woodhouse, a building about 20 by 30 feet, scattering the shingles, boards and rafters over his grounds, and some falling into the building, after which the force of the cyclone appeared to be spent.

COVENTRY

Miss Marion Griswold spent the week end at her home in Hazardsville. The midweek prayer meeting will be held at the home of Fred Chase this evening. The Ladies' Fragment Society will meet tomorrow afternoon. Also at this time the annual meeting of the Coventry Red Cross society will be held at the chapel at 2:30 o'clock. The advance class in dressmaking conducted by Miss Mason of Connecticut Agricultural College will be held Thursday all day. The Ready Helpers regular monthly meeting and social will be held Friday evening. The Grange cast will repeat "Polly Wants a Cracker" at Bolton Hall Saturday evening. The proceeds are to go toward paying for a telephone at Bolton Station. Following the play there will be dancing. The usual interest has been shown in the Older Boy Conference and the following boys will be sent as delegates from the Second Congregational Sunday school and Christian Endeavor society: Gerald Richter, George Vinton, Otis Hill, Lloyd Ayer, Lester Hill and Franklin Orcutt. Mrs. Michiel Heckler has returned after spending the winter in New York. Mrs. S. Noble Loomis is recovering health rapidly after her recent operation at the Manchester Memorial hospital. Mrs. Fred Chamberlin expects to return to her home this week after spending several months in Boston undergoing treatments. She is still in a serious condition. Mrs. F. Peasley has again returned to her home in Coventry. R. W. Palmer and family have moved into their newly built home in Brewster street. Mrs. C. Hayes and family have moved into their home recently bought from F. Cummings on the main road. Those who will go to Tolland to compete in the spelling and speaking contest are George Miller and Steve Lojourn. These two won out in the contest in the schools of the town and will now compete for the county prize. Words has been received from Millinocket, Maine, that Crystal Rossnagel, daughter of Rev. John Rossnagel, former pastor, is in the hospital undergoing an operation for appendicitis. The young woman who is so well supplied with money and so lacking in ambition that she has to adopt a pad in order to keep going, is one of the earth's sad spectacles because she is in the mental junkpile and doesn't know it.

WAPPING

The Girl Reserves will meet tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. Charles Hevenor, and as there are some special matters to come up relative to the Manchester conference, it is urged that all be present. The regular weekly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held tomorrow evening, the opening session being in the study of the Methodist parsonage. Among those recently reported ill in town are Evelyn Geer with diphtheria, Erwin Skoughton with bronchitis, Mrs. Marian Pierce and Dorothy Frink with grip.

BETTER HOMES IDEA

Chicago.—President Harding has given his personal endorsement to the movement inaugurated by the American Homes Bureau, for a national "Better Homes Week" to be instituted next October as an annual event. "It gives me special pleasure," wrote President Harding, in reply to a letter from William B. Wendorf, "to record my endorsement and approval of the 'Better Homes Week.' It may be trite, but it is everlastingly true that the home is the cornerstone of our civilization. Better homes more attractive homes, homes whose occupants will find true rest and real inspiration, to increased efforts for education and culture—such homes are the ones which assure greatest stability to our institutions, greatest security to our society. I cannot but feel that the effort you are taking is one which deserves a wider projection, and I would be glad if your example might presently be an inspiration to a nation-wide enterprise of the same kind."

The idea back of the "Better Homes Week" movement is to educate the American people to make the home beautiful and thereby create a home environment that will have a lasting cultural influence upon the nation. It is planned during the week set aside for the purpose to demonstrate in exposition and exhibits of model rooms and homes in towns and cities throughout the country the facility with which even people of small means may make their homes harmonious and attractive.

RAINFALL BRINGS ERA OF BATH TO EMPORIA

Emporia, Kan.—This town has been on its greatest souse since last fall. No, don't call Izzy Einstein, the New York rum sleuth. It's a souse in the bathtub, with plenty of water. Emporians have been on reduced water rations during the long-continued drought in this part of the wheat belt, broken only recently by a perfectly nice little rainfall. The water supply had to be guarded, and the town was put on water rations, so to speak. The use of the bathtub anytime but Saturday nights was regarded as a downright crime, and there was even an agitation at one time during the drought to have a bathtub inspector make the rounds on Saturday nights to see that no bather was using more water than was properly needed to get wet. But all that is now at an end. Folk here can take two baths in rapid succession if they think one soaking is not enough, and a brighter and even a cleaner era has dawned on the community. There's water again, and Emporia has been having a grand "soak."

TOWN ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that there will be a Special Town Meeting of the legal voters of the Town of Manchester, at High School Hall, in said Manchester, on Monday, May 1st, 1922, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, (Standard Time) for the following purposes, to wit: 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to purchase for the use of the Town for purpose of obtaining a supply of gravel for its highways, three lots of land on the "Greenacres Tract," so-called. 2. To see if the Town will authorize and empower its Selectmen to sell and convey certain small parcels or lots of land located on the Tract known as "Morningside Park." 3. To see if the Town will vote to improve Main Street, from Center Street southerly to Charter Oak Street, said improvements to include the widening of Main Street, causing the trolley tracks to be placed in or near the center of said street, to pave said street and to otherwise improve the same and to make an appropriation for the purpose of paying for such improvements. 4. To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to acquire land for the purpose of widening Main Street from Charter Oak Street northerly to Park Street, on the westerly side of said Main Street, and to make an appropriation therefor. 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate money for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of the Town, now represented by notes aggregating Ninety Thousand (\$90,000.00) Dollars; and for the purpose of raising the amount so appropriated to authorize the Selectmen to issue bonds or notes or other evidences of the indebtedness to an amount not exceeding Ninety Thousand (\$90,000.00) Dollars, or to take any other appropriate action in relation thereto. Dated at Manchester, Connecticut, this 24th day of April, 1922. William C. Cheney, J. A. Aitken, John H. Hyde, R. V. Trout, Arthur E. Bowers, Selectmen of the Town of Manchester, Connecticut.

BOLTON

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones and daughter were the guests of Mrs. R. K. Jones over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. T. Roy Carpenter of Westfield, Mass., spent Sunday with Mrs. Carpenter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loomis. Miss Helen Matheln who is employed in Hartford spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. Matheln. Ernest Strong of Hartford spent the week-end with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strong. Miss Catherine Troland, teacher at the South school, has returned after a week's vacation spent with her parents in New London. Miss Troland was the only teacher in town who was entitled to a vacation at this time, the others having had time to make up. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lee attended the funeral of Mrs. Lee's grandmother, Mrs. Bentley of Rockville, Thursday. Miss Annie Bausola of Ellington spent the week-end with Mrs. Myron Lee. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McGurk and family of Hartford visited in town Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Alvord spent the week-end at their home here. Mrs. F. D. Finley and daughter, Ruth, have returned to South Bolton, after spending ten days at their home at the Center.

HIGHLAND PARK

At a recent meeting of the Ladies' Sewing Circle, of the Highland Park Community Club, the members voted to hold regular meetings on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month. As a result of this change the Sewing Circle will meet tomorrow at 3:30. A new sewing machine recently procured with funds raised by the ladies, will be pressed into service for the first time at this meeting. A bride of the Bahama tribe in Uganda shows that she accepts the bridegroom as her husband by taking a monthly of milk and squeezing it over him.

Steiger's Hartford Beginning Wednesday The Great Semi-Annual HOSIERY SALE WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY - FRIDAY SATURDAY Everybody should come to this sale for it means savings of from 20 per cent. to 50 per cent. on an item that must be bought always. Our share of a great purchase by the Steiger Stores is 25,000 pairs of dependable Steiger quality Hosiery for women and children and we offer them to you at very great reductions as indicated below. It will pay you to come to Hartford for these values PURE DYE SILK AT 59c Irregulars of \$1.20 Grade. Of pure dye silk in black, white and various colors. Seamless feet, with seams backs and mercerized tops. Slight irregularities in knitting. SILK AND FIBRE AT 69c Irregulars of \$1.25 Grade. Of pure silk and fibre mixed, seamless, in pretty mixtures of black and silver, cordovan and silver. Desirable sport stockings. 25,000 Pairs of Excellent Quality for Women and Children. PURE SILK FULL-FASHIONED AT \$1.09 Irregulars of \$3.00 Grade. These have mercerized tops and the colors are black, white and various shades in a desirable weight. SPORT HOSE AT \$1.45 Regular Value \$2.50. * New sport stockings in the much wanted tweed shades; of full-fashioned pure silk and mercerized lisle, in nude, periwinkle, Lovatt green and rose. PURE SILK AT \$1.55 Regular Value \$1.95. In pure silk with lisle tops, seamless, with white clocks on black and black clocks on white. SILK AND WOOL AT \$3.25 Regular Value \$4.00. In black and silver, light weight, silk and wool stockings with pretty side clocks. BOYS' STOCKINGS AT 18c 3 PAIRS FOR 50c These are regularly 25c. They are of medium weight cotton, fast black, seamless, narrow rib for ages four to sixteen. CHILDREN'S PAST BLACK HOSE AT 25c Regular 39c Value. Of fine gauge medium weight cotton in the broad rib style; fast black, cordovan or pure white. CHILDREN'S THREE-QUARTER HOSE AT 35c 3 PAIRS FOR \$1.00. Value 50c per pair. Three-quarter hose in fine mercerized lisle, white grounds, with tops in various pretty stripe effects. This Will Be the Biggest Hosiery Sale in the History of Hartford Stockings At and Below Cost. Sale on the Main Floor. Steiger-Vedder Co



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Advertisements not exceeding two inches, of Public Entertainments only will be received to run above the "About Town" news at \$1.00 per inch each insertion.



Miss Helen Kanehl was given a surprise party at her home on Friday night by about eighty of her friends. During the evening games were played and refreshments were served.

The brick work on the new addition to the Vendrilla block is nearly finished and the carpenters are busy framing the roof. The rear part of the building will be stuccoed and made into an attractive business block.

BIG PRICE CUT AT THE DANCE

IN THE K. OF C. HALL

THURSDAY EVG., APRIL 27

Satriano's Orchestra of Hartford.
Admission, including tax, 35 Cents.

Patrick Gorman is building a new house on Cottage street. The cellar is nearly finished and it is expected that work will be started shortly on the framework.

President Scott H. Simon of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce has appointed delegates to the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States to be held in Washington May 16, 17, 18. The Manchester chamber is entitled to two delegates and two alternates. Elwood S. Ela, who is a member of the National Council, will head the delegation and Herbert B. House has been appointed to serve with him. The alternates are O. F. Toop and F. J. Bendall.

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Normandy Swisses, yard . . . 75c
These beautiful soft summer fabrics come in a variety of over forty different patterns.

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A wonderful range of 30 different shades.

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Novelty Ratine, Yard . . . 98c to \$1.50
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Fancy Ratines, yard . . . 99c
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In all the desirable evening and street shades.
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36 Inch Selfé Silk, yard . . . 50c
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45 Inch All Wool Jersey Suiting, Shrunken Storm Serge, yard \$1.35
54 Inch All Wool Jersey Suiting, yard . . . \$1.98
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Banner Pins, Sewing Week Special . . . 6c
Full 300 count. Our regular 10c pins.

STEEL SCISSORS
At Half Price

50c Steel Scissors, pair . . . 25c
These are an excellent grade of imported scissors in sharp, or blunt and embroidery scissors, cigar cutting scissors and several styles small size shears.

75c Scissors and Shears, Sale Price . . . 39c

At no time during the past 6 years have we been able to offer such values in scissors and if the new tariff goes into effect it will be an equally long time before you can buy them again at these prices.

36 inch Long Cloth, Sewing Week Special \$1.49 . . . Piece

Soft chamios finish for underwear. Our regular \$1.75 quality for piece of 10 yards. Regular 22c a yard. Special for this sale 16c.

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Extra fine quality of cambric, suitable for underwear. Our regular 29c grade.

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Our regular 28c grade. Suitable for underwear, pillow cases or sheets. Limit: 10 yards.

