

## "BEST" CITIZENS NEGLECT VOTING FOR BOND ISSUE

### Small Group of Voters Could Have Plunged Town Into Mess of Trouble—Approved 254-18.

In a referendum vote at a special election here Saturday the town of Manchester was bonded to the extent of \$356,000 to pay for special appropriations which have already been undertaken. It was the largest bond issue the town has ever sought.

In the special election only 272 voters took the privilege to register their approval or disapproval of the issue. The vote was 254 for the bond issue, 18 against. Had the issue been voted down the town, and the Board of Selectmen principally, would have been plunged into a considerable amount of trouble. The laying of an additional tax to cover the expense would have been an immediate necessity. Then would have followed court action and the added difficulty of collecting the taxes, not to mention the town thrown upon its property owners to pay a twenty mill rate on the new assessments.

**List is Checked.**  
Newspaper men at the polls Saturday night when they were officially closed, checked over the voting list to ascertain the names of those who had voted and those who had neglected the privilege. It was found that 4,072 of the 4,690 registered voters were present. There are very close to 7,000 voters on the lists in Manchester.

Only 7 local manufacturers out of a possible 33 who are voters, went to the polls Saturday. Several officials failed to vote; several heads of school work, many ministers, heads of local organizations devoted to the welfare of Manchester and those who are devoted to the civic interest in general, were among the number of voters and taxpayers who failed to exercise the privilege.

## WOMEN IN CONGRESS STAND UP FOR MEN

### Say That Representatives in Washington Need No Investigation—Are Patriotic and Honest.

Washington, March 22.—The fulsome criticism of Congress which is now apparently a popular pastime throughout the country, finds no echo of sympathy from the three women who comprise the "feminine bloc" in the House of Representatives.

On the heels of a resolution through which Rep. Thomas, Democrat, of Oklahoma, seeks to have Congress investigate itself and see if there is any foundation for the criticism, came strong recommendation of the harried legislators today from Rep. Florence P. Kahn, Republican, of Calif., Mary I. Norton, Democrat of New York, and Elizabeth Rogers, Republican, of Mass.

**Thomas is Shocked.**  
"I am shocked," said Thomas, "when I am forced to take notice of some of the teachings, admissions and denials I hear and see upon every hand. Through books, magazines, newspapers, editorials, sermons, lectures and addresses, doctrines are being broadcast which constitute a mass indictment of Congress. I have never seen any foundation for the charge. There was no excessive drinking."

**Make Fun of Congress.**  
"I am sick and tired of hearing people make fun of Congress," said Mrs. Kahn. "Such an attitude makes for contempt of Congress and ultimately for contempt of law."

"The man or woman who criticizes the government and has nothing constructive to offer in its place, is not worthy of the great honor of being an American citizen," said Mrs. Norton.

Mrs. Rogers thought she had not been in Congress long enough to form judgments on the whole, but she believed it was composed of a fine body of men.

"They really treat a woman much better than they treat one another," said Mrs. Rogers. "I never feel like an outsider. One is greatly impressed with the courtesy of the men, who never act as though we were in the way."

## WOMAN THROWN OUT OF 3RD STORY WINDOW

Boston, March 22.—A young woman, who said she is Mrs. Helen Drew, 21, of Brooklyn, N. Y., either fell or was thrown from a third story window of an apartment house at 39 Peterboro street, Back Bay, today.

She struck the sidewalk in the courtyard and was seriously injured. Charles Brown, the apartment house janitor, who saw the body of the young woman hurtle through the air, observed her hat and coat follow her from the window. This caused the police to believe that she had begun to fall from the window.

## LEAGUE IS FACING A STORMY CAREER

### Observers Say Nations Will Not Agree on Disarmament at May 18 Meeting.

London, March 22.—The League of Nations disarmament conference faces a stormy career, if it ever comes to fruition, in the opinion of many well-informed observers here.

The Daily Express today published an intimation that it does not believe that even the preliminary disarmament conference, now scheduled to be held in May 18, will ever be held.

**Delegates at Odds.**  
The Paris correspondent of the Daily Express declares that he has learned that already Viscount Cecil and M. Boncour, the French delegate to the League are at odds over disarmament, and that the United States can not accept the views on disarmament which France will insist on before the conference.

The International News Service learns that France does not want a simple disarmament conference to consider the size of armies and navies, but on the contrary wants an advance discussion of all matters even, not merely connected with war. France is said to be insistent that before any agreement for disarmament is drawn up that it shall be agreed that disarmament by each nation should be based upon the geographical position of the country, its manpower and its ability to produce war materials. In other words many believe that France is anxious that the burden of disarmament should be carried by powers other than France.

Many leaders of British opinion are opposed to any such conditions and it is anticipated that the United States will support Great Britain in such opposition.

## LATINS EDUCATED TO USE OF LIQUOR

### Cardinal O'Connell Says Only Drunkenness He Saw on Trip Was in "Dry" Porto Rico.

New York, March 22.—America will, in time, arrive at that point of education which will bring about the use of liquor in moderation but never under Prohibition, according to a statement made today by Cardinal O'Connell, Primate of America and Archbishop of Boston, on his arrival from a Caribbean trip.

The Cardinal said that the only drunkenness he had witnessed in the West Indies was in supposedly dry Porto Rico.

"Where there were no dry laws," said Cardinal O'Connell, "I never saw anyone under the influence of liquor. I have had my eyes open. There was no excessive drinking."

**Faith in America.**  
"I have the greatest faith in America but little in Prohibition. Prohibition means coercion and threats on the part of anti-dry and anti-dry societies. America has got along very well without these must-not-do-things and must-not-do-things."

There appeared to be a sense of moderation among the islanders, particularly among the Latins, in regard to the use of liquor. It seemed to be a point of education. We in America, will arrive at that point of education, in time, but never under Prohibition.

The Cardinal said that on the ship there was no excessive indulgence, even among Americans.

Cardinal O'Connell was accompanied by his secretary, Mr. R. J. Haverty, chancellor of the diocese of Boston, and Mr. M. I. S. Platine. He said he had enjoyed a most restful trip.

**RECEIVED BY POPE**  
Rome, March 22.—The Pope today received in audience members of the Gimbel family of New York, who are visiting here.

## NEW YORK GANG IS SUSPECTED OF KILLING SIX

### Arrest of "Night Club" May Clear Up Many Murders and Robberies.

New York, March 22.—Richard R. Whittemore, the dapper "Candy Kid" bandit and murder suspect, and his "night club gang," have reached the end of the trail.

Evidence against them is growing steadily and today they are suspected of no less than six murders. Three states—New York, New Jersey and Maryland—are expected to bid for the privilege of hanging Whittemore and most of the members of his gang. This daring and ruthless organization is believed to be pretty well rounded up. Seven men and a woman (Whittemore's wife, "The Tiger Kid," are under arrest and held without bail.

The daring hold-ups of the gang are believed to have netted them nearly half a million dollars.

**Specialized in Gems.**  
Their capture was one of the biggest police achievements in years. In New York, the gang made a specialty of big jewelry robberies and they squandered big sums of money in the glitzy night clubs of Broadway.

**Strong evidence linking Whittemore and his companions to the \$93,000 hold-up of a Buffalo, N. Y., federal bank armored car in which two guards were killed, has been found, according to the police.**

None of the loot from numerous robberies, totaling nearly \$500,000, has been recovered. Margaret Collins, the pretty young wife of the "Candy Kid," is charged with violating the Sullivan law following the discovery of loaded revolvers in baggage for which she had checks.

Extradition efforts already are under way. Gov. Ritchie of Maryland has forwarded extradition papers to Gov. Smith of New York, who, as yet, has taken no action.

## NECKTIE AND HOSE CLUES TO ROBBERY

### So Unusual in Russia That Bandits Are Quickly Picked Up by Police.

Leningrad, March 22.—Russia's first American model "sheik and flapper" bandit gang has come to disaster, because one of the bobbed-haired bandits kept a pair of silk stockings with part of her share of the \$75,000 loot from a branch post office here.

Arkady Kula-off, aged 25, the "sheik" leader, who has been sentenced to death and his "flapper" lieutenant, Katy Schefstova, aged 20, has been sentenced to six years imprisonment. Two others have been given three year sentences.

Arkady, who claimed to be as slick as his patent-leather hair, planned the robbery of the post office which he worked as a clerk. Katy and her chum, Vera Lebedeva, were to vamp the night watchman while the boys got away with the loot.

The scheme ticked off like clockwork. When the two wide-eyed, blonde girls offered to divide a bottle of vodka with Ivan Zubov, the night watchman, Ivan retired with the girls to the back steps and forgot all about the post office safe.

**Stole His Keys**  
Ivan told the police that the last thing he remembered was a young man wearing a necktie bending over him and taking keys from his pockets.

That necktie was an important clue, since neckties are as rare as grand ducks in Russia. Suspicion was already pointing at Arkady, who was given to neckties, when Katy bought her silk stockings from a smuggler and sported them before her friends. "This was another important clue since silk stockings are no more common than blue diamonds in Leningrad. Katy was arrested since it was believed she couldn't have come by those silk stockings honestly. Her arrest led to the apprehension of her companions and their trial ended the first case of Russian youth to emulate the tactics of some of their Broadway cousins.

**TREASURY BALANCE.**

Washington, March 22.—Treasury balance today as of March 19: \$485,123,176.32.

## General Booth Passes Seventy



General Bramwell Booth, son of the founder of the Salvation Army, gathered in neighboring children to help him celebrate his 70th birthday at Hadley Woods, England.

## Minister as a 'Dry' Sleuth Finds Prohibition Failure

New York, March 22.—Critics of the Rev. James Empringham, head of the Church Temperance Society, whose recent utterances on prohibition created a nation-wide controversy, were forced to admit that his conclusions were based on something more than mere theories.

For the Rev. Empringham, speaking last night from the pulpit of St. Luke's Episcopal church, told his astounded listeners that he had made a tour of the underworld in many cities to study the effects of prohibition, mingling with bootleggers and patrons of "speakeasies."

**Prohibition a Failure**  
In Chicago, Atlanta, Rochester, and other large cities, Dr. Empringham said, he found that the Vol-

stead act was a total failure. He said he found more "speakeasies" than saloons ever existed, and declared that prohibition has demoralized the police, subjecting them to the temptations of bribe takers, bootleggers and booze fiends.

In a renewed plea for light wines and beer, he asserted that prohibition is wrong in principle, and has been "tried, convicted and found wanting."

Revealing that he undertook his tour of the underworld as a crusader, Dr. Empringham said he had planned to write a pamphlet extolling the fruits of prohibition.

"My object," he said, "was to visit these cities and prove to myself the boon which prohibition had brought to the land, but I was disagreeably surprised and shocked."

## FLOODS IN PENNSYLVANIA CAUSE OF PROPERTY LOSS

Oil City, Pa., March 22.—With the floodwaters of the Allegheny river rising hourly as thousands of tons of ice frozen fast in the stream all winter broke loose, the flood toll continued today to mount into thousands of dollars.

Street car service between Oil City and Franklin was suspended when the Big Rock bridge at Franklin was washed out just after a street car had passed over it. The second bridge to go out was the Rensselaer, just outside this city.

Tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad were ice bound, but by working large crews continually, railroad officials were able to continue traffic through the district.

Further flood danger was feared when high water was reported descending on this territory from up the river, near Kinzua and Warren. Gorges in the up-river district of scarcely less serious proportions than the one here also are beginning to give way, river experts said.

## CHAPMAN'S PAL SENTENCED

Mineola, N. Y., March 22.—An echo of the Gerald Chapman mail truck robbery was heard today when John J. Phelan, 34, of New York, was sentenced to from five to ten years in Sing Sing on a grand larceny conviction.

Phelan was found guilty of obtaining \$5,000 from a Long Beach doctor as a loan on bonds which he the doctor as security. The bonds were later found to be part of the loot taken by Chapman and his associates in the million-dollar mail robbery in New York.

## HAVE YOU ENROLLED IN BALL PLAYER CONTEST

**YOUNG AMERICA**—Have you entered the nation-wide Baseball Player Contest?

Have you selected your favorite major league player? If not, you'd better get busy and make your selection. Days are going. And time is short.

A trip, an opening day big league ball game and a real thrill, ALL ABSOLUTELY FREE, await the winner.

NEA Service, Inc., of Cleveland, O., and The Manchester Evening Herald are making it all possible.

All you have to do is pick your favorite major league player (American or National) and write a story of not more than 200 words telling the reasons for your selection.

All boys 16 years of age and under are eligible to compete. The traveling expenses will be paid. Each winner will make a trip to the city where his favorite is scheduled to play on opening day—Tuesday, April 13.

Contest closes at midnight, Wednesday, March 31. So if you haven't picked your favorite star, you'd better do so right away. Mail or bring your selections and sports stories to the Baseball Contest Editor, The Manchester Evening Herald.

Then watch the progress of this great pre-season game. You may be the one who will win the trip.

## FIND DEAD INFANTS IN ATTIC OF HOUSE

Cherry Run, W. Va., March 22.—The gruesome discovery of the dead bodies of three infants in the attic of an unoccupied house, and the body of a fourth child in a rubbish pile outside the dwelling, stirred Morgan county authorities to an investigation today which they believe may lead to the uncovering of a "baby farm" and several arrests for murder.

The bodies were of infants from two weeks to two months old. They apparently had not been dead more than two weeks. The house had not been occupied for several months.

## WET SESSION TODAY IN THE TOWN COURT

### Four Out of Five Cases Before Judge Johnson Are Liquor Violations.

Thomas Morrison, an old offender, was before the local court this morning on the charge of intoxication and breach of the peace. He was arrested by Sergeant John Crockett and in court this morning he was defended by Attorney William S. Hyde.

Morrison went to the small store of Joseph Deyorio on Birch street yesterday to get a package of cigarettes. The store was closed and because Mrs. Deyorio could not conveniently get the cigarettes for him he became abusive. Mrs. Dornick Minicucci of Oak street was visiting Mrs. Deyorio and both women testified that the man used vile language. Both Sergeant Crockett and Officer McLaughlin said Morrison was intoxicated.

**Only Said "Thank You"**  
In his own behalf Morrison told the court when he went to the store and found that he could not get the cigarettes all he said was "Thank you."

Judge Johnson found Morrison guilty on both counts. He gave him ten days in jail for intoxication and five days for breach of the peace. Through his attorney, William S. Hyde, he gave notice of an appeal and a bond of \$200 was furnished for his appearance at the June term of the Superior court.

**Jail Sentences**  
Frank Novak and William O'Connell both of whom have a court record, got into trouble again yesterday when they were arrested by Sergeant Barron for intoxication and assault on Frank Facchetti of Middle Turnpike. Both men admitted they had been drinking, but denied laying hands on the man. Facchetti demonstrated to the court just how the men handled him and Joseph Hublard, neighbor, verified his testimony. Novak was found guilty and sentenced to jail for twenty days for intoxication and ten days for assault. He was out of jail less than a week.

In the case of O'Connell, who is at present in charge of Probation Officer Elliott, Judge Johnson suspended judgment, and his probationary period was extended for three months.

The judge warned O'Connell it was up to him to make good or suffer the consequences.

**Improper Brakes**  
Daniel Pinto of Hartford, a young man of eighteen was before the court for driving a truck with improper brakes. He was arrested by Officer Crockett Saturday afternoon when he tried to cross Main street at the Center. He was convinced the men were guilty of transporting the liquor, but he fell just short of having the desired evidence to convict. The judge therefore ordered the case nolle.

**Case Nolle**  
The continued case of Rosario Rate and David Cavanaugh, who were before the local court a week ago on the charge of transporting liquor, was nolle. Prosecuting Attorney Hathaway told the judge he was convinced the men were guilty of transporting the liquor, but he fell just short of having the desired evidence to convict. The judge therefore ordered the case nolle.

**KILLS SCHOOL BOY.**  
Sandusky, Mich., March 22.—Pearl Dorling today confessed, police said, that she shot and killed Roy Lee, 15 year old high school boy, at whose funeral Mrs. Dorling killed herself.

"I killed him because my wife begged me to after she had confessed to having been with him," Dorling said, according to the police.

## THEATRE ROBBED.

Newark, N. J., March 23.—Seven armed bandits held up four employees of the Mosque theatre, in Broad street, one of Newark's largest showhouses early today and escaped with the contents of the safe, unofficially reported to be \$25,000. The theatre management refused to reveal the amount taken.

## PLYMOUTH IS DESERTED AFTER COOLIDGE FUNERAL

## FIGHT BEGINS TO PUT FRANCE BACK ON FEET

### Finance Minister Peret Has New Plan to Help Nation Get Clear of Its Debts.

Paris, March 22.—With the franc at low ebb, France re-started the battle for financial stabilization today.

Finance Minister Peret laid his proposed financial project before the cabinet and it was unanimously approved.

The financial project will go to the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon.

The new attempt to balance the budget opens the way for patriotic action by wealthy Frenchmen to come to the aid of the nation, for the Peret project authorizes the government to accept all voluntary contributions for the amortization of short-term debts.

M. Peret, undaunted by the experience of his predecessors, also proposed a two per cent sales tax, an increase over the present tax. It was the increased sales tax proposed by M. Doumer which contributed largely to his defeat and the downfall of the last cabinet.

The budget makes no specific provision for the payment of the debt to the United States, but Finance Minister Peret explained to International News Service that he anticipates that Ambassador Berenger will shortly be able to report progress in the debt negotiations.

## WETS HOLD BIG LEAD AS POLLS NEAR END

With over 1,700,000 votes cast in the NEA poll on Prohibition the wets show a decisive majority. All papers affiliated with the NEA service in conducting the poll ended their balloting Sunday. All have not been heard from. The Herald will carry the final vote on this most extensive poll of public opinion ever conducted.

Today's totals follow:

States	Prohibition	Repeal	Modify
Alabama	6,118	2,895	7,529
Arkansas	3,344	893	3,019
California	21,917	24,130	31,275
Colorado	39,916	80,041	33,968
Conn.	1,566	5,347	19,548
Del.	517	782	2,325
Dist. of Col.	636	1,111	3,484
Florida	6,263	5,776	9,814
Georgia	2,328	1,063	1,374
Iaho	829	2,117	2,345
Illinois	5,052	5,107	32,539
Indiana	22,287	34,975	49,972
Iowa	9,691	8,322	18,764
Kansas	8,547	2,365	6,480
Kentucky	8,784	8,335	4,748
Louisiana	1,373	1,078	3,452
Maine	8,196	2,890	4,403
Maryland	582	14,104	8,126
Mass.	11,795	12,332	23,393
Michigan	5,551	1,554	4,603
Minnesota	2,105	1,391	4,207
Missouri	3,847	5,009	13,077
Montana	4,052	12,592	12,970
Nebraska	2,382	2,363	6,480
Nevada	8,196	5,312	15,249
Nevada	42	360	238
N. Hampshire	4,094	4,209	8,126
New Jersey	4,744	16,182	21,060
New Mexico	1,327	2,657	2,713
New York	19,131	114,895	168,858
No. Carolina	5,309	1,366	4,228
Ohio	16,429	54,875	72,127
Oklahoma	12,224	62,814	7,243
Oregon	2,394	2,056	4,460
Penn.	15,104	40,832	63,778
Rhode Island	4,453	187	1,127
S. Dakota	2,279	1,514	3,987
Texas	17,680	20,656	13,077
Tennessee	2,080	2,328	6,480
Utah	3,847	1,366	4,228
Virginia	5,275	7,283	13,118
Washington	7,661	8,284	19,461
W. Virginia	1,126	1,078	4,403
Wisconsin	5,133	16,161	25,214
Wyoming	430	1,561	1,512
Total	329,274	545,329	864,940

## MINERS IN COURT

Boonville, Ind., March 22.—37 union miners were arraigned in Circuit Court here today and pleaded not guilty to charges of rioting growing out of riots at non-union mines in this section last month.

Sixty-five were charged with rioting at the Possum Ridge mine on February 26 and their trial date was set for April 12.

Twenty-two were charged with rioting on the same day at Newburgh and their trial date was set for May 10.

## Report Says Old Homestead Where President Was Born, Will Be Sold—Family Group Broken Up by Colonel's Death.

Plymouth, Vt., March 22.—The sun rose over the east mountain of the Green Mountain range today to peer upon a deserted village. The last of the Coolidge family had turned down the Bridgewater road after burying his father in the family lot. The newspaper men who had gone and the lethargy of a little hamlet at the turn of the road had returned.

As soon as the bowed shoulders of President Calvin Coolidge passed beyond the dilapidated old barn of his uncle John Wilder, the natives began speculating on the possibilities of his return.

**Passing of Homestead.**  
The consensus of opinion seemed to be that the old family homestead, the scene of his boyhood joys and manhood sorrows, would pass to other hands as soon as proper arrangements could be made for its sale.

Although fully expecting the President to shun the village that sent him out into the world to become ruler of a nation, the sturdy folk do believe he will return to Vermont for the summer, but in another locality.

**Has Summer Camp.**  
Attorney General John G. Sargent, closest relative of the Coolidge family and the President's comforter in his latest bereavement, maintains a magnificent summer home at Reading, Vt., where the majority of Plymouthites believe

# STOCK EXCHANGE LOCAL STOCKS

### Manufacturing Stocks.

Manufacturing Stocks.		
(Furnished by Putnam & Co., 6 Central Row, Hartford, Conn.)		
Bid	Ask	
Aetna Cas. & Sur. . . . .	850	850
Aetna Life . . . . .	820	820
Automobile . . . . .	400	400
Conn. General . . . . .	1750	1750
Hartford Fire ex-div. 550	600	600
Htd. Steam Boiler . . . . .	725	725
National Fire . . . . .	525	525
Phoenic ex-div. . . . .	565	565
Travelers . . . . .	1120	1150
Travelers rights . . . . .	260	270
Public Utility Stocks.		
Conn. Power Co. . . . .	255	275
Conn. LP 7% pd. . . . .	110	113
E. L. Co. . . . .	250	300
Hfd. Gas com. . . . .	61	63
St. N. E. Tel. Co. . . . .	153	156
Am. Hardware Co. . . . .	33	36
American Silver . . . . .	27	30
Acme Wire . . . . .	27	30
Bigelow-Htd. Co. . . . .	100	103
Bigelow-Htd. com. . . . .	90	93
Bristol Brass . . . . .	6	9
Collins Co. . . . .	160	170
Colet Fire Arms . . . . .	29	32
Eagle Lock . . . . .	103	108
Fair Bearing . . . . .	28	31
Hart & Cooley . . . . .	190	205
Int. Sil. pf. . . . .	105	110
Lnders Fray & Clark . . . . .	88	92
Jewell Belting pf. . . . .	80	84
New Brit. Mach. . . . .	102	106
Niles Et. P. N. Stock 21	24	27
North & Judd . . . . .	29	31
J. R. Montgomery pf. . . . .	110	115
J. R. Montgomery com. . . . .	100	105
Peck, Stow & Wilcox 24	26	28
Russell Mfg. Co. . . . .	81	84
Stanley Works com. . . . .	71	74
Stanley Works com. . . . .	71	74
Smyth Mfg. Co. . . . .	380	400
Torrington . . . . .	64	66
Underwood . . . . .	57	60
Union Mfg. . . . .	32	34
Whitlock Coll. Pipe . . . . .	25	27
U S Envelope pf. . . . .	106	110

### Bonds.

Htd. & Conn. West. . . . .	95	100
East. Conn. Pow. . . . .	98 1/2	100
Htd. Elec. Lst. . . . .	24	250
Conn. L. P. 5 1/2's . . . . .	108 1/2	109 1/2
Conn. L. P. 7's . . . . .	113	115
D. P. H. 7's . . . . .	104 1/2	106

### New York Stocks

High	Low	Close
At. Gulf. W. L. 4 1/2's	42	43 1/2
Am Beet Sug. 31	30 1/2	30 1/2
Am Sugar Ref. 73 1/2	72	72 1/2
Am Tel. & Tel. 145 1/2	144 1/2	145
Anacosta . . . . .	45	44 1/2
Am Smelting . . . . .	101 1/2	99 1/2
Am Lec . . . . .	122 1/2	121 1/2
Atchafson . . . . .	126 1/2	125 1/2
B. O. . . . .	90 1/2	88 1/2
Beth Steel 'B' 4 3/8	43	43
Butte Superior 13	12 1/2	12
Chandler . . . . .	17	16 1/2
Chili Copper . . . . .	33 1/2	33 1/2
Cons. Gas N Y 93 1/2	93	93 1/2
Ches. & Ohio 132 1/2	131 1/2	132 1/2
Cruc Steel . . . . .	69	67 1/2
Can. Pacific . . . . .	154 1/2	154 1/2
Erie . . . . .	41 1/2	40 1/2
Gen. Asphalt . . . . .	71 1/2	68 1/2
Gen Elec . . . . .	314 1/2	305 1/2
Gen Mot. . . . .	125 1/2	122 1/2
Great N. Pfd. 72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Kennecott Cop. 53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Inspira Cop . . . . .	23 1/2	23 1/2
Louis & Nash 127	125	127
Lehigh Valley 80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Marine Pr. . . . .	32 1/2	31 1/2
Motor Wheel . . . . .	23 1/2	23 1/2
Norfolk West 148 1/2	148 1/2	148 1/2
Natl. Lead . . . . .	151	151
North Pacific . . . . .	69 1/2	69 1/2
N Y Central 124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
N Y, N H & H 37 1/2	35 1/2	37 1/2
Pan Am. Int. . . . .	69	67 1/2
Pennsylvania . . . . .	51 1/2	51 1/2
Pierce Arrow . . . . .	28 1/2	29 1/2
Pressed Steel . . . . .	59	59
Rep. Ir. & Steel 55 1/2	54 1/2	55
Reading . . . . .	83 1/2	81 1/2
Ch R Isl & Pac 45 1/2	44	45
South Pacific 99 1/2	98 1/2	99
So. Railway 112	110 1/2	111
St. Paul . . . . .	11 1/2	11 1/2
Studebaker . . . . .	56 1/2	55 1/2
Union Pacific 144 1/2	144 1/2	145 1/2
U S Rubber . . . . .	71 1/2	69 1/2

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West. Union . 70 1/2 69 1/2 70  
West. Union . 133 1/2 133 133 1/2

### POLICE SEEK SLASHER WHO ATTACKED GIRL

Marblehead, Mass., March 22.—With practically no clues except a meagre description given by the victim and teeth marks on the assailant's wrist, police today were searching for the "maniac slasher" who brutally assaulted Miss Beatrice Wright, Marblehead society girl, cutting her on the legs, right wrist, right shoulder and behind the right ear with a sharp instrument believed to have been a razor. Miss Wright, daughter of William F. Wright, prominent shoe manufacturer, told police that in fighting off the assailant she managed to sink her teeth into the man's wrist. Physicians said the girl was not seriously injured. She was at her home today.

### DEATH OF MRS. ELLEN C. BIDWELL

Death suddenly claimed the life of Mrs. Ellen C. Bidwell, aged 67, at 8 1/2 last night at her home at 60 Pine street. She had not been ill. Death was due to blood poisoning which developed in a slight cut which she had suffered on one of her fingers. She had been taking care of one of her little grandchildren who was ill at her home with scarlet fever.

The funeral arrangements are being completed this afternoon. The service will be held either tomorrow or Wednesday afternoon with burial in the East cemetery. Rev. Joseph Cooper will officiate. The services will be private and only the immediate family will attend.

Mrs. Bidwell, who before her marriage was Miss Ellen E. Keeney of Keeney street, is survived by her husband, Walter D. Bidwell; one daughter, Miss Alice Bidwell; one son, Herbert, and Raymond, all of whom live at home; two grandchildren; and one brother, Everett J. Keeney, well known local milk dealer.

Mrs. Bidwell was born in Manchester and had lived here all her life. She was well known about the West Side of the town. Late this afternoon it was decided to hold the funeral at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It will be private.

### A Puzzle a Day

The radio broadcasting station in Shenandoah, Iowa, recently made a survey to discover the number of different sets used by their enormous audience. This contest result was secret, but proved that a great quantity of different sets were in constant use. But I have heard that the exact quantity is just as much short of 650 as its quadruple is greater than 650, and that the digits in this number total 8. Do you suppose you could discover the number of different makes in use in that vicinity? Last puzzle answer:

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This is the completed word diamond. The definitions match in the following fashion: "Per" means "by"; "Naval" means "nautical"; "Deliver" means "to release"; "Beset" means "to besiege"; "Ran" means "hastened"; "Neb" means "the tip"; "Faster" means "more pallid"; "Revision" means "revision"; "Raven" means "a black bird"; "Let" means "to rent." The easiest way to solve a puzzle of this kind is to discover the three-letter words first and place them in the proper positions. Then fill in the rest of the words.

### NEW YORK CRIMINALS MENTAL DEFECTIVES

Albany, N. Y., March 22.—More than 27 per cent of the criminals and delinquents flowing in and out of county jails in this state are mental defectives, according to an investigation made by the state prison commission.

"Reduction of crime," said a report by the commission, "will depend upon the procedure and equipment to discover, treat, and combt when necessary, segregate the delinquent psychopath. A good proportion of the delinquent psychopaths possess average or superior intelligence and commit not only minor offenses but many of them have exceptional ability in planning and executing desperate and ingenious crimes. The report said that out of 603 consecutive commitments to Sing Sing, 18.9 per cent were psychopaths.

### "NEAR EAST" DRIVE STARTS THIS WEEK

#### W. W. Robertson Is Chairman of Local Committee; \$500 Collected.

Making an appeal to Manchester people to "stand by" the work of the Near East Relief a little longer, the Manchester Near East Relief committee under the direction of W. W. Robertson, chairman, begins this week an effort to raise a substantial fund here for the 35,000 children still under America's care.

A pressing need for funds in order that the children may not have to be turned out of the orphanages before they are able to care for themselves is the plea made by the local committee for generous response to its request for contributions. A number of local persons have already subscribed through the Center Congregational church and St. Mary's Episcopal church amounting to some \$500. Speakers have presented the work of the Near East Relief in both these churches recently. Yesterday at the North Congregational church the Rev. B. C. Bowen, one of the speakers for the Near East Relief in the state of Connecticut, made a strong plea for continued support.

Mr. Robertson, Frank Cheney, Jr., George H. Waddell, Rev. William F. Reidy and Fred A. Verplank are signing a special letter asking for generous contributions and sponsorships. A sponsorship is a pledge of \$100 for one year, or \$100 a year over a period of years, the sponsor receiving the assignment of a particular child. Its progress, this plan has attracted considerable attention throughout the country from individuals and organizations, and it is hoped by the committee that a number of these size gifts will be given here. So far Connecticut leads among the states of the country in the number of sponsorships, though New York is a close second.

It is hoped also by members of the local committee that in addition to individual gifts many organizations will be interested to make such subscriptions. The children now under American care, according to Near East Relief officials, are nearly all under twelve years of age. If they should be turned out of the orphanages at this early age, so difficult are conditions in the Near East to an untrained child, they would be reduced to beggary. Starvation and the care that has been expended to them since they were picked up starving in the days of the massacres and deportations would be entirely wasted. In a few more years, it is hoped that the work of bringing them all to self-support or underwriting their care will be completed. There are still many children of five, six and seven, orphaned at the time of the Smyrna disaster. Every child is taught a trade and is discharged from the orphanages as soon as he is fitted to earn his living. None of these 35,000 children has a known living relative, no anyone to aid them but America.

Members of the completed committee are as follows: W. W. Robertson, chairman; Harold C. Alford, treasurer; Rev. Frederick C. Allen, Mrs. L. St. Clair Burr, Mrs. Austin Cheney, Miss Marjorie Cheney, Frank Cheney, Jr., Rev. Joseph Cooper, Rev. F. J. O. Cornell, Rev. John E. Durbin, Mrs. Louis N. Heebner, Charles W. Holmes, Mark Holmes, Mrs. John A. Hood, Alfred F. Howes, U. J. Lupien, Mrs. C. L. Mahoney, Mrs. Thomas F. Moriarty, Rev. C. F. McLean, Henry A. Nettleton, Rev. James S. Nell, Mrs. Gertrude B. Purnell, Clarence Quimby, Charles Ray, Rev. William F. Reidy, George W. Rix, Miss Grace Robertson, William B. Rogers, R. LaMotte Russell, Mrs. Earl G. Seaman, Miss Jessamine M. Smith, Fred A. Verplank, George H. Waddell, C. Elmore Watkins, Rev. Watson Woodruff.

### FLOOD WARNINGS.

Albany, N. Y., March 22.—Albany and other cities along the upper Hudson today were preparing for flood conditions, following a warning by the United States Weather Bureau that high water may be expected in 24 or 48 hours. Huge ice jams have formed in the Hudson above Warrenburg and it is feared a sudden rise in the river may cause heavy property damage. Preparations were being made today by river pilots to break the gorges in the Hudson about 12 miles below this city.

### ABOUT TOWN

Louis Breckenridge, well known local baseball coach and old-time player, will be one of the principal speakers at the fourth annual banquet of the Rockville City baseball league in the Rockville House on Thursday evening. "Breck" will doubtless recall the old Rockville-Manchester rivalry in a talk that will be well worth listening to. The local baseball fans will be glad to see Manchester and Rockville renew the "days of old" again in hopes of reviving baseball interest in this vicinity.

The condition of Thomas G. Douglas, of Holl street, who was injured recently in a fall from a scaffold, was reported today from the Manchester Memorial hospital as improved. Mr. Douglas will, in all probabilities, be able to return to his home in a few days.

Reports from the Manchester Memorial hospital this afternoon show John Cullin's condition improving. He is expected to recover although it will be considerable time before he will be able to be about again.

Mrs. John Monaghan, Talcottville woman, who was badly injured recently when struck by an automobile, was reported this afternoon to be much better. She was able to leave her bed in the Manchester Memorial hospital today and sit up for a while. Her complete recovery is now a certainty.

Miss Annie Scramton of the north end, a member of the Manchester Community club basketball team, will play one of the forward positions for the Astoria Life Girls against the Hartford Travelers tonight in Hartford in the opening game of a series to decide the city championship.

Jerry Fay, local athlete, is the only student at the Grove City College that has earned his letter in three sports. These are basketball, baseball and football.

A special meeting of the Army and Navy club members has been called for this evening at the clubhouse. The purpose will be to arrange details for the club's annual banquet and to name a new secretary to replace John Carter, who is leaving town.

Reinhardt Lamprecht, of 342 Hackmatack street, father of "Punk" Lamprecht, well known local baseball player, is ill at his home.

A pleasant surprise party was held Saturday afternoon at 135 Pearl street in honor of Mrs. Joseph Hanna by twelve of her Scotch friends from Hartford. The Hartford friends brought along refreshments and a very delightful evening was spent. Singing was enjoyed. The party broke up at a late hour feeling that "When friends meet, hearts are warmed."

The case of Joseph Sarteant; of Center street, charged with evading responsibility, scheduled for a hearing in the Rockville police court next Monday. No reason was advanced for the probable case is to await the recovery of Mrs. Monaghan, Talcottville woman who was injured in the accident and who is now convalescing at the Manchester Memorial hospital so she will be able to testify in court.

Mrs. Adam Schaefer of Flower street has returned to her home from the Memorial hospital after an illness of four weeks. Mrs. Schaefer underwent an operation.

The regular meeting of Campbell Council, Knights of Columbus, will be held in the club rooms on Blisell street this evening. Fifty of the friends of Mrs. Arner Olson of 14 Monroe street gathered at her home Saturday night to give her a surprise party. It was Mrs. Olson's birthday. She received a handsome set of dishes. Refreshments were served and the gathering had an enjoyable time.

Almon Rathbun, local manager of the F. W. Woolworth store, has been transferred to the store at Glen Cove, L. I. Samuel H. Brigham a veteran musician of the Putnam Palanx, of Hartford, has composed a waltz song which he has dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman of this town. Mr. Brigham is approaching his 72d birthday. He heard Abraham Lincoln speak in Hartford on March 8, 1860. Services at the Salvation Army chancel Saturday and Sunday were conducted by Mrs. Commissioner Estill and were largely attended, particularly the Sunday evening service. Mrs. Estill spoke in the South Methodist church in the afternoon and many who heard her there came to the chancel to hear her again in the evening.

HOME FOR WILHELM Geneva, March 22.—Negotiations are under way to purchase a large chateau at Traves, 15 minutes away from Lucerne, for a residence for the ex-Kaiser, for the powers will permit him to leave Holland.

### FILES BIRTH CERTIFICATE; IS 46 YEARS OF AGE

Forty-six years following his birth here, Gus Greene's birth certificate was filed at the town clerk's office Friday. Mr. Greene is planning to make a foreign trip and upon applying for his birth certificate, he was informed by Town Clerk Samuel Turkington that the town had no record of his birth. Later, following a careful search in his home, Mr. Greene found a slip of paper containing his name and the date of his birth and a record of his baptism. It was safely concealed in an old bible. Mr. Greene had the information sworn to by friends who had known his father and mother intimately and his birth was then recorded in the town clerk's book.

### DR. MAINE RETIRES BECAUSE OF HEALTH

Following the advice of his private physician and friends, Dr. M. M. Maine of Bolton, Manchester's oldest practicing dentist, has decided to retire. For 47 years Dr. Maine has conducted his office in the Cheney block, at 383 Main street, commencing with the office here and his home in Bolton. Although Dr. Maine is reported to be recovering from his shock, it is believed by those closely connected with him that it would be inadvisable for him to attempt to return to his profession.

Dr. Maine opened his office in the Cheney block in 1879 following two years of experience as an assistant in Hartford. He worked here for a little over a year and then went to Baltimore where he was graduated from the Baltimore Dental College with high honors. He then returned to Manchester and continued in his profession here. Dr. Maine has earned himself a host of friends during his long years of service in Manchester and they will no doubt, read of his retirement with regret.

### SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP IN HARTFORD TOMORROW

Members of the Manchester League of Women Voters and all men and women who wish to familiarize themselves with the operation of the various state departments on Capitol Hill, Hartford, are invited to attend the school of citizenship to be held tomorrow and Wednesday at Center church house, Hartford. Morning sessions will open at eleven o'clock and afternoon at 2:30. Luncheon will be served at Center church house for those who have made reservations. It is hoped a large number will attend these lectures which will be given by the highest officials in the several state departments. Exhibits and moving pictures will supplement the class work and questions and discussion will follow.

### FLOUNDER'S RUNNING SAYS HERB INGHAM

Herb Ingham, one of the first to bring in the new season's catches of fish, was in a party of four Manchester men which brought home a nice mess of flounders from Niantic yesterday. Herb reports the ice has left Niantic river and the big flounders are now running. Those in the party besides Herb were Joe Moore, Frank Sheldon and Harold Preston. They brought home three dozen fine flounders. The mess was one of the first to be brought out of the Niantic river this season. Mr. Ingham said it would be well for fishermen to note that the Niantic river is inland water and therefore under the jurisdiction of the Connecticut Fish and Game laws.

### HOW SHE GAINED 10 POUNDS IN 22 DAYS

Skinny Men Can Do the Same. That's going some—but skinny men, women and children just can't help putting on good, healthy flesh when they take McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets. As chock full of vitamins as the nasty, fishy-tasting cod liver oil itself, but these sugar-coated, tasteless tablets are so easy to take as candy, and won't upset the stomach. One woman gained ten pounds in twenty-two days. 60 tablets, 60 cents. Ask any druggist for McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets and if you don't gain at least 5 pounds in 30 days your druggist is authorized to hand you back the money you paid for them. Get McCoy's, the original and genuine, and avoid imitations—Adv.

ARE YOU ON The Sucker List? DO YOU KNOW that every time you buy from bell-ringers you add your name to the list of prospects that is passed along to other canvassers? Read the article on Page 5 and learn how it is done. THE MANCHESTER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

### SEN. HARRISON ASKS FOR HOUGHTON'S RECALL

Washington, March 22.—The recall of Alanson B. Houghton, American ambassador to Great Britain, was demanded in the Senate this afternoon by Senator Pat Harrison, Democrat of Mississippi, in a speech attacking the Coolidge administration, for "throwing a monkey wrench into the machinery of the League of Nations."

Harrison charged that Houghton, in an interview with newspapermen last week, gave out statements declaring the League's proposed disarmament conference would be a failure because of jealousies between member nations and advising the United States to remain out of the conference. These statements, published throughout Europe, Harrison said, have "hurt American influence abroad" and "embarrassed the League." Harrison hinted that President Coolidge and Secretary of State Kellogg had given Houghton permission to make the statements. He demanded to know whether Mr. Coolidge desired to make the League's disarmament conference fail so the President could summon his own world parley before the November elections. "If Ambassador Houghton gave out these statements without the State Department's permission, he is unfit as a diplomat and unworthy to be our representative at the high court of St. James," said Harrison. "If he made them with the State Department's approval, he is a dupe and utterly incompetent to be our ambassador. In either case, Ambassador Houghton should be recalled."

### KILLED BY PATROLMAN AFTER SHOOTING WOMAN


Chicago, March 22.—After shooting Mrs. Mary Rodgers, a widow, through the left shoulder, Robert Winston, 44, barricaded himself in an apartment building here today and was shot to death in a pistol battle with police. Mrs. Rodgers, 48, said Winston had accused her of keeping company with another man, then fired when she denied it. Police called by neighbors fired several shots through windows of the apartment when Winston greeted their approach with bullets. When he refused to surrender, although wounded four times, Policeman John Nichols climbed to a neighboring porch and shot him through the forehead as he leaned out of a window to aim at his besiegers.

### Colds

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Colds break in 24 hours for the millions who use Hill's Fever and Headache Lozenges. It's the quick, scientific way to end these dangers and discomforts. Don't trust lesser helps, don't wait. Get back to normal at once.

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### JAZZ JAZZ JAZZ

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Everything Played in Jazz. Extra Large Orchestra. 2-Features-2

CONWAY TEARLE in "Dancing Mothers" GEORGE O'BRIEN in "The Johnstown Flood"

Jazz Orchestra Matinee and Evening.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

MARJORIE DAW in "Borrowed Plumes" BUCK JONES in "The Cowboy and the Countess"

COUNTRY STORE - MORE PRESENTS

White, on West Main street, Mrs. White found her sister's body this morning after the girl failed to appear at breakfast time. Mrs. Krauss had made a previous attempt at suicide earlier in the winter by turning on the gas in her bedroom. Mrs. Krauss's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Goldsmith, are in Florida where they had spent the winter. Dr. J. V. Fisher, medical examiner, pronounced the girl's death due to suicide after he had investigated the case.

## CIRCLE

EXTRA! TONIGHT EXTRA!

THE GREAT SURPRISE

### Charleston Contest

CASH PRIZES TO WINNERS. TWO BIG FEATURES. PRICES TONIGHT 10c - 20c.

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### Ye Old Fashion Dance Contest

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ALWAYS: MAT., 5c-15c. EVE., 10c-20c.

## Suits For Easter

In our assortment of suits you will find a wide variety of patterns, styles and sizes in the popular two-button and three-button models and double-breasted models.

### \$25.00 to \$52.50

**SPECIAL!**

We have taken 40 suits and for the next 10 days we will sell them at

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SPORT BLOUSES—Kitted bottoms, strap cuff, collar, in the newest plaids, diagonals and diamond designs . . . . . \$5.25

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### BOY SCOUTS HAVE GROWN RAPIDLY

#### Movement Is 16 Years Old; Many Advantages Given to Youth.

The worth of the Boy Scouts of America and their great membership spreading throughout the United States was never more clearly demonstrated during their 16th anniversary week last month. In that period 24,140 troops of scouts took part in various local observances of the event. Manchester Scouts held their own observance of the anniversary and it was shown that the membership in this town has grown enormously since the first troop was organized.

Some of the advantages to boys in the Scout movement may be described in part here:

First, one of the most important accomplishments that the scout must know is swimming. Under the "Every Scout a Swimmer" movement started in 1924 in conjunction with the American Red Cross life saving corps, more than 27,000 boys learned to swim.

Troops assisted in fighting forest fires, locating lost persons, in forest and wild life conservation, clean-up campaigns, traffic counts, fire hazard surveys, in Red Cross Anti-Tuberculosis, and Near East Relief drives, safety first and fire prevention efforts, on school traffic squads, by running errands, ushering and patrolling at fairs, conventions, and other large gatherings, rendering first aid, keeping fire hydrants free of ice in winter time, and chopping wood for old people.

Delivering papers for a sick boy so as to keep his job for him until his recovery; helping crippled children to and from school, running errands for old and needy people, installing radio sets for invalids, caring for wounded animals, and rendering first-aid in emergencies.

Scouts of the stricken areas won high commendation for their preparedness to render help in these grave emergencies. First aid to suffering and dying, taking census of missing persons, salvaging valuable, collecting food supplies, delivering telegrams, running errands for Red Cross, and scrubbing hospital floors were a few of the hundreds of ways in which the scouts served their communities and fellowmen.

The annals of the Scout organization contain no more glorious record of service than the preparedness of its members to give service.

### Piles Go Quick

Without Salves or Cutting. Thousands who have piles have not learned the quick and permanent relief can only be accomplished with internal medicine. Neither cutting nor any amount of treatment with ointments and suppositories will remove the cause. Bad circulation causes piles. There is a complete stagnation of blood in the lower bowel and a weakening of the parts. Dr. J. S. Leonardt was first to find the remedy and called his prescription HEM-ROID. Dr. Leonardt tried it in 1000 cases with the marvelous record of success in 98 per cent. and then decided it should be sold by druggists everywhere under a right money-back guarantee.

Don't waste any more time with outside application. Get a package of HEM-ROID from Packard's or Murphy's Drug Stores today. It has given safe and lasting relief to thousands and will do the same for you.—Adv.

### JAZZ THE FEATURE AT STATE THEATER

#### Orchestra Plays Jazz Music Throughout Double Picture Program.

The State Theater could not accommodate the crowds that wanted to see the first of the three-days-of-jazz programs last night. A large crowd of patrons was turned away. It's an interesting program—this one that Manager Sanson has prepared. Director Samuel Kaplan's orchestra plays syncopated tunes from start to finish. Even when the old mother starts weeping at the loss of her home and fortune, it's jazz that helps the tears along. Mr. Kaplan's orchestra proves that it is capable of syncopating any tune—and jazzing it so that you'll like it.

The picture features for the program last night—and for tonight and tomorrow are "Dancing Mothers" starring Conway Tearle, Alice Joyce and Clara Bow, and "The Johnstown Flood" with George O'Brien in the leading role. A jazzy comedy and news reel are also on the program. In "Dancing Mothers" Manchester Movie fans see again the screen's best fapper—Clara Bow. Miss Bow is the very essence of pep, and her work fits in well with the jazz program. Miss Joyce and Mr. Tearle do their usual excellent acting in the leads. "The Johnstown Flood" is a thriller among thrillers. The subject is an excellent one for a melodrama and the producers have made the most of it.

Wednesday the Country Store will be featured again and on Thursday the management has a surprise which will not be divulged until tomorrow.

Co-operation of Colleges. Universities, seminaries, colleges and normal schools co-operating in training leaders. Approximately 50 institutions of higher education giving courses in scout-mastership.

Scouting, Education's Ally. Former scouts are numerous among college students. Surveys made in 1925 at following institutions showed these high percentages of students who had had scout training:

Washington and Jefferson College, all classes	64
University of Oregon, freshmen	52
U. S. Naval Academy, all classes	48
Harvard University, all classes	50
Rhode Island College, all classes	48
U. S. Military Academy, all classes	48
Univ. of Michigan, freshmen	44
Yale University, all classes	38
Lafayette College, all classes	33

Camping—3,862 Camps. During the past summer, 259,702 scouts were accommodated for one week or more at the camps under the immediate supervision of 556 local councils and the general direction of the National Department of Camping. The average cost was \$5.83 per boy per week.

### FUNERAL OF RUTH A. DEMERCHANT

Funeral services for Ruth A. five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Demerchant of 177 Middle Turnpike East were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 from Holman's Undertaking parlors. Rev. Frederick C. Allen of Second Congregational church officiated and committal was in the vault at the Buckland cemetery. The little girl had been ill with measles and laryngitis. Pneumonia then developed which was the cause of her death. Besides her parents she is survived by two brothers, Frazier and David, and one sister, Bertha.

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### SCOUT NEWS

#### BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

The Practical Side of Scouting

Tent Caterpillars are destroying fruit and ornamental trees along our highways and are a blotch on the landscape. It is suggested that each troop of scouts be responsible for gathering the egg clusters from the trees along certain designated sections of highways and further to destroy any nests that may appear later in the season in Manchester. Scouts would thus be doing a service that would be appreciated by all lovers of nature and users of our highways.

Gathering of these eggs must be done very soon as they will hatch and the caterpillar will scatter to eat the young leaves. The egg clusters are about the size of nickle, silvery in appearance and partly gathered around the branches of wild cherry, apple and peach trees. Each troop will keep a definite record of the egg clusters removed. This work will be under the direct supervision of each Scout Master.

Definite instructions will be sent to each troop and published in the Herald within a few days, regarding the territories assigned to each troop, the method of disposing of the egg clusters and all other necessary information. Scouts must not do this work on their own initiative but must always act under the supervision of their scout masters.

This matter has been discussed with Mr. Hawes, State Forester who welcomes this service and is giving the necessary instructions, how to carry out the details of the job.

### "OH, WHAT A NURSE" AT CIRCLE TOMORROW

Billed as cousin to Charley's Aunt and starring Syd Chaplin, "Oh, What a Nurse" is said to outdo this star's former great success for laughs. "Oh, What a Nurse" scored one of the biggest hits of any comedy ever presented in Hartford two weeks ago when it sent audiences after audience into near hysterics of laughter. This great picture opens a two days' engagement at the Circle theater tomorrow afternoon the regular Circle admission prices.

The new story concerning a conscientious young newspaper reporter and his tribulations when assigned to take the place of Dolly Whimple, adviser to the lovebird, while she is on her vacation.

The office force thinks this a great joke and takes advantage of this wonderful chance to do some kidding. But Jerry is ingenious and strikes right back. One day when they are crowded around the keyhole of his office door to enjoy his reactions to their pranking, he empties a copious vase filled with water over the partition onto their heads.

Of course there wasn't any use of having the people there while the scenes of Syd pouring the water over the door were being shot because they couldn't be seen so two prop boys held a large wash tub up on the other side to receive the charge. Unfortunately, the two boys were a bit off center on the first "shot" and the two quarts of water caught the fat boy on the left side full in the face. After the necessary amount of laughter, kidding and apologies had been broadcast, the skinny boy from Texas changed places with corpulent one and they moved the tub right under the spot where the previous dose had gone.



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Troop 2 fell in at 7.30 with the salute to the flag. After a short drill a study period was held. Those who passed tests were Edward Markley, Sgt. Leader, McCann, recruit; Irwin Quinn, scout pace; Daniel Foley, scout pace; S. McCann, compass; Sheridan, compass; Brannick, knife and axe; Bieder, Morse code; and McVeigh and Brimly passed their tenderfoot tests.

The troop then assembled and held their court which was followed by the amep. The games played were Fire, Cheese It and Slap the soon as everyone felt talkative so a contest for the best talking champion was held. The best tongue wagers of Troop 2 are E. McKeever, Markley and Koch. The troop then fell out and got their hats and coats. They were then dismissed with the salute to the flag.

### CIRCLE STAGES SURPRISE CHARLESTON TONIGHT

The great Surprise Charleston contest will be staged tonight at the Circle theater in addition to the big double feature program of photographs. The usual Circle picture prices will prevail. The management has promised its patrons a real surprise in tonight's Charleston contest and they may well look forward to something that they have never before seen in the art of Charlestoning. The big surprise for tonight will be the competition between a local young man and young lady from Bristol. They have something in store in the way of Charleston dancing that will be a surprise in fact as well as in name.

The feature pictures for tonight will be Glenn Hunter in "My Buddies' Wife" and Wanda Hawley in "Light of London." In order to facilitate the handling of crowds tonight, the management will open its doors a few minutes earlier than usual, although the performance will begin on schedule time.

# Keith's Bird's Neponsett Week



## Special Display and Sale All Week

At a Remarkable Bargain Price, You Can Get the New Rug Your Kitchen Needs

Walk into your kitchen and look at the floor! See how worn and ugly the present covering has become. See how the wood in the bare spots is splintering and crumbling. This week you can get a Bird's Neponsett Rug at a price lower than ever before. Lay it—and instantly that unsightly, unsanitary floor becomes a good looking sanitary floor. The back-breaking job of scrubbing becomes the easy job of mopping. There will be far more cheer and far less work in your kitchen.

There is a Bird's Neponsett Rug suitable for every room in the home.

## 24 Inch Neponsett Hall Runners 39c Yd. (Parquetry Design)

<b>8 Remarkable Advantages of Bird's Neponsett Rugs</b>	<b>This Week for Only \$6.95</b>	<b>This Week for Only \$8.95</b>
<b>They Are Washable</b> A light mopping cleans them. No scrubbing or beating. They are sanitary.	<b>You can get a 6x9 ft. Neponsett Rug.</b>	<b>They Are Stainproof.</b> Foreign substance can be washed right off.
<b>They Are Durable</b> Giving extra wear at no greater cost.	<b>This Week for Only \$11.95</b>	<b>They Have a Waxed Back</b> An exclusive Bird's feature that prevents sticking to the floor.
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## BEATING THE MOSQUITO

BY DR. HUGH S. CUMMING  
Surgeon General, United States Public Health Service

Mosquitoes differ greatly in their habits. Some species are most commonly found near the home of man, and a few species are found almost exclusively in the immediate vicinity of human habitations. This is particularly true of the species commonly known as the yellow fever and dengue mosquitoes. Another species which may be called the wild mosquito frequents the common salt marshes. A third class, sometimes called the semi-domestic class, may be found about human habitations and in swamps and fields. It is to this semi-domestic class of mosquitoes that the genus Anopheles belongs.

The genus Anopheles is the mosquito commonly associated with the spread of malaria and known as the malarial mosquito. Mosquitoes pass through four stages, the first stage, the egg or embryo; the second stage, the larva; the third, the pupa stage, and fourth, the imago or adult winged insect. The three earlier stages in the life of a mosquito are passed in water. Mosquitoes do not breed in vegetation or on the wet grass or bushes.

Mosquitoes differ not only in their habits but also in the character of their breeding places. The yellow fever mosquito and others of the first species mentioned, may be found breeding in almost any collection of water near human habitation except ground water. They have been found in old tin cans containing water, in broken bottles, in tubs and barrels, in cisterns, in flower pots and in eave gutters. The species of mosquito to which the malarial-bearing insects belong may be found breeding in partly filled water barrels, in the hoof-prints of animals, in old tin cans, in hollow tree stumps, and in post-holes. They usually seem to prefer, however, grass bordered pools and in ditches through which water flows but slowly.

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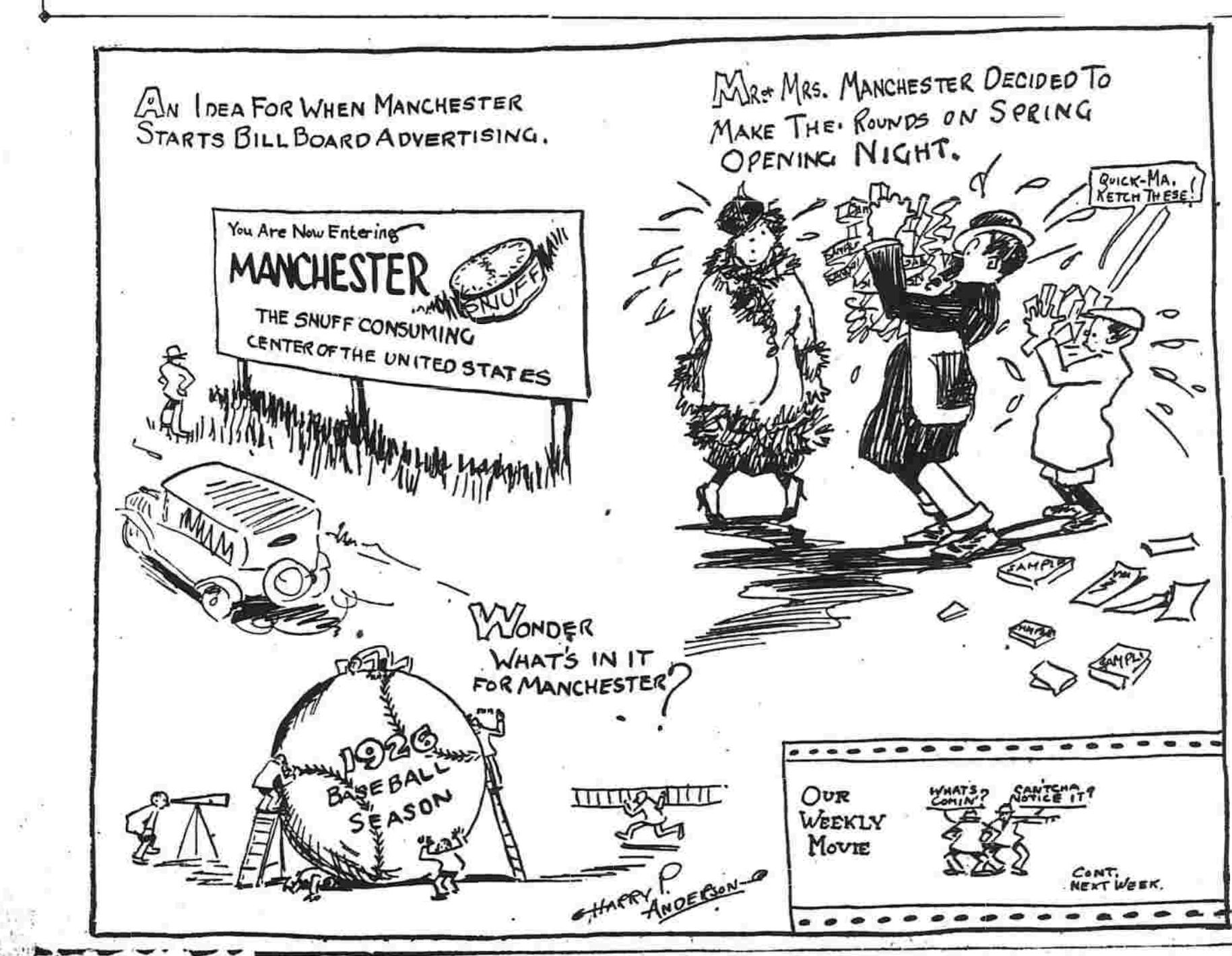
The following memorials, petitions, etc. from Connecticut organizations have been introduced in the Senate by Senator Bingham for listing in the Congressional Record and for reference to the proper committees:

Memorial from the Hartford Council Knights of Columbus protesting against the passage of the Curtis-Reed bill creating a Federal Department of Education.

Memorial from the Manufacturers' Association of Bridgeport registering approval of legislation intended to increase the salaries of Federal judges.

### 'Snuff Said

—by Harry Anderson



### JAZZ THE FEATURE AT STATE THEATER

Orchestra Plays Jazz Music Throughout Double Picture Program.

The State Theater could not accommodate the crowds that wanted to see the first of the three-days-of-jazz programs last night. A large crowd of patrons was turned away. It's an interesting program—this one that Manager Sanson has prepared.

Director Samuel Kaplan's orchestra plays syncopated tunes from start to finish. Even when the old mother starts weeping at the loss of her home and fortune, it's jazz that helps the tears along.

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#### STARVING FAD.

Lady Fisher, the British voluntary faster, who has successfully accomplished the feat of going without food other than diluted fruit juices for forty-two days, is not the first person to set up the claim that most human life can be cured by restraining from food for a long period, but she is perhaps the most enthusiastic and the most conspicuous of such advocates to gain the public's ear.

One Dr. Tanner, if we recall correctly, fasted for forty days not once but twice, a good many years ago, and apparently much to his physical advantage. And there have been plenty of other expounds of this same hygienic creed.

But the testimony of Lady Fisher is more detailed and more surprising than that of any of her predecessors in the life of fast-boasting.

"We have learned," she says, "that fasting does not kill or impair but frees nature to turn all her energies to expel poison."

Undoubtedly this is true to an extent greater than most persons realize. But it may be just entirely possible that it is one thing for Lady Fisher to go without any more substantial food than fruit juice and water, and another thing for a person to undertake that kind of diet who has to use his or her muscles and faculties in providing meat and drink for a family, or even merely in holding down the job.

Again: "All diseases respond to this treatment," says the authoritative Englishwoman. "Cancer, before it has gone too far, responds, as does tuberculosis both of the lungs and of the bone." Then she cites cases within her own observation such as that of a man dying of pernicious anemia, cured by a 20-day fast, and one of Bright's disease, cured in 14 days.

Quite so, no doubt, since Lady Fisher says so. But perhaps it would not do for the medical world to abandon all other treatments but starvation until it is learned who, in these cases, made the diagnosis.

We should still be inclined to think that it might be as well to take up the idea with one's family physician before falling heels over head into the expectation of organizing a brand new system for oneself by going without food.

#### A LETTER TO A BOY.

Here is a letter to a boy, to a boy about to quit high school and go to work on a milling machine.

The boy is a sophomore. He has failed in school just once, in the last examinations. His parents have a little money, not much, but are willing to make a few sacrifices in order to see their son through college.

Here is the letter: "Dear Frank: "I have just heard of your decision to quit school—but perhaps I should not call it a decision, because I believe you are merely drifting out of school on the first little adverse wave that struck you. "That is a very bad move, Frank. You'll regret that long and often. It is your first big mistake.

"If you let the first little wave that strikes you wash you over, these waves are going to knock you down time after time, as long as you live.

"But, if you put your foot down now, with the determination to 'fight it out along this line if it takes all summer' you will have beaten these waves for all time.

"Taking the easiest way doesn't pay, Frank. We all have to do things we don't like to do, every day. You will find that your work at the milling machine has a fly in it, too—then where will you turn, what will you do?

"You say you want to be earning, you are coming into a man's estate, you do not want to be dependent. You say you will go to night school for your further education, and keep on working.

"But you won't go to night school. You won't go to night school six months. You're quit-

ting high school—you'll quit night school, too.

"You won't go to night school because the real reason for your quitting school is that you have found a fly in it, you have failed.

"Failure in school or out doesn't determine a man's qualities, Frank. But courage in the face of failure does."

#### WHY BLUE LAWS FAIL.

Opposition by President Coolidge has sounded doom for a blue law bill that Congress was getting ready to clamp upon the District of Columbia.

Evidently the president, like many of the rest of us, thinks that Moses did very well at Mount Sinai, and that attempts to improve upon the third and fourth commandments are painting the lily.

Ten thousand laws might be passed, but the Sunday would remain just as red, green or blue as the individual chose to make it. That is because observance of the Sabbath is really a matter of how a man's mind works.

America is a paradise for reformers but not the only country where they flourish. A young swain in Turin, Italy, was arrested for kissing his girl as he was leaving her at her doorstep. The police magistrate dismissed the charge of "offense against public decency," but the supreme court of Italy reversed the decision and upheld the law. If you feel like kissing your girl in Italy, better take her down into the cellar.

And, on top of it all, a local option drive has been started in Germany. That sounds like a dream, but it is expected to obtain 8,000,000 signatures to petitions addressed to the Reichstag. It would be a fine, broad-minded thing if they would include Limburger cheese in the petition. The next number on the program might be a drive against garlic in Italy. And say, let's purge the Bermudas of those dreadful onions!

#### LOBSTERS.

An odd reaction to the getting of one's own way is reflected in the statement in a New London newspaper that the lobstermen of Noank are very anxious to have the state reopen the Noank hatchery for the artificial propagation of the crustaceans.

For years the State Board of Fisheries and Game waged what amounted to a battle of wills with the Noankers over that hatchery. The commissioners insisted that what they were doing for the lobster industry was beneficial to the industry and would be still more so if the lobstermen would cooperate with them. The lobstermen pooh-poohed the services of the hatchery, ridiculed its objectives and derided its methods—and flatly refused to work with the commission for the development of their own industry.

The principle aim of the fishermen seemed to be to laugh the hatchery out of business.

In the end their discouragement of the enterprise prevailed and the artificial propagation of lobsters by the state and their planting in Long Island and Fishers Island sound waters were abandoned.

And now, after a period of several years, it has dawned on the lobstermen that maybe the release of some tens of millions of little lobsters annually hadn't been such a bad thing after all. Anyhow lobsters are extremely scarce and getting scarcer, since the state quit fostering them.

And would Connecticut please try the scheme again?

#### REINDEER.

Carl J. Lomen, Alaska "Reindeer king," is in New York trying to boost the reindeer as a substitute for the beef critter. He tells a lot of interesting things about reindeer; about their being 400,000 of them in Alaska now, with the possibility of maintaining 4,000,000 head on lands suitable for little of anything else; about 150,000 of them having gone the way of all edible flesh since the herds were first imported from Siberia in 1892, about the tariff and about a "Reindeer week" that is to be held throughout the country next month, when big hotels and restaurants will introduce reindeer meat for what it is, not disguised under the name of venison.

"We don't know anything about reindeer meat except that it is meat. But we know enough about the reluctance of the average American—positively the most conservative feeder in the world—to tackle food novelties to have small faith that reindeer will ever be put over in the Yankee kitchen except by lying about it and calling it beef.

You can sell horse meat or goat meat or whale meat so long as you call it beef but you can't sell it for what it is. Americans eat not so much the flesh as the name.

#### GOOD BOY, "WASH."

Washington I. James is just rounding out his forty-second year of "getting his man." Desperate

characters have clubbed him over the head and pumped lead into his body, but "Wash" James is still there, the guardian of law and order and Nemesis of crooks.

At 75 "Wash" James is a little battered and worn from long service. He doesn't watch over a big city, but the fact that he is police chief at so small a place as Hingham, Mass., needn't make any difference. The all important fact is that "Wash" James is efficient, honest and brave. Congratulations, Officer James!

#### ANGEL CHILD.

A Philadelphia lad, aged seven, whose mother calls him "angel child," has been taken into juvenile court for the second time within a month for fighting neighbors' boys. He is accused of malicious mischief. A mother puts her son under an awful handicap when she labels him "angel child" and lets him hear it. This particular lad, however, apparently is fast on the way to become an outstanding citizen in spite of the epithet.

She needn't worry about him. The boy who would be called "angel child" and didn't feel like fighting about it.

#### AIRPLANES.

A dispatch from Monroe, La., tells how an airplane is used to maintain service in an electrical superpower system.

The company maintains a plane, and when there is a break in the power line rushes repair men there by air in a third of the time they could get there otherwise.

That's news now, being unusual. Ten years from now, however, it won't be news. It will be too common, too every-day an affair to be given mention. We hardily realize now how useful the airplane is going to prove.

#### DAILY POEM

Hotsy, tolay, cake and pie, come now, youngster, don't you cry. Mister Sandman, bye and bye, plans to close your little eye.

Rockin', rockin', to and fro. Down we come and up we go. First it's fact and then it's slow. Toodle, tummy, toodle tow.

Ride the road that seems so steep, on our way so fast asleep. Happy, playtime's sure to keep. Quiet, youngster, don't you peep. Little paddles, held so tight. Time to turn down low the light. Peace and quiet through the night. Rockin' left and rockin' right.

Now we're on our way to bed. Wide-awakeness all has fled. Softly, softly is the tread. To the trundle bed we're led. Maybe silly—maybe sad. Still it makes a youngster glad. Verse like this each poet has had—rocked to sleep at night by dad.

#### DAILY ALMANAC

Today is feast day of St. Catherine of Sweden, virgin, daughter of a prince who persuaded her fiancé to join her in a vow of perpetual chastity.

Americans under Gen. Winfield Scott shelled Vera Cruz, Mexico, March 22, 1847.

Today is birthday anniversary of Sir Anthony Van Dyck, painter.

Today is public holiday in Japan and Porto Rico.

#### Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. Responsibility Repeated. MONDAY

Read Jn. 15:22-27. Text: 15:22. But now they have no excuse. Meditation—Such words as never man spoke fell upon their ears. They saw the mighty works He did. They were content to receive and not to give again. He required that they who were born of Abraham should validate their sonship in Israel by living as Abraham lived, and they would not. Because His gospel demanded sacrifice of what they had received they hated both Him and His Father. Greater is the obligation of our generation, more truth, power, privilege has been ours than in all the ages before. Greater our condemnation if as stewards of the oracles of God we are content to appropriate the riches of His grace and to refuse the obligation of our spiritual stewardship.

Prayer—O thou who didst first love us and didst give Thyself for us, forgive because we have been ready to receive and have rejected our obligation to give and to serve. For that only he lives most who serves best. Purge us from all subtle and corrupting selfishness, lest we refuse the cross. Amen.

#### STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

BY CHARLES P. STEWART. Washington, March 22—For the first real closeup I ever saw of Governor Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland (I was speaking of him only yesterday, but I didn't quite finish) I was indebted to Editor H. L. Mencken of the "American Mercury."

Ritchie and Mencken are fellow Baltimoreans. Mencken is personally well acquainted with Ritchie, knows all about his record and has odies of intimate dope concerning him.

Well, Mencken spoke well of the Maryland chief executive. When H. L. Mencken says a good word for somebody, you can make up your mind he must be something extra-super.

He referred to the governor as an aristocrat. Being an aristocrat, he said, gives a man something to let up to. He believes, he added, that Ritchie tries to do it.

Of course there was a worm in the favorable estimate, or it wouldn't have been H. L. Mencken. The point he was making was that the rottenness of politics had forced even so high-minded an individual as Albert C. Ritchie to compromise with his convictions more or less.

However, considering that it was H. L. Mencken speaking—H. L. Mencken, who lies awake nights thinking up mean remarks to make about people—I interrupted what he said about Governor Ritchie as almost unqualifiedly complimentary.

Ritchie concentrates, politically, upon state rights partly because he believes in them, partly because he thinks they make a good Democratic issue.

In order to win nationally, he admits frankly that an issue must be provided which not only will unite the Democrats but also win

a lot of Republican votes. It must be a popular issue, too. "The tariff," as the governor observed to me, "is an important issue but it hasn't much popular appeal."

As to prohibition, how's it ever going to be possible to bring together the dry south and the wet east? "I'm puzzled about it myself," Ritchie confessed candidly.

Evidently he thinks state fights may turn the trick. It isn't such a bad idea, at that.

The south, of course, has to stand for state rights. But you can't very well reconcile state rights with national prohibition. So it's a slogan which ought to catch the moist east's ear. Also the ears of certain western states, like Wisconsin, say, which aren't so dry.

There you have it—a united Democracy and some Republican votes. (It if works.)

PROHIBITION— "I think," said Governor Ritchie "that Congress ought to leave it to the states to define intoxicants, individually, perhaps with a limit fixed, beyond which they mustn't go." The dry states would stick to a limit of 1 per cent, or less. The wet ones would still be restrained by the Eighteenth Amendment. If they authorized too high a percentage of alcohol, the question of constitutionality would arise. "Obviously that's intoxicating," the supreme court would say.

#### IN NEW YORK

New York, March 22—Random notes from an afternoon's ramble about Manhattan:

Hurray, the first circus posters flaunt their gaudy colors in our village! Which means that Dexter Follies has come out of his hole, or wherever he spends the winter, and seen his shadow. In speaking of spring harbingers, within the past few weeks I completely overlooked Follies. He's the veteran circus press agent—grand mustaches an' everything.

In the Wall street belt they are known as the "Standard Oil tenors."

They are all graduates of the Park Avenue Baptist church choir, which is especially famed as John D. Rockefeller's church.

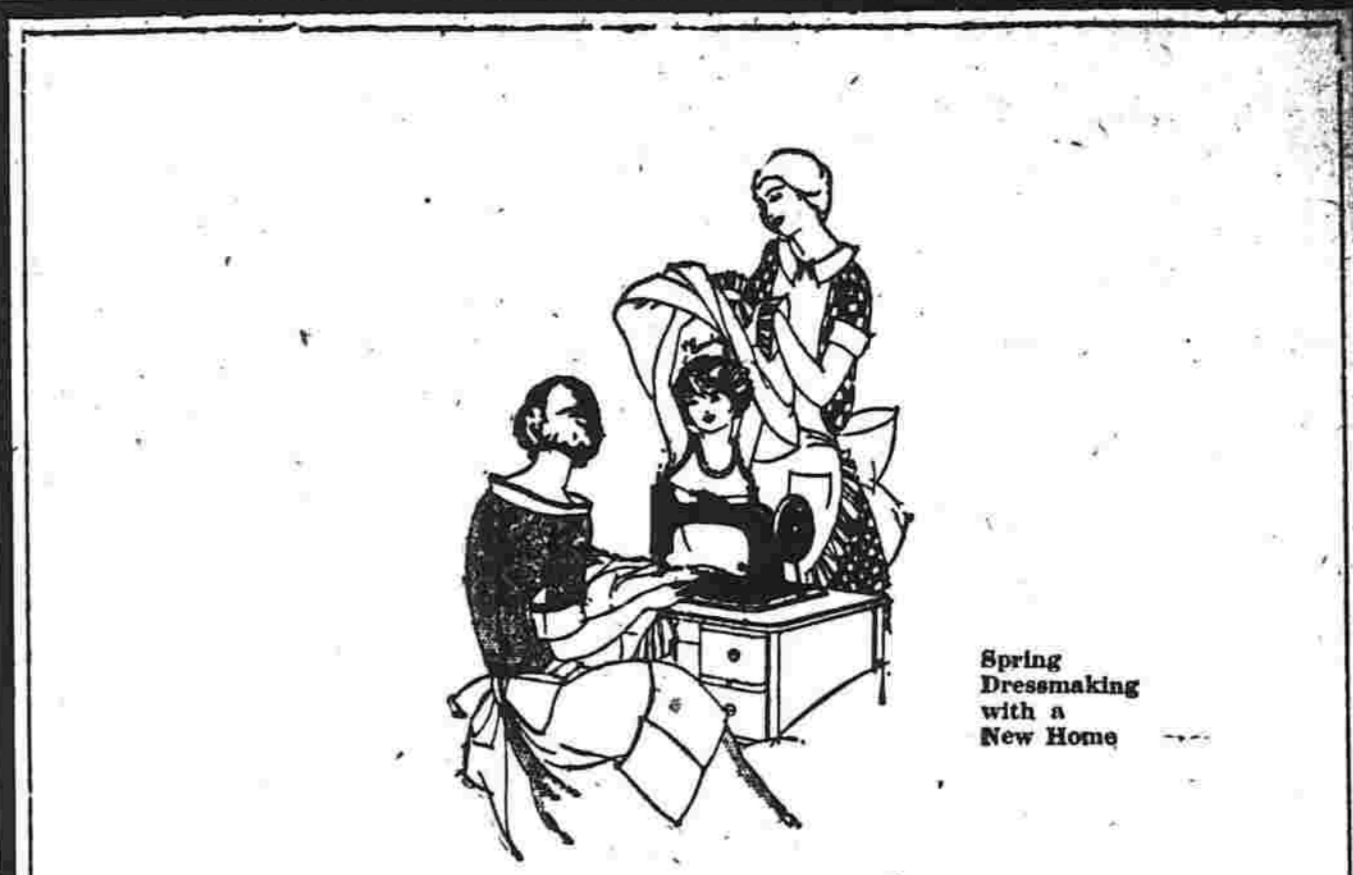
Franklin Bauer is a heavy young broadcaster and phonograph record maker; George Raseley went into musical comedy; Bechtel Alcock, in addition to being husband to Mme. Alcock of the Metropolitan, went upon the musical stage and returned to Broadway, and John Steel went into musical comedy.

They all got their starts in John D.'s church.

Observe many of the handsome foreign invaders of our American movies strutting into first night performances on Broadway. And getting little or no tumble from the fan mob, which ordinarily breaks its own and several other necks to get a peep. But, then, the girls have scarcely had time to see the newcomers flicker.

Lars Hanson, the quite blondish young idol of Sweden, will henceforth be found in the film company of one of the Gishes—Dorothy, I believe.

And then, my dears, there is Ivan Petrovich. No, he is not another thirty-second cousin of the late czar. Rather he comes from Serbia to be seen anon with Alice Terry. This Petrovich, I am told, studied music at Prague and was threatening to invade America as a concert artist. But the war came on, and so he became an officer in the royal cavalry. When the Serbian king was forced from the country, who was right along but little Ivan? All of which makes his life



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Tom Sims Says

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Hound dogs sit around and howl at the moon, but calamity howlers sit around and howl at nothing.

The weather seems to be perfect only during those months having a "2" in them.

Many a woman standing in front of a shop window has merely stopped to reflect.

Monday was wash day once. Now it is the day on which we have the garage man put the auto back together.

If a man's face is his fortune some of us are in debt.

One of the hard things about farming is resisting the temptation to quit and go fishing with the worms you dig up.

Don't get mad at a cross friend. His children may be sick or his wife may be reducing.

**A THOUGHT**

Behold, my desire is that the Almighty would answer me, and that mine adversary had written a book. —Job, 31:35.

PATIENCE and gentleness are power.—Leigh Hunt.

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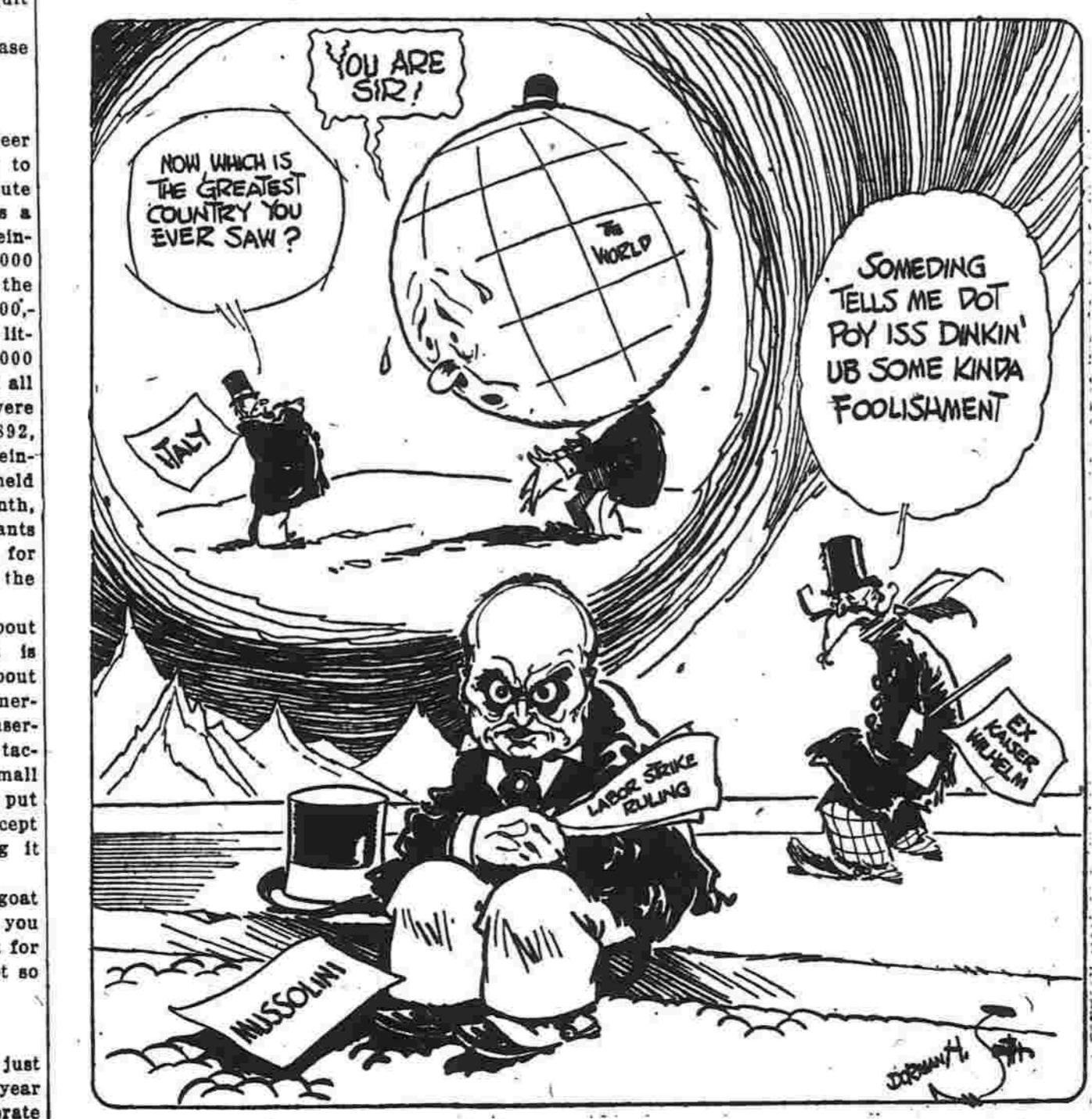
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by Crane

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Young vigor to old folks



For years I could not enjoy food or sleep. Stomach pains kept me irritable. Despaired of improvement till I tried Tanlac.

In this community. In numbers and variety of wares, they make Heinz pickles look like 1-2-3.

To start with it must be remembered that there is no law that the Chamber of Commerce can invoke nor the police department apply to the suppression of house to house canvassing until it can be proved that the operator has violated some state law or town ordinance.

Two Types. The two types of salesmen which are most prominent just at present are the magazine solicitors, and the endless chain stocking salesmen.

In one case, investigation proved that the solicitor was a professional, had been employed for a number of years in various parts of the United States, and that so far as his employer knew, there was no intention on his part of attending college.

Rich Student. Another magazine solicitor, claiming that he was working for a scholarship, did come to the Chamber rooms while the secretary was out.

WASHINGTON TUBBS II



at the Bond Hotel, Hartford, and he made inquiry for the nearest pay-station where he could call Parsons' theatre and make reservations for tickets for the evening performance.

Did you ever stop to think how seldom you see the same salesman in the country is large and they just "skim the cream" in every community.

One woman, the wife of a well-known business man has a 100 per cent record—her name has appeared on every list which has so far come to the attention of the Chamber of Commerce.

COVENTRY. The Teachers' Training Class will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Esther Vinton.

TALCOTTVILLE

A most enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beebe yesterday afternoon when friends of their daughter, Francis, gathered to help him celebrate his fourth birthday.

ANDOVER

Charles White spent Thursday in Hartford. Mrs. W. B. Talbot and Mrs. Inez Gilchrist visited in Willimantic Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fish are ill with the grip. The Well Baby Conference which was scheduled for next week has been definitely postponed.

HALE'S HEALTH MARKET

- Pork Chops ..... 2 lbs. 50c
Fresh Raw Leaf Lard ..... 18c lb.
Fresh Spare Ribs ..... 22c lb.
Shoulder Lamb Chops ..... 32c lb.
Lamb Stew ..... 12c lb.
Rump Corned Beef ..... 18c lb.
Salted Pig's Feet ..... 10c lb.
Sugar Cured Sliced Bacon ..... 42c lb.
Hale's Sausage Meat ..... 25c lb.

HALE'S SELF-SERVE GROCERY

- Maine Maid Pie Crust ..... 23c pkg.
Sunbeam Sliced Pineapple ..... 29c can
Cloverbloom Butter ..... 49c lb.
Milk Chocolate Fancies ..... 40c lb.
Native Hot House Head Lettuce .10c head

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- Fancy Loin Lamb Chops ..... 49c lb.
Nice Pieces of Breast of Lamb for Stewing ..... 12 1-2c lb.
Fancy Brisket Corned Beef ..... 25c lb.
Our Home Made Sausage Meat, from native pork ..... 25c lb.
Fancy Yellow Globe Turnips ..... 25c peck
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10 pounds Granulated Sugar ..... 58c

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Sirloin Roast ..... 25c
Rump Veal Roast ..... 25c
Legs of Veal ..... 25c
Veal Chops ..... 25c
Shoulder Lamb Chops ..... 25c
Pork Chops ..... 25c
Roasting Pork ..... 22c lb.
Shoulder Steak ..... 22c lb.
Sausage Meat ..... 22c lb.
Fresh Spinach ..... 18c peck
Eggs, fresh from the farm ..... 38c doz.
Iceberg Lettuce ..... 3 heads for 25c
Potatoes ..... 75c peck
Oranges ..... 25c doz.
Oysters ..... 38c pint

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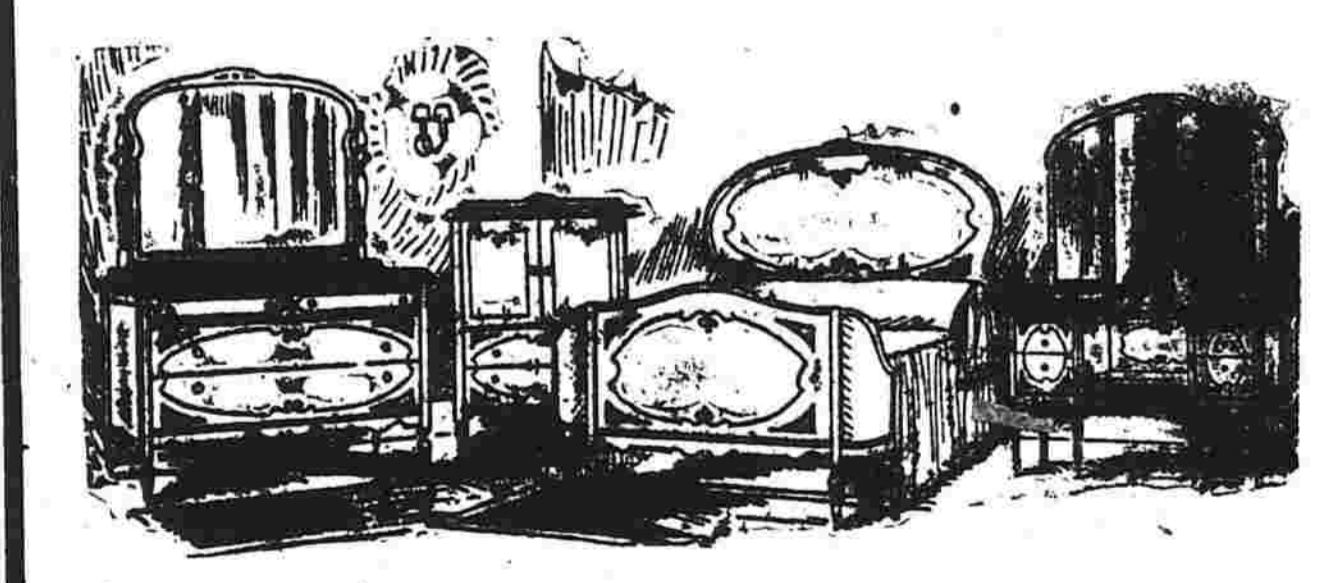
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That there will be a special meeting of the legal voters of the FIFTH SCHOOL DISTRICT, of the Town of Manchester, in the school building in said District, on Friday, March 26th, 1926, at eight o'clock (Standard Time), in the afternoon, for the following purposes, to wit:

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### TO RENT

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FOR RENT—Two desirable offices. Apply to Mr. Padover, Manchester Public Market, Phone 10.

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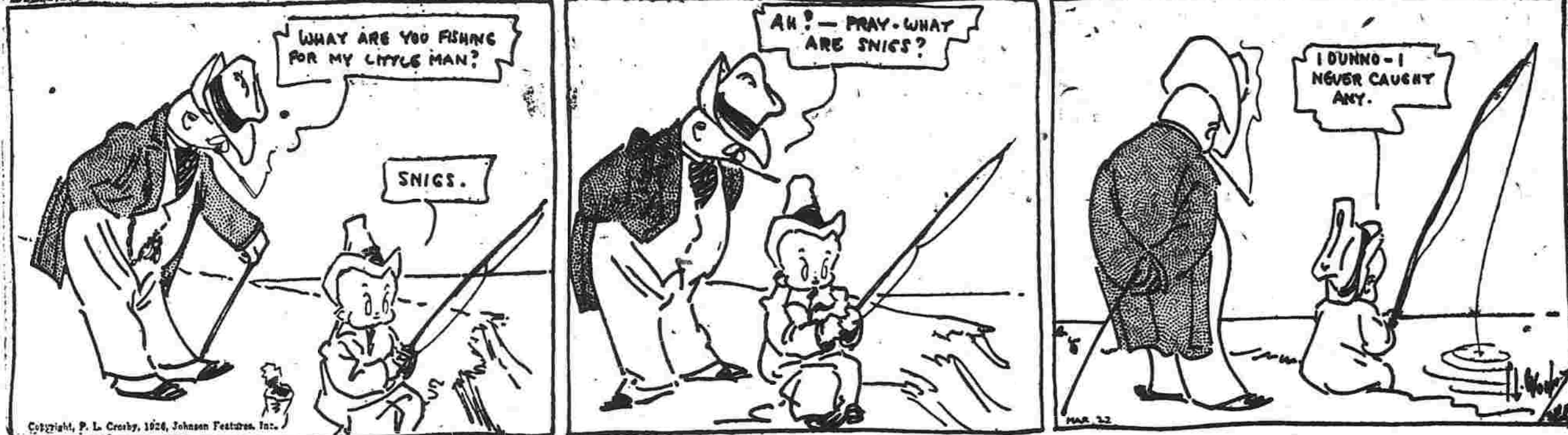
WEAF (492) New York City. 4—Helene Forke, soprano. 4:15—Earl Beards, pianist. 4:30—Paul Winnell, baritone. 4:45—Poets I Have Met" by Walter Yust. 5—Innocent Lopez and orchestra. 6—Dinner music. 7—Columbia University lecture. 7:20—Raymond G. Parker, tenor. 7:30—"The Lullaby Lady." 8—"Pop Concert." To WOO (508.2). 9—A. and P. Gyles. To WEEI (476). WCAP (469). WWJ (352.7). WJAR (305.9). WOO (508.2). 10—Grand opera, "Nozza di Figaro." To WOO (508.2). WCAE (481.3). WJAR (305.9). WCAP (469). WTAG (268). 11—Ben Bernie and orchestra.

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 WBBM (226) Chicago, Ill. 4—Musical varieties. 6—Vocal and instrumental.  
 WPA (476) Dallas, Tex. 4:30—Instrumental and vocal.  
 KFAB (340.7) Lincoln, Neb. 5:30—Concert. 8:30—Orchestra.  
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 WOAW (526) Omaha, Neb. 9—Classical.  
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 WLW (422.3) Cincinnati, O. 7—Concert. 8—Variety. 10—Orchestra.  
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 WHO (526) Des Moines, Ia. 7:30—Musical. 8—Variety. 11—Orchestra.  
 WDAF (365.6) Kansas City, Mo. 8—Vocal. 11:45—Frolie.  
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**Tonight's Program**  
 6:30—Children's period—"Mother Goose—the Children's Entertainer"—Bessie Lillian Tab.  
 6:50—"Moe" Blumenthal's Hub Restaurant Trio—Beethoven Beautiful Blue Danube..... Strauss Selection from the "Prince of Pilsen"..... G. Lauder's Minuet..... Beethoven Sunshine of your Smile... Ray Melodie..... Tschalkowsky Popular Period.  
 7:30—Announcements and Police Report.  
 7:35—Worthy Hills and His Orchestra with Dave Young, Scotch Comedian—Direct from the State Armory.  
 8:30—The Capitol Theater Orchestra—Bill Jones, Director.  
 8:45—"Why More Alfalfa Will Pay"—Ben Southwick, County Agricultural Agent.  
 9:00—The Marjorie Kay Entertainers—Georganna Greene, Popular Ballad Singer, Jack Sherwood, Dramatic Reader—Kelley and Lock.

Popular Vaudeville team. 9:30—Emil Heimberger's Hotel Bond Dance Orchestra.  
 10:00—Grand Opera Hour—Under the direction of Cesare Sodero, from WEAF—"The Marriage of Figaro."  
 11:00 to Midnight—The Travelers Symphonic Ensemble conducted by Dana S. Merriman in a program by Ludwig van Beethoven. 1. Minuet in G. Beethoven light. Beethoven Sonata. 3. Symphony No. 5..... Beethoven (a) Allegro con brio (b) Andante con moto (c) Allegro

### SENSE AND NONSENSE

Fire! Fire! Girls will please unroll their hose!  
 Tipping is the practice that puts vice in service.  
 Maybe the reason so many men in this country exercise the privilege of voting is because it's about the only privilege they've got left.  
 The family tree of the flapper is the date palm.  
 "Platters is good this morning, Ma'am," said the old farmer, making his usual weekly call.  
 "Yes," and that reminds me," retorted the customer rather grimly. "How is it that those you sold me last week were so much smaller at the bottom of the basket than at the top?"  
 "Well," answered the old man, "platters are growing so fast now that by the time I've dug a basketful up the last ones are about twice the size of the first!"  
 Each of us is an employer—of his own hands and head.  
 Her: "A penny for your thoughts."  
 Him: "What do you think I am, a slot machine?"  
 ANY FOOL CAN KNOCK. Don't criticize your neighbor's faults. No matter what they do. Don't ridicule the masses or malign the chosen few. Don't think yourself a censor for the silly, human flock. And just remember as you go That any fool can knock.  
 Don't laugh at those who make mistakes

And stumble on the way. For you are apt to follow them, And almost any day. Don't think the others shifting sand. While you are solid rock. And don't forget, for heaven's sake, That any fool can knock.  
 Don't be a puller-down of fame On other men conferred. Don't give a parting kick to one Who fell because he erred. Don't think that you are perfect and The only size in stock. And now, once more, just bear in mind That any fool can knock.  
 "If you are going to borrow money, borrow from a pessimist." "Why a pessimist?" "He never expects to get it back."  
 Hospitals assist nature both in killing and curing:  
 A Floridian was walking around an old Scott's churchyard. His eye lit upon the epitaph: "Lord, she was thin," carved on one of the headstones. "Say, sexton, what's the big idea

in that," he demanded. "That's au richt, sur. The stone-carver went over near the edge of the stone and didn't leave room for the letter 'e' at the end."  
 The cost of living is high, but the cost of life remains cheap.  
 Often a girl loves a man well enough to marry him and little enough afterwards to let him get his breakfast at a restaurant in order to get to work on time.  
 Try working instead of wishing.  
 The early milkman usually knows a woman's true complexion.  
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**PROPOSALS FOR STATE ROAD WORK**  
 SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the State Highway Commissioner, 12 Washington Street, Hartford, Conn., until 2 P. M., Tuesday, March 30, 1926, for the following sections of State work. Plans and specifications may be seen at the offices of the following:  
 TOWNS OF VERNON AND TOLLAND: About 23000 linear feet of 7 inch Waterbound Macadam on South Street and Vernon Avenue and on the Hartford-Tolland Turnpike. The stone may be local stone. Plans and specifications at the office of R. W. Stevens, Division Engineer, Essex Building, 15 Lewis Street, Hartford, Conn.  
 TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR: About 1650 linear feet of reinforced concrete pavement on the Broad Brook-Billington Road. NOTE: Portland cement will be furnished by the Department. Plans and specifications at the office of R. W. Stevens, Division Engineer, Essex Building, 15 Lewis Street, Hartford, Conn.  
 TOWN OF WINDSOR LOCKS: A 12 foot span concrete box culvert on the Windsor-Windsor Locks Road—Route No. 110. NOTE: Portland cement will be furnished by the Department. Plans and specifications at the office of R. W. Stevens, Division Engineer, Essex Building, 15 Lewis Street, Hartford, Conn.  
 All bids must be accompanied by a surety company bond or a certified check not less than one-third of the cost of the work. The State Highway Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, March 15th, 1926.  
**JOHN A. MACDONALD,**  
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 12 Washington St., Hartford, Conn.

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 One Radiola III, (no cabinet), new, only \$6.98.  
 One Radiola IIIA, in cabinet with built-in speaker, only \$19.98. (Cabinet alone sells for \$21.50).  
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FEATURE ARTICLES ABOUT INTERESTING WOMEN

LATEST FASHION HINTS BY FOREMOST AUTHORITIES

## The YELLOW STUB by Ernest Lynn

BEGIN HERE TODAY

HENRY RAND, 55, a business man, is found murdered in a cheap hotel in Gratton. Police find a woman's handkerchief and the yellow stub of a theater ticket.

JIMMY RAND, his son, goes to Cleveland, where the theater is. The stub is traced to THOMAS FOGARTY, politician, who says he gave it to OLGA MAYNARD, a cabaret singer. Jimmy meets and falls in love with MARY LOWELL. Later he encounters Olga. She falls in his arms when she learns police want her for murder. Mary, out with SAMUEL CHURCH, a wealthy lawyer sees them and misunderstands. Olga tells police the stub and handkerchief might have come into possession of a man who "picked her up" two nights before the murder. Jimmy receives several mysterious warnings to leave Cleveland but ignores them. Later he is attacked at night by two men. He escapes after seizing a bit-kick from one of them.

With Jimmy and Mary estranged, Church presses his advantage and gets Mary's promise to marry him. Mary tells Jimmy this when they meet Jimmy, trying to lure her, accused her of marrying for money.

He goes out that evening with Olga, "trying to forget." They are walking along the street when she sees the man she had been looking for, sitting in an automobile. Jimmy recognizes him as one of the men who had attacked him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXIV

THE two of them stood transfixed for a moment, staring at the face in the automobile window. The man was sitting on the right of the driver. He was looking straight ahead.

And then, just as the car began to move and while Jimmy was gathering his scattered wits together preparatory to making a leap for the running board, the man turned and saw them.

He jumped, and turned to his companion and whispered something in his ear. The automobile shot ahead with a grinding of gears. Jimmy could see the man—he was wearing a cap pulled down tightly on his head—snap back in his seat as the car leaped forward.

"A taxi!" Jimmy yelled, grabbing Olga by the hand and feebly pulling her with him toward the cab stand a few steps ahead.

He pushed her roughly into the first one at hand. "Follow that car," he said to the astonished driver. "That green sedan. Step on it—he's trying to give me the slip."

He shouted in the driver's ear, after closing the door behind him. "Ten dollars if you don't let him get away!"

Olga moved up close to him, white of face and nervous.

"I'm afraid, Jim." She clutched his arm. "I'm afraid."

"This is what we've been waiting for," he answered, patting her hand. "Don't go by places now. There's nothing to be afraid of. I'm going to halt the first policeman I see and take him along. I'm only afraid they'll get away from us in this traffic."

He thanked his lucky stars for the driver who had chanced upon the cab was waiting in and out of the lane of automobiles almost like a football runner in the open field. Never once did they lose sight of the car ahead of them, and to Jimmy



"That's the man!" Olga cried, pointing to the picture.

stinctively, but too late. A crashing blow caught him squarely in the floor. He heard the door slam and then consciousness left him.

He awoke to find the blinding rays of a flashlight turned full on his face. Voices murmured about him. A slim, cool hand was on his forehead. It was Olga's. She was kneeling beside him.

The voice behind the flashlight said: "You were lucky they were in a hurry to get away, or they might have bumped you off. You're a pretty reckless young fellow, aren't you?"

It was a policeman.

"What happened?" Jimmy asked, dazedly.

"Well, if you don't know, nobody else does. This fellow found me down the taxi stand and said you had run in this house after a couple of roughnecks. You've got a bump on the side of the head where somebody hit you. Some wall-p?"

"And they got away?" Jimmy asked.

"Clean. I've looked all around and I've got a squad to come and search the neighborhood. What's the game? What were you after them for? Who were they?" He volleyed the questions at Jimmy.

"One of them I'm pretty sure is a murderer. Ask Lieutenant O'Day. He knows about it."

"Don't ask him any more questions, officer, please." It was Olga. She had wet her handkerchiefs at the faucet—they were in the kitchen of the house—and was applying cold water to Jimmy's temple.

"Did you ever see the men before?" The officer turned to the taxi driver.

"I haven't seen them yet. This man and the lady pile into my cab and tell me to follow the green sedan. I do, and here's where we are. I didn't get a good look at either. I estimate me to come into the house with him. Hell, I've got a wife and family. I should get bumped off in somebody else's argument."

"You did just right. Don't blame you. I've had some of the same sort of you. It's a damned good nerve for his own good."

"You don't understand how important it was. I was afraid to bump off any more people. You'd have done the same thing if you had seen in my shoes. I wouldn't have stepped to figure on any danger."

Lieutenant O'Day listened attentively to the story that Jimmy and Olga told him. They were sitting beside his desk in the police station.

"Come upstairs with me. We'll get a man now looking up the license number of the sedan. Chances are it's a stolen car. These crooks are always looking at some picture."

"Upstairs in the Bertillon room he showed several books and showed them down to the table. "Here," he said to Jimmy. "You look through this one, and you'll find the picture you're looking for. See if you can't recognize any of the pictures in there. We've got some more files to look at if you don't see anything there."

They turned the pages of the album. A tense silence fell on the room. It was broken by a cry from Olga.

"Look, Jim—here!" She was pointing with her finger. Had risen from her chair in excitement. "Right here! That's the man!"

(To Be Continued.)

## The WOMAN'S DAY by Allene Sumner

Green



This wide brimmed hat is of bright green straw trimmed with a flat conventional flower of white feathers, outlined with painted edge of gold. The brim, short at the back, is faced with white taffeta.

### HER OWN WAY A GIRL OF TODAY

A PROMISE OF HELP

Chatterings!

Girl students of New York University are ordered to cease their boxing bouts till the faculty decides whether or not such pastimes are altogether fitting and proper for young damozels. Perhaps, who knows, this modern woman stuff is to be curbed!

There are no new causes for divorce, according to figures from the Yale Divinity School. Divorces have increased, true, but the proportion of men and women making complaint remains even as it was 30 years ago, and doesn't, cruelly, indicate any drunkenness continue to lead the list as martial disturbance causes.

Now they're fussing as to just who's to blame for the skinny birth rate. Health commissioners blame housing conditions and inflated standards of living which make men and women marry late in life "when we have enough." Birth control devotees say that their doctrine did it, even as did little Cock Robin. Hospitals are decent enough to admit that their high prices in maternity wards have something to do with it. Neurologists say that women is diverting her energies into other channels than child-bearing.

In Our Schools

A certain hamlet of New Jersey is all riled because its teachers demand Oriental and not plain domestic rugs in their teachers' room.

He heard sarcastically opines that they'll be wanting old masters on the walls next!"

Well, what of it? Do you want females teaching your children to instill in them love for good things or do you want them to want your offspring taught culture, you might as well make up your mind to pay for it! And there's the vicious circle again of "the high standard of living" that makes paupers of us all!

Tidbits

D'ye ever make sandwiches of sardines, hard-boiled egg, sliced thin, and lettuce with a dash of lemon, all on rye bread? Yummers! I've ever make French berry pie? Open-face varieties of cream pie with stewed berries over the top sprinkled with sugar? Supers!

Hoeray, Skiny! They're making the arithmetic over! Pedagogues say "the old problems about eating one-fourth of an apple and how much will Willy have left, are it bloooey! Modern life goes by decimals and not fractions, they say, so you'd better get on with the shooting one-fourth and three-fourths from the kids' books. S'all right, maybe, only if you yank everything out of the school books that isn't in "modern life," the empty covers will flap dimly in the wintry blasts!

The Printed Page

George Washington, well-known daddy of his country bought his wife Martha's dresses. This news seeps from the new "Family Life" by George Washington, by Charles Moore. V. read that George ordered for Martha from London merchants "a salmon-colored Tabby of the enclosed pattern, with satin flowers, to be made into a sack and coat, a cap, handkerchief, tucker and a dress, to be made of Brussels lace, or point, proper to wear with the above negligee, to cost 20 pounds, together with satin shoes, both black and white, of the smallest size."

George seems, too, to have been a good step-daddy. He sends a copious list for Master Custis, six, and Miss Custis, four.

Is Woman Free?

Mothers of New York do not have the same authority over legitimate children that fathers do, but bear all the brunt of illegitimate parenthood in Florida, a married woman cannot control her own property, her services belong to her husband, and she cannot choose her legal residence. In Maryland, fathers can will children away from mothers. Fathers are given almost complete control over their children.

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as told by Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, the "first lady," to one who shampoos her:



"The only beauty to me is that beauty d'esprit, beauty of the soul. But I believe in conservative cleanliness. I, for instance, do not have my hair shampooed much more often than every three weeks and I use nothing but soft water, if obtainable, plain soap, and a scalp rub with a Turkish towel.

"I think a woman acquires more real beauty by devoting time to general improvement of her mind and personality as it can be obtained from reading, music, pictures, or a talk with worth-while friends, than she does in rubbing ingredients into her scalp or skin.

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## ADVENTURES of the TWINS by OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

"Goodness gracious!" he cried, "it's high time things were happening!"



Mister Rubadub pulled out a watch almost as big as a dinner plate and looked at it.

"It's high time things were happening. It's half past a quarter to the year after next almost. And spring's about here. And all those wood folk and meadow people not scrubbed up yet to go to the Land-Where-Spring-Is-Coming! If we don't watch out, Mister Hare, they will be slipping away without coming to my magic barber shop first. The March Hare looked over his spectacles. "They can't," he remarked. "I've got burglar alarms

on everyone of their doors. The minute they step out, the alarm rings right here over my towel-rack."

Nancy and Nick were stepping over curiously to gaze at the tiny little bell when suddenly it went "Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle, tinkle."—like an alarm clock.

"There it goes!" cried Mister Rubadub excitedly. "Somebody's trying to slip out without us knowing it. Who is it, I wonder."

The March Hare went over and looked at the little bell. Below it was an arrow pointer like the hand on a clock, and around it in a circle

cle were names instead of numbers.

Each name belonged to one of the wood or meadow people.

"Aha, it says 'Mister Ringtail Coon,'" said the March Hare. "Come, Twins, we'll skip over his house and head him off. But I must say that I'm surprised. Ringtail Coon usually goes out at night and here it is broad daylight."

"I'll be waiting for him," said Mister Rubadub, sharpening his razor on his razor strap.

Ringtail's biggest dude in the whole country and likes to be shaved around his nose. And he's very careful about his mustache. It has to be just so."

The Twins followed the March Hare along the path until they came to the little secret bush that marked the place where Scrub-Up Land ends on that side and the meadow begins.

Then they crossed the meadow to the woods.

There stood the old oak tree where Ringtail lived. It had two stairways—one outside and one inside the old tree. The inside stairway went right on down to the cellar. It was in the cellar that Ringtail had his winter bedroom.

Of course, Ringtail doesn't sleep all winter like Grubby Groundhog, or even half of it like Scramble Squirrel, for he has such a thick handsome coat. But he likes to enforce as well as the other fellow when old Mister Thermometer goes down to zero. And sometimes he's slow wakin' up.

But what do you think. There was no sign of Ringtail himself, but there on his doorstep stood his two nephews, Cory and Cobby Coon who had spent the summer with him the year before.

"Oh, hot so hot you, is it, you young rascals," said the March

### Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippie or, even worse, Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once.

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As effective as the messy old mustard plaster, does the work without blister. Rub it on with your finger-tips. You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

## MUSTEROLE

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Hare. "I thought you were still sound asleep. Aren't you making your calls pretty early in the spring?"

Cory yawned and Cobby yawned. They were still very sleepy.

"Yeh! I guess so," said Cory. "But we had nothing for breakfast, and the fishin's no good yet. We thought Uncle Ring might have something good."

"So he might," declared the March Hare, "but he's not up yet. Let's all go in and surprise him."

They all trooped into the March Hare's winter bedroom, and there he was, just as they thought, still fast asleep.

(To Be Continued.)

Weight for weight, the chimpanzee is about four times as strong as a man.



WORLD'S BEST ATHLETES TO MEET IN PHILADELPHIA

The Pick of Europe to Be Brought Here in July; Expect Shattering of Many Records.

BY DAVIS J. WALSH
New York, March 22—Paavo Nurmi, the man with the wooden face and rubber insteps, will be back in America within a matter of three months, exchanging pleasantries with promoters and making an absolute fool of time.

Among the other celebrities will be Britwilde, Sweden, the greatest 4:13 miler; Leiden, the French high jumper; Paul Martin, of Switzerland, perhaps the greatest half miler in the world today; Douglas Lowe of England, Olympic 800 meter champion; and, of course, Charley Hoff of Norway, and Adrian Paulsen of Holland, who are in America and expect to remain.

All Have Accepted
According to the writer's information, all have made tentative acceptance of bids to the Philadelphia meeting. This, if true, means that the 1926 national track and field championships, with American field athletes also on hand, will be nothing less than a revival of the 1924 Olympic games at Paris.

Any way one cares to view it, a fine time will be had by all and sundry. Nurmi, Wide, Rose and Ritola tearing up the distances; Martin, Lowe and Paulsen running through a half-mile; Charley Hoff making his supreme effort to do 14 feet 2 inches in the pole vault; Herbert Houben, the German, announcing his return for another whirl at American sprinters under more appropriate conditions and the great athletes of America passing for a combined assault on the points.

LAURELS CONQUER MERIDEN LAURELS

Kenneth Anderson Stars as Locals Trim Business College in That City.

Due to the ability of K. Anderson to cage the necessary field goals the Laurels were returned a winner by the score of 24-20 in their game with the Laurel Business school, played at the Community building in Meriden, last Saturday evening.

On top of his excellent shooting Anderson made the basket that tied the score and then made two more before the whistle blew putting the game on ice.

Table with columns: Name, F.G., F.T., Total. Lists players like Faulkner, Gustafson, Anderson, etc.

REVIEW OF RED SOX
New Orleans, La., March 22—Howard Ehmke, ace of the Red Sox pitching staff, is 15 pounds heavier than at any time during his major league career.

Ramon Herrera is not a movie actor, as the first name might imply, but a Cuban second-sacker. He was with Springfield in the Eastern League last year and is fighting it out with Emmett McCann as to who will play the keystone position.

Lee Pohl is hoping that Southpaw Wiltsie comes through for him, the Sox being shy on left-handed pitching. Wiltsie was with Mobile last year, winning 14 and losing 11.

EASTERN BOWLERS TO MEET TONIGHT

Only One Western Team Entered in Matches—Standing of the Clubs.

Toledo, O., March 22.—This will be all-eastern night in the American Bowling Congress tournament.

There are 25 teams from Buffalo, 13 from Pittsburgh, four from Braddock, two from Uniontown, five from Syracuse, three from Philadelphia and one each from Tonawanda, New Kensington and Tarentum.

Last night's rolling, while it saw no leaders displaced in the team event, was prolific of more 2,800 class totals than any night of the tournament thus far.

Recreation No. 2, Port Huron, 3,053. Birk Bros., Chicago, 3,020. North Center Alleys, Chicago, 2,964.

Table with columns: Name, Score. Lists teams like R. Pekie-L. Bunning, M. Grogan-R. Willoughby, etc.

WAPPING LOSSES TO SOUTH WILLINGTON

The Wapping basketball team, winners of the Hartford Y. M. C. A. county championship, were defeated by the South Willington team, winners of the Tolland county title Friday night at the Hartford Y. M. C. A. gym by a score of 29 to 10.

Table with columns: Name, F., F.T., Total. Lists players like Pollock, Sullivan, Balchera, etc.

Referee: Cagnello.
SARASOTA VISITS CAMP
Sarasota, Fla., March 22—With considerable mystery surrounding the appearance here of William J. Burns, famous detective, the Giants made ready for their final week in camp today, before breaking for the north.

Simon Rosenthal, one of the few Jewish players in the majors, is the Beau Brummel of the Red Sox. He gives the natives four changes of apparel daily, not including the baseball uniform.

FELLERS, HAVE YOU BATTED?



Hey, gang, have you gone to bat? Have you "walloped" out your favorite major league player selection? Have you taken your "pick" and sent it to The Herald with a 200-word story telling the reasons for your choice?

Any way, you'd better start swinging your old "Betsy" and enter the National Baseball Player Contest being conducted by NEA Service, Inc. of Cleveland, O., and The Herald.

Better hurry, too. Contest closes at midnight Wednesday, March 31. Any boy 16 years of age and under is eligible to compete.

SAINTS WIN DECIDING GAME FROM COLCHESTER FIVE 49-37

Playing one of its best games of the present season, the local St. Mary's basketball club gathered in a well earned 49 to 37 victory over the Colchester town team in that village Saturday night.

Just one glimpse at the box score of the game is sufficient to reveal that the Saints must have played a wonderful game. Every man of the team with the exception of Bobby Boyce, scored at least five field goals.

How old is Suzanne Lenglen, famous French tennis player?—N. H. G. She is 27.
What was the score of the Minnesota-Wisconsin basketball game, played at Madison several weeks ago?—G. H. W. Wisconsin won, 36-24.

MORGAN MATCHED
New York, March 22.—Announcement was made today that Tod Morgan, lightweight champion, and Joe Glick, local contender, will meet for the title at Madison Square Garden on May 7. The bout is scheduled to go fifteen rounds to a decision.

HELPFUL HINTS ON GOLFING STARS. GENE SARAZEN—VOLUNTARY SLICE. It is one thing to be able to slice a golf shot and another to control the slice. The average beginner, failing to keep the elbows close to the body, is prone to cut across the ball, which invariably produces a slice.

DOPE IS COMPLETELY SHATTERED AS BROCKTON HIGH WINS TITLE

Big Upset Takes Place When Rogers and Fitchburg Are Eliminated in Semi-Finals at Tufts—S. M. H. S. Could Have Beaten Either Brockton or Medford.

(By Staff Correspondent).
Medford, Mass., March 22.—Basketball authorities here and newspapermen, from all over the New England states, who "covered" the games, are still pondering in futile attempt to explain the amazing upsets of dope which preceded the finals of the sixth annual interscholastic basketball tournament under the auspices of Tufts college Saturday night.

It was the biggest pair of upsets that has ever taken place in a Tufts tournament. Every single newspaper reporter seated in the press stand had selected Rogers and Fitchburg as the finalists.

It was not the fact of lack of cheering that the local team was defeated. "Sobby" Vendrillo led a band of about thirty Manchester rooters in making the Goddard gym ring with their cheers.

Brookton High now holds two legs on the Tufts-Fletcher trophy. Haven Comenentz has also won twice while Fitchburg and Rogers each hold one leg on the cup.

Medford High has established itself as a semi-finalist but no more. Last year it reached the finals at Tufts and did this year. Medford also reached the finals at the M. I. T. tourney only to be eliminated by Salem, Mass. recently.

The expenses of the trip to Tufts set back the high school athletic association a little over \$150. This included \$25 fee for doctor bills for Mantelli.

It is expected that the team will not go to Tufts next season, if it has a successful team, but will go to the Yale tourney instead. The Yale tourney affords a cheaper trip and also furnishes plenty of honor.

Elmo Mantelli's 18 1-2 minutes participation in the game at Tufts marked the end of his career as a basketball player for South Manchester High. Elmo will become ineligible due to age next September.

LOCAL PYTHIANS BEAT HARTFORD LODGE BOWLERS
Memorial Lodge, Knights of Pythias, in the bowling match Saturday evening at Conran's alleys, won over Hartford Lodge of Hartford by 55 pins. It is planned to have the next meet at Hartford April 3.

HELEN TO PLAY.
Cannes, March 22.—Helen Willis has accepted an invitation to play in an international tennis tournament in Prague in May.

ELMO MANTELLI ON CRUTCHES FOLLOWING INJURY AT TUFTS

As a result of his injury at Tufts, Elmo Mantelli, captain of the local high school basketball team is now forced to walk with the aid of a pair of crutches.

When Mantelli was injured, he was cutting in fast towards the basket. Just inside the foul line, he was knocked to the floor by the impetus of two New Hampshire players who crashed into him.

Mantelli was then taken back to the dormitory where the players stayed. Elmo was barely able to bend the knee and was in severe pain. Heve the doctor decided to try and snap the cartilage back into place. In order to procure the necessary state of relaxation, Mantelli was put under ether.

MANTELLI'S INJURY HURT HIS CHANCES

S. M. H. S. Player Would Have Been Selected for All Star Team Otherwise, Says Hoyt.

Medford, Mass., March 22.—Following are the choices for the All Star first and second teams selected from the sixteen contending teams at the Tufts tournament which was announced by Chief Referee George Hoyt at the close of the tournament.

In an interview with the Manchester Evening Herald correspondent prior to the announcement of the selections, Hoyt said that he was sure Elmo Mantelli would have been placed on the first team, had he not met with his injury at such a primitive stage of the tournament.

Of course, concluded the official, "we were powerless to select him without his having a chance of showing his worth in this year's tournament."

STECHER WRESTLES TONIGHT

New York, March 22.—Joe Stecher, the much-barraged wrestling champion, will defend his title tonight against Dick Davisour in a finish match under the auspices of Jack Curley, Stecher, whose claims to the world's title are disputed in several sectors, left the ring in Boston last week without lifting his hands because he declared the promoter switched opponents on him and neglected to pay him his guarantee.

Davisour, a far more dangerous opponent than the Boston man, got an even break with Stecher last summer when the time limit, in effect here, prevented the bout from going to a decision after each had scored a fall.

YANKS TAKE REST

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 22.—The Yankees were ready to resume intensive practice today after a day of well-earned rest. Tomorrow they are to take on the Cincinnati Reds, featuring two former Yankees, Wally Pipp and Carl Mays.

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The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All the Trains by Fontaine Fox



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**ABOUT TOWN**

In order that he may devote more time to his work as manager of a gasoline station, Fred Brosseau has resigned from his position as superannuated policeman on the Manchester police force, a position which he has held for the past eighteen months.

Word has been received here of the death in Philadelphia last Tuesday of John Purdill, formerly of Maple street and well known at the South End. Mr. Purdill, who was 80 years old, is survived by his son William and three daughters.

In view of the fact that local hotel accommodations will be insufficient to house the several hundred ministers from all over the southern part of New England who will come here to the conference next month, arrangements are being made by Rev. Joseph Cooper of the South Methodist church to provide for them at private homes of the church members.

Miss Mary G. Dougherty, clerk at the South Manchester post office returned to her work today after an illness with the grip.

Word was received today from Robert "Coady" Donnelly by a friend at the high school. Donnelly is now at Lake Okechobee, Palm Beach, Florida, and says he is having a wonderful time.

Mrs. Ralph Proctor and son Robert, wife and son of the vice principal of the local high school are spending a two weeks' visit with relative near Boston.

Memorial Lodge, Knights of Pythias at their meeting in the Beach & Brown hall Wednesday evening will confer the rank of Esquire on a class of candidates.

The annual Wirtalia dancing reception will be held in Orange hall Monday evening, March 29 and not this evening as stated in Saturday's Herald.

The Beethoven Glee club of the Swedish Lutheran church will rehearse this evening at eight o'clock.

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**NOTICE!**  
 On March 27th, the Center Gang will tender a reception banquet and entertainment to a popular member of the Gang who recently left the Primrose Path and joined the Benedict class. Subscriptions will close Wednesday, March 23. Reservations at the "Center."

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. will meet this evening in St. James parish hall at eight o'clock. Plans will be completed for the public roast beef supper which the ladies are giving Thursday evening.

Among those from Manchester who witnessed the Manchester game at Tutts were: "Sails" Vendrillo, Felix Moszer, Stanley Moszer, Sherwood Anderson, Raymond Campbell, Archie Barrabee, Johnny Burke, William Hicking, Charles Treat, Henry Madden, Clifford Markham, Arthur Kemp, David Kemp, Henry Jensen, Russell Moore, Robert Treat, Robert Keeney, Gordon Keeney, Franklin Charnand, John Shannon, Clarence Shannon, Gladys Holland and Helen Bodreau.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin of Wells street, yesterday morning at the Manchester Memorial hospital.

Linne Lodge, No. 72, K. of P. will meet in Orange hall tonight instead of Wednesday night. The rank of Page will be conferred on a class of ten candidates. Wednesday night a large number from the lodge are planning to attend a meeting of the William McKinley, No. 64 lodge, of Hartford.

Laurel Camp, Royal Neighbors will have its regular meeting in Tinker hall this evening at eight o'clock. On account of the official visit of the District Deputy, Mrs. Rubiana Koenig of Hartford, the public whist scheduled for this evening has been postponed.

Mrs. Julia Sheridan is chairman of the supper committee, and Mrs. Julia Tierney of the entertainment committee to be given for the benefit of St. James' church Thursday evening by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. Setback and whist will also be played.

H. H. West & Son have the contract to remodel the Charles O. Treat house on Church street for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keeney. The house will be made over into two flats. Work was begun on the job this morning.

The Boy Scouts of the Swedish Lutheran church will have their regular meeting tomorrow instead of Wednesday evening at 7:30.

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The last session of the School of Religious Education will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal church tomorrow evening. It is requested that all registration cards be returned at this time.

Joseph Sylvester, local student at Northeastern attended the games at Medford, Mass., last week.

**DEATH OF**  
**MRS. FANNIE DAVIS.**

Fannie E. Davis, widow of the late Loren Davis, died Saturday evening in a New Haven hospital from a complication of troubles. Mrs. Davis was a native of Manchester and was born in the house now owned by Martin L. Gilman on Main street, July 25, 1854. She had lived there practically all her life until shortly after the death of her husband she went to live with her son, Charles H. Davis of Chelsea. She had been in poor health for some time.

Mrs. Davis had a large acquaintance at the North End where she had lived so long. During her life she was an active member of the North Methodist church and a teacher in its Sunday school. She is survived by two sons, Charles H. with whom she lived, and Albert Davis of Chicago, one sister, Mrs. Emma Chaffee of Main street and one brother, D. W. Hollister of Hollister street.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at the home of her son in Chelsea. The body will be brought to Manchester for burial in the East cemetery. The service at the grave will take place at 2 o'clock.

**PARTY AT TEACHERS' HALL.**

Sixty friends gathered at the Teachers' hall Saturday night to participate in a triangular surprise party in honor of Miss Leonora S. Hanna, principal of the Washington school, Mrs. Olive G. Hayward, house director at the Teachers' hall, and Clarence P. Quimby, principal of the South Manchester high school.

It was the occasion of a birthday party for Miss Hanna and Mr. Quimby and the party was also in honor of Mrs. Hayward as a remembrance of the many good times which many of the guests have had during the past at Mrs. Hayward's home in Walpole, New Hampshire. The evening was spent in a most enjoyable manner. Card games were played and when the party broke up following community singing led by Edward Taylor, everyone present termed the affair as one of the most successful social gatherings ever held in the hall.

Each of the three in whose honor the party was held, was presented with daffodils.

**BIG CROWD HEARS**  
**MRS. ESTILL TALK**

**"Broken Womanhood" Address Brings Many to Methodist Church.**

How the Salvation Army has become a mother to more than 10,000 wayward women and girls was told to an audience of nearly 1,000 in the South Methodist church yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Commissioner Thomas Estill, head of the women's department of the organization. Mrs. Estill was accompanied by some of the highest officers of the Salvation Army headquarters and the divisional staff of Hartford.

She was introduced by George E. Keith of this town, who acted as chairman of the meeting. Colonel William Arrard of New York sang "Grace, Flowing so Free," and the immense audience joined in the chorus. The local band was present to play a few selections.

Mr. Keith was introduced by Col. William McIntyre of Boston, provincial headquarters. Col. McIntyre gave the gathering an idea of Mrs. Estill's talk and then turned the meeting over to Mr. Keith. The chairman spoke of the ties which exist between the Salvation Army and the Methodists, saying that he had always had a warm spot in his heart for any wearer of the uniform, this feeling dating back to the time when he with his father used to attend the meetings in the old hall on Spruce street.

Commissioner Estill began, "Thirty-eight years ago," she began, "the Salvation Army started its social service work and commenced to reclaim women who had descended to the depths. It was a problem in those days and many times the kind hearted officers had to take these women into their own homes or have them stay in their homes while they worked out their salvation."

"Now it is different. There are now in the Army work 3,147 officers dedicated to broken womanhood and the Army has become a mother to more than 10,000 women and girls of the average age of 19 years."

"They say that if you want to find the prodigals, go to the Salvation Army. It is the truth we glory in it. In our homes you will find men and women of all walks of life who have gone down for some reason or other, but the Salvation Army says they may be drawn but never out and it means this and demonstrates it." Commissioner Estill brought tears to the eyes of her audience as she told of the reconciliation effected by the Army in a girl who had gone wrong and her brother. This was only one of the many incidents she recounted to show how far the organization goes with the women it comes in contact with.

"One of our girls was the victim of circumstance. She had been keeping company with a certain man and had become engaged to him. Practically on the eve of their wedding, however, he told her that he couldn't marry her because he was already married and had two children. The world went black before the young woman's eyes for she had given him that precious possession of womanhood. It seemed that there was nothing left for her. So she went out of that town with her shame."

"She tried everything but was unable to get on her feet. She had even thought of drowning herself and everything seemed hopeless until one day she was looking over the paper and saw the advertisement of the Salvation Army. She applied for entry to the women's home and was taken in and put to work. Her baby was well taken care of and everything was bright again."

"Some time later a young man came to the home to do some decorating. He was a salvationist and a Christian of the highest type. He confided to me that he wished to get married and asked me if I would recommend one of the girls in the home to him. He said that he would work for another man's child and he answered that if he loved the mother of that child that he would."

"I brought him in to see this girl and in a short time they were happily married." Instances like these as told by Commissioner Estill showed the wide scope of the work in the Army.

"As far as religion is concerned, the Army does not confine itself to work among people of its own creed or denomination. As a matter of fact, some of the girls we come in contact with who have

**TOWN WELL ADVERTISED**  
**BECAUSE OF DRY POLL**

The enterprise of The Evening Herald in holding a poll on the prohibition question has done more to advertise this town than anything ever planned in the history of Manchester. It is stating the matter conservatively when it is said that about two million people have been reading "Manchester, Connecticut," in their favorite newspapers for the past ten days or two weeks. The poll is not yet over and all of the papers in using the figures, every day print the name of Manchester, Connecticut.

Over 700 newspapers published in every state of the Union are making this poll and 375 of them each day print the name of our town in their columns.

practically no religious training, are easier to handle than those who have been brought up strictly according to the tenets of Christianity. "The Salvation Army is an open door which is never closed to anyone who is in need."

**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**

**Tourney Talk.**

The prevailing topic of discussion about the school today was, of course, the result of the Tutts' basketball tournament. All expressed regret that the local team did not meet with better success, but took the disappointment in the best possible humor. While the prevalent atmosphere of the student body was one of regret, yet it was the regret of the good loser.

The school knows that the boys did their best against overwhelming odds. Just as Manchester had crushed many an inferior opponent in its glorious season just finished, so Manchester was beaten by a team that was more than its match. No dishonor is due the local team; rather a praising, for it acquitted itself in a highly commendable manner, although it did not taste of victory. Not a hopeless regretfulness was evident, however, but one in which there is mingled a certain degree of hope for better things in the future. The school feels that it will send a representation to Medford that will return in all the glory of the victor.

The Boys' Glee club held its regular Monday afternoon rehearsal today. The club is working hard in preparation for the coming interscholastic high school glee club contest to be held in Windsor early in May. Both the boys' and girls' glee clubs will represent Manchester in this contest. Among other high schools entered in the contest is the William H. Hall high school of West Hartford. A certain degree of rivalry exists between the clubs of the two schools and the local singers are anxious to best their opponents from "over the river." The prizes to be awarded are two beautiful silver loving cups to the winning boys' and girls' clubs. These two cups have been donated by the Parent-Teachers' Association of West Hartford. Both local glee clubs are under the able direction of Miss Marian Howard.

**"PALM GIRLS" HAVE BANQUET.**  
 The "Palm Girls" a sewing club of young women formed a number of years ago, held their annual banquet and get-together at the Westside recreation center Saturday evening. The party numbered about thirty-six, including the husbands, as most of the members are now married.

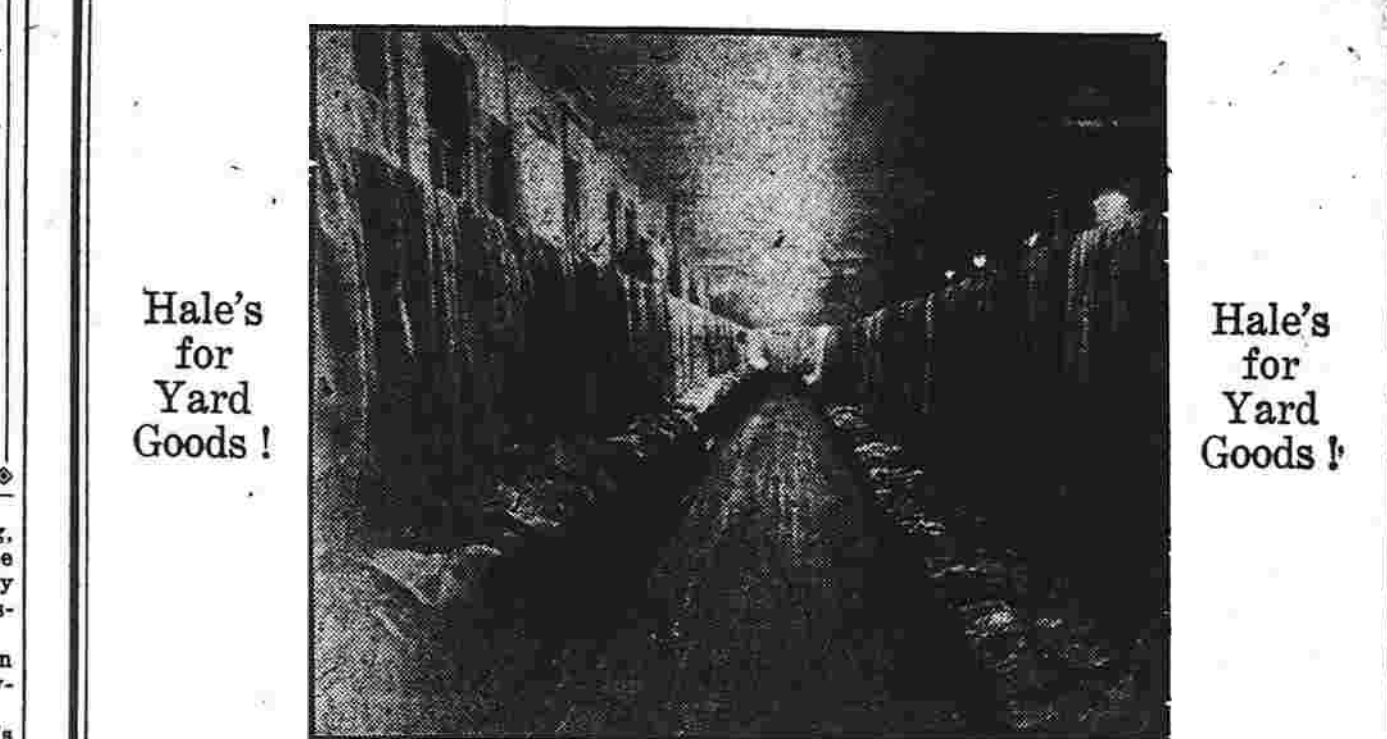
Osano was the caterer and served a delectable chicken supper in his inimitable style. Saturday happened to be the birthday of Mrs. Harry Erickson, one of the Palm Girls, and in honor of the sister she was presented with a birthday cake with one candle.

During the evening bowling and various other games with prizes for the winners were played, and all voted it a thoroughly enjoyable occasion.

**FIRE IN WESTPORT.**  
 Westport, Conn., March 22.—Fire of unknown cause today gutted a combination store and dwelling house on Cross highway here, doing damage estimated at over \$5,000. Edward A. Bowe owns the property and his sister Miss Mary A. Bowe was alone in the store when the fire was discovered.

**REAL SURPRISE**  
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The Above Is A Picture Of One Section Of Our Display Of New Spring Fabrics Shown At Our Spring Opening Last Thursday Eve.

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**It's Not Too Early To Start Your Spring Sewing**

CHOOSE YOUR SPRING DRESS MATERIALS NOW WHILE OUR ASSORTMENT IS COMPLETE.

**36 IN. ROSE MARIE CREPE \$1.25 a yard**  
 This is a very fine silk and cotton crepe which is guaranteed fast color. It comes in beautiful designs in blue, tan, gray, black and white. Just what you will want to put on now and wear through the Summer.

**36 IN. MOHPAC SUITING \$1.25 a yard**  
 This is a very fine rayon suiting. Your choice of plain blue, or blue and tan checks and stripes. Just what the young girl will want to wear to school during the warm, Spring weather; excellent for women's afternoon and sport dresses.

**36 IN. PRINTED SILK AND COTTON CREPE 99c a yard**  
 Prints this year are much prettier than they were last year. A heavy silk and cotton crepe which comes in floral and futuristic designs and small checks. This would make a handsome afternoon, sport or street dress.

**36 IN. COTTON SUEDE CREPE, 2.69c a yard**  
 An all cotton crepe which resembles the silk and cotton crepe. All guaranteed fast color. It comes in a large assortment of designs and colors. Begin to make your Summer dresses now before it gets too warm.

**36 IN. RADIEUX CHIFFON 99c a yard**  
 Have you seen the new rayons? You can't resist the temptation of buying a dress length when you've seen this new material. It comes in fancy checks and stripes in tan, blue, green, etc. This would make beautiful school dresses.

**36 IN. RAYETTE 69c a yard**  
 Have you started your Spring sewing? This is a splendid time to do it—just before the warm weather sets in. Beautiful rayon suiting guaranteed fast color. Your choice of checks and stripes in blue, lavender and green.

**New Spring Fasheen and Vanity Prints**  
**49c A YARD**  
**32 Inches Wide**  
 Fasheen and Vanity Prints are cotton fabrics, so finely woven and highly mercerized that they have a beautiful silken luster. Your choice of over forty different designs and colorings. The colors are guaranteed fast—by the manufacturer and by us—if for any reason the colors run in washing, we will refund the cost of the material and the cost of making the garment as well. Used for house frocks, aprons, children's dresses, window draperies and bed spreads. Yard Goods Dept.—Main Floor.

**EASTER POST CARDS, 7 for 5c.**

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**SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.**

**HOLD HARTFORD YOUTH**  
 Darlen, Conn., March 22.—Within a few hours after Policeman Amos Anderson had held up a car containing two young men and a girl, Worcester, Mass., police came here today, claimed the car as having been stolen there, and took the three back to that city. Anthony Bonaville, 22, who was driving the car, was declared to have been released on parole recently from a Massachusetts reformatory. With him were Doris Greel, 18 of Worcester and Alex Discebole, 18 of Hartford.

**Special Shoe Repairing Offer For 30 Days**  
 Spring is here; take advantage of this special offer and have your shoes rebuilt at a very low price. Neolin full soles and rubber heels, regularly \$2.25, now \$1.50. Men's leather soles, sewed on, regularly \$1.50, now \$1.00. Ladies' leather soles, sewed on, regularly \$1.25, now 75c. We attach Goodyear and O'Sullivan's heels. You get Quality and Service at the

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 Men's and Boys' Shirts of every description. Hosiery, Belts, Neckwear that is distinctive. New ideas in collars, garters, silk handkerchiefs, underwear, and in fact everything that adds snap and color to your apparel.

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