

TO THRESH OUT HOLMES'S CASE HERE THIS P. M.

Committee of 15 Ministers Locked in Room to Iron Out Charges—Many Petitioners Ask His Retention.

Whether Rev. Guy Willis Holmes, New Bedford pastor, on trial before the annual conference of the Southern New England Methodist Episcopal church here retains his pastorate will be decided this afternoon before the conference session adjourns.

Met at Two O'clock

A committee of 15 ministers of the conference went into executive session at 2 o'clock this afternoon to prepare a decision for the executive session of conference members which was scheduled for a later hour. The committee met behind locked doors and it is understood that it went to work to furnish a basis for conference action on charges made against Mr. Holmes.

Just what the charges are against Mr. Holmes no one at the conference will say. The proposition before the meeting this afternoon was simply whether or not he should be retained as a minister in the conference.

Many Petitioners

Mr. Holmes told a group of newspaper men today that he expected a delegation from his church in New Bedford to present a petition bearing over 1500 signatures asking his retention as their pastor. He said he had an indication that Mr. Holmes intended to fight the charges to the finish.

At the conference session this morning Dr. Charles D. Spalding of New London asked to be excused from serving on the committee of 15. His reasons for withdrawing were not given out. Some significance seemed to be placed

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FISH-GAME CLUB HAS 438 MEMBERS

Organization Adds 222 New Members at Last Night's Meeting—Name Prize Winners.

The names of 216 new members of the Manchester Fish and Game Club were announced at last night's special meeting at the Rec. The new members were secured in a two weeks' membership drive which has just been concluded. It was also announced that 1,000 acres of land have been promised to the Fish and Game club by farmers in Bolton, Vernon and Manchester. It is expected that this will be increased to between 5,000 and 6,000 acres before long.

The present enrollment of the Manchester Fish and Game Club is almost 438. The winner of the first prize in the membership campaign was Peter Lacata. He secured 66 new members and received a complete fishing outfit as a reward. The gift of P. Ledgard, Carl Senkbell was second with 32 members. He was awarded a fish basket. Third prize went to Philip Taylor who secured 21 new members. The campaign was even more successful than was anticipated. Another meeting will be held within the next two weeks. It is expected that it will take place at Tinker hall inasmuch as the Rec auditorium is incapable of housing the full enrollment of the club.

Negotiating for Land

One of the officials of the Manchester Fish and Game club said this morning that the club was negotiating with property owners in Vernon, Bolton and Manchester. The poor traveling conditions of the roads has made it difficult for the officials to get in communication with some of the more remote farmers and this has been a drawback but it is expected that this will be cleared up shortly. William Grady has practically assured the club that it can use his 2,000 acres of land in Vernon.

It is expected that practically 5,000 acres of land will be acquired. The majority of this will lie on the north side of the main road to Wilimantic and will include land in Vernon, Manchester and Bolton. This strip will be practically three miles square. Another plot of land on the south side of the Wilimantic road will be acquired. It is expected that the Fish and Game Commission will stock land which is acquired. Petitioners are being sent to the state organization for pheasants to be stocked in the woods for hunting. Last year there were only 16 pheasants distributed in Manchester while Rockville had 140. Manchester will doubtless have between 100 and 200 turkeys here next season.

FIRST LOS ANGELES FLIGHT SINCE SISTER CRASHED.

Washington, April 9.—The dirigible Los Angeles on Monday will make its first flight since its sister ship, the Shenandoah, crashed over Ohio last fall, the navy department announced today.

The flight had been scheduled for tomorrow but was postponed because the dirigible has not been filled with helium. Gas was being pumped into the bags today, and the ship will be taken out at Lakehurst, N. J., on Monday.

MASONIC BALL IS BRILLIANT AFFAIR

Over 300 Dancers Attend Annual Formal Social of Manchester Lodge.

As brilliant an assemblage as ever filled Cheney hall gathered last night for the fifteenth annual Masonic ball. It is considered the leading social function of the season and is looked forward to not only by representative local people but those from surrounding towns.

Between three and four hundred were present last night including spectators who occupied the balcony seats and came to enjoy the music, the decorations and to admire the beauty of the gowns worn by the dancers. It was a colorful, ever-changing scene that attracted and held those who were merely onlookers until after midnight.

Pretty Decorations

Millard W. Park the general chairman was ably assisted by a large committee whose plans were carried out to perfection in every detail. No elaborate decoration scheme was attempted. Pots of daffodils were placed in the window recesses, palms and ferns were used to beautify the stage and to one side was placed a handsome floral design representing the square and pass, the inspiration of the committee and carried out by Florist J. J. Pentland under their direction. The background was a large five-foot square of laurel leaves and other greenery, the central "G" was filled in with small electric light bulbs in blue, the idea of Louis N. Heebner of the general committee. The balance of the emblem was composed of hundreds of white and pink carnations. Later, at the intermission, it was dissembled and all present received bouquets.

Orchestra Concert

Albert Orsini's Paramount orchestra of eight pieces occupied the platform and gave a concert preceding the grand march. Their playing of all the popular dance numbers was good. The dancing continued until one o'clock.

The grand march formed at nine o'clock and more than one hundred and fifty couples were in line. Unfortunately the worshipful master of Manchester lodge, W. G. Glenney, was ill with grip and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trotter led the grand march. Mr. Trotter is a past master and the present secretary.

During the intermission between 10:30 and 11:00 p. m. a delicious

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BOOTLEGGER OWES U. S. 7 MILLION ON INCOME

And Now He Faces Prison for Running Giant Alcohol Distillery.

New York, April 9.—Emanuel Kessler, who recently completed a term in Atlanta Federal Penitentiary for violating the Volstead act, pleaded guilty today to operating a huge alcohol distillery in a dry cleaning works at South River, N. J., recently raided.

Morris Sweetwood, Kessler's accomplice, also pleaded guilty. They will be sentenced later.

Kessler and Sweetwood, with ten others, were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury following the raid, in which prohibition agents found apparatus for turning out thousands of gallons of bootleg alcohol weekly.

LUDENDORFF'S BIRTHDAY IGNORED IN GERMANY

Berlin, April 9.—Today, the sixtieth birthday of General Ludendorff, who was once on a level with President Von Hindenburg as an idol of the German people, passed without a line of comment in any of the newspapers. Ludendorff's decline in popular esteem is attributed to his association with ultra-Nationalists and his bitter attacks on the Republic and his former comrade in arms, the president.

Pepitone is good for run-down condition resulting from colds, throat trouble, over-tired nerves, anemia, etc. Get a bottle at Quinn's.—Adv.

VAST OIL FIRE MENACES TOWN OF BREA, CAL.

Residents Flee as More Explosions Occur—San Luis Sea of Flames Is Likely to Burn for Days.

Los Angeles, April 9.—Homes of 2,000 people in the little town of Brea, near here are menaced by the great fire on the Union Oil Company's Stewart Station tank farm, two miles from the village, where flames rage unchecked after destroying three huge 750,000-barrel reservoirs, several great gasoline and distillate tanks and the company's refinery, with an estimated loss in excess of \$5,000,000 during the past 24 hours.

Hundreds of Brea residents began moving out today when the town again was rocked to its foundations by the explosion of a number of 10,000-gallon distillate and gasoline tanks.

Heavy charges of dynamite have been planted in long rows between the town and the burning tanks to be set off simultaneously if the fire begins to spread as it imminently threatens.

San Luis Blaze Grows.

San Luis Obispo, Cal., April 9.—Sky-high flames continued to sweep the great Union Oil Company's tank farm near here today as two hundred additional men battled the raging inferno.

Two more huge reservoirs caught fire during the night leaving only five in the whole tank farm, covering more than one hundred acres, unignited.

No additional casualties have been reported since the deaths yesterday of two men and the almost fatal burning of a woman.

Damage was estimated today at \$15,000,000.

Will Burn For Days.

Oil men experts, helpless in the face of the disaster which is rated as the greatest petroleum conflagration in the history of the American oil industry, believe that the flames, which broke out when lightning struck one of the reservoirs, burning fuel, will continue their destructive way for another three or four days. The fire cannot be subdued, they assert. It must burn itself out.

A tremendous column of dense, black smoke is rising hundreds of feet in the air, fully three quarters of a mile in diameter. Bursts of flame occasionally flash across its sable sides and dull, muffled explosions that rock the earth sound intermittently as the rolling burning fuel continues over the edges of the reservoirs on to the rain-soaked soil.

Creek River of Flame.

San Luis Creek, meandering over two miles of ground and at one place running within ten feet of the coast highway, last night was a flaming ribbon of light as the burning contents of the reservoirs and tanks poured along its bed.

In an effort to prevent this smoke from crossing the highway, the main artery north and south, a large gang of men feverishly threw up earthenworks.

To the north, along the level ground, at least six ranch houses with their barns and outbuildings, had been annihilated last night. This added disaster, however, had been anticipated, and the occupants, with their belongings, moved out long before the sea of fire reached the farms.

Little Driven Away.

The cattle, several hundred head were driven to higher ground, and there, silhouetted against the night sky, they huddled in scattered groups, terrified by the orgy of destruction at their feet.

The village of Edna, a hamlet occupied principally by the 400 employees of the oil company and their families, was still intact last night except for the shattered window glass which lay around as evidence of the first explosion that heralded the outbreak of the fire yesterday.

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NOT TO APPOINT WAITT TO MANCHESTER PULPIT

Although it has not been officially announced, The Herald learned on good authority today that Rev. Russell E. Waitt will not receive an appointment to the South Methodist church here as an associate pastor despite petitions which asked that he be retained here.

It is understood that District Superintendent Center desires to abide by the decision of the quarterly conference held here. Rev. Joseph Cooper is included in the list of appointments and he returns to his pastorate here.

In his opening address Bishop Richardson deplored the lack of grace in present-day Christianity.

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Girl Scouts Entertain Mrs. Coolidge.



Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, first lady of the land, attended the opening of the Girl Scouts' Washington, D. C., tea house. Photo shows her being served by Miss Helen Page, captain of a Washington scout troop.

YOUNG ROBINSON COMING TO AVON DRIVEN BY FLAMES DROPS 19 STORIES

Recovered from Effects of Wanderings on Way to Connecticut With Parents.

Rich Ohioan Fails of Rescue by Human Chain, Also Imperiled.

Rochester, N. Y., April 9.—Almost fully recovered after his days of loss memory, Douglas Robinson, 20-year-old Harvard student who turned up here, dazed, after his mysterious absence from Cambridge, was discharged from St. Mary's hospital here today and left at once for Avon, Conn., in company with his father, Theodore Robinson, assistant secretary of the navy, and his mother.

The Robinsons were to go to the Avon home of J. W. Alsop, brother-in-law of the young student's father, where Douglas was to take a rest before returning to Harvard.

All a Blank.

Douglas showed fatigue but apparently had regained full possession of his mental faculties. He seemed happy over being reunited with his father and mother and the prospect of returning to college.

Before departing, he said: "What happened to me during the six days I was away from Harvard is a complete blank. I woke up in the hospital yesterday to find everybody making a commotion over me but I didn't understand what it was all about."

Jane Kelly, daughter of a prominent family here, whose name was found in Robinson's diary, said she met Douglas the first time at the Amherst Glee club concert in the village of Edna, a hamlet over the edge of the reservoirs on to the rain-soaked soil.

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NEW BEDFORD IS CHOSEN AS NEXT SITE OF PARLEY

Methodists in Conference Here Devote Most of Early Session to Topic of Pro- hibition—Details of Other Sessions.

For the reason that no invitations were received at today's session of the New England Southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church held here by the 1927 conference, the matter of selecting the church in which it will be held next year was left to the district superintendents with power to act.

The Rev. L. C. Harris of Trinity church, New Bedford, said that if nobody else wanted the conference his church would entertain it.

Old Subject Again.

Prohibition and a discussion of the Volstead Act and the 18th amendment took up the early session. Dr. Clarence True Wilson, nationally known prohibitionist, who spoke here last night, gave a short talk on the subject. He was followed by E. L. G. Hohenthal of this town and Bishop Richardson, presiding officer, added a few remarks.

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DRY LAW WILL MAKE BRENNAN U. S. SENATOR

Democratic Boss of Chicago Sure He Will Win as Wet, Overriding the Huge G. O. P. Majority.

Washington, April 9.—George E. Brennan, the rotund Democratic "boss" of Chicago, who has had a hand in the making and breaking of many political candidates, from presidential to aldermanic, and who is himself a candidate for the Senate this year, gave Democratic leaders in Congress something of a shock today.

He told them he was going to be elected to the Senate in November on a wet platform. And he was sincere.

"I think my worst enemies will concede that know a little something of politics. This isn't a presidential year. You wait and see. And don't be misled by comparative figures in next Tuesday's primaries. November, not April, is the test."

Brennan also told Democratic leaders at the capitol that the issue of prohibition is in politics to stay, and that they might as well prepare to meet it in 1928.

"I don't see how it can be kept out of politics," he said in an interview. "Anything that affects the thoughts and the daily lives of millions of people, anything that is breeding the army of criminals that this law is, anything that is the major topic of conversation wherever a group of people gather, irrespective of their social status, is bound to be in politics. There's no use shutting our eyes to facts."

An astounding set of figures which he submitted to the Senate committee showed an increase of 670 per cent in alcoholic deaths in Chicago since prohibition, an increase of 704 per cent in arrests for 'gin driving', an increase of 140 per cent in commitments to institutions for insanity.

"What is true of Chicago is true of other cities, in greater or less degree."

"But even that is not the worst of present day conditions. The tragic part of it is what prohibition is doing to the young folk of this country. It is a trite thing to say that youth is being debauched, and yet there is scarcely any other way to describe present conditions."

Brennan does not favor outright repeal of the 18th Amendment.

"It isn't necessary," he said. "Congress has it in her power to remedy this situation by either repealing or modifying the Volstead act, which is the enforcement act."

THREE DIE IN TRAIN WRECK IN NEW JERSEY

Atlantic City Express Strikes Split Rail on Curve.

Camden, N. J., April 9.—Three persons were killed and more than 40 injured, some probably mortally, when the second section of the Atlantic City express which left New York at 3:15 today was derailed in Atlantic City at 5:15, was derailed at Delair, N. J., near the Delaware bridge.

A preliminary inquiry by railroad officials established the fact that the train struck a split rail, causing it to leave the track.

The dead and seriously injured were taken to Camden and Philadelphia hospitals. A party of about a hundred passengers, most of whom suffered minor injuries, went to Atlantic City.

The train jumped the rails on a sharp curve. The engine, tender and parlor car turned over completely. The next three cars left the rails, two of them sliding down a ten-foot embankment but not overturning. The train was made up of eight parlor cars and a club car. There were 255 passengers on board.

William K. Mintz, a furrier of New York, was killed outright. John J. O'Connor, and Anthony Raynka, respectively engineer and fireman of the train, died of scalds. Among the injured is Solomon Harris, of New Haven.

The wreck was due to the train striking a sharp curve at too great a rate of speed, according to Prosecutor Ethan P. Wessott, of Camden county, conducting one of five investigations.

DENIES DOPE CAUSES 80 PER CENT OF CRIME.

Albany, N. Y., April 9.—A recent statement by an official of an insurance company that 80 per cent of the criminals of today were drug addicts, was challenged today by the State Prison Commission. The commission said that of the 1,236 men sent to Sing Sing prison in 1925, only 77, or 6.3 per cent, were drug addicts. Of the 217 of the 8,253 men sent to the New York county penitentiary and workhouse last year were users of dope, according to the commission.

HON. VIOLET'S PLAN WAS TO KILL KING

So Rome Newspaper Says; Mussolini Assailant a Knifer, Sister Admits.

London, April 9.—Assassination of the King of Italy was the original intention of the Hon. Violet Albone Gibson, now being held for her attempt to kill Mussolini on Tuesday, the newspaper Popolo Romano stated today, according to a Central News dispatch from Rome. Constance Gibson, sister of the Hon. Violet, left today for Rome. Lord Ashburne, brother of the prisoner, left for the Italian capital last night.

Miss Gibson, before leaving London, gave out an interview in which she explained that her sister, who she knew from her childhood, had gone to Italy because of the non-existence of lunacy laws. She said that her sister had been prevented on several occasions from committing suicide, had been arrested in London when she had been found wandering about with a knife in her hand and had once inflicted a slight stab wound on a woman who saved her from being run over by an omnibus.

"There has been nothing in her letters," Miss Gibson said, "to indicate she intended to murder Mussolini or anybody else. These paroxysms seize her without warning and may last an hour and may last a week. When she recovers she is the same Violet as before."

Rome, April 9.—With Premier Mussolini on the high seas, en route for Tripoli, Rome has again returned to normalcy after two days of intense excitement over the attempt of Miss Violet Gibson to assassinate the Duce.

The general effect of the attempted assassination has been to strengthen the cause of Fascism and the popularity of Mussolini. In the midst of the excitement, the death of Giovanni Amendola, opposition leader who died from the effects of an alleged Fascist attack, has passed almost unnoticed, whereas under ordinary circumstances Amendola's death might have caused an unpleasant political situation.

MINERS' ACT WARNS OF BRITISH COAL CRISIS

Reject Most of Plans of Royal Commission—Great Strike May 1 Likely.

London, April 9.—A crisis in the British coal industry seemed a certainty when a delegate conference of miners voted to adhere to their policy of opposing wage reductions, the lengthening of hours of labor and the substitution of agreements by districts instead of national agreements.

The decision of the conference is tantamount to a rejection of a large portion of the recommendations of the Royal Coal Commission.

The government subsidy expires on May 1, and at that time the operators threaten to reduce wages, which action would undoubtedly lead to a national coal strike, perhaps spreading to other industries.

Premier Baldwin is expected to confer with the miners' representatives tonight.

FORMER DEAN FERGUSON
YALE ART SCHOOL, DEAD

New Haven, April 9.—Yale art school will suspend session all day next Monday out of respect to the memory of John Ferguson, who died former dean of the school, who died at Providence yesterday.

HOLOCAUST AS TANKERS BUMP IN MISSISSIPPI

75 Men Killed, Missing or Injured in Two Oil Ship Disasters on Same Day at New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., April 9.—Seventy-five men are reported injured, missing or killed and five ships are burned or damaged here today, as the result of two major maritime disasters which occurred in the vicinity of New Orleans late yesterday, within a few hours.

Thirty or more seamen were unaccounted for today, following a collision between the Standard Oil tanker, Thomas H. Wheeler, inbound for New Orleans with the Dutch tanker Silvanus, out-bound for London, at 6 miles a la Hache, 40 miles below New Orleans in the Mississippi river.

Forty-four men were injured and five are still unaccounted for following a series of explosions aboard the Standard Oil tanker O. T. Waring in dry dock undergoing repairs late yesterday afternoon. The missing men are believed to have leaped into the river when the explosions swept burning oil over the ship.

Two other ships caught fire and were burned at their moorings.

Explosion Follows

The collision between the Wheeler and the Silvanus, according to radio messages to the Tropical Radio Co., was followed immediately by a terrific explosion aboard the Dutch vessel. The master of the Silvanus, Captain Welster and several members of the crew of fifty were picked up by the U. S. Shipping Board vessel Topa, outbound for Scotland. Chinese sailors were landed at Pointe a la Hache.

A later message said one sailor was rescued by the steamer Gulf Coast and a mate was also picked up by the steamer Baja California.

The Silvanus ran aground near the scene of the collision and a second blast forced her back into the water. A stiff current carried the blazing vessel downstream.

Wheeler's vessel was safely beached and fire aboard her which followed the collision, was extinguished without serious damage.

The Silvanus later sank opposite Bohemia, a mile below Pointe a la Hache. Captain Welster was badly burned when he was picked up.

Members of the crew leaped into the water, which was covered with a film of blazing oil.

Fifteen of the rescued sailors arrived in New Orleans this morning.

MAN DEAD IN ROOMS OF GIRL DEAD ELSEWHERE

Strange Outcome of Unsus- pected Romance of Spring- field School Teacher.

Springfield, April 9.—Death played a tragic prank in the supposed romance of Miss Caroline Kauter, Junior High school teacher, whose home is in West Pittston, Penn., and E. J. Walsh, an advertising man.

Nine weeks after his death, the body of Walsh was found in the teacher's apartment here. And five days before the discovery Miss Kauter died in Pennsylvania hospital, Philadelphia.

Walsh died from natural causes but how he happened to be in the young woman's apartment is a mystery. Miss Kauter, two years ago, had the locks on the apartment changed, according to Albert E. Caylor, owner of the property.

Miss Kauter's brother, George, who discovered the body, also found that his sister kept papers belonging to Walsh in her safety deposit vault at a local bank.

STABS HIMSELF THEN LEAPS TWENTY FLOORS

Advertising Man, Son of New York Banker, Makes Sensational End of His Life.

New York, April 9.—John C. Hilton, 26, son of Frank L. Hilton, vice-president of the Bank of Manhattan, committed suicide in dramatic fashion today.

In the midst of dictating a letter to his biographer, he snatched up a pair of eight-inch shears and drove the points into his breast at least ten times, then leaped from a twentieth story window from the offices of the George L. Dyer advertising agency. He was a member of the agency's staff.

His health is believed to have caused the act.

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Manufacturing Stocks. (Furnished by Putnam & Co., 6 Central Row, Hartford, Conn.)

Conn. LP 7% pfd.	109	112
Htd. E. L. com.	280	290
Htd. Gas com.	60	63
So. N. E. Tel. Co.	145	153
Manufacturing Stocks.		
Am. Hardware Co.	80	83
American Silver	27	30
Acme Wire com.	15	20
Bristol Brass	88	92
Bristol-Htd. pfd.	102	106
Collins Co.	155	165
Colt Fire Arms	25	30
Eagle Lock	100	105
Fair Bearing	85	90
Hart & Cooley	185	190
Int. Sil. pfd.	83	86
L. Under Fray & Clark	83	86
Jewell Belting pfd.	80	83
New Brit. Mach. pfd.	100	105
Niles Bt. Pd. N. Stock	20	24
North & Judd	23	28
N. R. Montgomery pfd.	58	61
J. R. Montgomery com.	100	105
Peck, Stow & Wilcox	26	30
Russell Mfg. Co.	80	83
Stanley Works com.	77	80
Smith Mfg. Co.	375	380
Torrington	58	61
Underwood	54	56
Union Btg. Co.	28	32
Whitlock Coil Pipe	25	28
U. S. Envelope pfd.	106	110
Bonds.		
Htd. Elec. Lgt. 7 1/2	220	230
East. Conn. Pow. 5 1/2	89 1/2	100
Conn. L. P. 5 1/2's	108	109 1/2
Conn. L. & P 7's	113	115
B'dpt. Hyd. 5's	104 1/2	106

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Am Tel. & Tel.	144 1/2	144 1/2	144 1/2
Anacosta	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Am Smelting	118 1/2	117 1/2	118
Am Loc	98	96 1/2	98
Am Car Pndry	96	92	95 1/2
Aitchison	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
B & O	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Behd Steel 'B'	41	39 1/2	40 1/2
Chandler	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Chill Copper	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Col. Fuel Iron	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Ches & Ohio	124	124 1/2	124 1/2
Cruc Steel	155	155	155
Can. Pacific	155	155	155
Eric	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Eric Ist	39 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2
Gen Asphalt	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
Gen Elec	306	303	305 1/2
Gen Mot.	120	119	119 1/2
Great No. Pfd	78	78	78
Ill. Central	118	117 1/2	118
Louis & Nash	125	125	125
Marine Pr.	40 1/2	39	39 1/2
Motor Wheel	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Natl. Lead	148	148	148
North Pacific	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
N Y Central	123	122	123
N. Y. N. H. & H.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Pan Am Pet.	62	62	62
Pennsylvania	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
People's Gas	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Pierce Arrow	26 1/2	25 1/2	26 1/2
Pressed Steel	38	37 1/2	38
Rep Ir & Steel	49 1/2	48 1/2	49
Reading	82 1/2	82	82 1/2
Ch R Isl & Pac	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
South Pacific	79 1/2	79	79 1/2
So. Railway	109 1/2	108 1/2	109 1/2
St. Paul	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Studebaker	53 1/2	52	53 1/2
Union Pacific	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
U S Rubber	69	68 1/2	68 1/2
U S Steel	121 1/2	119 1/2	121 1/2
U S Steel Pfd	126	126	126
Westinhouse	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
West. Union	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2

FORMER CLERGYMAN ON TRIAL FOR BIGAMY

Rochester, N. Y., April 9.—Two alleged wives faced the Rev. John Goodrich, former Episcopalian clergyman of Buffalo, when he went on trial for bigamy today in the County court.

Suits

The Spring Season is dress-up time. You should choose your suit while our stock is complete. The clothing we handle is the best obtainable for the money—Our better clothes are tailored at Fashion Park. To look them over is no obligation to buy. Our store is your store and to visit it is to feel at home.

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George H. Williams Johnson Block South Manchester.

NEW BEDFORD PLACE OF NEXT CONFERENCE

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of God any longer. The Saviour couldn't do anything with them and we cannot be expected to perform a miracle today. And when we feel that we have no more growing grace of God any longer, we cease to be Methodists."

"The fight is not over—far from it. It has just begun and we still need teaching. I haven't heard a temperance sermon since the funeral of John Barleycorn and the agitation in churches for total abstinence has disappeared entirely. That is why it is not right to put the blame on others when the churches have fallen down."

"This talk about liquor doesn't mean that the saloon interests are being revived. If you cut a chicken's head off you will increase its activity, but of course, you bring down its longevity. The saloon is dead and this is merely the last struggle before life passes out entirely. But we must keep up the work."

Mr. Hohenthal detailed to the conference his views on the world-wide prohibition movement, telling of the conditions encountered in his recent trips in the interest of the movement in Europe. He said that the movement is becoming universal and is progressing.

The board of conference relations met today and acted on the following changes. A. M. Newell, of New London, H. W. McInnis, Kenneth H. Saunaman, recommended by the South Methodist church, J. Raymond Wonder of Millville, Mass., A. M. Newell, Gordon C. Capen, Enrico of Onset, Mass., Herbert N. Frazer, of Probationary members are the following:

Revs. Theodore Peterson, Joseph G. Bibebe, Carlyle T. Boynton, Paul E. Johnson, William A. Milne, Frank W. Dunham, Edward N. Missin, Roger C. Stimson and Russell E. Waitt.

Charges in Board. The board of conference relations met today and acted on the following changes. A. M. Newell, of New London, H. W. McInnis, Kenneth H. Saunaman, recommended by the South Methodist church, J. Raymond Wonder of Millville, Mass., A. M. Newell, Gordon C. Capen, Enrico of Onset, Mass., Herbert N. Frazer, of Probationary members are the following:

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In other departments for lesser service. Two hundred martyrs have been killed trying to enforce the prohibition law, but whenever prohibition has been shot by an officer in self-defense, that officer has been tried for murder with little help from the department he was serving.

"What this cause needed to handle it was a Theodore Roosevelt or some one of the other millions of real prohibitionists who believe in the cause and would sacrifice for it; or some virtue leader like Will H. Hays who became Post Master General. From the mail routes ceased to be the custom. If we could have the same generalship and leadership for our Prohibition forces, bootlegging would be as scarce as mail robberies."

"There are certain changes which are needed to make prohibition enforcement effective now. First: We should punish the buyer as well as the seller of poisoned bootleg liquor. It is the buyer who bribes the bootlegger to violate the law for him. There is no patron who is any cleaner or more patriotic than the bootlegger he creates and supports."

"Second: We should make the first offense involve a prison sentence. Nobody now is in ignorance of the Prohibition law. It is the fundamental law of the American people. The law is too small a penalty for its violation. A fine is a small part of the profit and is not usually as high as the license would be. I believe in mental suasion for the man who thinks liquor is necessary for the drunkard-maker; prison suasion for the statute breaker."

"Third: We must deport aliens who are convicted of violating our laws. The majority of them in Europe against our country and the people are told that Prohibition is a joke in the United States and if they will come over here they can make money, big sure and big wages at the American law. The best answer to all that is to send these foreigners, who come for the purpose of violating our law, back to their own country. A few of them walking around with the hands of their neighbors that they had violated the American Prohibition law and been sent home for it, would preach more effectively for the earnestness of the American people than the words of ours."

"Fourth: Judges must invoke the padlock for the offending places. The Volstead law provides for closing and locking up for a year property that is used to violate the law. It is nothing that has a more wholesome effect upon the property owners than to see the property in which they have made heavy investments and from which they expect to get large returns, suddenly closed, with the announcement that the property is closed by order of the United States and for violation of the prohibition law. I never saw property owners standing in front of their homes talking about Prohibition being a joke."

"Fifth: To take appointment of the Federal Agents out of the hands of the politicians and put it under Civil Service. Some of our United States Senators have appointed wet crooks to enforce the prohibition law. They played the Judas Iscariot to their country's constitution and to their oath of office in every instance where they did not get taken out of their hands and put into the hands of careful and reliable men, who will ask an application for a Prohibition office if they believe in the law as it stands and can conscientiously enforce all its provisions."

"Help Ourselves" "Sixth: We must cease depending upon Uncle Sam to do for us what we can do for ourselves. The purpose of having joint supervision by the Federal government and the states was not to let one stand back and depend upon the other but to give both the responsibility of working at the same time in their own way. There is only one way that, under the treasonable leadership of a man who had no regard for his oath of office, or sense of responsibility for cooperation with the Federal government, or realization of the duty and power of the American people repealed the law which meant enforcement within its borders. And now this leader, has the brazen audacity to offer to let the American people make him the president. Can anyone suggest what his oath of office, to defend, enforce, and protect the constitution of the United States? No. You ought to redeem yourself by the passage of a strict enforcement law in harmony with coordinate jurisdiction given by the Federal government for the enforcement, and we should see that no detraction comes from the politicians of that state, and that no man is put at the head of the government who is endorsed by a group of nullificationists."

"Problem Not Solved" "Seventh: We must elect men to office who are in hearty sympathy with the law. Let us get over the notion that the Prohibition question is settled. The passage of the Volstead Act was not the end of the liquor traffic but the National declaration of war upon it. It is to be fought out to a successful conclusion. It will take the teaching of the school and the church and the home; the united efforts of the city, the state and the nation against a corrupt and unscrupulous group of exceptions, hat, on our Eastern border, at least, given itself to the propaganda for lawlessness and against the people's decision to close saloons and prohibit the liquor traffic."

TALK ON TENNESSEE. "Someone has described it as a land of promise and romance but little known," said Miss Helen Wherle in her talk on Tennessee prohibition before the afternoon session of the conference. Miss Wherle, who has been a teacher in the little mountain town of Milo, Tenn., was thoroughly conversant with her subject and her talk was exceedingly interesting.

"You go to this little town through a gap in the mountain and there, in a little hollow you will see a store, a blacksmith shop, a tumble down grist mill and the school. That is the town proper and you wonder where the people are. They are in cabins around the hills and you would stumble on one of them in the most unexpected place."

"The breeze through the gap seems to say: 'Back, stranger, with your civilization unless you have something good for us.' Then you go through the gap into a world that is as strange as though it were in another planet."

Roads to Town. "There are several roads to the town but all end up in the same place, for when there is a bad spot in the road which is being traveled, we make a new road around the spot. Some of the people of Milo have never been outside the gap and most of those who have wish that they had never been."

Miss Wherle's talk gave the conference an insight into a little-known country, the southern highland, where the mountaineers are still living in the days of Spencer and Queen Elizabeth. She is prominent worker there and has been in Milo for several years.

The vitality of the highlander is wonderful," she said, "and one woman there is so old that even the old women don't know just how old she is. She was an old woman when they were girls. But she takes in washing and works just as hard as the rest of them."

Miss Wherle's talk brought the people of the conference into wonderland where the past still lived.

Chance to Vote. "Give the people a chance to vote on the issue," said Roberts, "and there will be no doubt of the result."

An investigation by the Federation declared, showed the effects of the Volstead act were "a general disregard of the law among all classes, creation of thousands of moonshiners among both country and city dwellers, an increase in the rate of insanity, blindness and crime, and an increase in taxes to city, state and national governments, amounting to one thousand million dollars per year."

The Seaman's International union also urged modification of the dry law.

"I became a staunch advocate of the Volstead act when I saw its effects in the first three months after the law was passed. Then the seaman couldn't get anything to drink. Now conditions are worse than ever before because the liquor they get to drink is worse than ever before. I think the solution is to give them beer and wines because then they will not try to get hard liquors."

"You are here only to improve the morals of the workers and to restore sobriety and temperance to America," asked Reed.

"That's my purpose," replied Furuseth. James O'Connell, president of the Metal Trades Department of the Federation, made the same plea. He said he was "strongly opposed to the return of the saloon."

TO THRESH OUT HOLMES CASE HERE TODAY (Continued from page one) on this by member of the Holmes faction.

The Committee. The names of the members of the committee of 15 were made public today. They are W. H. Bath of East Providence, R. L. formerly of Manchester; G. W. Manning of Bourne, Mass.; W. E. Pierson, Hazardville, R. S. Moore, Providence, R. A. Colpitts, Fall River, Mass.; John E. Duxbury, Manchester; J. H. Buckley, Brockton, Mass.; F. C. Baker, Grovesdale, E. E. Story, Providence, J. E. Blake, Plymouth, Mass.; M. J. Creeger, Teuton, Mass.; J. W. Annes, East Weymouth, Mass.; H. H. Crawford, Arnold Mills, R. I.; J. E. Montgomery, Natick and Lyme, Conn.; J. G. Sallis, Mystic.

MAINE SHERIFF OUT, SAYS HE'LL GET BACK. Augusta, Me., April 9.—Removed from office by Gov. Brewer and council by a vote of four to three, Sheriff Henry F. Cummings, of Kennebec County, announced today that he would carry his fight for vindication to the polls—that he would run for sheriff in the next election.

Gov. Brewster cast the deciding vote against the sheriff. The charges against the sheriff at the impeachment trial were that he allowed prisoners to roam the streets at will, that gambling and drinking were permitted in the jail and that women of questionable character visited prisoners.

WOMAN CRASHES A CEMETERY FENCE. Hartford, April 9.—Police here this afternoon were seeking trace of a woman motorist who in going down the Gold street grade north the Heulain hotel stepped on the machine's accelerator instead of the brake and sped through the iron fence of the ancient cemetery opposite the hotel. A child riding with her was hurled through the windshield. Before aid could reach her the woman picked up the child, backed her machine out and drove off, presumably to get medical aid for the child, who seemed badly hurt.

SHIELDS BOY WHO SHOOT CHUM DEAD

Mine Watchman, Family Friend, His Body, Scrubs Up Blood Stains.

Carbondale, Pa., April 9.—Frank Valerius, 13, Charles Valerius, his father, and George Salvata, watchman of the American Coal Exchange Breaker, were today held in connection with the death of Daniel Brennan, 10, of this city, whose body was found under a pile of culm under a starway at the breaker late yesterday.

According to authorities the boy was killed by a bullet which entered his chin. Dr. William Lynch, superintendent of the state hospital at Fairview, said he obtained a confession from the Valerius boy.

Watchman Scrubs Up. Dr. Lynch said the boy told of a trip to the watchman's shack where he and the Brennan boy found a .38 calibre pistol belonging to Salvata. According to Dr. Lynch the boy said he tussled with Daniel for possession of the pistol and it was discharged, killing his chum. The boy said he ran home and told his father of the killing. The latter and Brennan's father accompanied him back to the shack.

When they arrived, according to witnesses, they found the watchman scrubbing the floor. A search was started and the body was found 120 feet away from the shack.

"We do not suspect Salvata of having killed the boy," Dr. Lynch said, "but we feel that he disposed of the body because of his friendship for the Valerius family."

The Juniors of Group 2 will have a social meeting at Center church parlors this evening at 7:30.

N. Y. METHODISTS GOING INTO POLITICS

Launch Plans to Keep All Wets Out of Legislature and Congress. New York, April 9.—New York Methodists today launched plans for a state-wide campaign to prevent wet candidates from reaching Congress or the state legislature.

At a meeting of the Laymen's Association of the New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, resolutions were adopted calling for the appointment of a committee of 100, whose duty it will be to start the drive against wet candidates. The resolution also provides for co-operation with other such committees in sections of the state not represented at the conference here.

Edgar Nicholson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, told the conference it would be economy for the people of New York to spend \$75,000,000 to gain absolute liquor law enforcement. People of New York now spend \$200,000,000 annually for liquor, he said, so that enforcement at \$75,000,000 annually would be "cheap," he contended.

IVORYTOWN MAID BREAKS NECK IN FALL

Ivorytown, April 9.—Hurrying down stairs to prepare lunch today, Annette Anderson, maid at the home of George H. Comstock, tripped at the top of the stairs and plunged headlong to the bottom. She was dead when other residents of the house reached her. Her neck having been broken.

Miss Anderson, who was 45, had been employed in the Comstock home for 25 years. She has a sister living here and a brother living in Deep River.

CIRCLE Today Last Times Today

Dolores Costello Elaine Hammerstein in "The Little Irish Girl" "S. O. S. Perils of the Sea" Saturday and Sunday

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NEWS FROM SURROUNDING TOWNS

COLUMBIA

Margaret Blakely, a senior in Windham High school was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Williamsport Tuesday night suffering from a sudden attack of appendicitis. Miss Blakely was operated on and is reported as getting along as well as can be expected.

William Collins, who is traveling in the south, is at present visiting the Panama Canal Zone, according to cards sent to local friends. Mr. Collins says the weather is very hot where he is, in decided contrast to the banks of snow that were in Columbia when he left.

The A. O. U. W. held a special meeting Monday evening for the purpose of auditing their books and the presentation of an application for membership.

Miss Ruth Williams who has been spending the winter in California, is staying a few days with her sister, Mrs. William Wolf.

The town schools re-opened after the Easter vacation on Tuesday. The High school pupils also started on the spring term the same day.

The regular meeting of Columbia Grange was held Wednesday evening. Owing to the bad traveling and prevailing sickness the attendance was small.

A Well Baby Conference was held at the Town Hall Thursday afternoon under the direction of Dr. Ingraham.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Brown, are on the way home from Florida, where they have been spending the winter, and are expected in Columbia shortly.

WAPPING

Wapping Grange No. 30, has been invited with Columbia Grange to visit Andover Grange next Monday evening, April 19. Each visiting Grange to furnish half of the evening's program.

There is to be an auction sale for the estate of the late L. Judson Grant, next Tuesday morning April 13. The sale is to begin at 10 o'clock. Farm machinery and farm implements will be sold.

The Federated church choir held its rehearsal for next Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lane, last Wednesday evening.

The Pleasant Valley club will hold a food sale and fair at the Pleasant Valley school house next Saturday, April 10 at 2 p. m.

There will be a minstrel show and dance presented by the Bloomfield Minstrel club under the auspices of the Wapping Community club at the Center school hall this evening.

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TOLLAND

The regular meeting of the Study club will be held at the church parlors next Monday evening. A paper written by Miss Helen Luhrs on "The Negro" will be read and Miss Lydia Olson will read selections from Negro writers.

The hostesses are Mrs. Sparrow and Mrs. C. Hibbard West, assisted by Rev. W. C. Darby and Preston Meacham.

Miss Florence Meacham is visiting friends at Storrs for a few days.

Mrs. Bolles is quite ill with the grip.

Miss Alice Hall has returned to Connecticut State College after spending the Easter recess at her home.

Work on the state road was resumed last Monday. A number of trucks have come from Bridgeport and several of the men in this vicinity have obtained work.

Rev. W. C. Darby is attending the Methodist conference at South Manchester, daily.

Rev. George S. Brown, pastor at Gales Ferry, and family, are visiting their cousins Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hall, and Mr. Brown goes to South Manchester each day to attend the Methodist conference.

Mrs. Sanford, W. C. T. U. worker, has gone from here to work in Somers.

Mrs. I. Tilden Jewett has recovered from her illness and is able to be about again.

Mrs. Ada Rhodes is chairman of the supper committee for the church supper Friday evening.

PERET MAY TALK DEBT WITH BRITISH IN LONDON
Paris, April 9.—Finance Minister Peret announced today that he may go to London next week to open negotiations for the settlement of the Anglo-French debt. He said: "I am awaiting the result of the American Senate vote on the Italian debt."

A machine gun firing 500 quarter pound shots a minute has been perfected.

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BROKER'S LOANS

Washington, April 9.—Brokers' loans from member banks of the Federal Reserve System in New York were \$2,573,051,000 for the week ending March 31, the Federal Reserve Board announced today.

RAID HOME OF IRISH REPUBLICAN LEADER

Dublin, April 9.—Police today raided and searched the home of Count George Plunkett, Republican leader. Three sons of Count Plunkett were arrested.

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BARRYMORE IS BEST IN "THE SEA BEAST"

"The Sea Beast" at the State theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday justifies in every way all the glowing heaps of golden adjectives that have been piled up about this supreme effort of the Warner Brothers.

John Barrymore is the star, but even with Barrymore, the one actor who brings to the screen the feel of that indefinable quality called genius, the drama of "The Sea Beast," in its suggestive power, in its overtones of surging life, is more than a photoplay; it is an epic of the heroic lives of the American whalers when, in their swift clipper ships, they carried their whale hunts through the seven seas. It is a picture of rich, colorful beauty; of heart-searing pathos; of poetry that sings in action of courageous deeds; of emotions as violent and eternal as the terrific storms that sweep through the picture.

The sea dominates, and, even Barrymore, superb actor that he is, is less, as any human would be less, than the epic that flashes tumultuously across the screen; the epic of the American sailors of 1840.

Nevertheless, the picture gives Barrymore the opportunity for the biggest and most impressive characterization that he has given to the screen. As the New England harpooner on the hunt for the great white whale, Moby Dick, he is so breathlessly fine that he makes even his own stirring performances in such pictures as "Ben Hur" and "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" fade from memory, insignificantly.

The beauty of the scenes in Java, the magic way in which the atmosphere of the East has been captured, the never-equalled thrill of

the surging storms at sea, the anguished suspense of the battle with the whale, are some of the things that stand out most vividly.

But it is in the massing of detail that "The Sea Beast" achieves its total effect. Such things as the titles, by Rupert Hughes, the photography, by Byron Haskins, the scenario, by Bess Meredyth, are exceptionally fine; and, dominating all, the magnificent direction of Millard Webb. The cast is long and perfectly chosen, the outstanding performances, in addition to Barrymore's, being those of Dolores Costello and George O'Hara.

"The Sea Beast" is founded upon Herman Melville's novel, "Moby Dick."

SUZANNE MATCHED

Paris, April 9.—Suzanne Lenglen and Helen Wills may meet in a match for charity in California at New Years, 1927, according to an announcement made today by William H. Pickens, representative of C. C. Pyle, who returned here today from Nice where he states he secured tentative acceptance by Mlle. Lenglen of an offer to go to the United States to appear in motion pictures.

Mlle. Lenglen has set her own price for her appearance in the motion pictures and Pickens is now returning to the United States for conferences to determine whether the price set by Suzanne is acceptable to the American promoters.

BURNING LINER IN PORT

Manila, P. I., April 9.—The Isthmian line steamer Atlanta City, was reported on fire off the coast of Occidental Negros, Philippine province but has reached the port of San Carlos, according to advices here today.

Press Rapped By an Editor At Conference

An attack on the press was made during one of the sessions yesterday by L. O. Hartman, editor of Zion's Herald during the course of a plea for support to the delegates at the Methodist conference being held here.

"I can count the newspapers in this country with a moral standard on the fingers of one hand," he said. "Editors have admitted to me that they are in the game only for the money and that the traditions of Greeley and Watterson have gone by the board. This condition is evident on the prohibition question. I will not go so far as to say that the press is subsidized by the wet interests, but the majority of the newspapers today are doing all they can to hinder the enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment."

In an informal statement to newspapermen preceding his talk which was to be given in the evening, Dr. Clarence True Wilson, one of the foremost advocates of Prohibition in this country, condemned the straw votes being conducted on the question by newspapers throughout the United States.

He said that out of 1,000 persons he addressed some time ago, not one held up a hand when he asked how many had taken part in the straw vote. It proved conclusively, he finished, that the dregs were not voting.

"One man told me that he had voted no less than eleven times in the straw vote; but, my vote is just as big as his in a referendum."

In executive session yesterday afternoon, the conference listened to a description of the new pension system described by Dr. J. B. Hingley of the pension board. A discussion took place on the new plan but nothing was decided at this session.

Resolutions were passed on the late R. M. McGee, publishing agent, the Rev. G. A. Grant, retired, who has been for 46 years a member of the conference, and the Rev. Francis H. Spear, who is now in the Deaconess hospital in Boston. Dr. Spear has been a member of this conference for 34 years.

It was announced that the conference has received \$500 as its share from the pension board.

GOVERNMENT TO APPEAL

Washington, April 8.—The government will appeal to the supreme court to obtain a decision as to whether the stock dividend declared by the Gulf Oil Corporation reorganization scheme is taxable.

Attorney General Sargent announced today. The government lost in the lower courts.

RUBBISH HEAP BLAZE GUTS NEW HAVEN STORES.
New Haven, April 8.—Fire starting in a rubbish heap from spontaneous combustion gutted two stores and badly damaged several others in the Exchange building, Church and Chapel street, here today. The damage is estimated at over \$25,000.

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TALK ON ALASKA MOST INTERESTING

A. E. Tingley Tells Students at High School About Land of the Frozen North.

Electricity is cheaper in Alaska than any other place in the world. There is practically the same amount of snowfall there that Manchester has experienced during the past winter.

There is between 100 and 200 feet of frost in the ground by a twenty-foot coating of loam makes it a fertile country.

These are some of the highlights of an address delivered before the 700 students of the South Manchester High School at assembly yesterday afternoon by A. E. Tingley, of Fairhaven, Mass. Although his time was limited, Mr. Tingley gave a most inspiring talk on "The Lure of Alaska." During the course of his talk, Mr. Tingley dwelt on numerous points of interest which are to be found in the Klondike. His lecture was interspersed with humorous stories that kept the students and faculty in a happy mood.

Much Gold There

"Alaska has produced millions of dollars worth of gold and there is still plenty of gold there," asserted Mr. Tingley. The speaker recalled the famous Klondike rush of 1898 which stretched through Skagway into Canadian territory and the upper Yukon. He related the hardships of the miners in attempting to make their fortunes, telling of numerous holdups by desperados who terrorized the section.

Skagway was the meeting place of parties going to and returning from the gold fields. Mr. Tingley said, and it was at this point that many of the miners were rescued.

Mr. Tingley told of the "pan-handle" part of Alaska which is the strip of land nearest civilization. Beyond that lies the inland, a great expanse which Mr. Tingley said ninety per cent of the visitors who go to Alaska fail to see. The pan-handle runs southeast 600 miles along the Pacific to the Dixie Inlet.

The Glaciers

One of the most interesting parts of Mr. Tingley's description of the Alaskan coast was that of the glaciers and the inland passage ways. According to Mr. Tingley there are 5,000 glaciers in Alaska but ninety-five per cent of them lie within a 250 mile radius. Some of the glaciers are 225 feet above the sea level and 300 feet across. They extend back eighty miles from the shore, he said, and afford a magnificent spectacle that is almost impossible to do justice by attempting to describe. When the sun glitters on the glaciers the sight is one which a person can never forget, he said.

In speaking about the surprising amount of electricity which is used there, Mr. Tingley said fully eighty percent of the towns were heated by electricity. It is cheaper in Alaska than any other place in the world because of the comparatively small expense required to generate it.

The mountainous country with its high plateaus makes this possible. In regard to the climate, the speaker stated that there was an abundant amount of rainfall but comparatively small amount of snowfall in the outer sections. About fourteen feet of rainfall comes each season in this section instead of the snow, he said but in the inland there is more snow.

Mr. Tingley told the students he believed that in the near future, the Alaskan inhabitants would be able to raise sufficient products to make it unnecessary to import only rare foods. Although there is between 100 and 200 feet of frost in the ground, he said the twenty inches of fertile loam on the top makes it possible to raise practically everything which is raised in this locality.

IRISH BUSINESS MEN WELCOME DR. KLEIN

Dublin—The appointment of Dr. Julius Klein as United States Trade Commissioner to the Irish Free State is unanimously welcomed in business circles here.

It is felt that the United States could easily supply the great majority of the imports now supplied by England if a concerted effort was made, and every opportunity will no doubt be given to Dr. Klein to foster Irish-American trade.

Few people outside the Free State appreciate the extent of her imports. She actually buys from other countries roughly \$600,000,000 worth of goods annually, and America could easily supply the great majority of this sum if she put her back to it.

The market is here, but at present England alone enjoys the full benefit of it. England exports about \$250,000,000 worth of goods to the Free State every year, as against approximately \$10,000,000 exported by the United States.

All this is well-known to the Government, and serious attempts are to be made to cut down this huge figure and attempt to raise many of the commodities imported in the Free State. According to J. J. Walsh, Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, \$60,000,000 worth of the goods imported into the Free State could in the main be produced at home.

THROUGH FUNNEL

London—A machine which pours ultra-violet light through a funnel down the throat of a patient has attracted considerable interest at a nursing exhibition here.

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Cromwell—River Road under construction but is open for traffic. Suffield, West Suffield, East Granby Road under construction, but is open for traffic.

Southington—Cheshire - Meriden-Waterbury Turnpike under construction but is open for traffic. Middletown - Middletown-Hartford Road under construction but is open for traffic.

East Hampton—Road between the four corners and the lake under construction but is open for traffic.

Chaplin—Willimantic-Hampton Road under construction, open to traffic. Killingly—Norwich - Putnam Road under construction, open to traffic.

Norwich-Montville—Norwich-New London Road under construction. As grading is being done on this section of road short delays may be expected. Through traffic between New London and Norwich should use road on east side of Thames River.

Franklin—Norwich-Willimantic Road under construction, open to traffic.

Greenwich—Boston Post Road. Grading under construction at Cos Cob cut-off. No delay to traffic.

Westport—Boston Post Road. Grading at Lighthouse Curve. No delay to traffic.

Westport—Grading at Compo Inn Curve. No delay to traffic.

Shelton—Road under construction in front of Laurel Heights Sanitarium. No delay to traffic.

West Haven and Milford—Oyster River Bridge under construction. Temporary bridge provided.

West Haven—Coye River Bridge under construction. Temporary bridge provided.

Waterbury—Cheshire Road under construction. No delay to traffic.

Canaan—So. Canaan—Lime Rock Road. Work will be resumed. Open for travel.

Hartland—East Hartland Mountain. Under construction. Present road open for travel.

Sharon—Amenia - Union Road. Work will be resumed. Open for travel.

Torrington—Goshen road is under construction. Open for travel.

Waterbury-Watertown—Water-

town-Thomaston road. Work will be resumed. Open for travel.

Bethel—Newton Road. Road and Bridge construction under way. No detours necessary.

Roxbury—Southbury Road. Surface in good condition. Shoulders and gutters uncompleted.

New Milford—Gaylordsville Bridge. Work on the new bridge and approaches under way. No detours necessary.

Washington—Grade Crossing Elimination. Road and Bridge construction under way. No detours necessary.

U. S. TO PAY FARMERS BANNED CROP LOSSES

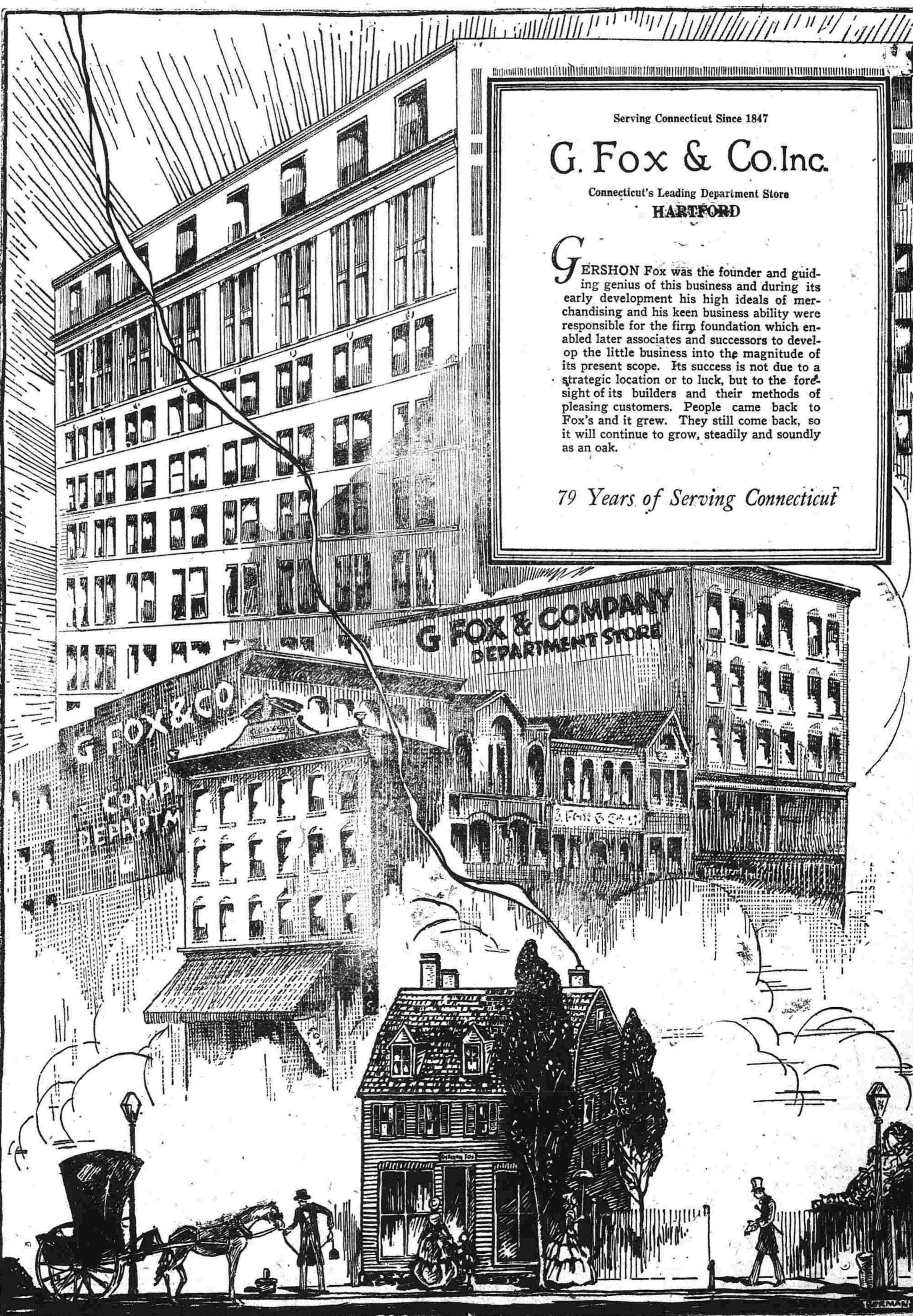
Washington—The Sixty-ninth Congress has approved the government's policy of indemnifying American farmers for losses incurred under government bans on crops levied to prevent the spread of plagues.

A bill, authorizing hundreds of Texas farmers to file suit for damages from the government in the Federal Court for the Southern District of Texas on account of losses sustained in so-called non-cotton zones, has passed both House and Senate. This procedure was undertaken to eliminate friction in Congress over the amount of each claim.

The claims grew out of the government's fight in 1918 to prevent spread of a pink bollworm epidemic. The epidemic was raging in portions of Mexico and had spread into a strip of Texas border counties. To halt it, the government authorities condemned the cotton crops and created two zones in which farmers were forbidden to plant cotton.

As cotton had been one of the chief crops in this section for years, the farmers faced heavy losses. Their total losses later were found to be \$674,900 by the Texas Compensation Claim Board.

From the time the standing tree is turned by the sawmill into planks and applied in construction from 60 to 65 per cent of its wood has been wasted.



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An inspection of either house, and the Grounds Layout on blueprint, will give some idea of the exclusive character of this new community.

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For special appointments and information, get in touch with any of our officers.

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Property both sides of Center Street, west of Adams Street. Main Office, 15 Lewis Street, Essex Building, Hartford.

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RESOLUTIONS.

The Home Bank and Trust Co., South Manchester, Conn., April 7, 1925.

WHEREAS: The Divine Master of the Universe, who in His own good time giveth and likewise taketh away, has seen fit to remove from our midst, our associate ARTHUR COOK and

WHEREAS: In the passing of our associate ARTHUR COOK this Bank loses a Director whose loyalty to the Bank was manifested in countless ways, and who was always an earnest and efficient worker for The Home Bank and Trust Company, and

WHEREAS: Our entire Board of Directors has feelings of profound sorrow at the removal from our ranks of this faithful, devoted Director, and will miss greatly the wise counsel, the able assistance, and the energetic co-operation of so loyal a director, therefore be it

RESOLVED: That The Home Bank and Trust Company, through these resolutions, give heartfelt testimony expressing the high regard and deep respect in which ARTHUR COOK was held by each and every Director, and be it further

RESOLVED: That it is our earnest desire and intent that these records shall show as completely as possible the full measure of our keen appreciations, and deep respect for our late associate, and be it further

RESOLVED: That for the purpose expressed above, these resolutions be made a part of the records of The Home Bank and Trust Company, giving permanent expression to the sorrow we feel in the loss of our loyal Director and faithful friend, ARTHUR COOK, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late Associate, with our deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

Board of Directors
The Home Bank and Trust Company
(Signed) GEORGE W. STRANT
THOMAS J. ROGERS
GEORGE W. KUHNEY
LUIGI POLA
C. H. WADDELL
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PUBLIC UTILITY FINANCING SETS NEW MARK IN 1925.

During 1925 new financing by public utilities in the United States reached the enormous total of \$1,496,000,000, money for the extension and improvement of all forms of public service, including electric light and power and street railways, pouring in at the rate of \$170,700 an hour.

The total for 1925 showed an increase of \$171,000,000 over the preceding year. As a result of the record-breaking sales for the past year, public utilities now enjoy the distinction of having their securities more widely distributed than any other business.

By Mistake?



These three residents of Vandalia, O., near Dayton, are willing to swear that the state of Connecticut made a mistake when it hanged Gerald Chapman for the murder of a New Britain policeman. They insist Chapman stayed with them from Oct. 9 to Oct. 16, 1924. The murder was committed on Oct. 19 of that year. They say they recognized his pictures in a Dayton newspaper last week. They are George Phillips (below), his son, Herman Phillips (top), and Mrs. Margaret Heitzman (center).

Outfit Sale HERRUP'S Save

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An opportunity to completely and beautifully furnish the entire home at about half the price of buying here and there. EACH ROOM MAY BE PURCHASED SEPARATELY or changed "as you like it." Easy credit terms to suit your convenience. Satisfaction guaranteed.

In all our famous sales we have never offered greater values in good furniture for the entire home. Don't delay. Come at once. Buy now. We will hold your purchases for future delivery without extra charge. Take advantage of this Home Outfit Sale.

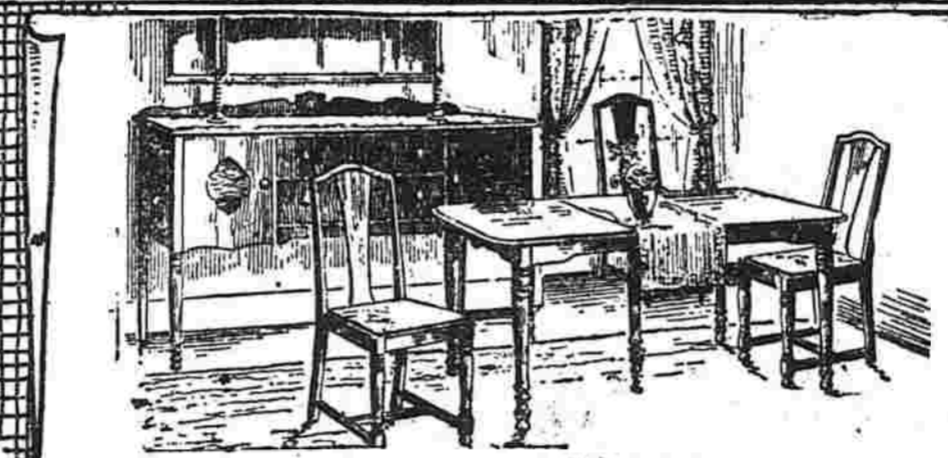
The "Lovenest" 4-Room Home Complete \$295.00

Kitchen Included But Not Shown



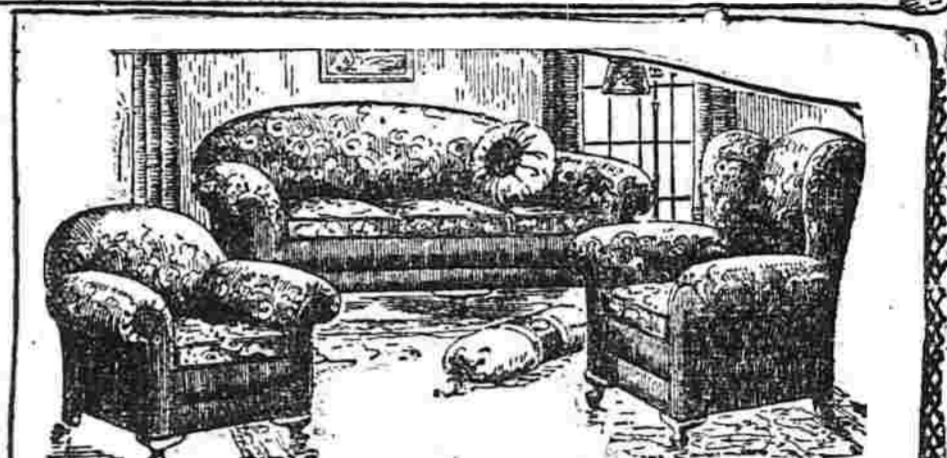
4-PIECE WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE

Usual Price \$145 Profit-Sharing Sale \$98
Greatest value yet! A 4-drawer dresser with mirror—a full size box top bed—3-drawer chest—solid vanity case—well made of combination walnut. You'll travel fast to equal this value. \$1 Weekly



6-PIECE WALNUT DINING ROOM SUITE

Without question one of the best values in the dining room since we have been able to offer for some time. It is the product of a high-grade factory, solidly constructed of walnut in combination with other cabinet woods. Buffet, extension table and four side chairs with tapestry seats. \$1 Weekly

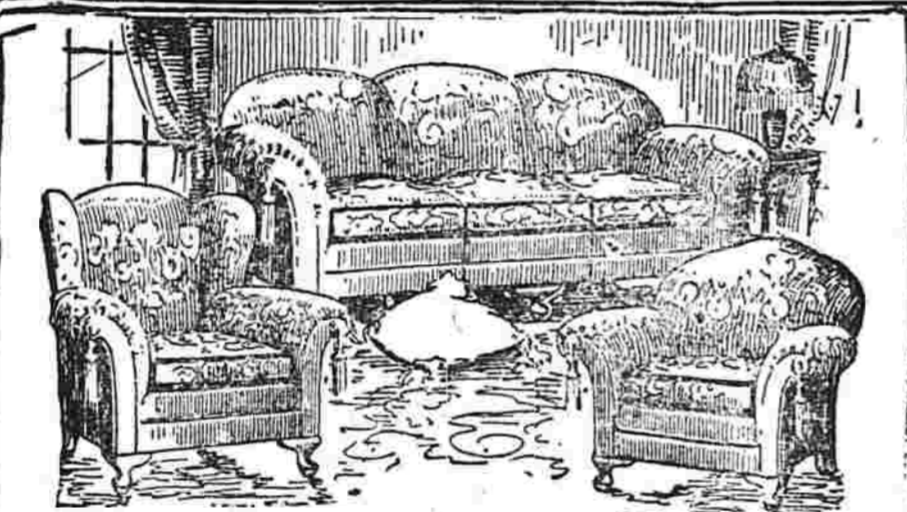


3-PIECE VELOUR LIVING ROOM SUITE

This is a very attractive suite. The fronts and sides are covered in a very pretty velour. It consists of divan, frolic chair and club chair. Each piece is of generous proportions with spring construction and loose spring cushion seats. \$1.50 Weekly

The "Marlboro" 4-Room Home Complete \$369.00

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CHOICE OF ANY THREE PIECES—including the large dresser, full size box-top bed, 4-drawer vanity case, with triple mirror, and 4-drawer chest—well made and finished in American Walnut, in a well-thought, dignified design. Four pieces complete for \$119. \$1 Weekly



8-Pc. Walnut Dining Room Suite

This is an exceptionally high grade suite, well built of walnut in combination with other cabinet woods. Oblong extension table, china cabinet extra large buffet, serving table, one host's chair and five side chairs with leather seats. \$1 Weekly

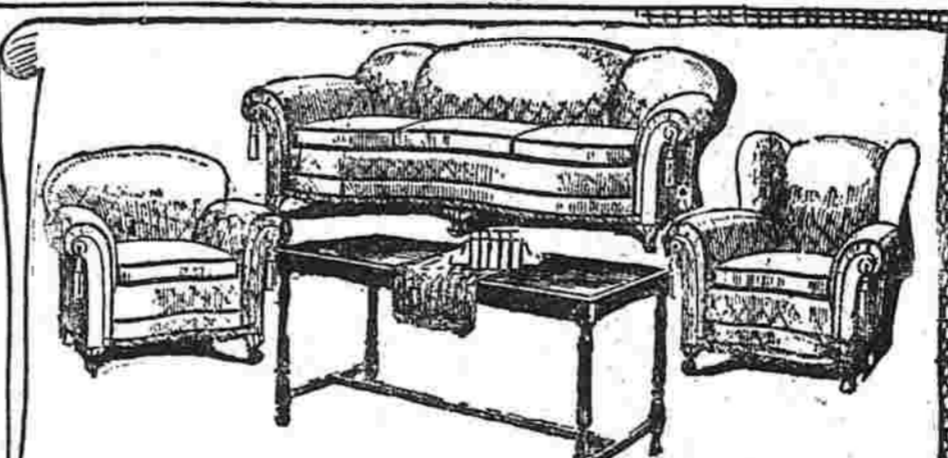
The "Ambassador" 4 Room Home Complete \$565.00

KITCHEN INCLUDED BUT NOT SHOWN



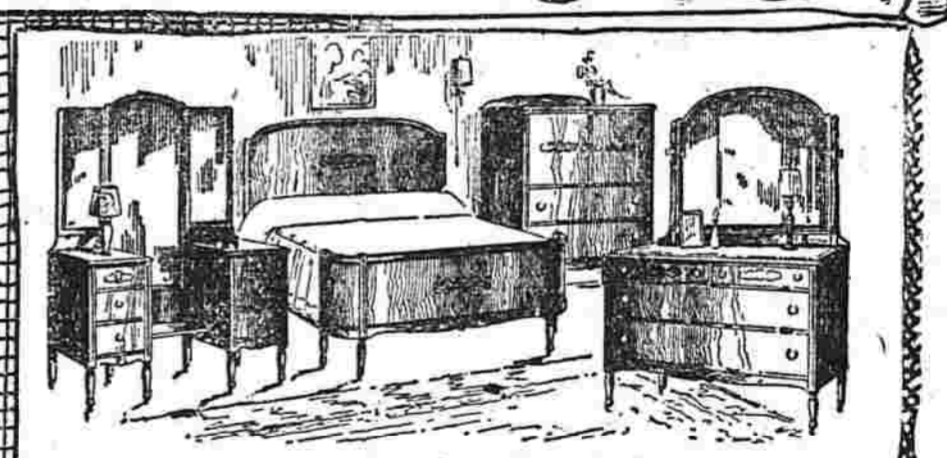
9-Pc. Walnut Dining Room Suite

The Walnut combined with other cabinet woods is exceptionally beautiful—and the workmanship unusually fine—14-inch extension table—large buffet—china cabinet—arm chair and 5 side chairs—in leather or tapestry—complete for \$195—server and radio cabinet if desired. \$1.50 Weekly



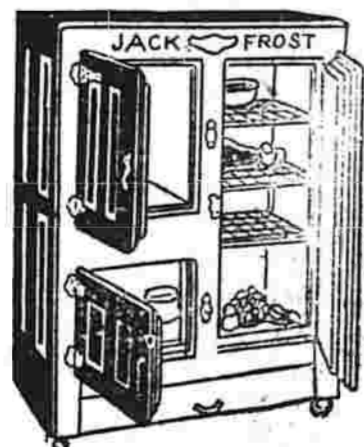
CUSTOM-MADE JACQUARD LIVING ROOM SUITE

A fine overstuffed suite upholstered in Jacquard—in most attractive patterns and colors. The refined and artistic design—luxurious upholstery—loose reversible cushions—spring construction and web bottom make this a rare value. Day-closet, Wing Chair and Club Chair—in this sale for \$195. \$1 Weekly



4-PIECE BEDROOM REDUCED TO

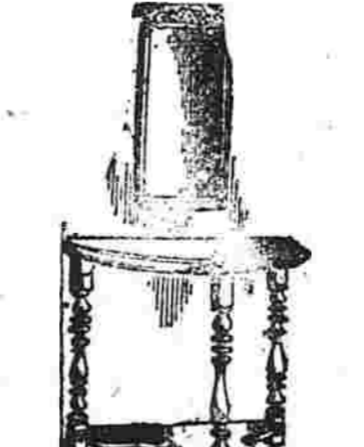
The new Hugonnet Walnut combined with other fine cabinet woods is rich and beautiful—everyone likes it! Tudor period design is a great favorite. 4 fine pieces—all finely built with dust-proof construction—full 3-drawer vanity case—double bed—chiffonier and large dresser. \$1.50 Weekly



REFRIGERATORS, \$17.95
A convenient and popular model suitable for modern apartments—Keeps food perfectly with little ice. From \$10.50 to \$39.



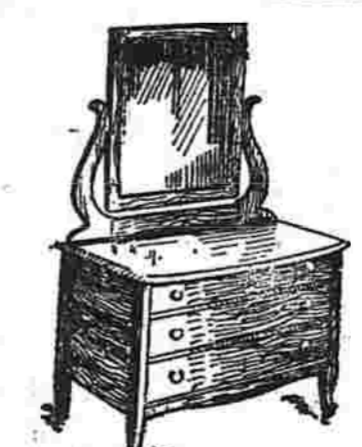
Oak—5-drawer Chest-dresser \$5.95



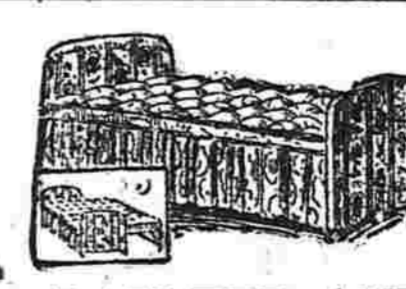
Console and Mirror—complete \$7.85



CEDAR CHESTS \$9.75 to \$97.50



Oak Dressers \$12.75



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An attractive couch that opens making a full size bed—complete with solid spring and comfortable mattress, with pretty cretonne covering. \$22.50



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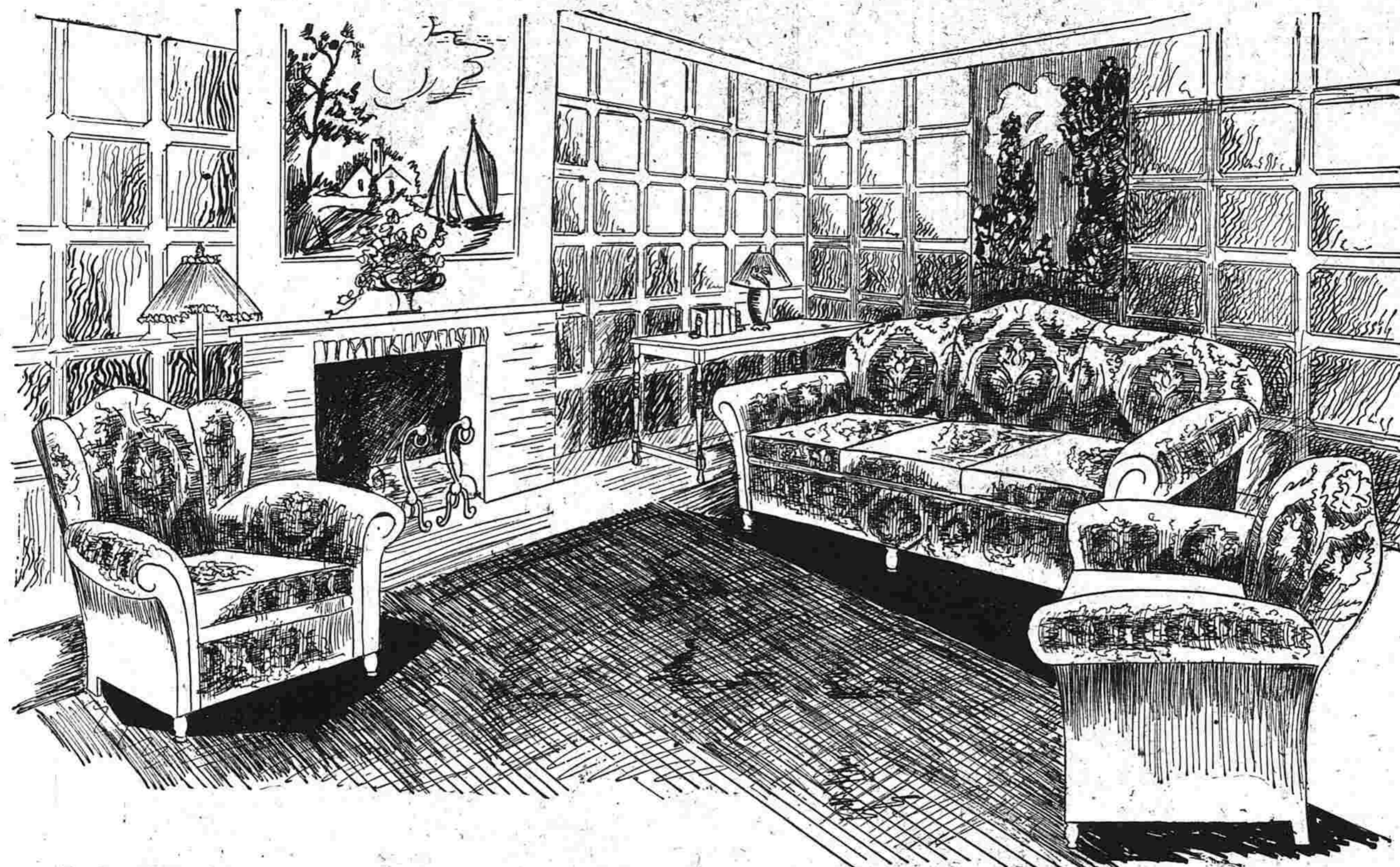
Monthly payments if desired. Accounts opened from \$5 to \$5,000 at relatively small payments. No extra charge for credit.

\$5 DOWN

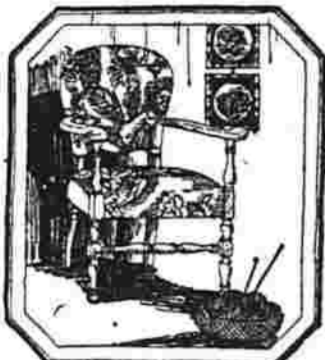
delivers this Living Room Suite to your home!

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OCCASIONAL CHAIR



Attractive tapestry chair, mahogany frame. Friday and Saturday.

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AXMINSTER RUG



These 9x12 Axminsters in the newest spring shades and designs. Friday and Saturday.

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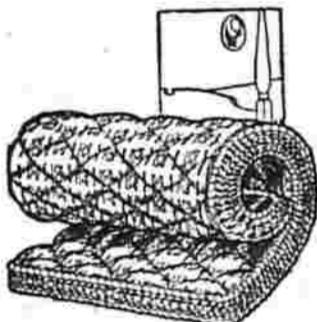
BUFFET MIRROR



Polychrome buffet mirrors with etched panels to brighten dining rooms. Friday and Saturday. Size 49x13 1/2.

\$8.85

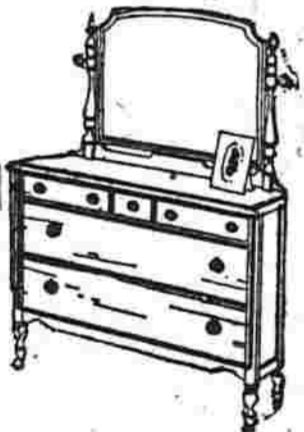
COTTON MATTRESS



Change now to new bedding with this 50-lb. cotton-felt mattress. Friday and Saturday.

\$9.85

DRESSER



A house-cleaning special! Finished in mahogany, roomy, and dependably constructed. Friday and Saturday.

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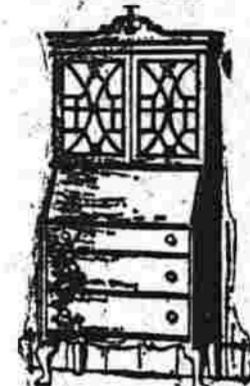
COGSWELL CHAIR



Comfortable Cogswell chair in taupe and rose Jacquard velour. Friday and Saturday.

\$49.75

SECRETARY DESK



Quaint secretary that brings dignity and individuality to your home. Friday and Saturday.

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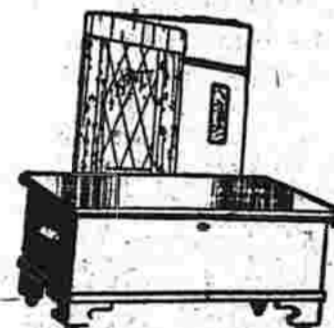
GATELEG TABLE



Handy and obliging, of mahogany and birch with drawer. Special! Friday and Saturday.

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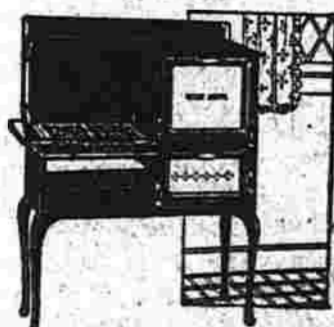
CEDAR CHEST



Almost time to begin to put away winter things. See this chest—Friday and Saturday.

\$9.95

GAS RANGE



Four-burner cabinet range, with oven and broiler. Friday and Saturday.

\$45.00

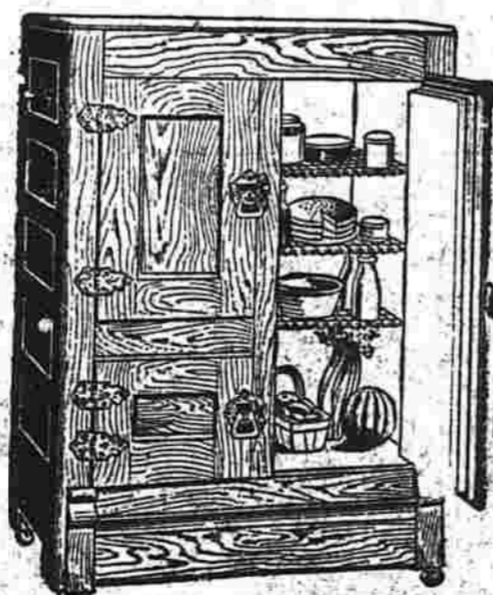
To the new homemaker, and to the spring refurnisher, Shoor Bros. once again prove their quality buying selection and their great buying power with this gracefully designed velour suite. It is only one of the value-giving examples which this store offers to you **FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY AND ONLY \$5. DOWN!**

QUALITY! BEAUTY! DURABILITY! All three important factors in good living room furniture are embodied in the construction of this suite. It is upholstered in a long-wearing grade of velour, of an attractive blue and gold pattern, over spring construction that will resist years of usage. **FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY AND ONLY \$5. DOWN!**

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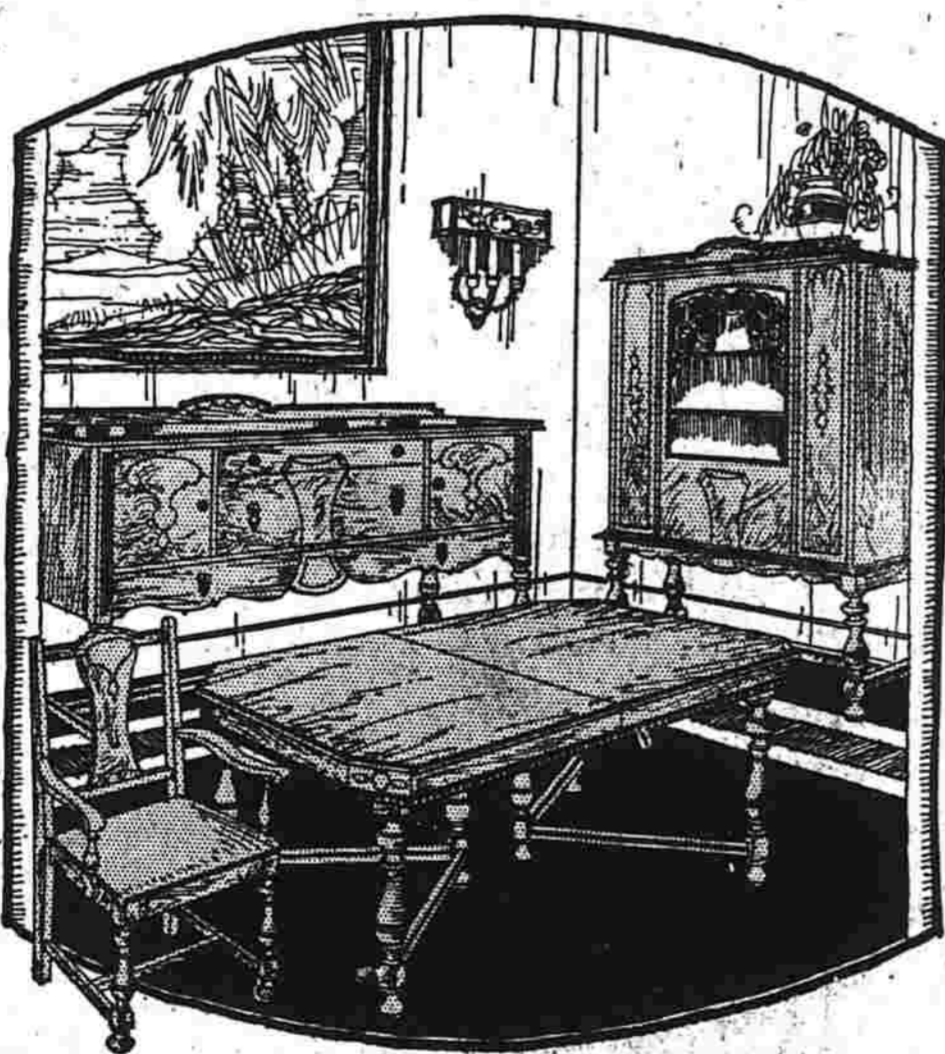


One of the early spring values in our large department. Friday and Saturday **\$15.65**



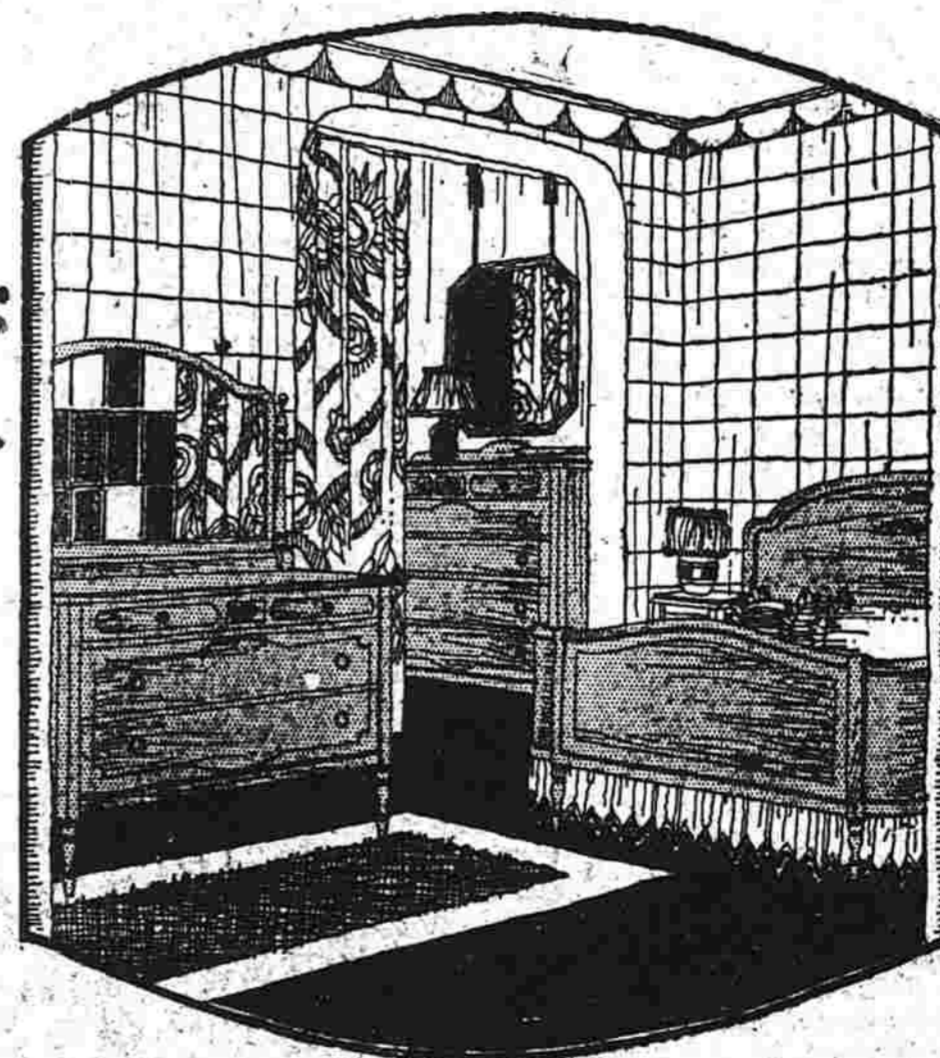
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by Belding-Hall, made since 1886, and sold exclusively by us. Friday and Saturday **\$19.95**



\$5 DOWN will deliver an eight-piece dining room group, buffet, oblong table, five side chairs and host chair in tapestry, (china cabinet and server, not shown, at additional cost). Of walnut veneer joined with other fine cabinet woods. A long-to-be-remembered value—Friday and Saturday only!

8 Pieces - - - **\$99**



\$5 DOWN will deliver a three-piece bedroom suite to your home, large dresser, bow-end bed and roomy chest of drawers, (full vanity or dressing table extra, not shown). Of walnut veneer joined with other fine cabinet woods. When you see it you will concede that it is an exceptional value—Friday and Saturday only!

3 Pieces - - - **\$99**

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CHLORINE.

Citizens of the entire northern district of Manchester served by the Manchester Water Co. are speculating as to whether or not it is necessary for the water supply to be rendered unpalatable as a beverage and sometimes practically unusable for cooking purposes.

Frequently during the past two years, the water of the North End service has been so heavily impregnated with chlorine that the palate, and sometimes the stomach, of the average consumer has rebelled strenuously.

This is especially true in periods following storms, when there seems to be an especially frenzied outbreak of chlorine dosage, possibly on some theory that billions of germ devils are prone to take advantage of such occasions to swim down from the watershed into the reservoirs and thence into the tumblers of an unsuspecting public.

It is understood that the impregnation of public water supplies with chlorine is required by order of the State Board of Health, under conditions and according to certain plans; and it is understood that such a precaution is probably scientifically wise and necessary, since nobody is fool enough to court typhoid or other epidemics if they can be prevented.

South Manchester water is chlorinated, too, but it is not made to taste as if dogs had been drowned in it and allowed to remain, nor yet as if all the chloride of lime in the United States had been dumped into No. 2 reservoir overnight.

At the South Manchester water works the chlorine is imparted to the water by an automatic proportioning device which complies with the requirements of the law and of the situation. It is a system that cost money to install and costs money to maintain, but it results in the people of that part of the town having drinkable water.

It is entirely possible that the Manchester Water Co. believes that it, too, has a satisfactory system for chlorinating its outflow. For its information, in such event, the Herald, voicing the protests of a thirsting and nauseated North End population, informs it that it has no such thing.

NEGRO SUICIDE.

The finding of the body of a Bridgeport Negro, dead from a bullet wound and with every indication pointing to suicide, suggests the rarity of cases of self destruction among American colored people. It is so seldom that we hear of one of these cases that the thought comes—when did we hear of one before?

We do not know what figures a search of the country's vital statistics would disclose, in this relation, but it would almost unquestionably show that not only do fewer Negroes than white people take their own lives but that the same thing is true in comparing the number of Negro suicides with those in any particular group of whites, say native Americans, those of North European or those of South European descent.

Yet, oddly enough, it is very doubtful if there is any outstanding reluctance to seek death as a release among the natives of Africa itself. Unless unoficial historians of the slave trade misrepresent the actualities, self destruction was one

thing against which the old time slave trader had to guard very zealously in order to get his chatties to the market alive. But in America just about the last thing a Negro thinks of, no matter what his difficulties or his suffering, is suicide.

And this in spite of the fact that his situation is one of very great discouragement—or would be if he lacked certain philosophical equipment with which he is most happily endowed. It is just about beyond question that the Negro, in the United States, doesn't have an even chance with a white person—and what is worse, when he does by extra good fortune get his chance he is not always sure to take the right kind of advantage of it.

So that there would seem to be reason to expect more, rather than fewer, of Negroes than of white people in proportion to their numbers, ready at any given time to shuffle off the mortal coil and get rid of their woes for all time.

It certainly is not physical cowardice that accounts for the contradictory fact that the Negro does not kill himself as the white man does, for he has as much courage as anybody. Perhaps the secret lies in the Negro's really glorious sense of humor. No other race on earth can get more fun out of happiness than the Ethiopian. None other can get one-tenth as much fun out of unhappiness. The Negro is thrice blessed with a capacity to turn his misfortunes into self ridicule, to see a comic side to any plight into which he may fall.

He may descend into the depths of despair by exactly the same route as his white neighbor, but instead of becoming mired there for good and all, as the latter too frequently does, he is entirely capable of speedily climbing out of the pit again on a ladder built of his own sudden laughter.

In any event the suicide of a Negro is sufficiently unusual to attract more attention and create more speculation than that of a white man, by a good deal.

PRETTY YOUNG.

In a way, President Coolidge's address at the opening of the first Pan American Conference of Journalists at Washington yesterday was one of the most useful, as well as one of the most tactful utterances that he has made since attaining to the Presidency.

Instead of the usual palaver with which it is the custom for public men of the United States to greet, when opportunity serves, representatives of the Latin American states—which palaver is almost always tinged with more or less of that patronization which more than anything else gets the goat of our neighbors to the south—President Coolidge picked some very cold truths out of the heap of things that we so love to forget and handed them out, stark, for North Americans as well as South Americans and Central Americans to partake of and digest.

It was probably the first time that a great many of the former ever heard that colleges and the printing press were respectively ancient institutions of this hemisphere before they made their first appearances in what is now the United States—that higher education and publication had been going on in Latin America for a century or thereabouts before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock.

One of the most necessary things in the world to be impressed upon the average American is that the earth and its civilization did not exactly begin in Massachusetts in 1620. The President took an excellent occasion to set forth this truth impressively and he did it in an admirable way, so that it will stick.

BINGHAM-BROOKHART.

In aligning himself with the parliaments of Senator Brookhart of Iowa in the contest over that member's seat in the Senate, Senator Hiram Bingham displays a political astuteness which is not shared by all his eastern associates in that body.

The situation in Iowa is a delicate one. There are a great many Republicans there—more than in any other of the western agricultural states—who are badly disgruntled over the failure of this Congress to pass the kind of farm relief legislation for which Iowa people have been crying, and over the certainty that no such legislation will be passed. What we in the east call radicalism, but which is not very red radicalism at that, is growing fast in Iowa, and Brookhart is its chief apostle there.

Senator Cummins is one of those whose term ends next March. He must come up this year for re-nomination. He is rapidly losing his hold among the Iowa farmers as being too conservative.

If the Senate unseats Brookhart it will not only put in his place a kind of Democrat—not very virulent to be sure, still a Democrat of sorts—but it will put Brookhart in the race against Cummins for the nomination; and Brookhart will

probably win. In that event the Republicans will lose a dependable and valuable senator and get, after all, the turbulent and objectionable Brookhart in his place. The sum of which will be, in the end, that it will have swapped Republican Cummins, a strong party asset, for Democratic Steck, certainly no asset to the party at all.

DR. WILSON.

Dr. Clarence True Wilson, head of the Methodist Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals, made an address in Manchester last night in which he consigned pretty much everybody except Dr. Clarence True Wilson and the Methodist Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals to the scrap heap because prohibition has not been enforced as Dr. Clarence True Wilson of the Methodist Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals imagined it might be enforced if Dr. Clarence True Wilson of the Methodist Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals had been given an army, a navy, the United States Treasury and a gallows and told to go ahead and enforce.

Dr. Wilson was the guest of the New England Southern Conference and the New England Southern Conference is the guest of Manchester. The obligations of hospitality and a sincere respect for the membership of that body constrain the Herald to refrain from comment on the address of Dr. Clarence True Wilson of the Methodist Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals.

Stewart's WASHINGTON LETTERS

BY CHARLES P. STEWART

Washington, April 9.—White House attendants knew there was due to be a terrible howl, when President Coolidge announced he wasn't going to do any indiscriminate spring handshaking this year. The week before and the week following Easter is the period of the capital's greatest popularity with tourists. A few important occasions, like inauguration bring bigger crowds to the city for a day or two, but the jam doesn't last so long.

The present season gave promise, some time ago, of being a record breaker. Hotels all were completely "booked up" in advance. "Personally-conducted" agencies were snowed under with business. The railroads had their plans laid for handling at least 200,000 passengers, in and out of town, during the fortnight of maximum activity.

All this talk scared the president. He said—that is, the "presidential spokesman" did—that he could stand about as much as the next man, but that shaking hands with 16,666 2-3 visitors every working day for two weeks was too much for anybody.

He expressed a willingness to have callers file through his office during specified hours, and look at him, like a wild animal at the zoo, but he positively drew the line at shaking hands with anybody he isn't acquainted with personally.

Just as expected, the tourists are roaring vociferously. Why an awful old adage of the president, without taking hold of him, isn't sufficient is a mystery nobody can solve, with the exception of the average tourist. It's a fact, however.

A visitor who's come a long distance, with a presidential handshake in his mind, as his piece of resistance of his stay in Washington, doesn't give up the idea at all readily.

If callers would shake the presidential hand considerably, it wouldn't be so bad, although, as the present White House tenant remarks, 16,666 2-3 shakes a day is an overdose, no matter how they're administered.

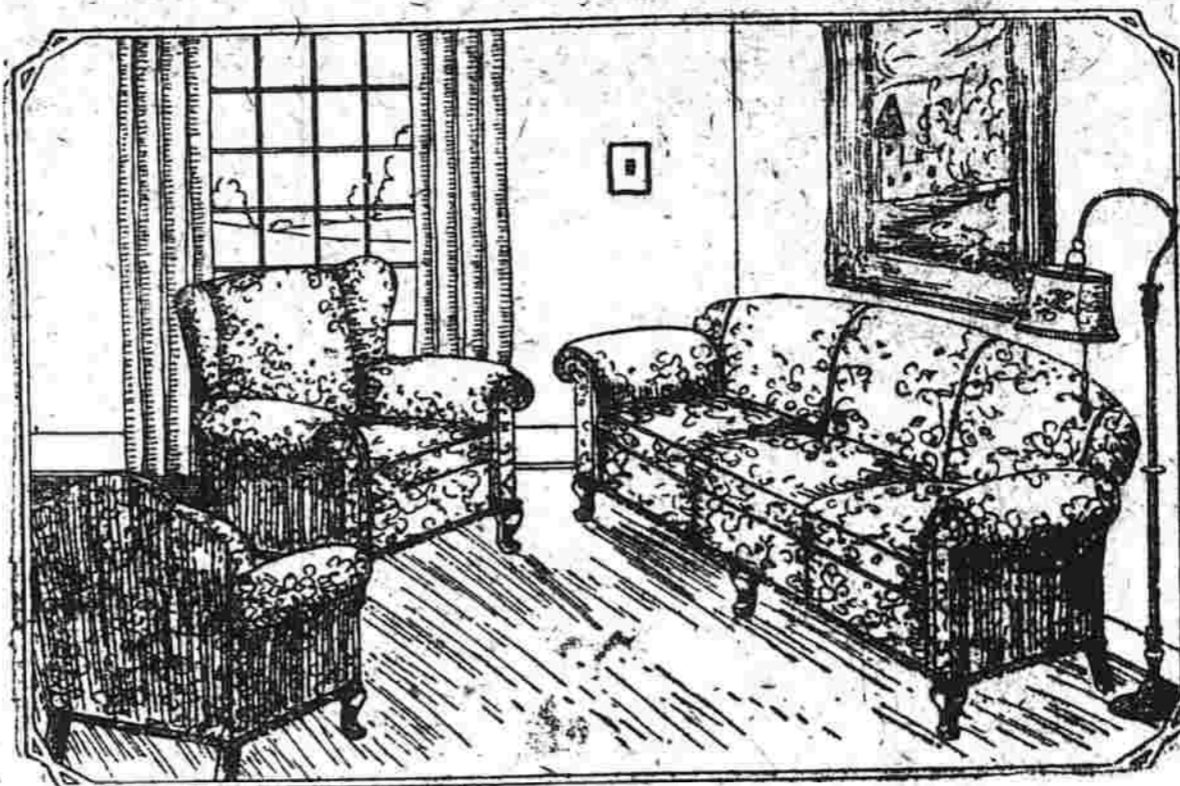
But the trouble is they're not even considerate. It ought to be obvious that a man who must shake hundreds and thousands of hands, one right after another, as fast as he can, sometimes for hours, doesn't enjoy having any blacksmith grips clamped down on him.

The average tourist, however, goes on the assumption that his hand's the only one in creation. In a burst of patriotic enthusiasm, when it comes his turn, he grabs hold for all he's worth, puts the full weight of his muscle into it and hangs on as long as the moving line will let him.

It's true that a president can stand more handshaking than an ordinary man—he's had so much practice. Usually he's gone through a preliminary course, as a governor or some such thing, and comes into his high office more or less in training and wise in lots of tricks of the fence—just how to keep an opponent from getting a strangle hold on him and how to shake him off in short order.

Jack Dempsey hit a common cake eater he'd kill him, but a professional fighter, in prime condition and thoroughly skilled in the art of self-defense, can stand it, even if Jack licks him. Just so with presidents.

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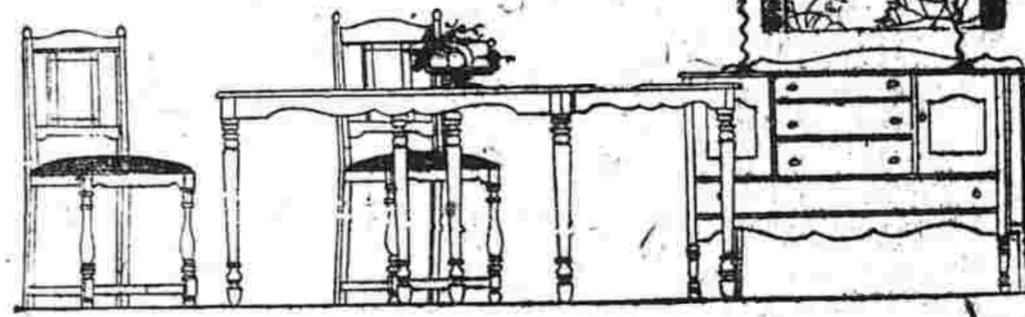
bow-end bed, 38-inch dresser and choice of either 32-inch high chest of drawers or a 34-inch dressing table. If you desire, you may have the large suite of four pieces for only \$172—on easy terms.

8 Piece Dining Room Suites \$130

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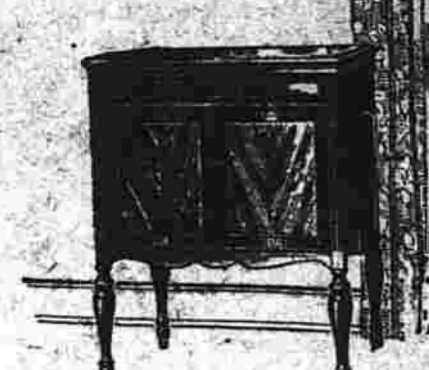
Another typical example of large quantity, syndicate, spot cash buying! This is a brand new pattern of light, graceful design, finished in a smooth, dull Hugenot walnut, over a combination of walnut and gumwood. This finish is a trifle darker than the so-called "French walnut" and slightly lighter than American walnut. 60-inch buffet with plush lined silver drawer, 40x52 inch extension table, arm chair and 5 side chairs. Chair seats upholstered in

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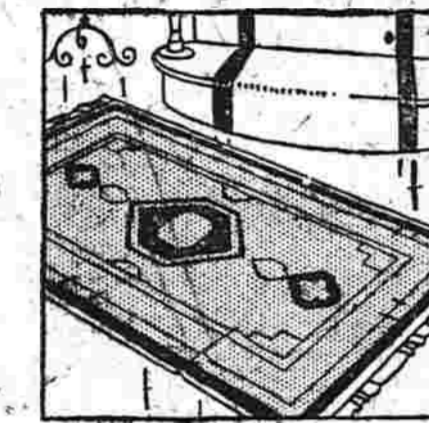
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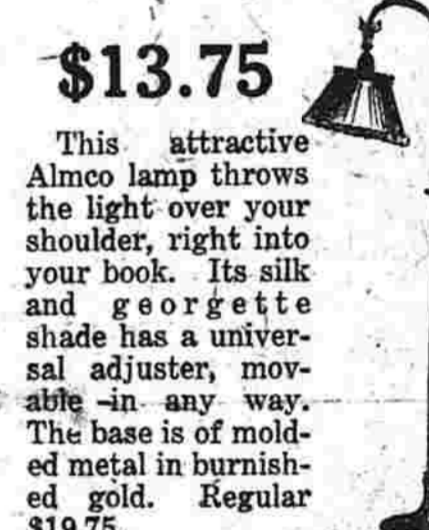
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IN NEW YORK

New York, April 8.—"Chicken today, feathers tomorrow" is the fatalistic old adage of Broadway. Just a few weeks ago William Hurlbut, after the failure of several of his plays, went back to playing at chef in a cafe he opened.

Now his latest play has been acclaimed by critics with shrieks of praise. "Classic American drama" greeted it. Hurlbut again sits on the world. He can take off his chef's cap and bow, happily. That's the eternal story of Broadway.

Just off Times Square there is a moving picture theater which is the gathering place each evening for gamblers seeking to trifle with the "galloping ivories." The game has to be held in a new place each night so that police will be thrown off the scent. So the boys with itching purses assemble in the crowd lined up for movie tickets, but instead of going to the theater they get their tip on where the meeting will be held and amble away to wait the appointed hour.

"Whaddye expect?"

The offices of the larger Broadway theater ticket agencies resemble the operating room of an entire telephone exchange of an average-sized town. In one of these 26 telephones are in constant use during the busy hours.

Exercise must actually be worked for by the average New Yorker. There are not nearly enough gymnasiums to go round, and in the vicinity of Broadway catch-penny stunts make big money by offering opportunity for a little arm swinging. During the winter months an "indoor sport" known as "Battem" did a flourishing business by allowing the exercise-hungry to swing a bat at a baseball for 10 cents per so-many clouts. The ball is automatically released from an electric slot. The batter stands in an inclined cage. The place is thronged at noon and after working hours.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Sympathy is best taken in very small doses. A bootlegger tells us that what's sauce for the goose is easy pickings for a smart duck. Children are a great handicap when one wishes to be unhappy. It never rains but it stops. Nothing seems to surprise a real fisherman more than catching a fish. April showers bring May bills for having rugs cleaned. Dressing sensibly makes a girl look so conspicuous. Look and see if you have enough gas to get back on unless you are taking a good looking girl along. The spring fashion warning seems to be, "Don't count your clothes before they match." Now comes the season when a man who gets mad at his wife can go to the ball park and yell at the umpire. The real reason many a man looks down on his wife is because she was silly enough to marry him.

ONE AUTO IN ELEVEN IS IN AN ACCIDENT

One car in every eleven registered in Connecticut last year was involved in an accident, whereas the ratio for the year '15 was one car in an accident for every forty-two registered, according to the results of an analytical study of 1925 accident reports as compared with those of other years, which has been completed at the state motor vehicle department. In an effort to keep abreast of the increase in motor vehicles and the corresponding increase in the number of hazards which confront all operators on the public highways, the department is keeping a close check on the Connecticut statistics. In this way, the responsible authorities are enabled to a degree to put their collective finger on the most pronounced causes. It has been determined that the proportion of cars to population in Connecticut in 1925 was 16 1-3 as great as in 1910 and that, while there was one car registered in this state for every ninety-nine people in 1910, the ratio had changed in fifteen years to a point where there was last year one car for every six people in the state. Automobiles are increasing for the country at large. There were 14 per cent more cars registered here last year than in the previous year and the increase for the country was only 1 per cent. In spite of that fact, accidents in the state increased last year at the rate of only 7.9 per cent, as against an increase of 20.6 per cent. the previous year.

DAILY POEM

CO-OPERATION You'll find, after all, that co-operation gives business the punch of success. Whatever your line, or whatever your station, that element stands up, I guess. Of course you may plug on, and labor alone and do your own task, day by day. And, maybe, right now, that's the reason you're grown. But, say, e'en at that, does it pay? Your real peace of mind is where happiness lies. If you help someone else beside you, you'll rise to the point where you're one of those guys whose spirit can always come through. To have and to hold all the wealth that there is doesn't mean half as much as it seems. We all have that thought. Do you know what it is? The shift out of which they make dreams. The real satisfaction that comes to a man, who's struggling to earn his fair ration, is born through the doing the best that he can for others—through co-operation.

A THOUGHT

Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to be alone? Bid her therefore that she help me.—Luke 10:40. We are too prone to find fault. Let us look for some of the partitions.—Schiller.

SENSE AND NONSENSE

Life is mountains and valleys. When on the mountains, enjoy the valley. When in the valley, appreciate the mountain.

There is harmony in music but there is little between musicians.

Husband—I must have been crazy to marry you.

Wife—You were, dearest—I remember you said so every evening for months.

Those who follow nature's directions need no medicine to be taken according to the doctor's directions.

You Know Them!
Just lots of guys in this old town Would make a great and lasting hit

And they would give their tongues a rest
And work their brains a little bit.

"Say, boy, what do you hear from your girl these days?"
"Well, I've written her seven letters and no answer, so if I don't hear from her pretty soon I'm going to break off corresponding with her."

Another important question is what Switzerland is going to do for a living when all the conferences are over.

More speakers can "rise to the occasion" than can sit down to it.

"Oh mother, I'm going out on a late."

"Ah, yes, my darling darter, but remember the things you want to do, are the things you hadn't order!"

"So many of our statesmen have been self-made, and so many of our politicians have been machine made."

Eat less and you'll feel so much better you won't worry about the high cost of living.

Emergency.
There was a young lady named Poppy
Who warbled, "I want to be happy."

The rhyme, we agree,
Isn't all it might be.
But this week we're a bit short of copy.

Customer: "Tea for two, please."
Waiter: "Yes, sir. Is this an instruction to the kitchen or to the band?"

When a fellow goes to see a girl about three times a week for two years she naturally expects him to ring her up.

Waggish Diner (with menu)—
"Chicken croquettes, eh? I say, waiter, what part of a chicken is the croquette?"
Waiter—"The part that's left over from the day before, sir."

The more we see of girls the more we see of girls.

A pencil is that long wooden thing you borrow and thrust casually into your vest pocket.

A man of 81 married a girl 20 years old. Perhaps the girls wanted to see if the old men are as bad as they are supposed to be.

"Have you had any experience with children?"
"No, Ma'am, I've always worked in the best of families."

It wouldn't do for all of us to have good manners. Somebody must yell "Down in front!"

BRITISH WOMEN FIGHT TO KEEP TENNIS CUP

London.—Strenuous efforts are being made by British women lawn tennis players to retain the Wightman Cup in this year's contest at Wimbledon.

There will be two strenuous try-outs before the team is selected and the two dozen players who are likely to be invited to take part in these competitions are already in strenuous training.

Normally speaking, it is not likely that the chosen four will differ materially from those victorious at Forest Hills last year—namely Miss McKane, Miss Harvey, Miss Evelyn Collyer and Miss Joan Fry. But in any event, Mrs. Lambert Chambers, who was fifth member and captain last year, is unlikely to play.

There is some doubt also, about Miss McKane, now Mrs. L. A. Godfree, taking part. In this event the two open places are likely to rest between Miss Betty Buthall, the 15-year-old champion, Mrs. Ly-cett, formerly Miss Joan Austin, and Miss Eileen Bennett. On form, Miss Nuthall would probably be first choice, but there seems a disposition, both on the part of her family and the selectors, to keep her out of severely competitive events for another two or three years.

Apart from these known players, there are hundreds of first-class young English girl players coming on by leaps and bounds, and the team, in any event, is bound to be a very strong one.

COSTLY PICTURES
Paris—Three pictures by Renoir shown at a recent exhibition of 19th century works here, are valued at 33,600 pounds. Recently a Renoir flower picture sold in London for 3500 pounds.

"WHITE WAY" BRIGHTEST
New York—Flashing 25,000,000 candlepower of light against the sky each night, New York's "Great White Way" is literally "the brightest spot on earth" it was revealed in the report of an electric sign survey here recently.

An After Easter Sale Of Women's and Misses' Silk Dresses

An opportunity to obtain a smart new dress of new style and fine quality at a very low price.

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FOURTEEN GAME SLATE FACES S. M. H. S. NINE

Half of Games Will Be Played Here—Seeking Baseball Coach.

A fourteen-game slate confronts the S. M. H. S. baseball team which is now being whipped into condition under the supervision of Coach W. J. Clarke. One half of the games will be at home. The opening game will be played Saturday afternoon, May 1, against the Middletown High nine at the McKee street stadium.

For the past few weeks authorities at the High school have been consulting various baseball coaches in the state in an effort to secure a coach to handle the team this season. Director Clarke does not coach baseball but he will play an important part by keeping the players in condition. It was stated today that it was expected a baseball coach will be secured before the end of the week.

There are approximately twenty-five candidates seeking berths on the S. M. H. S. team at present. Of this group the following look the most promising to date: Quish, Lapien brothers, Dowd, Treat, Boyce, Mantelli, Godaltis and McCarthy. This does not mean that none of the other candidates will not make the team.

The scheduled as announced today:

- Saturday, May 1—Middletown here.
- Thursday, May 6—West Hartford here.
- Saturday, May 8—Winsted there.
- Saturday, May 15—Willimantic there.
- Monday, May 17—East Hartford there.
- Wednesday, May 19—Bristol there.
- Thursday, May 22—Winsted here.
- Tuesday, May 25—Middletown there.
- Thursday, May 27—East Hartford here.
- Saturday, May 29—Meriden there.
- Thursday, June 3—Willimantic here.
- Saturday, June 5—Meriden here.
- Wednesday, June 8—West Hartford there.
- Saturday, June 12—Bristol here.

GRADE STANDINGS.

The final standing of the seventh and eighth grade basketball leagues in the Ninth district follow:

Eighth Grade		Won	Lost
L. Kane	.....	10	2
Reed	.....	7	5
Monson	.....	7	5
Eaton	.....	0	12
Seventh Grade		Won	Lost
Miss McGuire	.....	10	2
Miss Shea	.....	6	6
Mrs. Hawley's	.....	5	7
Miss G. Kane	.....	2	10

REC. PLUNGE POPULAR.

The plunge pools at the School street Recreation Center are becoming more popular than ever. It was said there today, and the number of women who are attending will probably make it necessary that another period or two be added to the schedule. The average, it is said, is 35 women during every period. The women are given the use of the pool on Monday and Friday. The tank is open for men on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Family Stuff

by Fontaine Fox

ON THE 18TH GREEN, JONES' WIFE, WHO KNOWS NOTHING OF GOLF, COMES DOWN TO WATCH HIM MAKE THE PUTT WHICH MIGHT WIN OR LOSE HIS MATCH.

"DOES HE ALWAYS GO THROUGH ALL THOSE FUNNY LITTLE MOTIONS BEFORE HE KNOCKS THE BALL TOWARD THE HOLE?"

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THESE NINE MAJOR LEAGUE MANAGERS HOPE TO WIN FIRST FLAG THIS SEASON



These nine baseball pilots are seeking their first major league flag. Some are hopeful this will be their year; others, less optimistic, are content to wait another season or so while they build up their clubs.

YEP, IT'S TY!



TY COBB.

Augusta, Ga., March 29.—Here's our old friend Ty Cobb, manager of the Detroit Tigers, as scores of major league pitchers wish he might have been—wearing dimmers. He was snapped just after joining his team from Baltimore, where he underwent an operation for the removal of a growth from his left optic. Despite the lamp shades, Ty showed he could hit 'em in his first practice of the season. He'll sport the "blinds" for the next week or two.

A building 250 feet higher than the Eiffel tower is proposed in New York City.

ANNOUNCE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR S. M. H. S.

Nine Games Scheduled—Tough Opposition in Several Cases.

The football slate for the South

Manchester High school eleven for next season was announced today by Coach W. J. Clarke. It includes nine games, five of which are to be played here. The slate contains the names of several very strong schools. It follows: Sept. 25—North Adams, Mass., there.

Oct. 2—Buckley High, N. L., here. Oct. 9—Bridgeport, there. Oct. 16—West Hartford, here. Oct. 23—Meriden, there. Oct. 30—Bristol, there. Nov. 6—East Hartford, here. Nov. 13—Middletown, here. Nov. 20—Windham, there.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS IN 4 DAYS

By DAVIS J. WALSH

New York, April 9.—Only four days to go to the official opening of the major league season but from all accounts today, some of the ball clubs are as much as a month "away" from championship speed. The National League field is particularly late in its development this year, the St. Louis Cardinals being the only apparent exception worthy of note. The Cards have won a lot of ball games in the south.

Of the American League entries, however, no less than five, namely the Senators, Athletics, Browns, White Sox and Yanks, seem to be ready. It looks like a merry occasion with all this early speed mustered at the pole.

Unforeseen circumstances have conspired to delay many National League clubs. The Pirates have been hampered alike by the temporary loss of Carey, Traynor and Moore and the bad weather they encountered during their trip east from California. The Giants left Sarasota with quite a ball club but absurd railroad jumps, one of them as long as 36 hours, have thrown the boys for a loss. Kelly and Frisch lost their batting eyes, en route, and the only pitcher who now seems ready is Jimmy Ring.

Braves' Poor Start. The Reds' development has been retarded by Luque's troubles and the semi-failure of Emmer as a shortstop. The Braves started like a rolling stone on a moss-covered incline but have fallen away from their great form of the early training season. They should be a right fair spring outfit, at that, with all their pitching, and Brown's complex for early season hitting.

The Phillies need a first baseman, Bentley having failed to make the rifle, and are short on pitchers, as always. They have just been knocked off by the Athletics and seem to be going nowhere in particular. Neither are the Dodgers at this moment. Their infield is said to be terrible, no less, and the Yankees' hitting has made their pitchers look all to the falsetto. Even Vance and Grimes have failed to stop the deluge.

how, but Alexander's injury has just about made the thing official. If the Cubs go anywhere this year, the writer will guarantee to invent square pegs for use in slippery knives. The American League situation is more optimistic. The Yankees, not highly esteemed through the winter, have come up from nowhere to serious consideration, largely through the development of the juvenile second base combination of Lazzeri and Koenig. If these young men step right along with the pace, the Yanks will be hard to stop, for they have tremendous hitting and plenty of pitching.

Only Eight



VANCE GAGE.

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There's no trick about it... no deep, dark secret. P. A. is pippin pipe tobacco, made for pleasure and lots of it. Prince Albert is mellow as moonlight on a silent summer sea. Fragrant as a breeze that filters through apple-blossoms. Cool and sweet in a way that spells comfort to a pipe-smoker.

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ON THE AIR

BEST PICK.

WJJD (302.8) Mooseheart, Ill. 5:30—Concert. 8—Band. 10—Studio. 12:30—Variety.

WVCA (341) Cazenovia, N. Y. 6—Variety. 11—Entertainers. 12:15—Van and Schenk. 12:30—Orchestra.

WVAP (475.9) Fort Worth, Tex. 6—Orchestra. 7:30—Musical. 9:30—Concert. 11—Hawaiian Trio.

KOA (322.4) Denver, Colo. 6:30—Concert. 8—Instrumental. 8:15—Studio.

KFO (433.3) San Francisco, Calif. 6:30—Orchestra. 8:10—Sacred cantata. 10—Orchestra.

WAHG (316) Richmond Hill, N. Y. 8—W. A. Goldsworthy, organist. 9—Vocal and instrumental. 10:30—Orchestra.

Eastern Time.

WEAF (492) New York City. 4—Virginia Richards, soprano. 4:15—Marguerite Porter, pianist. 4:30—Kenyon Condon, baritone. 4:45—Irene Schenkel, poems. 5—Vincent Lopez and orchestra. 6—Dinner music. 6:45—Hon. George Gordon Battle. 7—Gene Ingraham and orchestra. 7:30—"Sir Hobnoblin Opens a Closed Door," by Miss Blanche Elizabeth Wade. To WOO (508.2). WCAE (461.3). WGR (319). WEAR (389.4). WTAG (268). WOC (484). WCAP (469). 7:45—Dora Gulentog and Sadie Zuckerman, piano duo. 8—"The Happiness Candy Boys." 8:30—"Eagle Neurodyne Trio." 9—"Cities Service Quartet and Orchestra." To WEE (476). WOO (508.2). WEAR (389.4). WGN (302.8). KSD (545.1). 9:30—"The Vikings." To WJAR (305.9). WGR (319). WTAG (268). WCAE (461.3). WOC (484). WWJ (352.7). KSD (545.1). WEAR (389.4). WGN (302.8). 10:30—Leon Goldman, violinist. 10:45—Delphine March, contralto. 11—Ben Bernie and orchestra. DRC (469) Washington, D. C. 5—Orchestra.

WJZ (455) New York City. 6—Variety. 8:30—Musical.

WWJ (352.7) Detroit, Mich. 6—Concert. 10:30—Dance program. WIP (508.2) Philadelphia, Pa. 6:05—Orchestra.

WTIC (248.6) Hartford, Conn. 6:30—Trio. 8:15—Band. 10:30—Variety.

WGHB (266) Clearwater, Fla. 6:30—Musical. 8:30—Variety. 11:45—Ramble.

WGBS (316) New York City. 6:30—Orchestra. 7:30—Piano. WCAE (461.3) Pittsburgh, Pa. 6:30—Concert. 8—Studio. KDKA (309) Pittsburgh, Pa. 6:30—Concert. 8:30—Concert. 10:10—Studio.

WADC (258) Akron, Ohio. 6:30—Concert. 8—Studio. 10—India Owls.

WBAL (246) Baltimore, Md. 6:30—Orchestra. 7:30—Quartet. 8—Orchestra and soloists. 9—String trio.

WBZ (333.1) Springfield, Mass. 6:45—Orchestra. 7:15—Band. 9:15—Variety.

WEAR (389.4) Cleveland, Ohio. 7—Orchestra. 8:15—Studio. 10:30—Orchestra.

WGY (379.5) Schenectady, N. Y. 7—Orchestra. 8:30—Vocal. 10:30—Orchestra and soloists.

WCAU (278) Philadelphia, Pa. 7:30—Vocal and instrumental. 9—Variety. 10—Songs. 10:30—Orchestra.

WRNY (258.5) New York City. 7:30—Vocal. 10:15—Novelty. 11:30—Orchestra.

WNYC (526) New York City.

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Tonight

11:00—"Books People Are Talking About"—Mrs. Austin S. Baste.

11:15—"The Trend of Spring Fashion"—Gertrude McWeeny of Worth's Inc.

11:25—"Piano Solos"—Laura C. Gaudet.

11:30—"W. T. I. C's Housewives Forum" conducted by Mrs. J. M. Dean.

11:55—Time Signals.

12:00—Weather report.

12:05-1:00—Luncheon Music—Travelers Club Orchestra.

6:30 P. M.—Dinner concert—Moe Blumenthal's Hub Restaurant Quartet—

a. Selection from "Katinka"..... Friml
b. Woodland Fancies..... Ciments
c. A Day in Venice Dawn
The Gondoliers
Venezian Love Song
Good Night
d. Valse Bleue..... Margis
e. Caucassian Sketches II and III..... Ivanov
f. Violin Solo—Moe Blumenthal.
g. Three Victor Herbert Favorites
Kiss Me Again
Gypsy Love Song
A Kiss in the Dark
h. Told at Twilight... Heurter
i. Popular Period
7:30—Announcements and Police Report.

7:45—W. T. I. C's Cartoon Lesson—Bud Kingston, Editor, Bridgeport Herald.

8:00—"Idealism and Work"—Rev. George T. Linsley, Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

8:15—Program by the New Haven Railroad Band—George A. Heyer, leader—

a. Radio March..... Seltz
b. Selection from "Marianita"..... Wallace
c. I'm Sitting on Top of the World..... Henderson
d. Pie Foot Two, Eyes of Blue..... Henderson
e. Clarinet Solo—Scene and Air
R. D. Johnson
f. Cornet Solo—The Three Star Polka..... Bagley
J. Worral
g. Chimes of Normandy..... Flanagan
h. March: "Dunlap" Commandery..... Hall
9:15—"Arrival of the Army Round-the-World Pilgrims in the Jump from Greenland to Labrador"—W. J. G. Myers, Correspondent, The Associated Press.

9:45—Studio Recita, with Priscilla Losey, soprano and Dorothy Hull, pianist. Hilda Alling, accompanist for Miss Losey.

Songs—

a. Little Shepherd's Song..... Watts
b. Trees..... Albert
Priscilla Losey
c. Piano Solos—

a. Arabesque..... Schumann
b. Nocturne..... Schumann
Dorothy Hull
Songs—

a. Philosophy..... Emmell
b. Un doux lieu..... Delbruck
Priscilla Losey
c. Piano Solo—

Deux Arabesques..... Debussy
Dorothy Hull
Songs—

a. Dairy Maids..... La Forge

DISTANCE AID FOR RADIO RECEPTION

Schenectady, N. Y., April 9—Radio signals are better 600 miles from a broadcast transmitter than they are at 300 miles, according to engineers of the radio department of the General Electric Company, under whose supervision an exhaustive investigation of radio wave propagation is now being made.

For several weeks past, thousands of radio listeners have been cooperating with the General Electric Company by reporting on reception of signals on broadcast bands.

These co-operative tests are still under way and the conclusions are only such as suggest themselves from the preliminary reports. The engineers do not claim that the conclusions are absolute and caution that more exhaustive investigation may reveal some facts not yet apparent.

In observing the variation of signal strength, it was found that the strength of the signal drops off rapidly during the first 300 miles from the station and that contrary to what might be expected, the signal strength actually increases and is apparently a little stronger at 600 miles than at 300 miles.

Beyond the 600-mile point the strength decreases again slowly to the limit of the range of the station. These distances are not definite values; they are the averages from a large number of reception reports.

RADIO STATIONS USE TELEPHONE IN BROADCASTING

S. N. E. T. Co. Wires Play Large Part in Relaying Programs from Source to WTIC at Hartford

The telephone today plays a most important part in the broadcasting of practically all radio programs, according to the Connecticut Committee on Public Service Information. The telephone enters into the broadcasting of all radio programs with the exception of those which are actually staged in radio studios. All other programs must be relayed by telephone from the place where they take place to the broadcasting station.

For instance when Station WTIC at Hartford wishes to broadcast a musical program taking place in Woolsey Hall at New Haven, the Southern New England Telephone Company is called upon to connect the Yale Auditorium with the station at Hartford. For this purpose, three telephone wires leading from New Haven to Hartford by way of Middletown are used. The first wire is the one over which the program is actually carried; the second is an emergency broadcasting wire for use in case of trouble on the main wire; and the third is an ordinary talking circuit between the two points by which information may be relayed from the man in charge of the microphone to the station.

The ordinary telephone wire while it is perfectly capable of carrying the speaking voice, nevertheless loses its transmission capacity very rapidly as the sound cycles increase, and would not be fitted for the transmission of singing and instrumental music. A device called an equalizer is installed to overcome this and the wire is thus made to carry sounds of all frequencies with equal audibility. Overhead wires have greater transmission qualities than the cable variety and are therefore used as much as possible in relaying radio programs.

Before the MIKE

Ann Pennington will appear on the April 14 program of station WOR, Newark, N. J. During this program Ann Pennington will be interviewed by Alice Beal Parsons, noted feminist.

The Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, which has established an excellent musical record throughout the east, will make its radio debut April 18 from the Baltimore station, WBAL. The April concert will feature national prize winning compositions by Baltimore composers.

John Adam Hugo has been commissioned by WRNY, New York to write an opera for the radio. This opera will be especially adapted for broadcasting and will be produced at WRNY this spring. Hugo, who has many operas and oratorios to his credit, is the composer of "The Temple Dancer," which was first produced four years ago by the Metropolitan Opera House.

In the great multitude of zealous men and women who come to these shores seeking to widen their horizons and stand high in the hall of operatic fame is Bartolo Sabatini, baritone. Many a man less gifted would attempt to ride successfully on the name and fame of a distinguished relative. Bartolo Sabatini, the opera singer, might easily share in the glory of the author of "The Sea Hawk," "The Strolling Saint," "Captain Blood" and "Scaramouche." Bartolo is working his way up on "his own" and may be heard singing from leading American broadcast stations. Recently he gave a concert at WAHG, Richmond Hill, York.

Primitive and modern music which preserves the spirit of "out West" will be one of the unique attractions next May. It is announced, when Denver's gigantic Music Week festival is to be broadcast by KOA. "This ethereal music embraces a host of unpublished songs which were taken down from oral recitations," declares Ralph Freese of the Denver announcing staff.

Some of the most famous musicians in Chicago compose the Drake ensemble which is heard from WGN of that city. Henry Selinger, musical director of WGN, is the director of the ensemble. Others are Armand Huisseret, violinist; Leon Lichtfeld, a solo cellist of note; Leon Benditsky, pianist, who is well known among music lovers as an interesting solo artist and an expert in the music of Chopin; Frank Kieca, bass and Frederick Meliken, harmonium.

The latter is the orchestra's arranging genius. Few listeners who hear his work each evening know that he is the author of the jazz tune that was the sensation of its day, "Wabash Blues."

Frequently during the summer session evenings more than a hundred stargazers crowd the Washburn observatory at the University of Wisconsin.

SHORT CUTS

Things to Know in Building and Operating a Receiver.

As radio-frequency currents, flowing "light" on a wire, they should have as free a path as possible. Therefore use stranded wire for the aerial. As direct currents flow "deep," use a heavy single wire for the battery leads.

An inverted cardboard candy box may be used as a rack for tubes removed from the set. Place the tubes in holes in the box cut to the specific size of the bases of the tubes instead of allowing them to rest on a table.

Ammonia or soda water, quickly applied, will prevent damage from acid dropped while taking a hydrometer reading of the A battery.

Place the heated soldering iron in an asbestos-lined preserving jar to keep it hot when working on your aerial.

Wires carrying radio-frequency currents should be bare, as spaghetti may add to the distributed capacity.

When the batteries are fully charged and the volume gives out, have tubes tested. They may need reactivating or replacing.

To space turns evenly on coil tubes, guide the wires with a comb being careful not to strip the insulation.

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THE HERALD'S HOME PAGE

FEATURE ARTICLES ABOUT INTERESTING WOMEN

The YELLOW STUB by Ernest Lynn

BEGIN HERE TODAY HENRY RAND, 55, a business man, is found murdered in a cheap hotel in Grafton...



JANET RAND, his daughter, breaks her engagement with BARRY COLVIN because of the "disgrace." JIMMY RAND, his son, goes to Cleveland where the theater is...

With Jimmy and Mary estranged, Church gets Mary's promise to marry him Jimmy accuses her of marrying for money...

Jimmy and Olga, out one night, see a man they both recognize—he as one of his assassins, she as the man who got the stub...

"I've found Jensen," said Olga's voice. "Come quick—He heard a gasping cry, and that was all."

succeeded in doing it, and I've read about quite a few murder cases. "It's a law of retribution, Barry—something that amounts to the same thing you know, I imagine I can just visualize that murder, and trace the man who did it through every step he took...

vaguely in an attempt to rationalize the strange procession of events. That evening found him with Lieutenant O'Day at police headquarters...

Jimmy said: "Barry Colvin brought a ring when he came here. It had the name Marie in it and my father's initials on it. It was Marie Real, of course."

"More than likely," assented O'Day, "but that means nothing." "Nothing, except that I'm going to run it down if I can. I'm sure that the motive for my father's murder comes somewhere from out of his past. That's why it's worth investigating."

He reached for his hat. "If there were any way of tracing my grandfather—it he did have any sister that might be able to tell us something, or that might help us clear up this, this fog—then we might get somewhere."

"You can never tell, Rand. Maybe someone who loved Marie Real and was jealous of your father—"

"Hardly. She would be as old as my father now. It would be waiting a long time for revenge."

"But people are strange. Sometimes they do wait for the right chance—some of them."

He felt certain, as he threaded his way home, that old Thaddeus Rand somehow held the key to this baffling mystery.

Perhaps old Thaddeus was dead, and, if so, the secret might be locked up in his grave. Perhaps Marie Real, if she were still alive, could point the way...

He reflected that this thing that had happened to Henry Rand could have happened to few men. There were very few about whom so little was known—even by their own families. Henry Rand himself, he admitted was nearly as much of a mystery as his murder.

Pleasure-bound crowds, headed for an evening at the theater or some other form of amusement, jostled him as he walked heedlessly on...

Back in his room, he flung open his window and, heedless of the cold, he sat gazing at the distant lights...

Electric signs, blocks away, flickered and danced as they conveyed their sales messages to a public whose pocketbooks responded to advertising as to no other thing.

An illuminated billboard, not so far away proclaimed the virtues of a certain brand of automobile. He studied it and grew cold.

How long he had sat there he did not know, but the ringing of the telephone bell downstairs aroused him with a sudden start.

Mr. King had gone to bed. He waited, debating whether to go downstairs and take the message, and decided to let it ring...

Unwillingly, he pulled himself together and started slowly down the stairs.

He lifted the receiver, said, lazily: "Hello."

"Jim! Is that you?" It was Olga Maynard's voice, tense, strained.

The WOMAN'S DAY by Allene Sumner

Let Her Hang! Once upon a time when knight-hood was in flower, the Queen of Spain fell from her horse and hung by one foot in the stirrup...

And Even Today! Superior or older persons are kowtowed to in the introduction; younger and less noted persons being introduced to the celebrity...

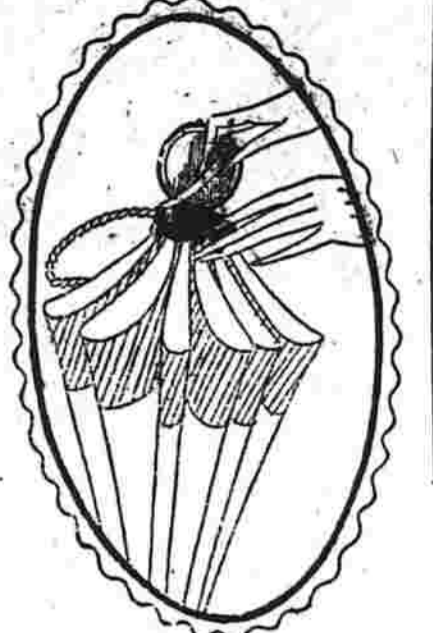
Rings Then and Now! In olden times a betrothed couple broke pieces of raw gold or silver, each keeping half, as symbol of their troth.

Hat Styles. A famous architect once wrote a ponderous tome upon the relation of a nation's hats and a nation's homes. He pointed out that the very word "hat" evolved from the word "hut" which they first resembled.

You MUST Read It! If you're a parent, what do you know about your own child? I am about to quote from a book which is not on the spring book list.

Your Month? April's flower is the daisy. It signifies innocence. April's gem is the diamond. It signifies another good man gone wrong, and the luck one clever girl has had—mebbe.

New Trick



It is hard to tell what may be found in an umbrella handle these days. It may conceal anything from a cocktail to a lipstick. This one has a vanity case with mirror and puff.

HER OWN WAY A GIRL OF TODAY THE FINISHING TOUCH

Even when, soon after, Madame Seria introduced me to Mr. Tremaine and graciously consented to chaperone me at dinner that night, I did not suspect anything.

Of course I knew that Lola Lawrence did not come to the shop any more and it never entered my mind that Mr. Tremaine and Miss Lawrence had broken with each other.

We went into the large room where the stock was kept and she looked the dresses over critically. She finally picked out a gorgeous velvet dinner dress, very delectable.

"Dear Madame Seria," I said tremblingly. "I know it is perfectly sweet of you to deck me out so wonderfully but I wouldn't feel at all comfortable in the black gown."

I did not know that that costume had already been sold as Mr. Tremaine had left an order with Madame that I was to have any evening costume in the establishment that I might choose.

"My Beauty Beliefs"



By MARY GARDEN Concert and Opera Star of "Salome," "Carmen," "Thais," "The Resurrection."

My idea of heaven is some sylvan nook when I can hie me from the world, eat all the chocolates I want, and get plain fat. But my heaven is afar. Right now I dare not add an ounce or an inch, for I maintain that no woman can be fair fat and forty, or fair and fat at any age.

The reducing trick, of course, is simple. Sheer starvation. I refuse all dinner invitations and would as soon die as eat one measly little chocolate. I carry a portable kitchenette with me and dine festively on such viands as bran and shredded straw tucking and other delectable portions.

Beauty is health, too, and there is nothing like old Sol to give one this beauty that comes from health. When at Monte Carlo in the summer I take my sun baths on my boat anchored out in the bay. There I kick off my bathing suit and lie hour after hour almost blistering in the sun and soaking up all the glorious golden sunshine.

Up to Women To Keep Down Apple Prices

Dispatches from New York saying that retailers are selling apples at ten cents apiece which are bought from the farmers for less than one cent apiece is of interest to Manchester where housewives are already complaining of the high prices.

William H. Cowles, Manchester's largest apple grower, had this to say about the matter: "I cannot understand why housewives buy in units. Why should one buy one potato, for instance? This may not seem a fair comparison but it is in my opinion. The reason that they give me is that the modern collar will not keep the apples. That can easily be arranged. You can fix up a little corner of the cellar and keep it around a temperature of 40 degrees by opening a window. This little bother will save you a lot of money and keep you in apples all the year 'round."

LAUDER WEARS GLASSES Edinburgh.—Sir Harry Lauder has succumbed to the craze for rimless octagonal eye-glasses. Recently he appeared here with a pair which he had purchased in a London shop.

Advertisement for La Touraine coffee, featuring the text 'La Touraine Made right, produces the finest cup of coffee in the world! 59c/LB You might as well have the best' and 'W.S. QUINBY COMPANY - BOSTON - NEW YORK - CHICAGO'.

ADVENTURES of the TWINS by OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



Just now Marty was eating the fish on the other side of a fallen log. Charley Otter went on sliding down his mud slide into the creek. When he struck the water he rolled over and swam on his back...

"Just watch him," said the March-Hare. "He hasn't forgotten what Marty did—not for a minute. He's only fooling."

Just then Marty Mink stuck up his head and peeped over the log. He was licking his lips.

He watched Charley Otter sliding and splashing and decided he'd try to make Charley catch another fish for him.

"Hoy, Charley," he called. "Let's play that game again."

"All right," said Charley cheerfully, splashing his webbed feet about in the water. "Only you are so much better at fishing than I am! You're the best fisherman in Ripple Creek, and you know how to catch all the big fellows. I wish I was smart like you. Would you mind giving me a lesson and showing me how you do it—just this once?"

Marty Mink puffed out his fat cheeks and swelled up with importance. "Not at all," he said proudly, coming over to the top of the bank and looking down.

He dived into the water and pretty soon up he bobbed with a big fat shiner in his mouth.

"Nothing," laughed Charley. Marty looked like two cents. "I'll get you," he cried starting after him. "Give me your fish."

"No you don't, young fellow," said the March-Hare suddenly. "You are coming with us to Scrub-Up Land to get the snails and knots brushed out of you. Fairy Queen's orders. She says everyone has to be barbered at least once a year."

"Um yum. I'll be there in a minute," called Charley with his mouth full.

Harty Mink scowled.



A lot of lobsters are never boiled.

WASHINGTON TUBBS II



by Crane EDISON'S HOME TOWN HAS MANY OLD FOLKS

Milan, O.—To be born in this little village of 653 souls, the birthplace of Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, seems to insure an expectancy of life beyond the average. When Mr. Edison on February 11 celebrated his 79th birthday, "old timers" here started a check to determine the ages of some of the old inhabitants. It was learned that Milan has more "old people"—men and women in the eighties and nineties—than any other place of like size in the State, and probably in the world. Mr. Edison was born here on the banks of the Huron River and lived in the village until about five years old when he was moved with his family to Port Huron, Mich.

The inventor is not the only villager who has attained ripe old age. There was Martin Harter, the village druggist, who lived to be 99. John L. Williams, the village blacksmith, was nearly as old when he died. So was George Smith, merchant. Most of those who die here are what the villagers refer to as "old timers." The village has a home for aged women, but the inmates are comparatively young when their ages are compared with some of the natives.

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The Ideal Home Garden—No. 5

If You Buy Best Seeds Your Work in Spraying Will Be Cut in Half

This is the fifth of a series of ten articles explaining seeding, cultivation and care of the backyard garden.

The first step in prevention of diseases that threaten your backyard garden may be taken early. That is in choosing the seeds. Buy the very best seeds obtainable and be sure they are free from disease.

Some of the worst garden troubles, such as root-knot and club-root are brought to your garden on the roots of plants you buy. These will attack not only one season's crop, but remain in the ground to hamper further crops. In buying plants be sure the roots are clean, hairy and free from knots or swellings. Prevention is better than cure.

One of the first things to do in starting to make your garden is to free the whole area from weeds. During the season keep the garden clean. Gather up old vines, stalks and refuse. These things furnish food for insects, and, if left in the garden, shelter for the winter.

Mix Sprays Properly
Liquid sprays may be put on with a small hand sprayer. Be sure that the sprays are properly mixed and do the spraying promptly and thoroughly. Do not wait for the disease or insects to get a start, but begin to spray as soon as the trouble appears. Using a watering pot or which broom is not spraying and will not save the plants. The ideal spray is a fine mist which reaches the highest degree of efficiency when the entire plant, every leaf, is covered evenly with the fine drops.

Stop spraying before the foliage is drenched. The higher the pressure of the sprayer, the more efficient will be the work, and the better the results. If you use Bordeaux mixture, the spraying should be done before rains rather than after, if the spray has had time to dry on the leaves. Rainy weather, with fog or heavy dews is a favorite condition for diseases to develop, and spraying should be more frequent in these periods.

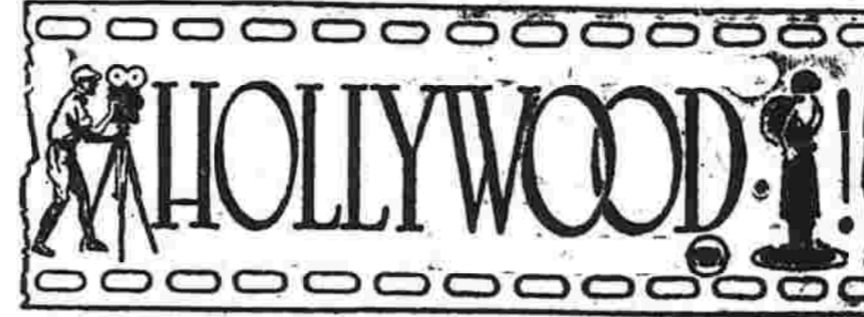
Kinds of Sprayers
Sprays and dusts may be put on in a good many ways. In a small garden all you need is an atomizer-sprayer of a medium sized pattern like a bicycle pump. A compressed air sprayer is better for gardens of medium size. Dusts may be easily applied for the control of insects by shaking them from a fine cheesecloth bag or from a perforated can. There are several cheap but very effective dust guns on the market.



Two kinds of sprayers. The man in the photograph is carrying a compressed air sprayer, while the other, an atomizer-sprayer is found very efficient for small gardens.

Young plants, grown in boxes or flats for setting out are often troubled with damping-off and club-root. The organisms which cause these diseases are in the soil and will be carried on the diseased plants into the garden. By treating the soil either with boiling water or a formaldehyde solution a few days before planting the seeds, this trouble will be avoided. The box or flat may be set in the sink and the boiling water poured into it as rapidly as the soil will drink it up. In soil thus treated seeds will sprout faster and become harder

than in ordinary soil.
TOMORROW—Pests.



Hollywood—"I'd rather be a splitting end of films. She owns and manages two theatres in Hollywood and is planning to build a third.

Ethel Clayton and Theda Bara, old-time stars, are coming back—coming back, but not in the pomp and glory to which they are rightfully entitled. Short-skirted flappers have pushed them aside and a fastidious public has adopted them as the reigning thing.

Ethel and Theda are working in slap-stick comedies at the Hal Roach studio. There was a time, and not so long ago, when it would have been blasphemy to have even offered two such stars a job in comedies. But now they are glad to get such an offer.

A nickel's worth of lead—a cheap bullet from a 32—ended, at least temporarily, two million-dollar careers. An impulsive chauffeur with a hero-complex took a plunk at Edna Purviance's escort, Courtland Dines, one night at a party. Mabel Normand, the cinema goat, happened to be there, too. The scandal which resulted from this target practice by the chauffeur stopped both careers of these stars in the prime of their million-dollar apex.

Earle Metcalfe, decorated for bravery by America and France during the World War, when he was wounded by shrapnel while leading the 69th New York Infantry against the enemy, was recently cast in the role of a lame war veteran in "Love's Blindness." On the day Metcalfe was to have started his part he developed a limp from the old shrapnel wound and was sent to bed by his doctor.

"I'm glad I wasn't cast in a part in which I had to die," grinned Metcalfe as he was taken from the studio set.

England doubled her consumption of ice cream last year.

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- Muslin slips, neatly trimmed with lace or embroidery, 18-inch double hem, 99c.
- Good fitting corselettes of pink brocade, 99c.
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- Rubber stair mats, 10c to 25c.
- Clothespins, 40 for 10c.
- Good furniture polish, 10c-25c-50c.
- Garment bags, 10c-69c-\$1.49.
- All styles curtain rods, 10c up.
- First quality window shades, 69c.
- Visit Our Basement**
- Wash boards, wash tubs, wash boilers, many kinds and sizes, all prices.
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And still factory production was not sufficient to fill additional bona fide March orders for 1,518 cars.

For Nash it was the 19th consecutive month that sales have exceeded the figure achieved by the corresponding month of the previous year—except for November, 1925, when production was slowed up to bring into manufacture the new "Enclosed Car" motor.

This great and growing national trend among buyers toward Nash and Ajax cars is assuming the proportions of a veritable landslide.

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USED CARS

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- 1922 Oldsmobile Four Touring \$225
- 1923 Maxwell Coupe \$350
- 1923 Hudson Speedster \$350
- 1921 Ford Sedan \$125
- 1921 Studebaker Special 6 Touring \$225
- 1920 Liberty Touring \$175
- 1919 Chandler 7-Passenger Touring \$175
- 1925 Ford Touring \$350
- 1920 Chevrolet Touring \$75
- 1923 Harley-Davidson Motorcycle \$125

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Disorders In Nutrition Kills Many Infants

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

Sometimes in a study made of the causes of death in a group of normal children under one year of age, it was found that more than one-half of the deaths that occurred in this particular group were due to disorders of nutrition. Such a study shows the great importance of nursing the baby if possible during the first year of life.

It is well worth while for the mother to make energetic efforts to continue giving her baby the food which nature intended for it to receive. A mother should not willingly surrender this duty at the first opportunity offered by some slight difficulty.

Mother's Health

In order properly to nurse the baby it is necessary that the mother keep herself in good health. This means that she must take sufficient sleep and eat good food including plenty of milk, meat once a day, eggs, fresh vegetables, ripe fruit, nourishing light food and drink plenty of water.

She should endeavor to eat only those foods which agree with her and she should be careful not to eat green fruit and other food which may set up digestive disturbances.

A nursing mother should never take any drug without the advice of a physician. Alcohol in any form should never be taken by the nursing mother. It used to be a common practice for mothers to take malt liquors to stimulate the flow of milk.

Malt Drinks

While under proper medical supervision the use of malt drinks might have some slight value as a temporary measure, the safest rule has always been to avoid all alcoholic beverages. Good results may sometimes be secured by taking an increased amount of fluids in the form of cocoa, beef tea, butter milk or pure cow's milk.

The mother should avoid all unusual excitement or those things which tend to an unusual outburst of the emotions. Life should be so regulated as to protect mothers from weariness and fatigue during this period.

14,000,000 Tons of Anthracite Burned In 67-Year Mine Fire

By HENRY B. KRAFT,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Summit Hill, Pa.—The most destructive and longest mine fire in the world, according to mining engineers, has just completed burning for sixty-seven years at a loss which can only be estimated in eight figures.

The area involved is about a mile in length and 1,500 feet wide and during the time it has been burning a total of \$3,000,000 has been expended in an attempt to extinguish it. Estimates of the tonnage consumed during the entire period of the fire are placed by engineers as high as 14,000,000.

The area in which the fire has been raging is owned by the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, founded in 1820. It is in what is known as the lower coal field of the anthracite region.

Various stories are told concerning the origin of the great underground conflagration, but the following is regarded as the most authentic, according to officials of the company.

How Fire Started.

In the days before the Civil War, it was common to have large stoves at the bottom of the slopes for the comfort of the men. Daniel Boyle was the bottom man at the Summit Hill working where the fire originated.

Coming to work one morning a little later than usual, Boyle is said to have hastily shaken the grate of the stove and several burning coals fell to the bottom with the ashes. An empty mine car of the all-wood variety, which was standing nearby was used by Boyle to dump the hot coals and ashes into.

During Boyle's temporary absence, a driver hauled the car with the hot coals into an abandoned section of the mine as he had been ordered to do by his foreman on the previous day. It was not until sometime later that the fire was discovered in that section of the pit. The hot coals had started a fire in the bottom of the mine car and it communicated with the fifty vein anthracite.

The First Attempt.

Because many of the workings in that section were undeveloped at the time, officials closed the burning area to work, believing that it would burn itself out.

In the early eighties the first attempt was made to extinguish the burning mass when a large cut was made from one hillside to another. Eventually, however, the fire ate its way past the breach.

The next attempt was to place dynamite holes across the burning base for a distance of 250 feet and then fill it with a fine silt of water and coal dirt. This also failed.

Partial check of the fire was finally made when a twelve-foot gap was sunk to a depth of 160 feet

into the earth and lined with concrete and the intervening space filled with clay that made a barrier 700 feet long.

Twenty Years More.

The fire traveled so rapidly that this was finished only under the most trying hardships. Before the barrier was finally closed, it was possible only for the large force of men to work in twenty-minute shifts.

While the spread of the fire has been checked, it is still raging in the original area; evidence of this being revealed by the smoke arising from the surface on rainy days and the absence of snow from that section during the winter.

Despite the fact that a process of flushing the workings with water will be continued until the fire is extinguished, it is believed that it will burn for the next twenty years at least.

Try, Try Again



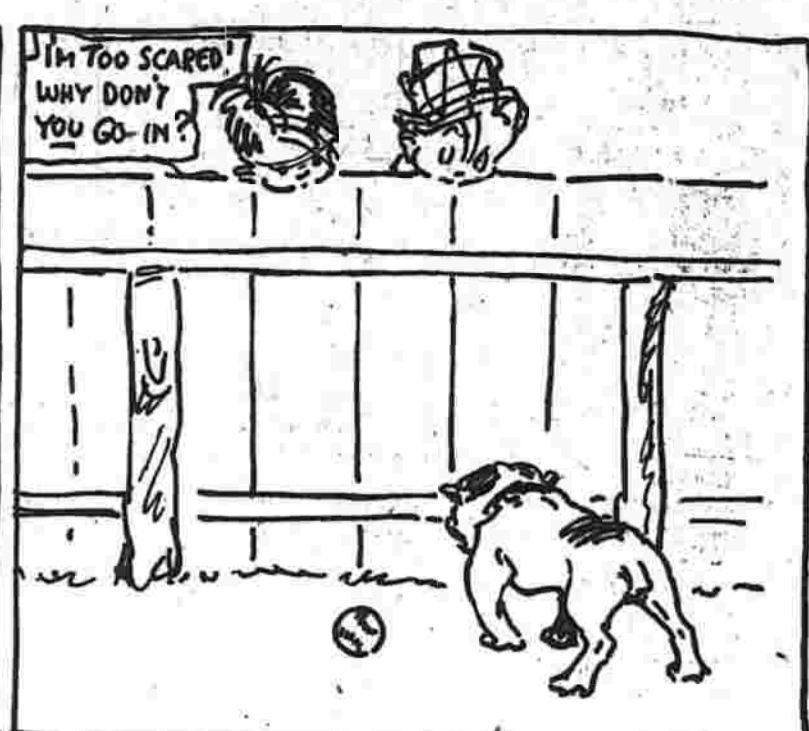
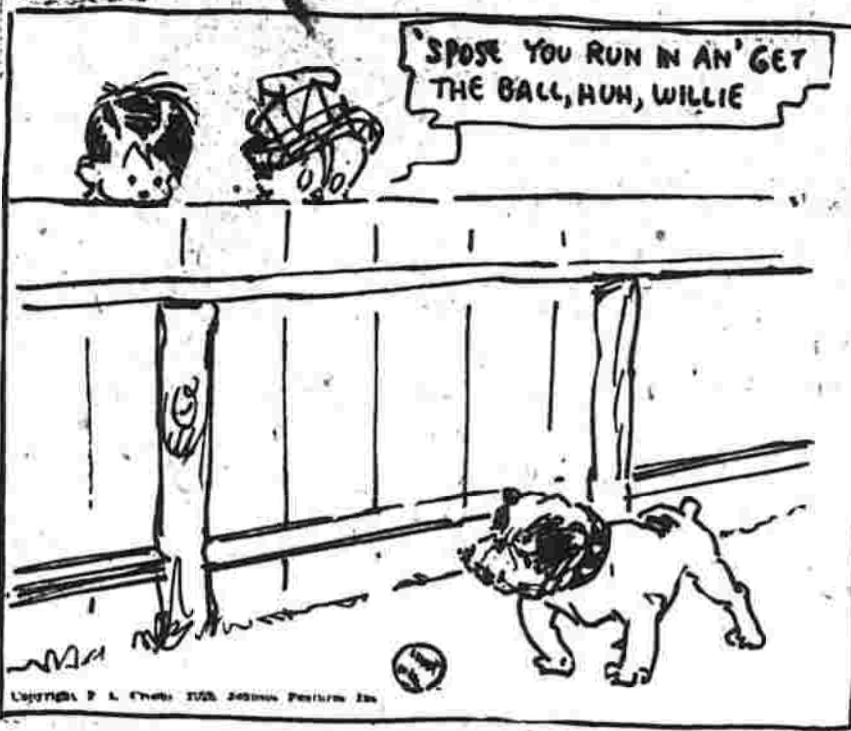
Sir Thomas Lipton, famous Irish sportsman, arrives in U. S. for another try at America's yacht cup.

Ah-Hah! Monkey Business!



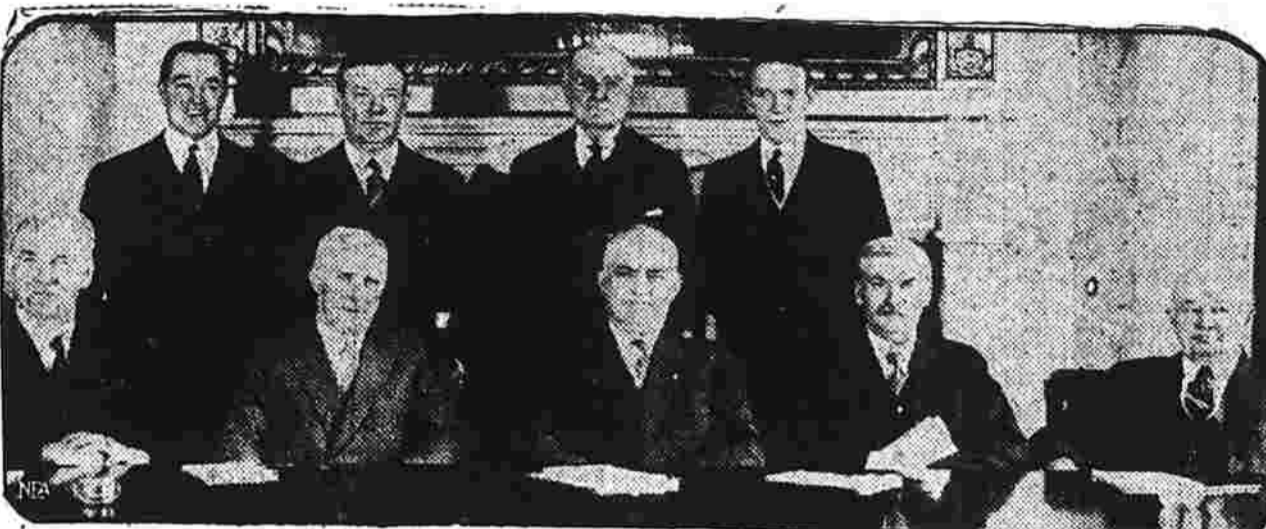
Miss Elsa Lincke, who claims she originated cabaret entertainment in New York, arrives in U. S. with "Zip," the sexless monkey. "Zip" hails from the Brazilian jungle, and likes his bottle.

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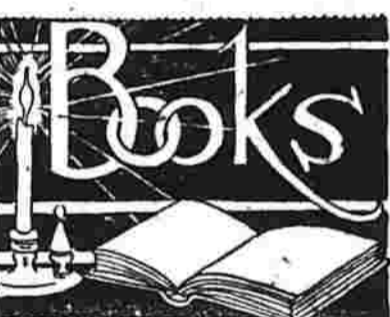


By Percy Crosby

Wets Open Battle for Beer



Here's the Senate sub-committee and the principal wet witnesses at the prohibition hearings in Washington. Left to right, the committee sitting, Senator Harrell, Senator Reed (Mo.), Senator Means, Senator Walsh and Senator Goff. Standing, the witnesses, Representative John Phillip Hill, Senator Edge, Senator Bruce and Senator Edwards.



BEST SPRING BOOKS.

The Love Nest, Ring Lardner. Teetotal, T. S. Stripling. Thunder on the left, Christopher Morley. An American Tragedy, Theodore Dreiser. Mary Glenn, Sarah Millin. The Hands of Spring, Sylvia Thompson. All These Sad Young Men, Scott Fitzgerald. Pig Iron, Charles G. Norris. Soldier's Pay, William Faulkner. Clara Barron, Harvey O'Higgins.

There now seems every reason to believe that Ring Lardner has grown from slang classicist to outstanding teller of short tales of certain American types.

Those who peered below the slang surface of the "Al" baseball yarns saw a capacity for devastation that was likely to outgrow the diamond and spread to broader fields. So when, a year or so ago, there appeared a book under the deceptive title of "How to Write a Short Story," critics highbrow and lowbrow droffed their hats.

And now he has done it again, in a volume of stories titled "The

each student. If ever you have listened to the boring garrulity of a well intentioned, but over chatty barber here is given the finest caricature one could ask for.

But there is far more in it than that, there is a shrewd picture of the innately crafty behind the small town "practical joker," such as was Jim in this story. Yes, "Jim certainly was a card".

Some of the critics have been inclined to make Lardner the American Russian short story. There is something of the devastating quality to be found, but the smiling front with which most of the Lardner tales are told; the interjection of humor; the capacity to put a laugh into the most tragic and tawdry situation; the further capacity to penetrate but to keep the dull actors blind—these are 100 per cent American.

Lardner, we should say, has become our best commentator on our "own stuff."

In marked contrast seems to us the decline of Irvin Cobb, the leading humorist of yesterday, who produces a set of short stories under the title "On An Island That Cost \$25" (Doran). Most of these are over-sentimental, and the best have little merit.

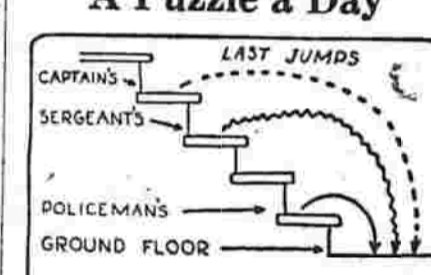
Speaking of short stories, the most comprehensive anthology to be issued in a single volume is "Greatest Short Stories" (McBride) in the 1066 pages of which are tales from all times and all worlds. It is a most commendable job of editing by Barrett Clark and Max Lieber.

OTHER NEW BOOKS.

Show Business (Knopf), by Thyra Sampter Winslow—A thoroughly accurate picture of the life of a show girl, the chief merit of which is, perhaps, its honesty. Miss Winslow has hardly the material for a novel and one wishes she had done her book in sketches after the fashion of "Picture Frames," for it is a competent record turned novel. Heat (Knopf) by Ina Glenn—The tropics does strange things to men—and the decline of a young West Pointer who "goes native" is the basis of this novel. "Going native" has been a popular sport in drama and novel of late, but there is more than that to Miss Glenn's book. Perhaps the best features of it are those in which army life in the Philippines is penetrated. It's a fast moving tale and, for the most part, well done.

Another city has come forward with a claim to being a leader in frog raising. It is Oshkosh, Wis., which ships from 300 to 500 dozen frogs and frogs' legs to market every day.

A Puzzle a Day



In Alledo, Tex., a telephone operator saw three bandits holding up a bank. She immediately notified the police, and a policeman, were in the office on the second floor of the jail. They hurriedly raced down the stairs, the captain going five steps at a time, the sergeant four at a time and the policeman three at a time. All the men had to reduce their pace for the last few steps. The following day the local newspaper published a pictorial story of the successful capture of the bandits. Among these pictures was the above diagram showing the race down the jail stairs. From the diagram can you discover the number of steps in the jail stairs?

Last puzzle answer: The fire station B was in the next town, 50 miles away from the point where the two engines met. The old fire engine left 15 minutes or a quarter of an hour before the second engine, and at the rate of 40 miles an hour must have traveled 10 miles in that time. The new engine, going 50 miles an hour, gained on the old one at the rate of 10 miles an hour. Dividing 10 by 10 you discover that it took 1 hour for the engines to meet. The old engine traveled 1 hour plus 15 minutes, at 40 miles an hour, or 50 miles, and the new one traveled 1 hour only, at 50 miles an hour, or 50 miles.

ELECTRIC MEN SEEK TO AVOID ANTENNA DANGER

One Company Rewards Employees for Reporting Dangerous Aerials—Seek to Protect Radio Owners.

Connecticut electrical companies have for some time past attempted to stress to the public of the state the danger which lies in erecting radio aerials near electric wires, yet during the past year several accidents have occurred from this cause in different parts of the state. At least two of the accidents have resulted fatally.

In order to protect radio owners from the danger which might result from the establishment of a contact between a radio aerial and a high tension wire, one electric company offered its employees a small reward for every report of a dangerous aerial which was turned in. Within two months, 89 cases were reported to the company all of which were verified. When informed of their danger, the owners of the aerials gladly remedied the situation.

Such dangerous aerials were found to be the result of amateur work in which the person who erected the wire did not realize the possibilities involved. In most cases, the radio owners knew the danger of erecting aerials near electric wires, and strung them several feet above the high tension carriers. The feature that they did not comprehend, however, was that a high wind might tear down their aerial and drop it across the high voltage wire. Even when the aerial is strung underneath the electric wire, there is still a danger of establishing a contact by the falling of a third wire which might connect the two.

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After bathing in a tub of gold and being anointed at eight points of the compass as a sign of his authority in every direction, Prajadipok was crowned new king of Siam, and ascended the golden throne. Here he is shown blessing his consort, after receiving homage from members of the royal family. Coronation ceremonies took place in the picturesque Baisal hall of the palace of Bangkok.

DAILY ALMANAC

Today is feast day of St. Mary of Egypt, who for 17 years lived

in shame at Alexandria, then became converted and died a recluse in the desert. La Salle reached the mouth of the Mississippi April 9, 1862. The bureau of engineering in Washington is working on a fool-proof radio transmitter for airplane use.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA. MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages. To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

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1925 Essex Coach \$550
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1923 Hudson Coach \$500
1923 Hudson Speedster \$425
1923 Ford Sedan \$100
1922 Chevrolet Sedan \$225
1923 Chevrolet Touring \$125
1919 Hudson Touring \$150
1918 Lexington Touring \$125
1922 Chandler Touring \$125
1917 Reo Touring \$75

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1922 Buick Coupe
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1923 Hudson Touring
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1923 Willys-Knight Coupe
1921 Ford Touring
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MASONIC BALL IS BRILLIANT AFFAIR

(Continued from page 1.)

luncheon was served in the banquet hall. The caterers, Walter Waddell, assisted by Urbano Osano and a corps of the Masons acting as waiters served the guests to fruit cocktail, chicken patties, rolls, French ice cream, Danish almond cake and demi tasse.

Each troop is requested to meet at their own headquarters in sufficient time so that they can march down to high school hall in a body. Certain sections will be reserved in the hall for each troop.

The plan is to assemble at headquarters in Hartford on Sunday, April 25, where transportation will be supplied to Camp Mohawk, one of the state parks in Fairfield county, near the town of Goshen.

The only thing that is necessary for the scouts to supply is his uniform, scout equipment and blankets. Tents and all other equipment necessary as well as food will be supplied without charge.

Here is the opportunity of the lifetime to perform a real service to the state of Connecticut, to learn the way of planting trees in the forest reservation, to improve your scouting and to thoroughly enjoy a full week in the woods.

The next meeting of the Scout Masters' Association of Manchester will be held Monday evening at 7:30 at the school street Recreation Center.

The Boy Scouts of Troop 5 held their weekly meeting in the basement of the Swedish Lutheran church on Tuesday evening.

BON AMI SOCIAL CLUB

The Bon Ami Social club plans to hold its April good time at Andover tomorrow evening. About ninety of the members and their friends are expected to attend.

MRS. ELIZABETH GILKINSON

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilkinson, aged 38, wife of William Gilkinson of Rose street, died at her home early this morning following a two year's illness. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

Dancer's Gowns A partial list of the dancers and a brief mention of the gowns they wore follows:

Mrs. Harry Trotter, golden brown brocade crepe, burnt orange velvet flowers.

Mrs. Cleo Costello, Broad Brook, blue and silver brocade, floral trimmings.

Mrs. Harriet Nelson, Hartford, Nilo green brocade silk.

Mrs. Eleanor Hyatt, Wallingford, peacock blue velvet beaded.

Mrs. Albert Knoke, blue and cocoa brocade chiffon velvet.

Mrs. Russell Tryon, rose chiffon.

Mrs. Joseph Dean, white lace over pink silk.

Mrs. William Thornton, lavender chiffon over yellow silk.

Mrs. Jack Miller, yellow chiffon.

Mrs. Alice Griffin, pink chiffon, velvet flowers.

Mrs. R. B. Wadsworth, American beauty velvet.

Mrs. Lorraine Geer, East Hartford, blue brocade velvet, gray fur.

Mrs. Herbert B. House, black and gold metallic cloth, gold lace.

Mrs. Fred Johnson, honeydew silk with cream lace overdress.

Mrs. J. A. Collins, Wapping, dark blue georgette with eyelid trimming over red.

Mrs. Al McLaughlin, beaded green georgette.

Mrs. Charles W. Strant, honeydew georgette.

Mrs. Bertha Keeney, beaded orchid chiffon.

Mrs. William Knoke, Alice blue crepe satin with gray fur.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton, green georgette.

Mrs. N. B. Richards, salmon georgette, beaded.

Mrs. Arthur Holmes, powder blue satin crepe.

Mrs. Julius Winkler, black chiffon and lace over yellow.

Mrs. Franklin Dexter, tri-colored gown in georgette elaborately beaded.

Mrs. Kenneth Peterson, turquoise blue beaded georgette.

Mrs. Byers, Hartford, cream chiffon, floral trimmings.

Mrs. Wals, Hartford, green chiffon.

Mrs. James Richmond, apricot georgette embroidered in Rhinestones.

Mrs. James Church Smith, West Hartford, American beauty and black brocade chiffon with black fur.

Mrs. Florence Wilson, turquoise blue taffeta.

Mrs. Mabel Griffith, yellow georgette over pink satin.

Mrs. Beattie Trouton, pink charmeuse, ostrich and Rhinestones.

ABOUT TOWN

Town Treasurer G. H. Waddell is in New York city for a day or two.

The regular meeting of Clan McLean, O. S. C., will be held in Tinker hall this evening at 7.45 and a full attendance of the members is hoped for.

The Italian Ladies' Aid society is planning for a large dance tomorrow evening in Tinker hall.

Albert Knoke of Henry street left this morning on a business trip to New York city.

Scandia Lodge, No. 23, Order of Vasa will hold a joint initiation of candidates at a high school hall Saturday evening at seven o'clock.

A whist was held at the East Side Recreation Center yesterday afternoon.

Gibbons assembly, Catholic Ladies of Columbus will hold its regular meeting this evening in K. of C. hall.

Memorial Temple Pythian Sisters will conduct a sale of homemade foods at the store of the J. W. Hale Company beginning at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

A special meeting of Manchester Grange members will be held this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Trask, 23 Flower street.

Peptonia is a prompt reconstructive tonic and an acid for enriching the blood.

Table with columns for names and numbers, likely a list of members or scores.

TOWN PLAYERS TO MEET

The Town Players will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the ladies' room at the East Side Recreation Center.

VON HONE-STEINER

Edward Von Hone, son of August Von Hone of 182 Vernon street and Miss Theresa Steiner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Steiner of 58 Ashworth street were married at seven o'clock last evening at the parsonage of Center Congregational church.

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ACTOR SHOTS ACTOR IN NEW YORK CLUB

Victim Likely to Die and Assaulted Is Fugitive With Police in Search.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 9.—Victim Cortelli, 27, actor of 'New York' is in a precarious condition in the hospital following a shooting affair at the club early today.

Police are seeking Anthony Truglio, 40, also an actor, believed to have fired the shot which may result in Cortelli's death.

Both men were playing a weeks engagement at Lowe's theatre.

According to Manuel Ruiz, proprietor of the club, the two actors visited the club together early this morning.

A Mohican store burns Schenectady, N. Y., April 9.—Fire early today destroyed the Jay street store of the Mohican Company here with an estimated loss of more than \$100,000.

CAROL RETURNING

Berlin, April 9.—Princess Carol is returning to Rumania, according to advices received here.

Since the downfall of the Bratianu government there have been persistent reports that Carol would return and the Rumanian assembly, has already enacted a law permitting him to take up a Rumanian residence.

VAST OIL FIRE PUTS WHOLE TOWN IS PERIL

Cyclonic Flame Jets. A new menace from the blazing inferno spread terror throughout the countryside today.

Cyclonic eddies of gas formed in the huge blaze, which now covers an area three miles long and one and one-half miles wide, are sweeping out from time to time, dealing destruction.

One today struck the home of Bert Banks, a mile from the fire area, and completely demolished.

A garage was picked up and carried across a road.

As a result the Coast highway, main artery of travel between Los Angeles and San Francisco, has been closed and automobiles are forced to take a long detour around the fire area.

Insurance. New York, April 9.—Dillon, Read & Co., bankers in New York for the Union Oil Company of California, received a wire last night from R. D. Matthews, controller of the company, giving the information that the oil in storage, which so far had been burned, was protected by insurance policies aggregating \$7,000,000.

The estimate of the criminally inclined population was made by department experts on the basis of the fact that finger print records of 1,013,000 criminals are on file in the Bureau of Identification.

Justice Department Gives Out Amazing Facts and Figures; Million Fingerprints Basis; Not All Now Criminals But at Some Time in Conflict With the Law.

Washington, April 9.—Amazing statistics disclosing that about 6,000,000 Americans at some time in their lives have indulged in criminal careers were obtained today at the Department of Justice.

About 3,000,000, or a fraction over three out of every 100, have been arrested and accused in the courts of a wide array of crimes by state and federal police agencies.

Some time guilty of offenses for which they might have served terms in prison, have escaped the vigilance of the police.

Six Million Americans Crooks, Say U. S. Sleuths

Department experts on the basis of the fact that finger print records of 1,013,000 criminals are on file in the Bureau of Identification.

"About one-third of the finger prints obtained by peace officers throughout the United States reach the federal crime detection centre here," an official explained.

"Half of the criminal population never has been finger-printed."

In federal and state prisons are now confined about 120,000 men and women charged with various felonious offenses.

Official criminal records do not indicate that 6,000,000 are now operating in the field of crime, according to experts.

It was believed that a considerable per cent of those finger printed or potentially subject to prison have abandoned their criminal careers.

PROFESSORS, CRITICS OF FASCISM, LOSE JOBS Rome, April 9.—Several Italian professors who branded Fascism as a suppressor of liberty at the recent philosophy congress at Milan have been dismissed from their posts by the minister of education, according to an announcement today.

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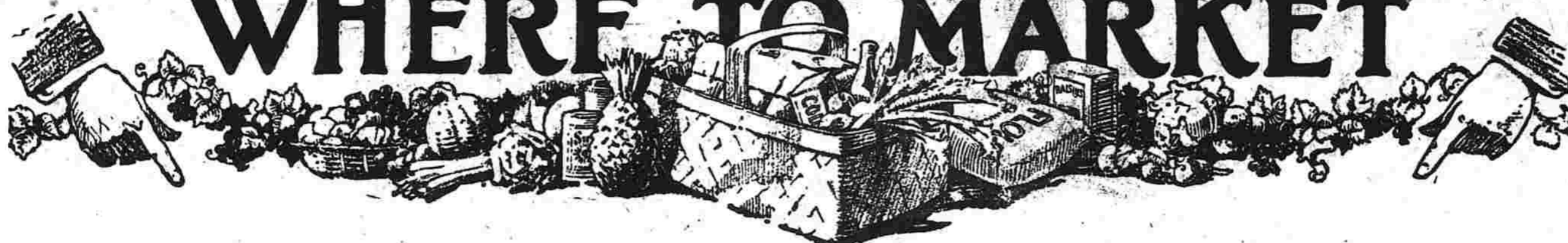
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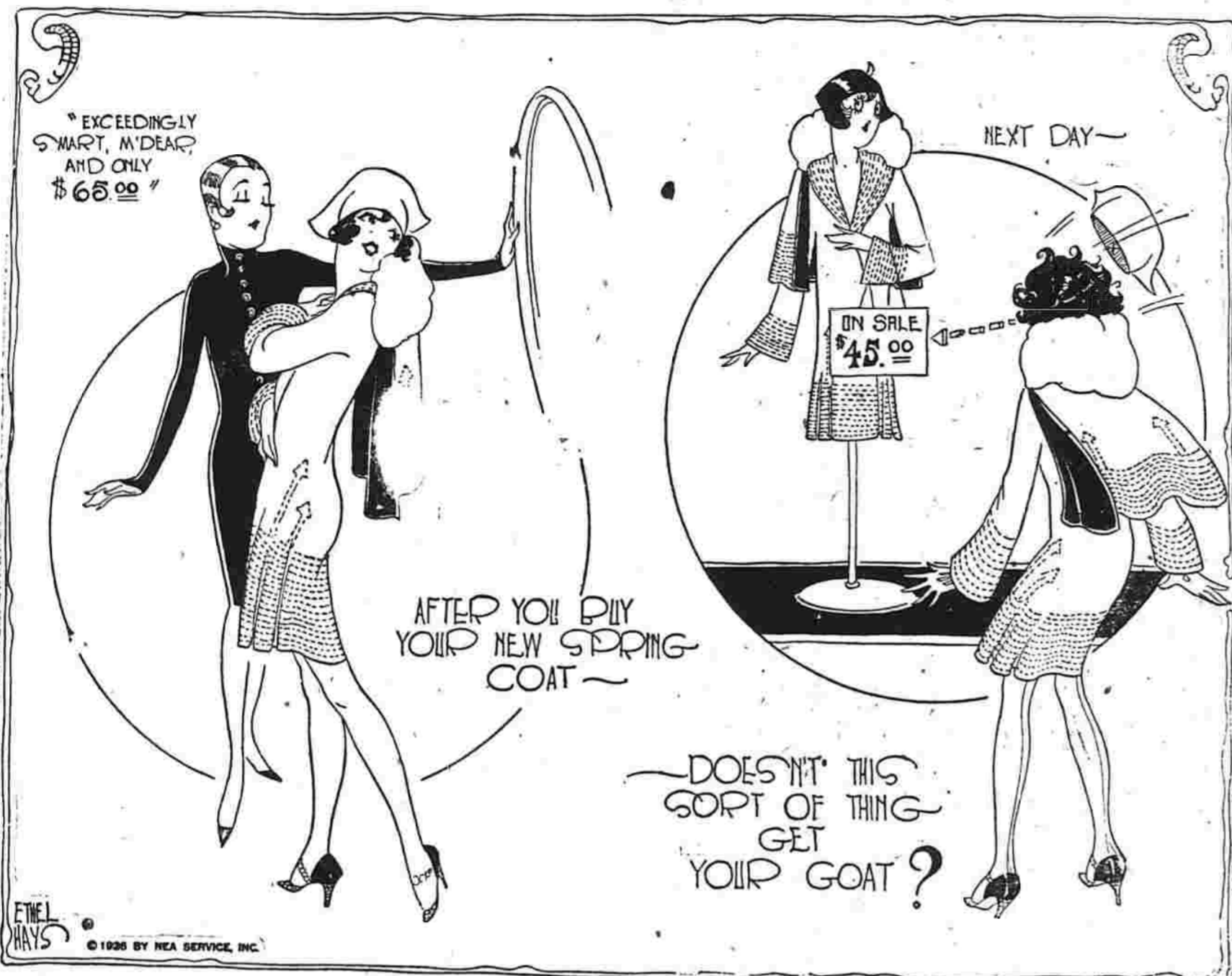
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Two cooks don't necessarily spoil the broth, Mary and Margaret Gibb, 17-year-old "Siamese twins" of Holyoke, Mass., have discovered. Nor any of the other menus they are expert at preparing. The twins expect to appear at Coney Island, N. Y., this summer.

Campbell's Quality Grocery

Phones: 802 and 1697. Depot Square.

MEATS

- Corned Beef 12c-25c lb.
- Rib Roast Beef 28c-35c lb.
- Pot Roast Beef 25c lb.
- Fancy Roasting Pork, 10-12 size 30c-32c lb.
- We have some dandy small Native Pigs' Fresh Pork Shoulders, Fresh Hams, Pigs' Heads, Spare Ribs, Fresh Bacon.
- We have plenty of Fresh Native Veal.
- Please get your orders in early for Fowl and Chickens.
- Sausage Meat (all pork) 35c lb.
- Lamb Stew 15c lb.

GROCERIES

- Gold Medal Flour \$1.45 sack
- Campbell's Beans Special, 3 cans for 25c
- Burnham & Morrell's Brown Bread and Baked Beans, 35c
- 10 bars P. & C. Soap 49c
- Large cans Libby's Sliced Pineapple 35c
- We have some Fancy June Cheese 38c lb.
- Pea Beans 3 lbs. 25c
- Good Brooms 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

- Large Size California Oranges 49c doz.
- Grapefruit, Apples, Lemons, Bananas, Dates, Figs, Florida Lettuce, Boston and Powell's Lettuce, Bunch Beets, Cauliflower, Bunch Carrots, Spinach, Parsnips, Onions, Turnips, New Cabbage, Soup Bunches, Celery.
- Stanley Paints - Hardware - Straw - Alfalfa - Grain.
- We carry Baby Chick Mash, Growing Mash, Baby Chick Grain, Developing Feed, Scratch Feed, Dairy Ration, etc.

MARION DAVIES FILM TREAT FOR FLAPPERS

Good morning, girls! If you want to get something on grandma, see Marion Davies in "Lights of Old Broadway," a Cosmopolitan production for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, directed by Monta Bell at the Circle Theatre Saturday and Sunday.

Marion has interpreted a dual role of the early seventies with such fidelity that she has given us quite an inkling about grandma's life as a flapper.

The lovely Marion flaps quite ardently and beautifully, even if she uses more antiquated methods than is the mode of today. She has some of the 1871 style of shakles doing flip-flops and landing kerplunk right at her feet.

She's demure and all that, but she exercises her wiles in an even deadlier manner than we do now—and she has poor Conrad Nagel twisted about her little finger in a

manner that would make it seem he were double-jointed.

Yes mam, girls—put on your Spanish shawls and go to the Circle Theatre Saturday and Sunday and see grandma in her patsley. Scan her as she rides about in a victoria drawn by a spanking team of dapple greys. True enough, she knew nothing about straight eights and other high-powered motors but she knew a lot about old Dobbin and some of the one-horse shays that used to set the styles in fashionable transportation methods.

And when you see the power of Marion Davies' heart, take a look at Conrad Nagel and the other well-dressed young men that copied their wardrobes after the modes of the then Prince of Wales.

Your blood has tingled many times when you have seen Conrad make love, but I'll guarantee you have never seen him at his best until you see him in the role of Dirk De Rhondo in pursuit of the heart of Fely O'Tandy.

"Lights of Old Broadway" is that young and handsome Monta Bell's latest directorial offering and it's real entertainment.

Carey Wilson wrote the scenario from Laurence Eyre's stage success "The Merry Wives of Gotham." Others in the cast are Charles McHugh, Eleanor Lawson, Frank Currier, Julia Swayne Gordon, Matthew Betz, Wilbur Higby and George K. Arthur.

For the second feature you will see a strain of thoroughbreds in the stretch! Jockeys in flaming

colors, crouched over their mounts! Laboring lungs and taut muscles! Flaring nostrils. Great hearted horses, expending their last ounce of courage, their last gasping breath, in a neck and neck finish as they dash past the judges stand! That is the opening of "King of the Turf," the F. B. O. production which will come to the Circle Theatre on Sunday for a two-day run. And the climax, even more exciting than the "race on the flat" which begins this stirring classic of horsemanship, is a steeplechase—the most sensational of races! Louis Joseph Vance and John Brownell have turned over great material in this story to J. Grubb Alexander, for transportation to the screen. James Hogan has taken Mr. Alexander's scenario and put into vivid relief the characters and situations.

At C.H. Tryon's Sanitary Market

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Groceries.

- 25 pound bags Sugar, \$1.48.
- 3 cakes Palm Olive Soap, 25c.
- Strictly Fresh Eggs, from Pomeroy Farm, 39c dozen. Look for the name on the box, Pomeroy and Tryon.
- Rockwood Cocoa, half-pound can, 18c.
- Confectionery Sugar, 10c pkg.
- Maine Packed Corn, 18c can.
- 8 cans Royal Scarlet Pineapple, \$1.00.
- Fancy Mixed Cookies, National Biscuit Co., 18c lb.
- Pokoe Bud Tea, 45c pkg.
- 8 cans Dutch Cleanser, 25c.
- 5 pound bag Graham Flour, 28c.
- 5 pound bag Rye Meal, 28c.
- 5 pound bag Rye Flour, 28c.
- Helix Cream Tomato Soup, 10c can.
- Pure Lard, 17c lb.
- Supreme Butter, 49c lb.

Meats

- Native Fowl, 5 to 6 lbs. each, 49c lb.
- Leg of Lamb, 39c lb.
- Pork to Roast, 38c lb.
- Small size.
- Fresh Shoulders, 25c lb.
- Veal Steak, 49c lb.
- Veal Chops, 38c lb.
- Veal Patties, 3 for 25c.
- Lamb Patties, 3 for 25c.
- Small Sausages, 37c lb.
- Sausage Meat, 30c lb.
- Beef Liver, 15c lb.
- Rib Roast Beef, 35c lb.
- Pot Roast Beef, 30c lb.

Fruit

- Bananas, 10c lb.
- Oranges, 59c to 69c doz.
- Grapefruit, 2 for 25c.
- Apples, 15c quart.
- Baldwin Apples, 95c basket.

Vegetables

- Spinach, 39c peck.
- Peppers, 25c lb.
- New Cabbage, 9c lb.
- Boston Head Lettuce, 20c head.
- Head Lettuce, 18c head.
- Celery, 25c bunch.
- Dandelions, 69c peck.
- Soup Bunches, 10c each.
- Parsley, 10c bunch.
- Beets, 10c bunch.
- Carrots, 3 bunches for 25c.
- Turnips, 25c peck.

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Today the Circle presents the last showing of Dolores Costello in "The Little Irish Girl" and Elaine Hammerstein in "S. O. S. Perils of the Sea."

GIVES YEGGS BATH
Newark, N. J.—When Mrs. Helen Hayes of this city, heard a noise in the grocery store under

her flat in the middle of the night she peeked out and saw two men carrying a small safe. She drenched them with the contents of her dish pan. The men fled and \$350 in the safe was safe.

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BEEF

- Round Steak 30c
- Sirloin Steak 22c lb.
- Short Steak 22c lb.
- Shoulder Steak 22c lb.
- Chuck Roast 22c lb.
- Roasting Chickens 42c lb.

LAMB

- Leg of Lamb 30c lb.
- Boned, Rolled Shoulders 28c lb.
- Shoulder Lamb Chops 28c lb.
- Loin Lamb Chops 38c lb.

VEAL

- Legs of Veal 25c lb.
- Shoulder Veal Chops 25c lb.
- Boneless Veal Roast 32c lb.

PORK

- Rib Ends Pork Loin 23c lb.
- Pork Chops 25c lb.

Fruits and Vegetables

- Spinach peck 20c
- Cauliflower 22c
- Oranges dozen 25c
- Bananas dozen 30c and 35c
- Asparagus bunch 25c

Service--Quality--Low Prices

Saturday Specials

- EXTRA FANCY ASPARAGUS 25c pound bunch
- FANCY ICEBERG LETTUCE 12c-15c head
- NEW BUNCH CARROTS 10c bunch
- FANCY NEW BEETS 10c bunch

Lamb Special

- Small Boneless Roast Lamb, from the finest Spring lamb 35c lb.
- Whole Forequarters Spring Lamb, 25c lb.
- Legs Spring Lamb 35c lb.

- Boneless Roast Veal, from the finest muffed veal 35c lb.

- Fancy Fresh Killed Fowl, 4 to 6 pounds each 45c lb.

Home Killed Pork

- Fresh Pork to Roast 35c lb.
- Fresh Hams 30c lb.
- Fresh Shoulders 22c lb.
- Our Home Made Sausage Meat, from home killed Pork 25c lb.

Beef Special

- Boneless Pot Roast Beef 25c-30c lb.
- Boneless Rolled Roast Beef 35c lb.
- Bottom Round Pot Roast Beef 35c lb.
- Our Fresh Ground Hamburg Steak, 20c lb.

Special for Saturday

- 1 Package Junior Nabisco with Each Pound of National Biscuit Cookies.

Saturday Specials in Cooked Food Department

- Lemon Meringue Pies 40c each
- Pineapple Pies 35c each
- Chicken Pies 20c each
- Chicken Salad 60c lb.
- New Boiled Beets 13c lb., 2 lbs. 25c
- Chop Suey 30c lb.
- Baked Beans 15c lb., 2 lbs. 25c

- Boston Brown Bread, Potato, Shrimp, Vegetable, New Cabbage Salads, Cakes, Doughnuts, Roasted Chickens, Cheese, Pickles, etc.

Grocery Specials

- Bon Ton Peas 14 1/2c can
- Best Pure Lard 16c lb. pkg.
- 10 pounds Granulated Sugar 58c

Fruits and Fresh Vegetables

- Finest Eating Apples 2 quarts 25c
- Fancy Baldwin Apples 3 quarts 25c
- Fancy Sunkist Oranges
- Fancy Sealdsweet Grapefruit.
- Nice Yellow Bananas.

Manchester Public Market

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Phone 10

PHONES Pinehurst "GOOD THINGS TO EAT"

- PURE LARD 15 1/2c lb.
- PINEHURST HAMBURY 25c lb.
- Try 2 or 3 pounds for a meat loaf—we will grind some pork with it if you wish.
- PINEHURST CREAMERY TUB BUTTER 47c lb.

Pinehurst Market News

We have some of the finest Cauliflower that ever came into Manchester and they will be sold at the special price of 27c-31c and a few at 39c each.

Celery, Spinach, Peppers, Cabbage, Parsnips, Carrots.

Also a special on tender Asparagus at 27c a pound or 49c for a 2-pound bunch.

You will find here tomorrow a limited supply of genuine 1926 Spring Lamb.

Iceberg Lettuce is about "gone by." For Saturday we will have tender native hothouse Lettuce and Florida Head Lettuce.

Pinehurst Meat Dept.

Mr. Avery just said, "Walter, don't be afraid to tell our customers about Pinehurst Corned Beef in today's ad. We have some fine lean pieces for slicing and lean ribs for hash."

If you want your Corned Beef order early—please phone tonight—phone service until nine every Friday.

Shoulders of Lamb, boned and rolled.

Special on Shank Ends of Ham, 15c-19c lb.

Choicest Pickings From Manchester's Markets



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RIFFS ANXIOUS TO MAKE PEACE

KRIM DECLARES Says Tribesmen Have No Chance to Defeat French and Spanish Forces.

LONDON.—The Riffs are without power to carry on their war with France and Spain and are anxious for peace.

This is the declaration of Abd-el-Krim, the Riff leader, in a letter transmitted to the Times and published over his signature.

"We have exerted every effort," said Krim, "in communicating with the French and Spanish authorities over and over again, and every time they meet us in their pride and their egoism, interpreting our purposes contrary to their real intention. We are the weaker side and have no power to carry on war or resist for long, and so they charge us at times with weakness and at other times as having suffered defeat, and this whenever we make any communication to them or show any inclination for peace."

"This has astonished us. And when we continue to follow the path of peace—thereby seeking our rights justly and impartially—they accuse us of being barbarians and of loving war and bloodshed.

"Our intentions are sincere. We never write to our opponents or send them any communication except what we conscientiously and truthfully feel. We are sincere in all this. We know nothing of politics or intrigues or rogues, but our opponents are masters of those things. They do not understand any ways but those of the fox, and this brings about misunderstandings on every occasion.

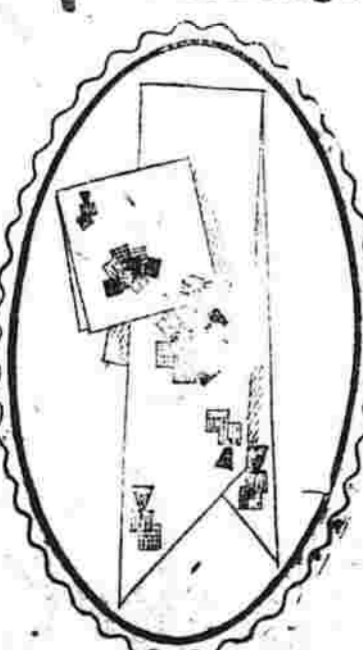
"We demand nothing but our rights and we defend nothing beyond what we consider our duty to defend. The sole purpose of all our actions is to arrive at peace. We desire to educate our people and to reform our country.

"We are always ready to make peace and to come to terms, as soon as we can perceive that our enemies recognize justice and admit our legitimate rights without which we cannot exist. The Riff has characteristics of his own and an ability to exist which entitle it to be governed for and by its own people and to live as other nations do, in liberty and independence. The Riff trusts that when it obtains those rights, and its just demands are accepted, it will leave in peace and tranquillity with all its foreigners in a fitting way to bring about happiness. These are our hopes and our desires.

"Concerning what our enemies charge us with, that we are in relations with the Soviet and the Germans, and that foreigners are taking a hand in our country, all that is imaginary and is the fruit of enemy rumors. Thus they find the means to upset those who defend the rights of weak nations, as is very evident. We have proved to the world more than once that there is no truth in those rumors.

"Although the enemy occupies a portion of our country and may, we suppose, advance and occupy other parts, all this does not detract from our faith, for we remain steadfast to our principles even if only one mountain-top may remain to use to occupy or to inhabit. We shall cause great loss to our enemies. Although the enemy will possess a further part of our country, it will not trouble us because we have won more than that in our victories in various battles; nor do we perceive any virtue in it; nor will it affect our determination because all the enemy has done is to create new war fronts on which he is daily suffering great loss. We still continue to defend our rights to the very end and to die for our principles.

Futurist Design



This Windsor tie and handkerchief set of yellow crepe de chine is printed in a futurist design in several contrasting shades.

TO KEEP PEACE BY NON-INTERFERENCE

President Coolidge Tells Press He Wants to Let Other Countries Alone.

Washington, April 9.—President Coolidge declared yesterday that his administration sought to promote peace through non-interference with the affairs of other countries.

As evidence of this aim, he said this government had adhered to the World Court under reservations "which adequately safeguard American rights and tend to strengthen the independence of the Court," and added that this government had clearly made known its intention to refrain from interfering with the political affairs of other countries by refusing to join with the League of Nations.

The President made this declaration of foreign policy in a speech late in the afternoon when he laid the cornerstone of the new \$10,000,000 home of the National Press Club in the presence of Cabinet members, Justices of the Supreme Court, diplomats and visiting Latin-American editors whom he had addressed earlier in the day.

The President's reference to the League and Court came in his appeal to the American newspapers to stand justly with the problems of foreign countries.

"Without a friendly attitude of mind on the part of our people, which can be very largely advanced by the action of the press, all effort on the part of the government to maintain harmonious international relations will be of little avail," he said.

"Of course, the most worthy intentions, the best of sentiments, the highest ideals are not themselves sufficient. They must be accompanied by proper instruments and institutions. It is useless to love liberty unless we establish laws. It is futile to cherish justice unless we provide courts.



Service That Will Please You

Do you want your Saturday's order the first thing in the morning? If so, please 'phone 192 before 8 o'clock tonight that your order may leave the store at 7 a. m.

Another load of Fresh Eggs and Fresh Killed Roasting Chickens brought in from Andover yesterday.

SATURDAY'S PRICE
EGGSdozen 37c
CHICKENSlb. 58c

Vin's Saltines and Grahams in 1 pound pails—always crisp and fresh.

Golden Bantam Corn, on the cob, it's great, try a can.

Friend's Baked Beans. Baked in brick ovens.

Kraft Cheese, half-pound packages, white or Pimento.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.
Oranges, Bananas, Apples, Celery, Lettuce, Asparagus, Spinach, Carrots, Radishes, New Cabbage, New Onions.

SATURDAY SPECIALS
3 cakes Palm Olive Soap, 25c.
3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser, 25c.
3 rolls Flex-o Toilet Paper, 25c.
3 cans Ritter Beans, 25c.
2 cans Carnation Milk, 25c.

FOR YOUR MEAT ORDER.
Legs of Lamb.
Roasting Pork.
Oven or Pot Roasts of Beef.
Native Chickens.
Rump, Corned Beef.

Please Phone Your Order Tonight If Convenient.

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World Court Adhesion.

"Our country has lately recognized this important principle by signifying its determination to promote international justice by adhering to the World Court."

"This has been done under reservations which adequately safeguard American rights and also tend to strengthen the independence of the court.

"Our government has taken this step because it believed that it was the most practical method by which it could exercise its great influence in establishing the principle of a reign of international law under which disputes and differences would be adjusted, not by force but by reason.

"We ought to be ready to assume that in undertaking to discharge this same obligation other countries have been animated by the same motives which have inspired us.

"While we have clearly declared our wish to assist in promoting justice among nations, we have just as clearly declared our intention to refrain from interfering in the political affairs of others by refusing to adhere to the League of Nations.

Disarmament.
"It will be of great benefit, if the people can be informed that we take part in administering international justice because it affects us. We do not become involved in the political controversies of other countries, because they are none of our affair."

The promotion of International limitation of armaments was another step in the peace policy which the President said, this country favored and was supporting in a practical way.

"It has often been suggested that before land and naval forces can be reduced there must be an intellectual and moral disarmament," he said. "Of course, this is true. So long as there is enmity toward each other in the hearts of different peoples it is useless to expect disarmament.

"To create a better understanding in this direction we are almost entirely dependent on our editors and publishers. The good that they can do in promoting better understanding by supporting faith and good-will and peace cannot be estimated."

WINTER STORMS COST CONN. CO. \$100,000 FOR SNOW REMOVAL.

According to figures just completed by the Connecticut Committee on Public Service Information, the heavy snow storms which swept this state during the month of February cost the Connecticut Company considerably over \$100,000. Due to the high winds, the snow was blown back on to the tracks a short time after it had been cleared away by snow plows and sweepers, making it necessary to keep this equipment in operation long after the snow had ceased to fall. Regular track forces of the trolley company consisting of about 400 men at this time of year were augmented by the addition of 1,600 men working day and night to keep the lines of transportation open.

PEACE PARLEY WITH RIFFS COMING SOON.
Paris, April 9.—Peace negotiations between the Riffs and France and Spain will open shortly at Oujda, Morocco, War Minister Painleve announced today following a cabinet meeting.

Peptonas is of great value to people who are in a run-down condition. Get a bottle at Quinn's.—Adv.

A STORY WITHOUT WORDS



HOLINESS MEETING.

The regular Friday night Holiness meeting at the Salvation Army citadel will be of more than usual interest tonight. There will be special speakers at two ministers who are attending the conference at the Methodist church will be present and take part.

These men will be Rev. J. H. Hall of Westport Point, Mass., and Rev. Frank Chamberlain of Hope, R. I. The service will commence at 7:30.

FRENCH MINISTER RESIGNS.

Paris, April 9.—The resignation of M. Louis Malvy, minister of interior, was accepted by the Cabinet today. M. Jean Durand, minister of agriculture, was designated to fill the portfolio of the minister of interior. A successor for M. Durand will be selected tomorrow.

After that hard cold, take a bottle of Hypotone. A reconstructive tonic and appetizer. McNamara's Drug Store.—Adv.

BIRCH STREET MARKET

147 Birch Street. Phone: 1223-2.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

Parksdale Fresh Eggs 32c doz.

MEAT		Bread, any kind	
Round Steak	4 lbs. \$1.00	Tomatoes	can 10c
Sirloin Steak	3 lbs. \$1.00	Edgemont Crackers	pkg. 25c
Shoulder Steak	lb. 22c	Peas	2 cans 25c
Veal Steak	lb. 49c	Snider's Beans	3 cans 25c
Veal Chops	lb. 25c, 30c, 35c	Shredded Wheat	2 pkgs. 25c
Veal Stev	lb. 15c	Van Camp's Chicken Soup	4 cans 25c
Beef for boiling	lb. 12c		
Fresh Shoulders	lb. 20c		
Home made Sausages	lb. 30c		

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES OF ANY KIND.
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Baked Beans
Macaroni and Cheese
Italian Style Spaghetti
Home Made Pies.

Home Made Crullers
Hot Home Made Biscuits Every Evening at 5 O'clock.
Friday—
Coddfish Cakes
Clam Chowder

Saturday—
Roast Chicken
Chicken Pies
Chop Suey.
Boston Brown Bread

Specials

Large line of imported and domestic Cheese.
Imported and domestic Health Bread.
Imported and domestic Canned Fish.
Imported and domestic Jams and Jellies.
Anchovy - Lobster - Sardines - Shrimp and Bloaters Paste.
Yellow Peas and Brown Beans.
Potato Flour.
Saygrn - Fresh Lingon.
Imported and Domestic Pickles and Relishes.
Cinnamon and Sugar Rusks - Health Wafers.
Smoked Whitefish - Salmon.
Boneless Dried Herring - Bloaters.
Salt Mackerel and Herring - Pickled Herring.
Pure Olive Oil.
Sherry Jell and Roman Jell Flavoring.

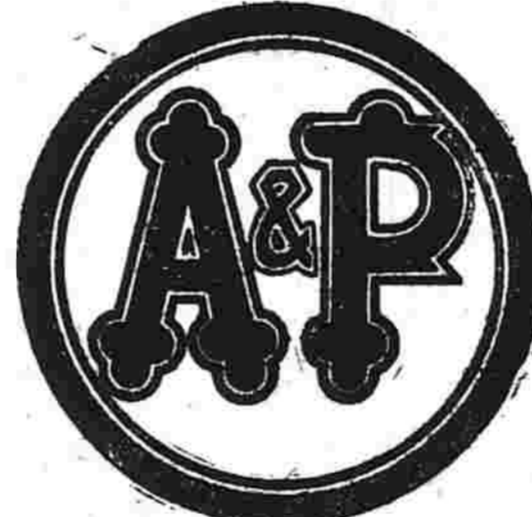
Dr. Peters' Kuriko, Ole-Oid, Alpen Kreuter, Magen-Starker, Heil-Oil.

IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC BEVERAGES
Manhattan and Martini Cocktails - Apricotelle - Creme De Menthe - Grenadine - Benedictine - Kummel - Military Punch - Vermouth.

Heavy Cream - Strictly Fresh Eggs - Brown's Butter.

Store open every evening until 9 P. M., and all day Thursday.

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Refined, snow-white lard. The perfect shortening.
lb. 16c

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Standard Crushed Sugar
3 cans 25c

Prunes 40-50
Sweet, meaty California prunes
lb. 10c

SULTANA Furniture Polish

Lifebuoy Soap
For health
3 cakes 17c

Rolled Oats

Coffee
From the tree to you—every step controlled by our experts.
Bokar Coffee Supreme lb. 48c
Family Blend lb. 43c
8 O'Clock Pure Santos lb. 39c

Red Circle
Sunnybrook E G G S Fresh-Laid Dozen 39c

For automobiles and furniture 19c

Pep Corn
The peppy bran food
2 cans 29c

Armour's, A. & P. or Quaker 3 small pkgs. 25c

THEA NECTAR Tea
The pick of the world's finest gardens. Orange-Pekoe Basketfire or Panfire Japan Ceylon or Mixed Tea 1/2 lb. 29c Special price pkg

Shredded Wheat Try it with fruit
2 pkgs 19c

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KITCHEN AND MODERN DANCE
 Hillstown Grange Hall
 Saturday Evening, April 10
 Fred Taylor, Prompter.
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OLD FASHIONED AND MODERN DANCE
 SATURDAY EVE., APRIL 10th
 At Manchester Green School
 Al Behrend's Orchestra
 Prof. Louis Beebe, Prompter.

ABOUT TOWN

A daughter was born at the Manchester Memorial hospital last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Glescke of Coventry.

John F. Cullin of 17 Foster street, who was recently severely injured in an accident, is slowly but surely recuperating at the Manchester Memorial hospital. He was able to sit up in a chair yesterday for the first time. He will be confined to the institution for a considerable time however.

Chairman Raymond C. Pillsbury of the entertainment committee of the Country Club, announced today that a supper dance will be held at the club house a week from Saturday evening. Supper will be served at 6:30 and dancing will follow. A large attendance is expected.

Seventy-five of the friends of Miss Ada Anderson gave her a surprise party last evening at the home of Alfred Johnson on Edgerton street. Miss Anderson received many silver pieces. She is soon to marry Victor Hanson of Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crockett, formerly of 109 Holl street, have moved to 98 Summit street.

Hose & Ladder Company No. 1 was called out at 11:45 last night to a still alarm fire at 117 Cooper Hill street. The fire was in the chimney and was extinguished with a two and one-half gallon tank of chemical.

Edward Gill, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gill of Main street, is enjoying a week's vacation at his home here. Gill is a student at Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

Edward McGowan of Garder street is ill at his home with grip.

The Good Will Club of the Fifth district will have an old-fashioned dance in the Keeney street schoolhouse tomorrow evening, to which all parents and friends in the district are invited.

Despite the wet weather and counter attractions a goodly number attended Group 7's entertainment at Center church last night. A pleasing program of readings by Miss Ellen Rieg, vocal solos by Mrs. Eunice Hohenthal and Miss Olive Nyman, a piano number by Miss Annie Strickland and a fancy dance by Miss Ada Robinson was given. A play in one act, "Miss Susan's Fortune" by a cast of six was much enjoyed, after which doughnuts and coffee were served.

Dance Tomorrow Evening
TINKER HALL
 Italian-American Ladies Aid Society
 Prize Charleston Contest.
 Bill Waddell's Victorian Orchestra.
 Admission 50 Cents.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore of East Hartford at Mrs. Howe's Maternity home.

The St. Mary's Men's Bible class will give a roast beef supper in the Parish House tomorrow night. It will be for the benefit of the church building fund.

The grand officers will visit Shepherd Encampment at the meeting in Odd Fellows hall next Monday evening. Among the officers will be Grand High Priest Tuttle of Bristol. A large committee of Shepherd Encampment has been working on the arrangements for the evening. A roast beef supper followed by an entertainment will take place at the close of the business session. An effort is being made to induce as many members as possible to attend the meeting.

A daughter was born yesterday at Mrs. Howe's Maternity home to Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of 341 Center street.

The Federated Workers of Wapping are planning for a supper and entertainment in the school hall there Friday evening, April 15. The supper will be served from six to eight o'clock, and will be followed by the play "The Country Minister" by the dramatic club of the Fourth Congregational church, Hartford, in which Miss Ruby Perkins, formerly of Manchester has a leading part. This play was presented at Center church here under Mrs. Wilbur Loveland's group of workers and was well received.

POLICE COURT

John Kucka of North School street was before the local court this morning for non-support on complaint of his wife. She claimed he had not given her any money since last January. They have four children. Kucka was for a long time in ill health and was confined at the Cedar Hill sanitarium for eighteen months. Last summer he worked on a farm and since Christmas has been working at the Cedar Hill sanitarium and receiving \$45 a month.

It was evident there was trouble between the husband and wife. Mrs. Kucka works every day in the tobacco warehouse. The man was found guilty and ordered to pay his wife \$14 a month, the amount of her rent. This he agreed to do.

MRS. THOMAS HASSETT

Mrs. Thomas Hassett, employed for the last eight years at Teachers' hall in the South End, died Wednesday at St. Francis hospital, Hartford and will be buried tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's church in Windsor Locks. Mrs. Hassett is survived by her husband.

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COL. CHENEY TO SPEAK ON CANAL-ZONE TRIP

To Be Principal Speaker at Next Meeting of the Get-Together Club.

Colonel William C. Cheney, whose ability as an after-thinner speaker is well known, will be the principal speaker at the regular April meeting of Cheney Brothers' Get-Together club which will be held in Cheney hall next Thursday evening. Colonel Cheney will talk on his experiences on his recent trip to the Panama Canal Zone and the West Indies. This talk should prove interesting as there are plenty of worth-while facts about the two places which are unknown to local people.

The next session of the Get-Together club will be under the auspices of the Broad Good Weaving and Throwing Mill departments. A broiled chicken dinner will be served. Chat Osano, as usual, will be in charge.

Following the dinner and Col. Cheney's talk, an entertainment program will be given in the main hall. It will be produced by mill talent from the departments in charge. The nature of the entertainment is being withheld but it will doubtless be a success.

GYMNASTIC EXHIBITION

AT REC ON APRIL 30

The spring dancing and gymnastic exhibition of the women's and girls' classes of the School Street Recreation Center will be given in that building on April 30 under the direction of Miss Marjorie C. Geary, teacher of the classes. This exhibition promises to be bigger and better than the first one which was so successful some months ago.

Classes which will participate will be the women's gym, the women's dancing and the children's dancing groups. It is expected that more than 100 people will take part in the program.

Although the order of events has not yet been announced, it has been given out that it will be longer and more interesting than that of the first exhibition. A special rehearsal will be held on Saturday morning at 10:15 for the Highland Fling dancers. Other rehearsals were begun this week. All classes will be in costumes procured by a committee consisting of Mrs. Raymond Barrett, Miss Lucille Cheney and Mrs. A. R. Woodbridge. The committee will meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FAITH ANDREWS' FUNERAL

The funeral of Faith, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Andrews, of 69 Fairfield street, was held yesterday afternoon at the child's late home. Rev. Watson Woodruff, officiated. Miss Harel Trotter was the soloist. The body was taken to Wakefield, Vt., this morning and burial will be tomorrow.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

Miss Jessamine M. Smith, librarian at the South Manchester Free Library today gave out the following list of foreign books which have recently been placed on the shelves in the library:

- French
- Bal du Comte d'Orgel, Raymond Radiguet.
- Deux Hommes, Georges Duhamel.
- Perroquet Vert, M. L. (L.) Bibesco.
- Souvenirs du Jardin Detruit, Rene Boylesse.
- Vivante Paix, Paulie Regnier.
- Bien Maja und ihre Abenteuer, Waldemar Bobsels.
- Menscheitsdammung; Symphonie Junger Dichtung, Kurt Pinthus ed.
- Otto Braun; Nachgelassenen Schriften eines Fruhvollendeten, Otto Braun.
- Pastor von Poggssee, Gustav Franzen.
- Ulrike Voytich, Jacob Wasserman.

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