

CALLS W. B. A. RATE TO SEABROOK FAIR

I. C. C. Expert Would Dismiss Complaint of Commuters as Unjustified.

Complaint of the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Commuters' Club of Seabrook, Md., against alleged excessive fares on the lines of the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Railroad Company was held unjust in a tentative report made today by Examiner Warren H. Wagner of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Mr. Wagner recommends that the commission should find that the fares assessed by the commuters' club are "not unreasonable or otherwise unlawful" and recommends that the complaint be dismissed.

In the report to the commission, Mr. Wagner points out that the road has consistently paid 6 per cent or more in dividends on all stock since 1917. In 1919 it paid 7 1/2 per cent. He finds, however, that the revenue from Camp Meade, Md., due to enlargement of the government's activities during the war, has rapidly decreased since the war.

Made Revenues Slump.
A table submitted by the road to the Interstate Commerce Commission showing net earnings on transportation of passengers and freight, and the revenue from Camp Meade purports to show that revenues from that source have dropped from \$274,618.51, in 1918, to slightly more than \$100,000 in 1920.

Continuing his reason why the road should be entitled to the rate increase granted last summer, Mr. Wagner reports that the employees of the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis have not received any of the benefits of the wage adjustment put into effect on the steam railroads. Its wage contract expired in January, 1921, the report says, and it anticipated that an increase in wages will have to be made.

Dispute Being Arbitrated.
Controversy as to the right of the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis to collect an 8-cent fare in the District of Columbia as lessee of the tracks of the Washington Railway and Electric Company is now before a board of arbitration, Mr. Wagner said. In the meantime the road has deposited a bond of \$50,000 to cover the difference of 3 cents per passenger should the board decide it is entitled to only 5 cents per passenger or on the contract rate as entered into originally between the two carriers.

LIFE INSURANCE OFFER IS MADE MACHINISTS
\$12 Per Thousand Is Premium Asked on Plan of Executive Board of Union.

A life insurance plan with a premium of \$12 per thousand has just been submitted to the membership of the International Association of Machinists by the executive board.

The low rate, according to officials, is made possible through the elimination of overhead operating costs and the profit-sharing system of dividends.

The insurance feature will extend to the entire membership of the organization.

The compulsory feature of the plan is the carrying of \$500 insurance. It is optional whether the amount is increased \$250 each year until the policy amounts to \$2,000. Officials pointed out that it would take eighty-three years to pay the \$500 in premiums of \$6 per year.

IS MADE A MONSIGNOR.
Rev. George Dougherty of Catholic University Gets High Title.

The rank of monsignor has been conferred on Rt. Rev. George A. Dougherty, vice rector of Catholic University, according to a letter of commendation and congratulations received today from Cardinal Gibbons in Baltimore.

Mr. Dougherty was born in Baltimore in 1861, and served as an altar boy in the cathedral there. He completed his education in the North American College, in Rome, and after some work in the southern Maryland district, was assigned to St. Augustine's Church in the city. He was made assistant treasurer of the university in 1904 and is one of the most widely known educators in Washington.

SENDS UP CAR SHOOTERS.
One Year and Six Months Given Two Colored Youths.

Declaring that the court must show its disapproval of the shooting at a street car, by which many persons may be placed in danger, Justice Gould today sentenced to one year and six months in the penitentiary two young colored men, Harry Hawkins and William McKinley Stewart.

The court intimated that the sentence would have been longer were it not for the youth of the prisoners.

The accused had trouble with the crew of a street car going to Chesapeake Junction, and when they alighted, waited for the crew on the return trip and fired at the car.

CREDIT MEN HEAR TALK.
Dun Representative Says 90 Per Cent of Trade is on Credit.

More than 90 per cent of the business done in this country is on credit, according to John Brewer of R. G. Dun & Co., speaking today before the Washington Association of Credit Men at the Edibitt Hotel.

Mr. Brewer pointed out that a great deal of responsibility rested on the credit man in every firm, and that the utmost care and the exercise of the keenest intelligence and judgment are called for in deciding credit risks.

ROME BAN COVERS PROTESTANT WORK

(Continued from First Page.)

above every church and outside every religious denomination. "What the Y. M. C. A. is and what it proposes," brochure published at the central office, Rome.)

What good can be expected from those who, banishing from their hearts the last vestiges of their faith, go far from the cradle of Jesus Christ, where they enjoyed happiness and rest, to wander at the instigation of their passions and of their nature?

Protection for the Young.
"Therefore, all of you who have received from heaven the special mandate to govern the flock of the Master are implored by this congregation to employ all your zeal in preserving your young folk from the contagion of every society of this kind, whose good works, presented in the name of Christ, endanger the most precious gift that the grace of Christ has given them."

"Put the imprudent on their guard and strengthening the souls of those whose faith is vacillating; arm with the Christian spirit and courage the organizations of the young of both sexes existing in your diocese, and establish others like them; to provide these societies with the means of countering the conduct of their adversaries, appeal to the generosity of the more well-to-do Catholics."

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"It will be your duty, then, at the regional meetings of bishops to treat this grave question with the attention it merits, and, after deliberation, to come to the decisions that will appear practically feasible."

Mentions Some Publications.
In connection with its suggestion that a ban be placed upon certain periodicals, a note calls attention to the "Vita Nuova" (Life and Death), a monthly review of religious culture, the organ of the Italian Federation of Students for Religious Culture, San Remo; to a monthly review of religious studies, Rome, and Testimonio (The Testimony), a monthly review of the Baptist churches, Rome.

The decree concludes: "Metropolitans are charged with the duty of making known to the holy see within six months, the resolutions and decisions occasioned by the situation of each diocese."

In his statement Father Burke said: "There is no doubt that the Y. M. C. A., through the war funds given by the American public, have sent their workers into the Catholic countries of Europe. They have done therein praiseworthy relief work. They also have used that work as a platform from which to preach the doctrines of evangelical Protestantism. They have claimed that they were non-sectarian and equally solicitous of all religious beliefs."

He stated that the Catholic faith of these suffering people, "it is idle to say that this indirect, unpremeditated propaganda should be overlooked in the face of the great need which the Y. M. C. A. workers came generously to relieve. The money used by the Y. M. C. A. were given for purely welfare work. They were given by the American people, and the American people trust the workers not to permit the shadow of religious propaganda to blacken the trust; indeed, they trusted the workers to see to it that the religious faith of every person helped was respected and protected."

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Representatives of 12,000 local union labor men, at a meeting of the Business Representatives' Council at 606 5th street yesterday, decided to decline any reduction of wages until a substantial drop in living costs had been made.

Twenty-seven organizations are represented through their business agents in the council. An official statement of record adopted as the stand of the organization follows:

"Since many organizations before the war were receiving a wage far below normal, and since the war has brought wages to a standard which should have been in vogue during the normal period preceding the war, the council feels that its members would not be justified in advocating the reception of any reduction in wages whatever."

"Although living costs in some staples have decreased slightly, the price of fuel, light, rent and street car transportation has risen to such an extent to offset any slight reduction in the staples."

"The delegates to this council are instructed to notify their various organizations of the unified stand against decreases in wages taken by the council."

Support was promised to the bakers in case of any development in the controversy over a wage cut of 15 per cent ordered by Roland B. Mahany as conciliator.

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HOG ISLAND YARDHanding Over of Key Four
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Wire From Admiral Benson.
After receiving the thanks of Mr. Morris from Admiral W. S. Benson, chairman of the Shipping Board, was read.

"Please accept my congratulations upon the completion of what is undoubtedly the greatest feat in connection with ship construction in the history of the world, and which should remain as a monument to your initiative, intelligence and energy as long as the republic endures."

The party then proceeded inside the gates, where the details of turning over were completed. Luncheon followed.

The yard, which employed more than 35,000 men at the high tide of its activity, will be looked after by about five hundred men and women. Many of these will be employed in plant protection and in the operation of utilities, such as water supply, heat, light and sewerage. Others will be engaged in the selling of surplus material brought to Hog Island from other Atlantic coast yards after contracts for ships had been canceled, following the signing of the armistice.

\$500,000,000 in Materials.
It is estimated that the material at the yard cost the government, at war prices, \$500,000,000.

There are also at the yard twenty-eight steel ships valued at \$22,000,000. None of them have been put in service. They were brought to the yard for berthing from the Pacific coast, the Great Lakes and other Delaware river yards.

After ocean traffic began to fall off, they were withdrawn from service after ocean traffic began to fall off. The yard itself, with its many warehouses, workshops and other buildings, cost \$66,000,000, and when the wooden keel was turned over it represented a cost of \$140,000,000.

WATER COLOR CLUB HOLDS
25TH ANNUAL EXHIBITION

Paintings, Drawings and Etchings
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The Washington Water Color Club opened its twenty-fifth annual exhibition in the Corcoran Gallery of Art today. Included in the catalog are 169 pictures, paintings in water color, pastel, drawings, etchings and twenty-five miniatures.

The majority of the exhibits are by local artists, but a fair percentage come from out of town. A few have been sent from a considerable distance, so far, in fact, as Colorado, New Mexico and California. Even in the local representation the subjects have been found far afield, and scenes from Japan, Alaska and the south are familiar scenes of Provincetown, Gloucester and Ogunquit, the famous summer haunts of artists on the New England coast.

Taken all in all this exhibition is of a high standard and genuine interest, and it is hoped that it will receive the patronage that it deserves. It will be open free to the public under the usual conditions of admission to the Corcoran gallery for the next three weeks.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ANY PERSON HAVING ANY CLAIM AGAINST the estate of C. M. (Dick) Hall, deceased, will kindly present it to the undersigned at once.
BERTHA R. HALL, 68

FORT LINCOLN

The park cemetery: perpetual care of graves. For reservation apply JAS. P. COON, 1400 7th st. n.w. Phone North 2112.

"A man was so good he walked the road," Pastor E. H. H. Sunday night. Baptism: fine music; large chairs (men like them). Centennial Bapt. Ch. 7th and Eye n.e.

NOTICE IN HEREBY GIVES THAT UPON my application the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia has this day changed my name to George Peabody Curtis.

WILLIAM D. C. February 2, 1921.
I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by any one but myself.

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WARFIELD'S INCOME TAX BUREAU, Second floor, 1422 F. St. N.W. Office hours, 9 a.m. to 11 p.m.

PARTY THAT PICKED UP SMALL BOY at Rock Creek bridge, going to Chevy Chase, last fall, and missed a sum of money, address Box 246-E, Star office.

SPINOS EAPRIPHS HAS SOLD HIS SHOE store at 702 4 1/2 st. n.w. to Felix and will be responsible for all bills on and after February 1, 1921.

GAS RANGES REPAIRED AND REBUILT. CLYDE L. BOWERS, Rear 616 H St. N.W. Main 3264.

DR. H. E. WOOD, DENTIST, 1419 G St. N.W. Phone M. 5706.

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AMENDS BIBLE TO PROVE
THAT FAT MEN ARE NOBLE

Representative Tinscher Solemnly
Changes Deuteronomy—High Of-
ficials at Press Club Program.

With Speaker Gillett of the House of Representatives presiding, Representative J. N. Tinscher of Kansas formally amended the seventh chapter of the book of Deuteronomy during the course of a debate before the National Press Club at Keble's Theater late yesterday afternoon, and changed the wording to support the affirmative side of the question at issue, "Resolved, That it is more noble to be fat than lean."

The debate, in which Representative Winslow of Massachusetts appeared with Mr. Tinscher and Senator Ashurst of Arizona and Harrison of Mississippi spoke for the negative, was attended by most of the members of the cabinet, the United States Supreme Court and the diplomatic corps.

Mr. Tinscher, the first speaker, said he had been informed that the Book of Deuteronomy contained the passage, "Blessed is the fat man, for he shall be in the kingdom of heaven," but on perusal he had found no such thing.

"I believe there is a mistake in the book, and I propose to take the necessary steps to settle this great question for all time," he continued. "If therefore, Mr. Speaker, move to strike out, on page 201, chapter 7, the words, 'Thou shalt have no other gods before me,' and to substitute in their place, 'Blessed is the fat man, for he shall enter the kingdom of heaven.' Those in favor will say 'Aye.'"

Mr. Tinscher voted "Aye" in a loud voice. "The ayes have it," concluded Mr. Tinscher. "The writing of Moses prevails and we now have him as our authority."

In answering Mr. Tinscher, Senator Harrison said Antony would never have capitulated to the priests of Cleopatra if she had been fat, nor would a fat Mme. Du Barry have captivated Louis XV.

Voicing the cause of the fat man, Representative Winslow said he was always a "cheerful critter," who looked on the world with a smile. He said the town would turn out to see Fatty Arbuckle, but nobody would go anywhere to see a thin man.

Senator Ashurst said the question of debate involved "some of the large issues of the day," and a fat man had his virtues, one of which was that no one feared him as a rival in love affairs. But fatness and nobility were contradictory terms, and no one could think of a man being both fat and intellectual, he added.

Before the debate Secretary of State Coby read Gray's "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard," and told of a visit to the churchyard that inspired the poet. Five numbers were given by Reinold Wezenrath, baritone of the Metropolitan Grand Opera, with Harry Spier as accompanist, the artist being given a most enthusiastic reception.

In the House and Senate

Possibility of a congressional investigation of the escape to Germany of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, wealthy draft dodger, was revived when the House military committee instructed Chairman Kahn to confer with District Attorney McAvoy of Philadelphia regarding the case.

A resolution proposing an inquiry is before the committee, but members felt that before final action it would be advisable to obtain information from Mr. McAvoy, who prosecuted the case against Bergdoll's mother and others alleged to have been implicated in his escape.

Chairman Kahn announced in the House that he not only wanted an investigation of the escape, but favored a "most thorough and sweeping" investigation of the allegations, reported to have been made by Bergdoll in Germany that he had been offered his freedom if he would "come across to some American Army officers with a bribe of \$100,000."

It would seem "wise" to collect now the \$234,000,000 balance owed by Germany to the United States for the expense of the American Army of occupation "in view of the obligations to other nations Germany is now expected to assume," Representative Sloop, republican, a member of the House appropriations committee, said in a letter to Secretary Houston.

Mr. Sloop also wrote that he "wondered" if America could collect for more than 7,500 troops—"the number, according to Gen. Pershing's testimony, it was agreed by President Wilson we should keep in Germany." The American forces on the Rhine are said at present to number over 12,000 men.

The House committee was informed recently by War Department officials that the cost of these forces to December 31 was over \$270,000,000, of which Germany had paid a little over \$35,000,000.

Acceptance by Federal Judge Landis of the position of high commissioner yesterday brought additional action by Representative Welty of Ohio, who announced he had acted today as follows:

Requested Judge Landis by letter to state by what authority he accepted the base ball position at a salary of \$42,500 a year while serving as federal judge for the northern Illinois district.

Asked Judge Landis to send him a copy of the contract which he signed with organized base ball to act as its chief arbitrator.

Called on United States District Attorney Cline at Chicago to supply him with a copy of the indictments pending against former members of the Chicago American League club.

Wrote Attorney General Palmer asking if there was any law making it a misdemeanor for a federal judge to hold another position from which he received financial remuneration while holding his seat on the bench.

Representative Welty also announced by the Attorney General that it could not be considered a misdemeanor under the law for a federal judge to accept financial compensation for work other than that incident to his judicial duties, he proposed to introduce a bill covering such a contingency.

Acting on the recent request of President-elect Harding, President Wilson has issued a proclamation calling a special session of the Senate to convene at noon March 4. The session probably will be of short duration and will act on cabinet and other important appointments by Mr. Harding.

The President, in his proclamation made public yesterday afternoon, said: "Whereas public interests require that the Senate of the United States be convened at 12 o'clock on the 4th day of March next, to receive such communications as may be made by the executive, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary session required the Senate of the United States to convene at the Capitol, in the District of Columbia, on the 4th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon, of which all persons who shall at that time be entitled to act as members of that body are hereby required to take notice."

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POLAND-RUMANIA PACT IS PROPOSED

Defensive Alliance, Military and Economic, Against Bolshevik Danger, in View.

By the Associated Press.
PARIS, February 4.—Poland and Rumania are negotiating a defensive alliance, which will include not only military affairs, but will contain economic and commercial features. Prince Sapieha, Polish foreign minister, told the Associated Press today.

The treaty, he said, "is now being negotiated, and I hope to conclude it definitely when I go to Bucharest after concluding my visit in Paris. It will be based not only on the Bolshevik danger to both countries, but on their general common interests."

Object in Visiting Paris.
Conclusion of a Franco-Polish commercial accord is one of the principal objects for the visit of Polish leaders. Prince Sapieha, told newspapers here that the possibility of a military convention is also being considered, but no concrete decision has been reached.

The Journal quotes Gen. Sosnkowski, Polish war minister, as saying: "Peace will be concluded with the Russian Bolsheviks at the earliest date possible, perhaps next week, but peace is illusory and the Bolshevik danger is permanent if we are not prepared to resist any and every attack."

When the question of a Franco-Polish alliance was first considered and President Pilsudski planned his trip to Paris, says the Intransigent, Japan informed the French government it would be glad to take part in conversations having for their object the negotiation of a convention of cooperation that the empire might be called upon to sign with France.

President Millerand gave a banquet in honor of President Pilsudski and his colleagues at the Elysee Palace last night. Premier Briand, Marshals Foch and Pétain and former President Poincaré being present. The presidents exchanged cordial toasts.

BRITAIN ADVISES RUMANIA.

Counsels Beginning of Peace Negotiations With Soviet Russia.

LONDON, February 4.—Rumania has been advised by the British government to enter peace negotiations with Soviet Russia. A dispatch received here from Moscow today, Great Britain, the dispatch said, has offered its services as mediator.

It is asserted Rumania requested the Soviet government to send delegates to Riga to draw up a peace program.

OPPOSE PACT REVISION.

Premier Rhallis Speaks for Greek Government.

LONDON, February 4.—The Greek premier, M. Rhallis, declared in the house yesterday that the government had decided to oppose to the uttermost any revision of the treaty of Sevres, according to an Athens dispatch to the London Times.

Gen. Danglia, Venizelist, has pledged his support to the liberal party policy without revision.

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More Than 20 Mexican Banks to Open Again by Obregon Decree

Institutions Closed During Carranza Regime, Including Banco Nacional de Mexico, Favored—Flurry in Financial Circles.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, February 4.—More than twenty Mexican banks, which formerly had authority to issue paper money, and which were closed during the administration of President Carranza, were yesterday given permission to resume business through a decree made public by President Obregon. The largest of these institutions was the Banco Nacional de Mexico of this city, in which there are heavy foreign investments.

Formal proofs of their right to reopen their doors must be filed by the banks with the minister of the treasury within thirty days, although this time may be extended officially to sixty days. Local bankers, when questioned yesterday, were unable to give an estimate of either the assets or liabilities of the various banks affected by the decree. They would not hazard even a conjecture as to the value of the paper money issued by them and now held in Mexico. Rumors that the decree was contemplated caused quite a flurry in banking circles and the stock of the Banco Nacional rose rapidly during the past few days.

Britain Withdraws Excess Profits Tax
BIRMINGHAM, England, Feb. 4.—Austin Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, in a speech here today announced that the excess profits tax in Great Britain would be withdrawn. Not only would this tax be abolished, he added, but no new tax would be proposed to replace it and new taxes would be proposed for the coming financial year.

Will Prosecute Four War Criminals.
BERLIN.—Dispatches to Berlin newspapers from Leipzig say that the

preliminary investigation of the first eleven cases on the entente's list of war criminals has been concluded, and that it has been decided to prosecute four persons. The trials probably will commence in March.

Indian Against "System," Not Duke.

CALCUTTA.—M. K. Gandhi, the Indian leader, has addressed a letter to the Duke of Connaught, who is in India, to inaugurate reform legislation, explaining that the recent call for a boycott of all functions connected with his visit is against the "system" and not against the duke. The letter said that the non-co-operators with the government held the person of the duke sacred, but that they sought to destroy the system by which "O'Dwyerism and Dyerism," which has resulted in a wanton affront to Islam, was possible.

Free Imports and Exports.
HELSINGFORS.—The Finnish state council has accepted the principle of free exports, except on grain and sugar. Imports will be free, except on articles not of prime necessity, pending legislation on this question. Wheat, rice and sugar will be placed under control and rationed. Three million kilograms of tobacco may be imported in 1921.

German Steamship Surrendered.
LONDON.—The newly completed German steamship von Tirpitz, a vessel of 19,200 tons, was surrendered at Birmingham today, in accordance with the terms of the peace treaty.

Ludwig Martens at Stockholm.
STOCKHOLM.—Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, former unrecognized Russian soviet ambassador in the United States, who

arrived at Gothenburg on the steamer Stockholm, on which he was deported from the United States, transferred to the Swedish steamer Sodra Sverige, on which he will proceed to Rova.

Seeks Treaty With Czechoslovakia.

LONDON.—Dr. Eduard Benes, the Czechoslovak foreign minister, has arrived in Venice and will proceed to Rome by a dispatch to the London Times from Milan. It is understood that one of the main objects of his visit will be to conclude a commercial treaty between Italy and Czechoslovakia. Dr. Benes is accompanied by experts.

Reorganizing Diplomatic Service.

COPENHAGEN.—The foreign minister has introduced two bills in the Folketing providing for a large extension of Danish representation abroad and complete the reorganization of the foreign ministry.

Expanding Spanish Navy.

MADRID.—Experts of the ministry of marine are elaborating plans for the extension of arsenals, dockyards

and shipbuilding plants to meet the demand for an increased Spanish navy. It is the intention in future to construct more naval vessels in Spain, instead of having them built abroad.

Deputies Upheld Government.

ROME.—The chamber of deputies yesterday voted confidence in the government on its internal policy. The vote was 226 to 73.

Against Campaign for Cheap Bread.

ROME.—The campaign against the increase in the price of bread is absurd, according to Senator Wollastborg, in a speech here. Quoting statistics he declared were published by the labor bureau at Milan, which he pointed out "has a socialist character," he asserted that the workingman's family spends on bread, macaroni and rice less than 3 per cent of the total expenses of eating and drinking, this being less than before the war.

Builders Veto Taking in Soldiers.

LONDON.—Operatives in the building trades, at a meeting today, re-

jected the government's proposal for "diluting" the building industry by the absorption of former service men to alleviate unemployment. The ex-

ecutive committee of the operatives said a ballot among the different unions proved overwhelmingly against acceptance of the government plan.

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Chauffeur Admits Part in \$3,000 Robberies.

Pasquale Battiste, twenty-two years old, a chauffeur, giving his address as 121 P street, was arrested Wednesday night by Detectives Hughlett and Connors of the police automobile squad and held in connection with the investigation of thefts of tires and various automobile accessories from private garages in this city last week. Shortly after Pasquale's arrest word was received from Baltimore that three young men were under arrest in that city for attempting to enter garages. The men, who said they were from this city, gave their names and addresses as Frank Jones, 510 1st street; Edward Finely, 421 5th street; and Barney Carter, 218 H street.

Battiste is said to have told the detectives he accompanied four men, among them the three under arrest in Baltimore, to garages where tires were stolen. He identified photographs of the men received from the Baltimore police.

A fifth man is sought in connection with the investigation of the \$3,000 tire robberies.

For the coming municipal election the women of Ouray, Col., have named a complete woman's ticket from mayor to marshal.

CHARGE PROFITEERS TOOK

MILLION FROM CHARITY

Labor Organ Says "Take-Off" Taken on Wheat Sent to Starving Europeans.

Charges that "somewhere between the American farmers and the starving millions of Europe some one took an extra 'take-off' of \$1 a bushel on approximately 300,000,000 bushels of wheat" are printed in the current issue of Labor, official organ of the railroad brotherhoods.

It is declared that spokesmen of "big business" told farmers that the cause of the slump in wheat some months ago was due to a falling off of foreign demand.

An investigation, it is said, disclosed that 200,000,000 bushels had already been exported, and 100,000,000 had been purchased for future delivery at that time. The article states, in part: "The farmers started on the trail of the facts. They found: 'The export price of wheat during November, 1919, averaged \$2.31 per bushel, or the same month in 1920 the average was \$2.61.

"The average price received by the farmer in November, 1919, was \$1.70 a bushel. The average price in November, 1920, was about \$1 per bushel. 'The European buyer paid 30 cents a bushel more for wheat and the American farmer received 70 cents less.

"It is estimated that \$60,000,000 of this went to the railroads in increased freight rates under the Cummins-Esch law. The remainder was pocketed by the profiteers who controlled the banks and manipulated the grain exchanges."

NEW POST FOR MEXICAN.

MEXICO CITY, February 4.—Eduardo Hay, Mexican minister to Italy, has been recalled from Rome to assume the post of undersecretary of foreign relations, according to a semi-official announcement here.

TALKS ON HYGIENE.

Dr. Salmon Addresses the Twentieth Century Club.

Declaring that no activity in the country today was receiving more attention than that pertaining to health, Dr. Thomas W. Salmon of New York, director of the Society of Mental Hygiene, addressed the Twentieth Century Club at the Cosmos Club yesterday. He said mental hygiene was not a branch of one of the occult sciences and it was impossible to consider its field without going into the emotional field of humanity. He gave illustrations to show his contentions. Mrs. Lyman Swormstedt presided, and after reports of different committees had been read, District Commissioner Boardman gave a brief address on the methods used by those cities that had adopted the "community chest" means of raising their charity funds.

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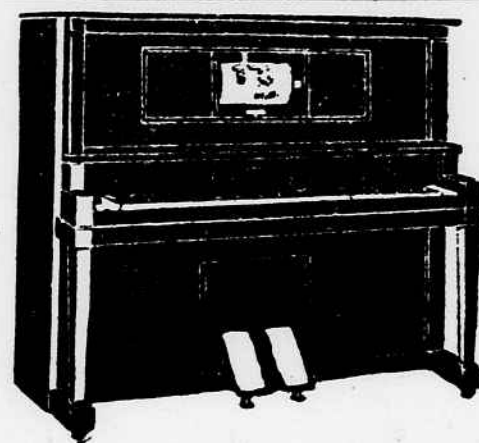
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Reorganizing the Democracy.
Chairman White of the democratic national committee is still on the job. He has appointed an executive committee of sixteen, composed of members of the national committee, "to advise and counsel as to reorganizing the party's machinery." This committee will meet in this town on the 17th instant.

The party's machinery functioned smoothly in last year's campaign. It did not function successfully. But that was quite impossible. No machinery, however perfect, could have elected Gov. Cox. He was beaten from the start. He did his best and the party's managers did their best, but against an irresistible tide which on election day swept everything before it.

Still, the disaster afforded some pointers as to campaigning, and presumably Mr. White wants them ticked and filed away for future use. Among the members of this executive committee is Homer S. Cummings. Mr. White's predecessor in the office of committee chairman. Some regret was expressed when Gov. Cox failed to select Mr. Cummings to manage his campaign. But the selection of Mr. White for the place did not embitter Mr. Cummings, who took the stump for the ticket, and rendered all the service possible.

Now Mr. White makes this pleasant overture, and harmony seems to be the watchword. Harmony is a very useful thing in politics, and at this time the democracy has need of all it can command. Mr. Bryan has a reorganizing scheme in hand, and it can hardly be reckoned as in cahoots with Mr. White's.

Cabinet Talk.
Gen. Dawes has taken himself out of all cabinet talk. He was at one time very prominent in it. In several quarters he was slated for the Treasury Department. His position in the financial world, his geographical position, and his pronounced republicanism united to make him a good bet for a cabinet honor.

That Mr. Harding is having "a time of it" in choosing the members of his official family is very likely. He wants a strong cabinet. An abundance of good material is available. The abundance, indeed, is part of his embarrassment. But, in the nature of things, we shall never know what operated in this man's favor and against that man in the maneuverings that marked the period of preparation.

Expert calculations of the terrific cost in lives and money that another war would involve reach into figures so large that the problem of averting conflict ought to interest the entire human race.

A successful career by Mr. McAdoo as a Mexican railway director ought to do a great deal toward dispelling the unpopularity with which many sections of Mexico insist on regarding American citizens.

Senators who want statistics are likely to have long and complicated sessions if they insist on going into details of all the expense accounts.

Brindell's Conviction.
Some months ago evidence appeared that building operations in New York, greatly needed as a means of relieving the housing shortage from which that city suffered, in common with all others, were being held up by a combination of extortioners in the building trades, unions and the contractors. An investigating committee was named and uncovered a lamentable condition. Several indictments were brought as a result of these disclosures in this investigation. A millionaire builder was the first brought to trial. The jury disagreed and the defendant is now awaiting a new trial. Yesterday the president of the building trades council was convicted of extortion, with a prison sentence of fifteen years as a possibility in punishment.

This conviction is the first tangible result of an inquiry which, apart from possible legal proceedings, has accomplished much good in the stopping of a system of graft that was costing the public an enormous sum. Building costs were increased very greatly as a result of these extortions, which were similar to those practiced by Sam Parks and his gang some years ago. Operations were blocked and delayed. Accommodations for thousands of people were kept from construction and much suffering resulted, with an enormous incidental loss to those who were thus delayed housing.

The method employed in the Brindell case, just closed by conviction, is similar to that practiced by Parks. As a result of the perfect discipline exercised in the organization it was possible for this official of the building trades council to call a strike practically at will. And this power to call a strike made it possible for him to extort money from builders and owners. Of course, the money thus obtained "went into the bill." It became part of the cost of construction and eventually the tenant paid it with interest. And rents were affected generally, and in turn every member of

the building trades unions felt the effect. Probably very few of the members of the unions amalgamated under the leadership of this now convicted man had the slightest knowledge of what was being done, or any intimation. They were told to strike and they obeyed. A preselected case of "grievance" was presented to them as a reason, and their representatives higher up went through the motions of negotiation and failure to secure concessions and the strike order came. When strike threats were made that were not actually carried into effect the men in the ranks were given to understand that they were being imposed upon and that their representatives were fighting for them. Of the quiet transactions in which money passed they knew nothing.

The Brindell case, like the Parks case, is really of more importance to organized labor than to the public. It shows that the members of the unions should be always sure of the integrity of their leaders and representatives and agents. In their democracy they should be themselves continually alert to protect their organizations from graft that in the long run works heavily to their own disadvantage and loss.

Going Back to Work.
A survey recently completed by the Department of Labor showed that 3,331,352 fewer persons were employed in American industry at the end of 1920 than at the beginning of the year. This does not necessarily mean, the department's bulletin is careful to state, that that number of workers are idle and unable to obtain employment. It is assumed that a considerable proportion of those who have been displaced have found places in agriculture and in other lines of activity not included within the survey. Undoubtedly, this is true, but it remains a fact nevertheless that the number of the unemployed is distressingly and perhaps needlessly large. The nation cannot afford the tremendous loss in wealth-creating power represented by even one of a million idle workers, nor can any permanent benefit come from reduced living costs achieved by so enormous a sacrifice of national wealth. Had it not been for an impulse bordering on hysteria, the descent to lower levels could and would have been accomplished without so impoverishing a price.

But reports of the current week indicate that bottom has been reached in the matter of unemployment and that there has set in a definite, though not rapid, movement toward better times. Word comes from Detroit that automobile plants which have been idle are to resume operations on a 50 per cent basis, putting scores of thousands of men back at work, and from several steel centers it is announced that mills which have been shut down are to resume operations with orders booked to keep them running 50 to 75 per cent capacity. Easier conditions in the money market, reflected in a substantial increase in bank reserves, give promise of more liberal credit, which will make for a resumption of industrial activities. Withheld farm products are being marketed gradually, and though the prices are far from satisfactory the farmer will be in funds again and will buy to meet his necessities. Indications point to an early increase in foreign trade. The reconstituted War Finance Corporation has approved its first loan, a matter of \$10,000,000 to finance the export of dairy products, and the Foreign Trade Financing Corporation, organized by American bankers, placed its \$100,000,000 of capital stock on sale this week with every prospect of oversubscription and early beginning of operations.

With this more cheering outlook in the business world, it would seem that the only thing needed to assure early return to full prosperity is stabilization of prices. That prices should be stabilized is more important now than that they should be further reduced. Once belief becomes general that the bottom has been reached in price deflation buying is bound to set in. The Liverpool cotton spinners have stated that if they could be assured there would be no further price declines for thirty days they would buy largely, and that if the price could be stabilized for six months the entire surplus American cotton crop would quickly be absorbed. The same business economics that apply to cotton apply to all other goods and commodities.

Nobody ventures to raise a possible issue of veracity by assuming to discuss the number and size of the catch in one of the President-elect's fishing trips.

Candor must suggest that "pink tea diplomacy" has proved no greater failure than TNT and poison gas negotiations.

The Red Program in America.
It is possible to accept with full credit the letter of instruction from Moscow to the American communists designed to promote a revolution in this country, which was printed yesterday in The Star's Paris correspondence. Everything in the text of this remarkable document conforms to the known purposes of the soviet government and its subsidiary organization of propaganda. If this letter is a forgery, as it may be, it is assuredly true to the spirit that prevails at Moscow. Unfortunately the date of this letter of instructions is not known definitely, but it is believed to have been written within the last three or four months. This is a point of importance. If the "Third Internationale" at Moscow now thinks that the United States offers a good field for propaganda and possible revolution it is well to understand this as a present menace instead of something that has been tried and possibly abandoned. Since Martens' deportation angry threats have come from bolshevik sources of reprisals upon the United States. The letter now quoted antedates the eviction of Martens.

The instructions follow certain well defined lines, somewhat familiar. The agitators are to work through the Industrial Workers of the

World and the socialist party and to form a new secret party. They are to promote strikes, to increase discontent, to establish Soviets among the soldiers and sailors, to break down the American Federation of Labor, and to insure that the "revolutionary soldiers who leave the army must keep their guns."

This last suggestion of the discharged soldiers and sailors walking off with their arms is, of course, ludicrous. It is important, however, as showing the manner in which the Russian radical mind works. And, in truth, it works just as falsely in the matter of estimating the American readiness to accept sovietism.

It is possible for the Third Internationale, which is the official name of a revolution-promoting, bolshevik organization, through agents scattered through this country to cause much trouble, much destruction of property, possibly some bloodshed, and it may be some augmentation of the industrial difficulties. But there can be no revolution. The American people are too intelligent, too wise to the tragedy that has been enacted in Russia, too confident of their own capacity for self-government through the existing agencies and formulas to be beguiled or stamped into any rebellious enterprise.

As time goes on, Mr. Frank Vanderlip may find the citizens of his model village holding meetings in order to suggest improvements on his estate calculated to render the landscape more agreeable to them.

Before reaching any definite plan for international finances it might be well to investigate any new propositions that Ponzl may be preparing to exploit when he is restored to liberty.

Reports from Detroit leave it in doubt as to whether Wall street will take a hand in running Henry Ford's business or Henry Ford will take a hand in running Wall street.

With Mr. McAdoo's assistance the Mexican railways may arrive at a state of efficiency which will enable them to serve as object lessons for several systems in this country.

Many German economists are apparently of the opinion that the ultimate victory rests with the people who can manufacture the cheapest and sell at the highest prices.

Washington's climate has held a pace that promises to make the date of an inauguration a matter of indifference so far as weather is concerned.

Should German and Russian autocratic influences attempt to combine there is likely to be a sharp clash between W. Hohenzollern and N. Lenin.

Mathematical research has not yet arrived at any definite figures as to where all the liquor that continues to be available comes from.

Too many of the country's intellectual volunteers are inclined to think that advice giving ought to be rated as a salaried occupation.

A grim alternative suggests itself as between complete disarmament or unlimited superarmament.

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BY PHILANDER JOHNSON.

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A Marvel of the Age.
"Rafferty," said Mr. Dolan, "was you ever to a circus?"
"Many a time."
"And what was the most wonderful thing there?"
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"I should not be surprised," rejoined Miss Cayenne, "if we changed our method of buying fabrics and used weights instead of measures. Some of the weaves are so precious that they might as well be sold by the karat."

Unlimited Bestowal.
George Washington, when precepts clear
You penned to favor human rights,
I'm glad no publisher drew near
And nallied you for exclusive rights.

Jud Tunkins says that a soldier ought to use profanity the same as a gun; wait for extreme provocation and then take the most accurate aim possible.

Editorial Digest

Picking on the Packers.

Government regulation of the packers, as proposed in the bill recently passed by the Senate, has met with small support from the newspapers which comment upon it. Even those who grant that perhaps the packers have been guilty of some economic "sins" show their sympathy for government "interference" with careful restraint.

The St. Louis Star (Independent) is one of the few papers which say flatly that "the packers should be brought under federal control." Their power is "too great," it declares, "and they have abused it." The New Orleans Item (Independent) suggests that "no doubt many thoughtful people have wondered, apart from the economic aspects, whether the United States should let such a gigantic industry grow unregulated to the point where it would be too powerful to regulate" and it adds, "the packing industry is not the only one raising this query in thoughtful minds." The Albany Argus (Independent democratic) believes that it makes plain that "it is believed that the development of the packing industry has been a public benefit," concludes that "in view of the unpleasant position which the packers have held in the public eye these past few years they ought to invite rather than oppose the law that is now upon its passage in Washington."

The feeling is "widely held" that the appointment of a commission for which the bill provides is "a further intrusion of the government" in private affairs, the Buffalo Commercial (Independent) believes, and while the creation of "such a powerful bureaucracy" may not bother the packers, "it is a delegation of power over private enterprise not to be lightly regarded." It is "in principle" that many others protest the bill.

Says the Baltimore Sun (Independent democratic): "When the Senate voted in favor of the Kendrick-Kenyon packer bill, it was only expanding and confirming the Wilsonian policy as laid down seven years ago, but in doing this it was again revealing an instability as regards fundamental conviction and principle that makes the direction of economic policy in the United States an almost hopeless task."

In defending this same argument the Worcester Gazette (Independent) grants that the packers "like all other promoters of big business" are "guilty of many sins," and notes the risk involved for a newspaper which defends them, but it adds: "Whether we like the packers or detest them, any one engaged in a business great or small or any one who hopes to engage in business should rise in protest against this policy of making everybody walk along a chalk line drawn by a government commission which will seek to make its pattern suit political contingencies far more often than it will try to accommodate the public weal."

The Post-Dispatch (Independent) and the Globe-Democrat (Republican) of St. Louis agree that "law enforcement," not regulation, should be the remedy for wrongs in the packing business "or any other business," the latter states, that demands correction in the interest of public weal. "The Star-People's Chronicle (Independent) thinks that 'should this bill become a law, it will make an end to the packing industry of the land of liberty.' The 'fundamental objection,' it believes, is the indication of a purpose in Washington 'which in the end will result in the regulation of everybody.' The New York Tribune (Republican) considers the bill 'an experiment in business decentralization,' of doubtful value when regarded in the light of Federal control of oil products and tobacco and the government control of railroads.

The possibility that "three \$100,000-a-year men, picked by the President," could run the packing industry "with its hundreds of millions of assets" is scoffed at by the Chicago Post (Independent), for the commission, eventually, at least, will be composed of "politicians who have been gently hoisted out of other jobs by the loving public."

A few voices are raised in support of the measure, but even these, with qualifications. The Buffalo Express (Independent Republican) thinks that "if a special watch is required on the packers" probably the plan adopted by the Senate "is as good as could be devised," and the Richmond Times-Dispatch (democratic) calls the bill "a long step in the direction of government control of a big industry, and its effect upon the interests affected will be watched hopefully."

"Snitching on a Kid."
Judge Ben Lindsey may be the greatest and noble humanitarian his admirers claim him to be or he may be the deep-dyed villain his enemies in Colorado profess to believe him to be. That is something as to which it is hopeless to look for a judgment so authoritative and final that it will be universally accepted. Of course the judgment of the Supreme Court of the United States will be accepted as final with respect to the judge's quarrel with the Denver court which adjudged him in contempt, and he will have to pay a fine or go to jail. He says he prefers either indignity to the impossible alternative of "snitching on a kid." Every boy in the land will know what that means and will form his own opinion of the man who accepted the confidences of a youngster in deep trouble and then kept faith with him, even to the point of going to prison rather than "snitch." This is something about Ben Lindsey that will be remembered long after the controversies over his hectic career in Colorado and his encounters with "The Beast" are as utterly forgotten as day before yesterday's funny strips.—Philadelphia Public Ledger (Independent).

Did the 8-Hour Day Help?
In 1920 foreign-born students attending evening school "Americanization classes" in this state were more than twice the number enrolled in 1919.

The figures given by the immigrant education bureau are significant and deserve serious and detailed study by social workers and those interested in Americanization work. What were the reasons for so satisfactory a development? Was it a sudden thirst for learning? Was it due to more adequate schools to meet a demand which had existed without proper recognition in other years? Was it the result of an awakening of a patriotic appreciation of America as the result of the war years?

Another possible explanation suggests itself: In 1920 working hours were generally more favorable to workers than ever before. More workers enjoyed the eight-hour day than in previous years. Did this have its influence in the school attendance? Were the foreign-born workers less weary after their day of labor and better able to enjoy the night school? This last question should be answered. It has an important bearing on the proposed legislation to establish the twelve-hour day in the steel industry and others employing foreign-born labor.—New York Evening World (democratic).

Justice isn't so blind that she can't wink one eye.—Toledo Blade.

Everybody who has tried to save has noticed the "if" in thrift.—Louisville Post.

Naturally, the farther the dollar goes the farther one has to go to get the dollar.—Columbia (S. C.) Record.

When the enforcement agent wishes to make peace with the moonshiner he doubtless suggests fourteen pints.—Baltimore Sun.

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Society

THE Vice President and Mrs. Marshall have completed their plans to follow March 4, an unusually interesting and full program being arranged to cover several months. They will leave Washington shortly after the inauguration, the Vice President enjoining on a future tour, with his first engagement at Holyoke, Mass. They will go to Texas and proceed leisurely to the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall will visit the parents of the latter at Phoenix, Ariz., for a time, and will sail for Europe in May, when Mrs. Marshall will accompany them. Mrs. J. Allan Daugherty will accompany them. February 14, the Vice President will visit Marion, Ind., on a special mission.

The Vice President and Mrs. Marshall will dine tonight with Senator and Mrs. Key Pittman at Wardman Park Hotel, where other guests will include the ambassador of Brazil and the minister of Switzerland and Mme. Peter.



The ambassador of Belgium and Baroness de Cartier will be the hosts at one of the most brilliant events of the season this evening when they will give a large dinner at the embassy followed by a dance. About forty guests are expected to attend. The guests for the occasion, some coming in their private cars and others motoring, and these will include Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, 2d; Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt, Miss Cornelia Vanderbilt, Miss Muriel Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gellatin, Miss Elsie de Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. John Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Knex Bell, the former undersecretary of state and Mrs. Frank L. Polk, Marquis Sommi and Mr. Ashbel Barney. The guests at dinner will be official, diplomatic and smart residents of the city.

Baroness Shidehara, wife of the ambassador of Japan, will not receive this afternoon.

Mme. Elissalde, wife of the minister of Ecuador, will be at home tomorrow afternoon and again on February 12.

Mme. Cespedes, wife of the minister of Cuba, will receive this afternoon, from 4:30 to 7 o'clock.

The charge d'affaires of the Italian embassy and Signora Branchella were the guests of honor at luncheon today of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Dupont.

The new minister from Rumania and Princess Bibesco arrived in Washington last evening and have taken an apartment at Wardman Park Hotel.

Luncheon for Mrs. Marshall. Mrs. Thomas Riley Marshall, wife of the Vice President, was the guest in whose honor Mrs. C. C. McChord entertained at luncheon today in the presidential suite at the New Willard. The company to meet Mrs. Marshall was a small but important one.

The ambassador of France and Mme. Jusserand will be the guests in whose honor the undersecretary of state and

basarador and Baroness de Cartier will give at the embassy.

Col. and Mrs. Francis T. A. Junkin entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the Secretary of War and Mrs. Baker. The other guests were the Secretary of the Interior, Judge John Barton Payne; Rear Admiral and Mrs. John A. Hoegwerf, Judge and Mrs. C. C. McChord, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Scully and Miss Julia Junkin Ravenel.

Col. and Mrs. Junkin will entertain a company at dinner Monday evening and will take their guests later to the Southern Relief Society's ball at the Willard, for which they have a box.

Senator and Mrs. John B. Kendrick entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall. The guests to meet them included Senator and Mrs. Joseph T. Robinson, Senator and Mrs. Arthur Capper, Senator James D. Phelan, Representative and Mrs. Thomas B. Dunn, Miss Rosa-May Kendrick and Mr. Manville Kendrick.

Mrs. Holland, wife of Representative E. L. Holland, entertained at luncheon today at the Willard in honor of Mrs. Draper Smith of Omaha, Neb. The other guests included Mrs. George W. Norris, Mrs. Albert W. Jeffers, Mrs. C. Frank Reavis, Mrs. Emory D. Stanley, Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes and Mrs. Robert L. Struelens. Later Mrs. Holland and her guests attended the weekly tea at the Congressional Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Bradley will be hosts at a dinner this evening given in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Preston Pope, Sorterwhite of New York. The guests will number twenty-four and will include the ambassador of Chile, the ambassador of Argentina and Mme. Le Breton and Mrs. Herbert Shipman, daughter of the hosts, and Mrs. L. L. Rogers of New York, who arrived today to be the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley. Some of the guests will go on later to the ball at the Belgian embassy.

Col. and Mrs. Mark Guerin entertained at dinner last evening in the private dining room of the Burlington Gen. Col. Guerin, military attaché of the French mission, Col. Guerin, Col. Guerin, assistant military attaché, Gen. and Mrs. Kruger, Senator and Mrs. Dial and their guest, Mrs. Cox, Cox of South Carolina; Mr. Cooper and Miss Cooper of Memphis, Tenn. Both Mrs. Lucas and Commandant Duboulet are finished musicians, and delighted the guests with their rendition of French, Russian and American compositions.

Mrs. James B. Haggin and Dr. and Mrs. Preston P. Satterwhite of New York city were the guests of honor of Mr. John Barrett, former director

Mrs. Merle-Smith will be at home informally Monday afternoon.

The Attorney General and Mrs. Palmer, accompanied by Senator and Mrs. Underwood, attended the performance of "Abraham Lincoln" last evening.

Lady Geddes, wife of the British ambassador, was the guest of honor at a dinner given last evening by the assistant secretary of the navy and Mrs. Gordon Woodbury.

The Spanish ambassador and Senora de Riano will be the honor guests at dinner this evening of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Stokes, Jr., and will later attend the dance which the Belgian am-

general of the Pan-American Union, at luncheon yesterday in the Senate restaurant at the Capitol and later went with him to the galleries of both houses to listen to the debates. He invited to meet them at luncheon the Peruvian ambassador and Senator James W. Wadsworth, Jr.; Senator James D. Phelan and Senator Selden P. Spencer.

Representative and Mrs. James S. Parker entertained at dinner last evening.

Mrs. Merritt W. Ireland will be at home tomorrow afternoon between 4 and 6 o'clock, when her sister, Mrs. Walter Irvin of Chicago, will be with her.

Mrs. R. M. Kauffmann will be at home this afternoon at her residence, 1815 19th street.

Mrs. Edson Bradley will be at home tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Bradley has invitations out for a luncheon on February 15.

Rev. Dr. Meade Bolton MacBryde, rector of Grace Church, entertained more than fifty guests at dinner in Grace parish hall last night for the servers and acolytes of the churches. There being a delightful program of music throughout the dinner, and a profusion of spring flowers added to the attractiveness of the event, and among the guests were Bishop Hardin, Rev. Dr. Tabbot, Rev. Dr. George H. Rev. Dr. Enock Thompson, and Rev. Edgar Carpenter of Grace Church, Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Gilbert Grosvenor and her daughter Gertrude are sailing from New York on the steamship *Passat* tomorrow for a round trip to Cuba and Panama, and will be home about the 1st of March.

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miral and Mrs. Taylor, will entertain at dinner tonight at Rauscher's for Miss Edith Bacon, the party later going to the small and early dance of the Junior League at the same place. Miss Taylor will entertain a small dinner company at her home Monday night before the southern ball.

Mrs. Cromwell Brooks will entertain at dinner this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss will be among those who will entertain at dinner this evening preceding the dance which the ambassador of Belgium and Baroness de Cartier will give tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Bliss will have about forty guests, who will include many of those who have come from out of town to attend the dance. Maj. and Mrs. Ernest Schelling will arrive tonight from New York to be the guests for a week of Mr. and Mrs. Bliss, who will entertain several small companies informally for them.

The Junior League "small and early" will be given this evening at Rauscher's, when Mrs. Charles J. Bell and Mrs. Armistead Peter, Jr., will receive the guests. The next dance of the Junior League will be given Wednesday, March 2, instead of Friday, March 4, on account of the large ball planned for the benefit of the Child Welfare Society. The last dance of the season will be given on Friday evening, April 1.

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Lonsdale Jean and Galatea "Navy" middies, in plain white and white with navy collar. All well made, in regulation style. Sizes 6 to 20 years. Formerly \$2.95. Sale price

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\$5.95**Children's Sweaters and Sweater Sets to Close****Children's Sweaters**—Slip-on or coat styles; fine quality; all perfect; sizes 2 to 12 years; formerly \$3.50 to \$6.50. Sale price**\$2.95**

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\$4.95**Children's Sweater Sets**—Knitted and Brushed Wool; sizes 2 to 6; formerly \$13.95 to \$16.50. Marked for clearance**1/2 Off****Tots' Jersey Leggings**—In dark brown and navy; sizes 2 to 5 years; formerly \$1.95. Sale price, now**95c****Knit Toboggan Caps**—In solid colors or combinations to harmonize; formerly \$1.75. Sale price**69c****Society**

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was performed in the chapel of the Municipal building by Acting City Clerk Michael J. Cruise. After a short stay at Camp Dix, where Capt. Graves' father, Gen. W. S. Graves, is stationed, they will later make their home in Washington. Mrs. Graves is the daughter of Mr. Robert B. Roosevelt, a first cousin of the late ex-President Theodore Roosevelt, and has made her home at 1334 New Hampshire avenue for the last two years. Her first husband is Dr. J. Breckenridge Dayne, who makes his home with his mother, Mrs. John W. Dayne, at the St. Regis. Capt. Graves, who recently resigned from the United States Army, was graduated from West Point in 1915, and served with the Regular Army in Mexico, France and Siberia. He went to Siberia, and was there for twenty months, having previously served for a year in France. He has received the croix de guerre, the American distinguished service cross, the British distinguished service order and the Serbian white eagle. Capt. Graves was also married before.

Thomas L. Lamont, chairman of the national committee for relief in China, will speak in behalf of the China famine fund at the residence of the undersecretary of state and Mrs. Norman H. Davis, 1627 New Hampshire avenue, tomorrow at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Davis, national treasurer of the fund, will introduce Mr. Lamont, who with Mrs. Davis, was appointed as national chairman and national treasurer by President Wilson.

The committee in charge of the talk are Mrs. Norman H. Davis, Mrs. Henry P. Fletcher, chairman; Mrs. Cary E. Grayson, secretary; Mrs. Van Santvoord, Jr., of Hagerstown, Md.; Augustus Jay, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. J. A. U. MacMurray, Mrs. Warren Delano Island, Mrs. Arthur Bullard, Mrs. Irvin Laughlin, Mrs. Sheldon Whitehouse, Mrs. Livingston Farrand, Mrs. Reginald Huldekoper, Mrs. Grafton Minot and Mrs. Herbert Stabler.

Dr. and Mrs. Davenport White were hosts at dinner last evening, entertaining in honor of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Grant, Jr. The guests included Senator Frank B. Brandegee, Mrs. Charles M. Foulke, Judge and Mrs. T. P. Ansberry, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Folk, Mrs. Lockwood, Bishop of New York, Mrs. Davis Ireland, Mrs. William Kearney Carr, Dr. and Mrs. Loren Johnson, Mrs. William Henke, Mr. Roger Treadwell and Col. Wise.

Mrs. Alexander M. Watson of Annapolis and Mrs. William Howard Courtenay of Louisville, Ky., are spending a short visit at the Hotel Lafayette.

Dr. George D. Kirkpatrick entertained a small dinner party at the New Willard Wednesday night, having as guests Mr. and Mrs. Barney Glasgow of Hamilton, Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow will accompany Lady Baillie of Toronto to Pinehurst, to spend some time.

The annual ball of the Washington Chapter of the Trinity College Alumnae Association will be held in the ballroom of the Willard this evening. Among those who will occupy the boxes will be members of the diplomatic and official circles of Washington.

Mrs. M. Brooks Reitz of the Wardman Park Hotel was the hostess last evening at a brilliant supper dance to a party of 200 guests, including out-of-town friends.

The large private ballroom of the hotel was beautifully decorated and the dance favors were charmingly selected.

The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Burt Martin, Mrs. L. Stone, Mr. Howard Lund, Mr. Frederick Hamm, Mr. W. G. Houck and Mr. Reginald Werrenrath.

Mr. F. J. Cockburn and his daughter, Miss Cockburn, who have spent the early winter at Southern Pines, N. C., are at the Hotel Washington for the week end on their way to their home in Montreal.

At Home. Mrs. Rafael R. Govin and her daughter, Miss May I. Govin, will be at home Saturday afternoons through February from 4 to 6:30. Miss Govin will go to New York tomorrow evening for a week's visit with Miss Helen Hagin.

Mrs. Van Orsdel, wife of Justice Van Orsdel of the Court of Appeals, will be at home tomorrow and the following Mondays in February from 3 to 6 p.m.

Mrs. William Hamilton Bayley and her sister, Mrs. George A. Barnes of Chicago, who is with her for the winter, will be at home tomorrow afternoon at Stoneleigh Court from 3:30 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Beverly Randolph Mason will be at home tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock for the last time before Lent. Her daughter, Mrs. George Hoxie Moffett of Kansas City, will receive with her.

Mrs. Wilbur R. Turner will not receive tomorrow at 2400 16th street, but will be at home Saturday afternoon, February 12.

Mrs. George Cyrus Thorpe will not be at home tomorrow afternoon, but will receive Saturday, February 13.

Mrs. L. W. Eugster and Miss Eugster will be at home this afternoon, from 4 to 6, at their home in Cleveland Park, when they will be assisted by Mrs. Arthur Dunn, Mrs. Woodbury Pulsifer and Mrs. William Herron, who will in turn preside at the tea table.

Mrs. E. N. McClellan of West Melrose street, Chevy Chase, Md., will be at home tomorrow, from 4 to 7, in honor of Miss Coleman of England, and will have assisting her Mrs. William C. Harlee, Mrs. Jesse C. Adkins and Miss Lane.

Mrs. Charles W. Fenton, widow of Col. Fenton, and her little son arrived from Princeton yesterday and will be guests of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Archie Miller at the Burlington.

Reception for Senator Smith. A farewell reception to Senator Hoke Smith, its retiring president, will be given by the Georgia Society Saturday evening. The Georgia Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Tiller, 3409 Mount

Pleasant street, and all Georgians are invited. Senator Hoke Smith has been president of the society for several years. Dancing will follow the farewell program which the Georgians are arranging in his honor.

The marriage of Miss Elsa Eberly Rothrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Rothrock, and Mr. William Randolph Moore, Jr., of Hagerstown, Md., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Randolph Moore of Roanoke, Va., took place Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents, 1345 Girard street, the Rev. Walter A. Morgan of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church officiating. The rooms were effectively decorated with pink roses, ferns and palms, and a buffet supper and reception followed.

The bride wore a gown of white satin trimmed with point lace and made with a court train. Her tulle veil was becomingly arranged with a coronet of rose point and orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of orchids and white sweet-peas.

Miss Edna Maedel attended the bride as maid of honor, and she wore

peach color chiffon over satin trimmed with crystals and carried a bouquet of Mrs. Butterfly roses. Mr. Clark Davis of Philadelphia acted as best man. Mrs. Rothrock, mother of the bride, assisted the bridal couple in receiving, and her gown was of black chiffon and jet. Mrs. Moore, mother of the bridegroom, wore a gown of black velvet and sequins. Mr. and Mrs. Moore will make their future home in Hagerstown, Md.

The daughter of Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott, will speak at the Congressional Club tea this afternoon. Dr. Thomas E. Greene, director of the bureau of speakers for the National Red Cross, will speak on "Guarding the Outposts."

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Gilpin of Boyce, Va., who are at the Washington for the week, were joined there yesterday by Mrs. H. E. Gilpin and Miss Knight, who came up from the former's home in Virginia.

The League of American Pen Women will hold a special shop-talk meeting this evening at 8 o'clock at the

clubhouse, 1722 H street northwest, with Miss Mabelle Heikes-Justice as the guest of honor and speaker.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following:

Grant E. Taylor and Albertina B. Gilmore, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Richard E. Albee and Leola B. Ryan, James W. Hicks of this city and Althia Dopp of Williamsport, Pa.; Harold W. Arris and Lois O. Goddard, both of Auburn, Me.; John A. Reynolds of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Elizabeth E. Burke of Baltimore, Md.; Oscar Peterson and Marie D. E. Anderson, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Elmer E. Brown of Sandusky, Ohio, and Ruth S. Chalkley of Amelia, Va.; Hayman S. Schwartz and Ida R. Shapiro, Robert Short of Richmond, Va., and Hilda Schulz of Milwaukee, Wis.; Harry L. Ryland, Jr., of Orange City, Fla., and Edith M. Miller of this city; Ray W. Andrews of Camp Humphreys, Va., and Clara C. McLeod of this city; George Harris of Palestine, Ill., and Lettie M. Jones of Baltimore, Md.

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608 TO 614 ELEVENTH ST. Bargaining for Clearance

For Saturday

The House of Courtesy

You'll be interested in the final reductions we have made on Furs—Coats, Sets and Separate Pieces. Not only do the new prices beggar cost, but you'll not buy to such advantage again in twelve months, we are confident.

Tomorrow Has Been Set Aside to Make Clearance Effective All Over the House Through Radical Reductions**A Limited Quantity of Newly Designed Frocks**

That they belong to materially higher-priced grades will be your ready judgment upon inspection.

\$15

Tricotines are much in evidence, and Taffetas, Tricolettes, Georgettes, Velours, Satins and striking combinations. Their quick sale has reduced the quantity—and now we've reduced the price. Good range of sizes.

Grouping Into Two Lots Many Grades of**Coats**

Many are Fur-trimmed; others are self-finished—but pronouncedly excellent values. For choice tomorrow at

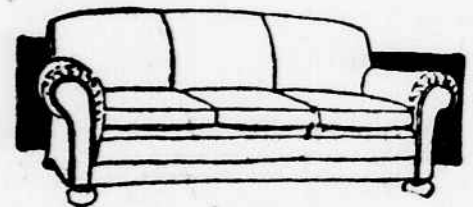
\$19.75-\$39

You can reckon your saving to be almost half in many instances.

Wrappy, Belted and Fitted models—in Silvertone, Bolivia, Velour and other of the finer fabrics—lined and half lined.



With every piece reduced from prices that were already low, you'll find unusual values in

The February Sale of Lifetime Furniture**Mahogany Gateleg Tables, \$19.75 Up****Mahogany Windsor and Spinet Chairs, \$15 up.****Karpen Overstuffed Davenports, Denim, \$125. Tapestry, \$165 up.**

Not based on war-time prices, but on prices that have been adjusted as conditions warranted, the special February Sale prices offer inducements on good furniture.

You'll notice that we quote no "tremendous discounts" in this sale. It's because of the fact that prices were adjusted to meet the trend of the times, there was no inflated value—therefore no ridiculous discounts.

Please remember, too, that every piece of furniture in the store is included at these prices, the only exception being a few factory-fixed prices. It is not a sale of odd pieces—but the cream of our carefully selected stock.

We guarantee these February Sale prices for six months. That is, if prices are lower then, we will refund you the difference.

Seventh Street **Mayer & Co.** Between D & E

LIFE TIME FURNITURE

A Good ArguMINT

—for cultivating discriminating candy tastes

CORNWELL'S MATINEE MINTS

Great white creams of richest texture covered with milk chocolate and flavored with the distilled fragrance of fresh green mint.

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CORNWELL'S
1415 H Street

**Parting Prices on Smart Suits**

Not a few are of the spring models—in the distinctive designs of present season's mode—

Choice of Two Groups—

\$19.75 and \$39.75

Greatly Below Value

Box, Ripple, Flare, Eton, Straightline—in Tricotine, Poiret, Serge, Velour—mainly; some fur-trimmed—others effectively touched with artistic embroidery.

Blouses--

Featuring Two Assortments for Saturday at Very Special Prices

Fine quality of Voile Waists—lace and embroidery trimmed; and also a few of the famous Forsythe Tailored Waists. Reduced to

\$2.95

Broken lots of Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses, striped and plain colors; handsomely modeled and effectively embellished. Reduced to

\$5.00**Dress Skirts--**

Late Arrivals—Marked at Special Prices for Tomorrow

Plaid and Plain Blue Serge Dress Skirts—new models—lots that have sold rapidly

\$10

Tricotine, Silk Poplin and Plaid Wool Skirts; side, box and accordion plaited

\$15

\$1,000,000 Hotel Fire in Georgia; 260 Guests Escape in Night

By the Associated Press.

AUGUSTA, Ga., February 4.—Fire swept the Bon Air Tourist Hotel here in the early hours of this morning, destroying that structure and sending most of the 260 guests scurrying to the streets in scanty attire. Others, caught on upper floors with their exit cut off, were rescued by firemen. The blaze, the origin of which is undetermined, was discovered by the night clerk, who aroused the guests. Some of these were able to take away their valuables, but others were not so fortunate, as the fire spread rapidly, the firemen being handicapped by low water pressure. The total loss was estimated at \$1,000,000. The hotel was valued at \$600,000 and the loss to the guests was expected to total \$200,000.

Dull Period for Coke.

UNIONTOWN, Pa.—In the face of inquiries for new contracts for coke, independent operators in the Connellsville region are facing what they term one of the dullest periods in years. While prospective purchasers are asking concerning prices, the coke industry for several months, and has passed bogus money in New York, Newark and Washington.

Admits Raising Bills.

CHATTANOOGA.—A man giving his name as Jack French, arrested here several days ago for investigation, has, according to the detectives, made a written statement admitting that he has been operating in the raised-bill industry for several months, and has passed bogus money in New York, Newark and Washington.

Child Wives Exempt From School.

NEW YORK.—Girls who marry under sixteen years of age cannot be forced to continue in school, it was decided by Magistrate Charles N. Harris on a test case presented by the board of education. The magistrate said he thought husbands were entitled to have their wives at home.

Robbed by Lone Train Bandit.

ROANOKE, Va.—Headquarters of the Norfolk and Western railway received a report that passengers on a Pullman car on train No. 4, east-bound from Columbus, Ohio, were held and robbed by a lone bandit a short distance west of Bluefield, W. Va.

Women in Office in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—Gov. McRae signed the bill permitting women to hold office in Arkansas, and immediately afterward commissioned four women as notaries public.

Suspect Typhus Among Immigrants.

NEW YORK.—Nine hundred immigrants were ordered held on board the steamship President Wilson upon its arrival here from Trieste, Italy, because of the discovery of four suspected cases of typhus among their number. The patients were removed to a hospital. The immigrants will remain on board until all danger is over.

Bullet-Proof Coats for Police.

OMAHA, Neb.—Bulletproof steel jackets will be supplied to all policemen sent out on hazardous missions, it was announced today. Recent shootings, in which one policeman was killed, prompted the decision.

Robbers Kill Bank Cashier.

MITCHELL, S. D.—R. G. Stapleton, assistant cashier of the State Bank at Corona, S. D., was shot and killed by robbers, who escaped with undetermined amount of money, according to reports received here.

Drops Five Floors Fleeing Jail.

NORFOLK, Va.—Trying to break jail, Edward Kane, seventeen, dropped five stories down a chimney and landed unhurt in a basement room in which seized liquor is stored pending its use as evidence in court. A pistol found in the room was fired several times by the boy before he attracted attention and was released from the locked chamber.

All Prisoners Escape.

ACCOMAC, Va.—Using hacksaws, crowbars and an ax surreptitiously slipped to them by friends on the outside, a general exodus from the Accomac county jail was made. Six prisoners, two of whom were awaiting trial on capital offenses, were among the number in the delivery.

Girls Study Motors.

WELLESLEY, Mass.—The young women of Wellesley College, turning from the classics to utilitarian studies, are learning not only how to drive their automobiles, but also to be trouble-shooters when need be. The complexities of ignition and carburetion are being explained to thirty of them in a new automobile course by Prof. Lucy Wilson of the physics department.

Indian Status in Doubt.

ALBANY, N. Y.—Despite diligent efforts of the Everett legislative committee, appointed nearly a year ago, to reconcile various conflicting judicial decisions regarding the position occupied by Indians in New York state, the status of the aborigines remains a controversial matter.

Millionaire Work Passage.

NEW YORK.—The Swedish liner Gothenberg steamed into New York yesterday under power furnished by

the brawn of millionaire clubmen, college professors, and the general elite of Sweden. Sigurd E. Jorkstrum, port engineer of Gothenberg, and a director of the Swedish-American Line, which controls the vessel, was the chief officer.

Cannot Cut Off Service.

CLEVELAND.—A temporary injunction enjoining the East Ohio Gas Company from discontinuing its service in Cleveland and the surrounding suburbs was granted by Judge George P. Baer in common pleas court. The company had threatened to cut off service next Sunday.

Men Study Cookery.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa.—Twenty students, garbed in aprons of the butcher type supplied by the girl domestic art students, started work in the Pennsylvania State College kitchen laboratories, heretofore occupied exclusively by women. They are enrolled in the special cookery class for men, a new course which is being given by the home economics department.

Cigarettes Made Taboo.

SALT LAKE CITY.—The anti-cigarette bill forbidding the manufacture and sale of cigarettes in Utah was passed by the senate. Fourteen voted "aye" and three "no." The bill also prohibits smoking of cigars, cigarettes and pipe in any public place.

Pistol Duel Fatal.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—Creed Smith, aged thirty, died in a hospital here today as the result of wounds received in a pistol duel at his home near Benton, in Polk county, Sunday afternoon. Wood Hicks, aged eighteen, is in jail charged with murder, and will make a plea of self defense.

POLISH-AMERICANS RETURN.

The War Department is informed that the transport President Grant left Danzig, Poland, January 23, and is due at New York next Friday with six companies of demobilized Polish-American troops, numbering 65 officers and 1,341 enlisted men, the families of three officers and twenty-one enlisted men; five Polish White Cross nurses, and eleven officers and eighty-eight enlisted men of the United States medical detachment. It is stated that these troops will be sent to Camp Dix, N. J., for final payment and discharge.

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We cover buttons with your dress material and make buttonholes.



February Sales No. 2

New Petticoats

With Flowered Flounce \$1.00

Milton R. Ney

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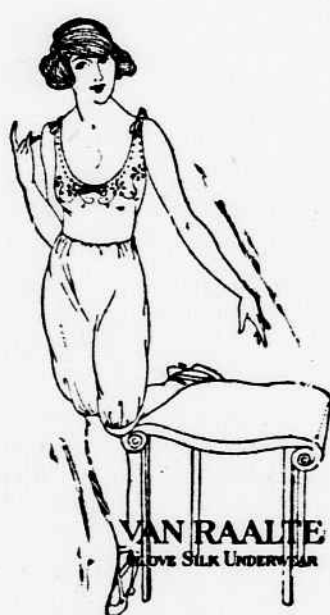
Jersey Bloomers

Cotton Jersey Bloomers, in white and flesh. (Limit 2 to customer.) Each 25c

Sale No. 2

February Money-Saving Sales

Leave it to the good People of Washington to find out where real economy is to be exercised. Every business day during February we shall spread before you such values as to make this month the most momentous in our history. Watch for our announcements—watch our windows, you'll be glad.



Van Raalte
And Other Good Makes
Glove Silk Underwear

Get your glimpse of this beautiful and timely showing of the exquisite and durable underwear, in all sizes and styles.

VESTS

Embroidered and plain, with built-up shoulders or ribbon straps; elastic tops, etc.

BLOOMERS

—to delight the fastidious woman.

\$2.98

Onyx Pointex
Silk Hose



Pure thread silk, with pointex heels; full fashioned, in black and cordon; sizes 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10 and 10½. Every pair perfect. Special, a pair.... \$1.98

Visit the 3d Floor
For Skirts

The Largest Stock in Town—
Specializing on Extra Sizes

\$6.98 Skirts Reduced to
All-wool silvertones and tweeds, in soft, new heathertones. Special. \$3.98

\$10.00 and \$15.00 Skirts Reduced to
Of faillie silk, men's wear serge, poplin, satin and mixtures. Regular and extra sizes. \$6.98

\$18.00 All-Wool Skirts
Velours, plaids and serges with novelty trimmings, pockets, buttons, etc. The serges are in both regular and extra sizes. \$9.98

\$22.50 All-Wool Skirts
In rich new plaids and novelty fabrics. Sizes 32 to 38 waistband. \$14.98

Bargain Briefs

First Floor

Outing Flannel Gowns, \$1.39

Jersey Pettibockers... 69c
Ankle Length

Pongee Waists \$1.98
3 Styles

Sateen Pantalettes... \$1.98
Accordion Pleated

Georgette Waists... \$2.98
New Colors

Satin Striped Tub Silk
Waists \$2.98

Wool Angora Scarfs... \$6.98

Wash Satin Camisoles;
Sateen Bloomers... \$1.00



Again!

By Popular Demand
Saturday 3-Hour Sale

VOILE WAISTS

Embroidery and lace trimmed—twenty different styles!

Come down town early tomorrow and get your pick of these lovely new Voile Waists—two, for \$1.01—none on sale after 12:30.

Regular \$1.00 Waists
One for \$1.00
Any Two
For \$1.01

It's Springtime in the Suit Department

Spring Suits are coming in fast, and if prices can talk they will go out even faster than we can get them in!

New Spring Suits at
Models of navy blue serge, with figured silk lining, effectively trimmed with fancy braid and buttons. Introductory price. \$25.00

New Spring Suits at
Of tricotine, men's wear serge; ripple and plaited backs; novelty belted effects—flare models, bell sleeves. One model of sand-colored tricotine has bell sleeves and is fashionably trimmed with braid. Introductory price. \$29.98

New Spring Suits at
Stunning styles of light-weight silvertone fabric in Nankin blue, brown and reindeer; velour de laine, tricotine and serges in navy. Braid and button-trimmed; novelty belted effects; pleated and ripple effects, in new box coat styles. \$35.00

Other Spring Suits Up to \$75.00

Spring-Time Dresses

\$19.98 Dresses, special . \$10.00

\$24.98 Dresses, special . \$14.98

\$29.98 Dresses, special . \$19.98



This Wool Jersey Suit
\$10.98

Sale! Spring Hats

ALL BRAND NEW!—Hats that Would Be Priced in the Average Millinery Department at \$5 and \$6, but at NEY'S TOMORROW You Can Choose Any One at

\$3.98

There are lovely new hats of Satin, Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine and Silk and Braid Combinations, in the newest turban, sailor and off-the-face effects; trimmed with sashes, flowers and fancy ornaments.

Tailored Ribbed Vests

Women's fine ribbed tailored white vests, in sizes 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44. Formerly sold at 50c; regular price today, 39c—on sale at Ney's tomorrow (limit 2 to a customer) 21c

25 Dresses

To Close Out

About 25 Wool Dresses of serge and checked velour, embroidery trimmed; were \$15.00 \$6.98

Balance of the COATS

Reduced!

\$25.00 Coats

Desirable Coats of melton cloth mixtures, etc. Ideal for office and shopping. Reduced for immediate clearance. \$10.98

\$35.00 Coats

About 60 Coats of velour, silvertone and serviceable mixtures; belt, pockets and convertible collars; many silk lined. Reduced. \$19.98

Fur and Silk Plush Fur-Trimmed Coats

Plush Coats have large cape collars of Raccoon, Australian Opossum, Kolinsky, Coney and Mouton. Fur Some trimmed at cuffs and bottom. Full silk lined. 36 inches long. Kit Coney and Jap Mink Fur Coats included. \$49.98

Wrappy Coats \$24.98
Were \$49.98

FUR COATS

Bay Seal Coats \$100.00

MUSKRAT Fur Coats... \$75.00

Marmot Fur Coats... \$100.00

The PALAIS ROYAL

Shoe Dept. 2nd Floor

Smart Footwear— Deeply Reduced For— February Clearance

300 Pairs The Famous 400 Pairs
Dorothy Dodd
\$5.65 Trademarked Shoes \$8.95

Values \$9.00 to \$15.00

Every pair of these splendid shoes is right from our regular stock styled right up to the minute and brim full of genuine Dorothy Dodd quality.

Come today and enjoy these savings on good shoes, you'll find satisfaction in wearing.

February Sales No. 2

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MODEST BANK ROBBER DEMANDS BUT LITTLE

Asking for Only \$25 in Baltimore
and \$50 in Laurel, Thief Con-
fesses When Arrested.

BALTIMORE, February 4.—A modest hold-up man yesterday held up a bank cashier here and then proceeded to Laurel, twenty miles away, where he robbed another, demanding and receiving \$25 from the first and \$50 from the second. He was arrested, as he stepped from a train at Camden station and confessed, police say, to the thefts.

When searched at the police station, Hyles was found to have in his possession a pistol, the \$25 he had stolen, and some small change. Hyles is alleged to have given as his reason for not demanding more money from the cashiers the fact that it was "easier."

Hyles entered the Provident Bank at noon and handed Creston L. Smith, cashier, this note: "Warning. Give me \$25 at once or I will shoot to kill." At the same time he showed a pistol in Smith's face.

Obtaining the cash he left the bank and the police were informed immediately and furnished with a description of the man.

At 2:45 the Citizens' National Bank of Laurel was held up. The hold-up man appeared in the bank armed with two pistols, according to C. E. Little, cashier, and demanded \$50. He had in his hand a piece of paper believed to have borne a written demand for money like that presented to the Baltimore bank. He did not present it, however.

Little asked him if \$50 was all he wanted. He said it was. Little then gave him the money and the man left. He dropped a \$20 bill in leaving, however, so that his total loot was only \$30.

Hyles boarded a Baltimore and Ohio train at Contee, about four miles from Laurel, for Baltimore. He was arrested when he reached Baltimore and was identified later by Little and G. W. Waters, president of the Laurel bank, as the man who held them up.

UNIONISM A FACTOR IN SELECTION OF JURY

Tentative Talesmen Being Enrolled
for the Matthew Murder Trial
at Williamson, W. Va.

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., February 4.—A sufficient number of talesmen was on hand when court opened this morning to warrant a continuation of the efforts to obtain a jury to hear the evidence in the Matthew shooting cases. It was apparent from the beginning of the session that membership in a trade union was to play an important part from now on in the selection of tentative jurors.

Bernard Grace, a machinist, was closely questioned by Attorney James Damron, for the state, regarding his membership in a railroadmen's organization. Grace was very frank in his answer and unhesitatingly said he believed his sympathy for union men might influence his decision if he were on a jury.

The rumor of last night that the state move to eliminate from the jury list union men persisted this morning. It was not known when the motion would be filed, but it was generally conceded that it would be done before the twenty tentative jurors were selected.

Judge R. D. Bailey would make no statement on the rumor, confining himself to the assertion that the proper time for his comment was when the motion was presented.

Headaches From Night Colds.
Gives Laxative BROAD QUESNE Tab
lets relieve the headache by curing the cold.
A tonic laxative and germ destroyer. The genuine
has the signature of E. W. Quesne. Be sure you get BROAD'S. 30c.—Advertisement.

MANDATE UP TO LEAGUE.

Britain's Rule Over Mesopotamia
to Be Submitted February 21.

LONDON, February 4.—Great Britain's mandate for Mesopotamia will be submitted to the council of the league of nations at its meeting at Geneva, Switzerland, on February 21. It is said by newspapers of this city. The London Times and the Daily Mail feature the announcement that this action is contemplated, and in an editorial, emphasizes its great diplomatic importance, demanding that before Great Britain accepts the mandate the country should be given complete information regarding the matter.

Once this responsibility is undertaken, the newspaper declares, "Mesopotamia will be firmly tied to our backs, with all the enormous financial liabilities it involves."

PADEREWSKI COMING TO U. S.

PARIS, February 4.—Former Premier Paderewski of Poland will start Saturday for his visit to America. He will sail on the steamer France from Havre for New York.

"You need Selinger's Eye Service"

Selinger Glasses
—are made primarily for
comfort and preservation of
the eyesight. However,
proper style is never over-
looked.

We show all fashion's
newest fashions in mountings.
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Three things you will find in
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First, the creamy smoothness
of Auerbach Milk Chocolate.
Second, the golden brown
savor of big, fresh-roasted
crispy Almonds and then—
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AUERBACH
MILK CHOCOLATE
WITH ROASTED ALMONDS

Sale of Women's Umbrellas at \$2.95

Women's Umbrellas, an assorted lot of novelty handles, including celluloid and bakelite rings and full-length celluloid and colored shell handles, with rings to match. Usually found only in regular \$3 umbrellas. Covers of fine quality taped edge American (cotton) taffeta. Wear guaranteed. An unusual opportunity to secure a high-grade umbrella at a little cost.

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Smart Middy Dresses for Girls

Featured for Saturday at Money-Saving Prices

We are ready to outfit the girls and juniors with new spring apparel—new arrivals of smart Middy Dresses and other apparel enable us to offer special values sure to interest the thrifty mother tomorrow.

Girls' Three-Piece Middy Dresses at \$5.50

Practical and stylish Middy Dresses of dark blue material of beautiful quality that will withstand the hardest tubbings—extra special at \$5.50. All are beautifully made and the middie blouse is trimmed with white braid, the skirts are full pleated and they come with pair of bloomers to match. Perfect fitting dresses, in all sizes from 6 to 14 years.

Girls' \$5 Middy Dresses

\$3.98

Girls' White Middy Dresses, genuine Lonsdale Jean, trimmed with flat white braid, yoke, lacer, silk emblem, skirts with deep pleats and wide hems; also navy blue and red trimmed models; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Girls' Middy Blouses, \$1.98

Girls' Lonsdale Jean Middy Blouses, with blue Palmer linen collars and cuffs; also navy blue trimmed with braid; lacer and silk emblem on sleeve; sizes 6 to 18 years.

Children's Dresses, \$2.50,

\$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.98

A large assortment of smart models, of beautiful quality gingham, in stylish plaids, trimmed with sash and white collars; also plain color trimmings; entirely new models; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Little Girls' Dresses, \$2.49

Of white lawn, high-waisted models, skirt trimmed with val lace insertion, finished with dainty ribbons; sizes 2 to 8 years.

Goldenberg's—Third Floor.

Final Clearance Reductions on Boys' Clothing

A final markdown sale to clear out remaining winter lines of Boys' Clothing. Prices are down to rock-bottom—thrifty mothers should not miss this opportunity to outfit their boys at savings.

Boys' \$13.50 Norfolk Suits, \$9.75

Boys' All-wool Yarn Dyed Navy Blue Serge Norfolk Suits, coats lined with alpaca and full lined and taped knickerbocker pants; sizes 8 to 18 years.

Boys' Two-Pants Suits, \$11.95

Boys' All-wool Two-pants Suits, fashioned of cheviot and tweeds, in light and dark mixtures. Alpaca lined coats; full lined and taped knickerbocker pants. Sizes 8 to 18 years.

Boys' All-Wool Norfolk Suits, \$11.50

Balance of our regular stock selling at \$20.75 to \$27.50; full cut sizes from 9 to 18 years.

Boys' \$2.25 Trousers, \$1.87

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, fashioned of good quality cheviot and tweed mixtures; lined throughout; sizes 8 to 18 years.

Boys' \$3 and \$3.50 "Kaynee" Rompers at \$1.89

This famous brand is universally known to all mothers and is noted for good wearing qualities. Fashioned of rep, chambray, linen, madras and kiddie cloth, in various color combinations; collars trimmed with contrasting colors; sizes 2 to 8 years.

Goldenberg's—Third Floor.

Men's \$3.25 Lewis Make Union Suits at \$1.69

An unusual opportunity for men to effect exceptionally large savings on underwear known the country over. Famous Lewis Knitting Mills' product—the standard of quality and merit. Union Suits of fine quality heavy ribbed balbriggan; closed crotch style, in all regular sizes. All are perfect quality.

Men's Underwear, heavy cotton

ribbed; ecru color; shirts and drawers to match; regular sizes; worth \$1.50

Men's Glasterbury Underwear, heavy weight, wool mixed;

natural gray color; mostly all sizes up to 50 in regulars and stout; worth \$3.00

Men's "Faultless" Night-ropes, of heavy weight domed

flannel; military neck style; perfect quality; full cut sizes; values worth \$2.50 and \$3.00

Men's Underwear, Stuttgart

finish, medium weight, worsted mixed; natural gray color; broken sizes; slight imperfections; worth \$2.00

Men's Silk Neckwear, popular

medium-shape four-in-hand; values worth up to \$1.15

Men's Onyx Mercerized Lisle

Half Hose, reinforced sole and toe; high spliced heel; black and all wanted plain colors; perfect quality; all sizes in the lot, but not in each color; worth 65c pair

Men's Shirts, fiber and silk

and silk and satin striped madras; all soft cuff models; broken lots from regular stock selling up to \$7.00

Men's Wool Alpaca Reefers,

or scarfs, for dress wear or motoring; natural alpaca color; fringed ends; values worth up to \$5.00

Men's Smart Set Derbies,

new fall and winter shapes; in black and brown; regular sizes; sold regularly at \$4.00

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Women's \$1.75 Winter-Weight Union Suits at 95c

Women's Heavy Fleece Cotton Union Suits, high neck and long sleeves, ankle-length pants; in regular and extra sizes. Offered tomorrow in a final clean-up sale at only 95c a suit.

Women's "Forest Mills" Underwear, separate

garments, heavy and medium weight cotton; shirts with high neck and long sleeves, Dutch neck and elbow sleeves, low neck and sleeveless; ankle and knee-length pants; broken sizes. Worth \$1.89

Misses' Fleece Lined Union

Suits, high neck and long sleeves, ankle length; the popular Tailor-made Brand; sizes 2 to 10 years. Worth \$1.00

Children's Fleece Lined Cotton

Shirts, high neck and long sleeves; sizes 4 to 10 years. Worth 55c

At Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Women's \$7 to \$9 Footwear at \$3.95 Pair

To clear stocks of incomplete lines we've slashed regular prices—a disposal of footwear that provides women with the biggest savings this season.

High and Low Shoes, in lace and button models, including Oxfords and Pumps in brown and black kid, tan, patent colt and dull leathers, also high shoes. Louis, Cuban and low heels. All sizes in the lot, but not all sizes in each style.

Misses' and Children's Shoes

Worth Up to \$5.00 a Pair

at \$2.85 a Pair

Misses' and Children's Shoes, in lace and button styles, of tan, patent colt and dull leathers. All sizes in the lot from 8½ to 2. Clearance price, \$2.85 a pair.

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

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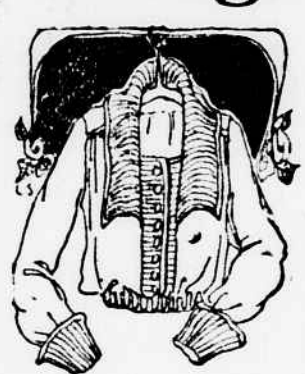
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BOTH SIDES OF 7TH AT K ST. "THE DEPENDABLE STORE"

Georgette Crepe and Net Waists

Worth Up to \$5.00

at \$1.95



Blouses of a most delightful sort are these—marked at this low price because the range of styles and sizes is not complete.

The lot includes Georgette Crepe and Net Waists, in white, flesh, dainty-colored stripes and figures. Some are lace-trimmed, others are tailored models with Peter Pan collars. Long and short sleeves, with round and square necks. All sizes in the lot up to 46.

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Lowered Prices on Toilet Goods

Buy your needed supplies of toilet accessories in our regular Saturday sale at savings. Tax not included at these prices.

Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, 50c size, 32c.

Bourjois Java Riz Face Powder, all tints, box, 32c.

Elcaya Cream, jar, 18c.

Pebeco Tooth Paste, regular 50c size, 32c.

Babcock's Corylopsis Talcum Powder, can, 14c.

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Woodbury's Facial Soap, regular 25c cakes, 15c.

West India Sea Salt, for the bath; large box, regularly 25c, at 12c.

Fountain Syringes, two-quart size; seamless red rubber bags, standard quality. Worth \$1.50, at \$1.00.

Beautiful Spring Trimmed Hats \$10

With our millinery department showing new arrivals of pretty Spring Hats for immediate wear, we are ready for the new season tomorrow.

Excellent variety of styles for women, misses and matrons—hats for semi-dress, dress or street wear, embracing the most recent developments of the new season. They include hats of new fancy straw brims with silk, satin or ribbon crowns; trimmed with flowers, ostrich feathers, fancy ribbon effects and many bead novelties. Chic Turbans, Close-fitting Hats and Off-the-face styles. China blue, henna, orange, brass and peach are some of the new shades that will pleasingly greet your eyes.

Ready-to-Wear Hats for Spring

Special at \$3.95 to \$6.95

These hats are the newest for immediate wear—charming in style and becoming to every type. Styles are varied and include satin and combinations of silk, satin with fancy straw brims, in the latest shapes and colors; smartly trimmed with berries, pins, embroidered ornaments and flowers.

Goldenberg's—Second Floor.

A Drastic Reduction for Final Clearance of "Short Lots" of

Men's and Young Men's Suits Tomorrow at \$14.50

To clear our stocks of these broken assortments and odd lots of suits, we've put a price on them that will hurry them all out tomorrow. Naturally sizes are not complete, but there are all sizes in the lot from 35 to 42 regular, and you will no doubt find just the suit you want.

Styles for men and young men—conservative and snappy models of good wearing materials, in a varied range of desirable colors and patterns. Both single and double breasted suits in the lot, full alpaca or serge lined. Remainders of our regular stock of winter suits that sold at much higher prices—here tomorrow at \$14.50 for choice.



Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

Formerly Sold Up to \$35.00

at \$18.50

The style-warmth and economy represented in this offering should bring men here tomorrow for these overcoat bargains. Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, including conservative button through models in oxford grays with plain flap pockets; sizes 35 to 42; also Black Ulsters with belted back, in all sizes, and Ulsterettes in one or two of a pattern, mostly sizes 34, 35 and 36. Clearance price, \$18.50.

Men's Separate Trousers

Worth Up to \$9.50

at \$4.75

Odd lot of Men's Separate Trousers of fine materials, including blue and green flannels and fancy cassimeres. Sizes 30 to 36 only. Reduced to \$4.75 a pair.

Men's Clothing Store—Main Floor.

Women's and Misses' High-Grade Wrappy Coats

at \$17.50

Values Worth Up to \$39.75

These are the same smart styles and splendid qualities we've sold earlier in the season at double the sale price. A wonderful purchase from a prominent New York maker who disposed of his remaining stock at a big price concession enables us to offer savings that are nothing short of startling.

Materials Are Suedene, Wool Velour and Broadcloth Kersey

These handsome, warmth-giving fabrics are well tailored and noticeable for their smart lines and careful workmanship. Included are the best styles in wrappy, hug-me-tight and semi-Dolman effects, with large cape collars.

Colors of navy blue, new blue, taupe, brown and reindeer.

Goldenberg's—Second Floor.



Women's Handbags at \$1.95

Women's Leather Handbags, Swagger Bags and Purses, an assortment of new up-to-date styles, in black and colors. Many novel shapes and attractive styles, in fancy pressed leathers, including tapir-lamb, walrus, morocco and alligator effects.

Women's Silk Mire Handbags, in an assortment of stylish shapes, in black and colors; adorned with silver, metal and silk covered frames; some with inside coin pocket, others with purses and mirror fittings.

\$2.95

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Girls' Bloomers Specially Priced

Girls' Bloomers, of white and black satin; full cut sizes, 12, 14 and 16 years. Heavy elastic waist and knees. 85c

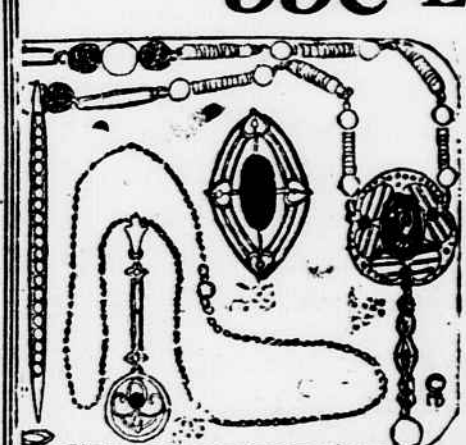
Children's Bloomers, of pink and blue chambray; deep button-hole bands, full cut and well made; sizes 4 to 14 years. 98c

Girls' New Khaki Bloomers, fine heavy galles; deep fitted yokes with buttonholes; full cut sizes from 6 to 16 years. Worth \$2.00. \$1.50

Goldenberg's—Third Floor.

Samples and Odd Lots of 75c, \$1 and \$1.50

Jewelry 55c Each



An importer's samples and odd lots of new seasonal jewelry, all high-grade, popular styles. The collection embraces—

Bar Pins, Brooches, Earrings, Fancy Bead Necklaces, Novel Metal Necklaces and Long Chains, Soutoir Chains, with pendants; Lingerie Clasps, Novel Pendants, Lockets and Charms, Bracelets, Hat Pins, Beauty Pin Sets, Vanity Cases, Dorine Boxes, Pocket Puff and Mirror Cases, Pearl Necklaces, Fancy Girdles, etc., etc.

Shell Bag Frames, substantially made, stylish shapes, in heavy tortoise shell, white, gray and amber finish; worth \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Each \$1.19

A Disposal of the Entire Stock of Fur Coats Scarfs and Muffs

This is the opportunity women have waited for. It opens the way for women to purchase furs of the highest quality at the lowest prices known in years. It will pay you handsomely to look ahead to next season's needs now while these extraordinary values are available.



Red Fox Sets, whole animal effect scarfs, with head, tail and paws; silk lined and large; trimmed muffs to match. Worth \$49.50

Natural Opossum Sets, choker style scarfs and large; size muffs to match. Worth \$32.50

Red Fox Scarfs, shaped animal effects, trimmed with brush tail, head and paws; silk or satin lined. Worth \$27.50

Manchurian Scarfs, in black, good size, trimmed with head and tail, silk lined. Worth \$9.75

Iceland Fox Scarfs, shaped and shouder effects; silk lined. Worth \$12.50

Taupe Muskrat Capettes, extra large size; selected skins; beautifully matched; silk lined. Worth \$37.50

Fur Eastern Blank Stoles, fine quality pelts; beautifully striped; silk lined. Worth \$125.00

Nutria Stoles, in taupe and brown; shaped effects; silk lined. Worth \$95.00

Women's 50c Handkerchiefs

29c

Women's Handkerchiefs, Madeira effects, beautiful openwork, embroidered and scalloped edge designs. Beautiful soft-finish quality.

Women's Handkerchiefs, colored border and fancy sport effects; an assortment of stylish patterns. Former 19c values.

Goldenberg's—First Floor.

Venice Lace Collars, 55c

Venice Lace Tuxedo Roll

Collars, for dresses and suits; new and effective designs, in white, cream and ecru colors.

Silk Windsor Ties, good quality messaline, pointed ends; full length and width; all wanted shades.

Goldenberg's—Third Floor.

Women's \$2 "Onyx" Silk Stockings \$1.00 Pair

This is a clearance lot, and women who want to save one-half on their hosiery should take advantage of this sale to buy a season's supply tomorrow. Famed "Onyx" Brand Stockings of pure thread silk, with mock-seam back; in black, white and a few colors. Every pair perfect quality.

Why Thousands of Women Say: "The Best Home Journal yet"

We offer nothing for snobs, hypocrites or parasites. We do not specialize in sob stuff, sex stuff, new isms or ologies, exotic customs or manners, or the latest creeds and fads of the neurasthenics. We believe that the popular taste is infinitely better than the shut-in eclectics and common scolds dream of, and we intend to prove our conception by giving our vast family of readers the very best and most wholesome in literature and art and all-round helpful suggestions.

A husband who will do the family washing and call it a lark is a pretty good sort—particularly if he makes a good job of it. Millions of husbands know how to wash babies, though they rarely boast of it. Dishwashing is an all-family job in most homes where there is pull-together harmony. All of which puts us pretty solidly on a self-help basis as a nation.

The editorial program of The Journal is self-help one hundred per cent.

Editor of The Ladies' Home Journal

A Color Print of the Church Where Washington Worshipped

Jules Guerin has painted for the February HOME JOURNAL a full-page picture of the historic old Christ Church at Alexandria, Virginia, where George Washington worshipped and was a vestryman. It is reproduced in full color—a print that you'll want to cut out and frame. Later it will be sold for one dollar. You get it now as one of more than two score features in THE HOME JOURNAL for twenty cents!

Recipes from France and the Old South

Did you ever hear of Crème de Pommes? Can you make beaten biscuits, or a real chicken Brunswick stew? The February Journal has a French cook's own favorite recipes for cooking apples—and a Richmond woman's recipes for some of the good things that Virginians ate "befo' de wah."

Half a Hill

By Eleanor
Hallowell Abbott

Take three letters sent into the past; three unexpected answers, a week-end in the country, a garrulous stage driver and a violinist who played only in the dark, and you have the makings of this absorbing mystery.

Ladies' Home Journal stories are setting a high mark for interest and entertainment. And they are here in quantity as well as in quality. Besides the others mentioned on this page you'll find in the February issue

Out of the Fog

By Grace Sartwell Mason

The Silver Sixpence

By Ruth Sawyer

Little Deeds of Kindness

By Byers Fletcher

Don't Get Left

Thousands of women missed the January issue of THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL because they didn't buy it on January 1. Don't wait this month until the newsdealer says: "Sorry—sold out!" The way to be sure of getting the beautiful big February issue is to

Buy It Today

Going to Give a Party on Valentine's Day?

Everyone had a good time at the party Claire Wallis describes in the February HOME JOURNAL, and you'll make a hit with all your friends if you follow the suggestions in A Valentine Party in Five Reels. It's movie stuff—and heaps of fun.

The Target

By
Holworthy Hall

"To my cousin Allan Bannatyne," the eccentric millionaire's will read, "that he may learn the thoughts and emotions of his fellow creatures by human experience, I bequeath a summer at the fashionable summer resort of Seaward." The young psychologist took the gift, though he didn't want it, and he became The Target in this unusually clever story by an unusually clever writer. Read it, in the February LADIES' HOME JOURNAL.



Homes at \$4700 to \$9000

Building costs, we're told, will take a tumble this spring, and very likely it will be possible for you to put up that house you have been dreaming about. One thing is sure—the small house, planned for economy in construction and in housekeeping, is the thing for 1921. . . . Ladies' Home Journal architecture has long been a model—there are whole towns of Ladies' Home Journal houses. In the February issue there are pictures and plans of

Five Small Houses

that will offer valuable suggestions to the 1921 home builder. The costs are reasonable—from \$4700 to \$9000.

Crossed Wires

By Josephine
Dasham Bacon

The girl from the West wanted to know Society. The society woman, for a lark, gave her a house party—brought together entertaining folks, and furnished the girl with gowns from her own wardrobe. But she didn't count on any such mix-up in her own love affairs as develops in this story—one of Mrs. Bacon's best.

Read it—in the February HOME JOURNAL.

Caruso, Farrar, Galli and Howard Sing Tonight:

What goes on behind the scenes on a big night at the opera? The big singers—are they nervous? What do they do when they are off stage? Kathleen Howard, herself a member of the Metropolitan Opera Company, gives away some of the secrets of her fellow artists.

Johnny Funny-Bunny and the Tadpole Baby

By Harrison Cady

"There's a cute baby down on Tinkham's Mill Pond," said Li'l Timmy Meadow Mouse, "that's been under water for nigh onto three days."

Both of Johnny Funny-Bunny's pink ears twitched with surprise. He gathered together his wife and children and they all rushed down to the pond to see the new baby with no hands or feet.

Harrison Cady tells the whole story for the kiddies in the February HOME JOURNAL, and, best of all, he has painted pictures in full color which can be cut out and stood up. . . . Children of all ages love the Cady Cut-Outs.

A Ten-Cent Bowl May be Made Beautiful

Luster china is expensive when you buy it in the stores. Yet you needn't be an artist to do this sort of painting—Dorothea Warren O'Hara, whose painted china and glass are models of the art, tells every step in luster painting.

Dresses Rich With Embroidery

Paris has furnished the ideas for a score of lovely embroidery touches that are shown in the February LADIES' HOME JOURNAL—such needlework as will make your summer clothes the envy of all your friends. There are full directions for every stitch of the needle.



Saving Fifty Million Dollars by Thrift

The fellow who wrote that old saw about taking care of the pennies must have come from Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. That's the home of Thrift. The farm people in that county piled up \$50,000,000 last year. Basketweaving was one way they saved. If you need more money you may find a suggestion in this article.

The Seven Conundrums

By E. Phillips Oppenheim

"It will fall to your lot," she told her suitor, "to kill the only man I have ever really cared for." Strange indeed was the courtship of Naida Modeschka, of the Russian ballet—for it was a courtship of death itself—death directed by Mephistopheles. In The Seven Conundrums, of which this story is one, THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL has obtained the best work Mr. Oppenheim has ever done.



It's Not Too Early to Think of the Rose Garden

You buy a pound of candy for a dollar, and in an evening it's gone. If you should put that candy dollar into a rose plant you would have several years of enjoyment as the plant came to bud and blossom, to beautify your garden and your home.

J. Horace MacFarland, who knows roses of all kinds better than almost any other man in America, has written for the February HOME JOURNAL an article about his favorite flower that tells the whole story of the roses—how to prepare the soil, when to plant, how to care for the bushes and the varieties that have been found best for your particular part of the country.

The New Senator's Wife Made 650 Calls; Spent \$50 on Visiting Cards, and More for Taxicabs Than for Food

The new Administration will bring to Washington new Cabinet officers, new Senators, new Representatives—hundreds of them, all told, to whom the customs of official society in the Capital City are utterly unknown. . . . Many a new senator's wife is going to wish that her husband had never gone into politics when she learns the routine of calls that she must make, the social ranks that she must observe, the difficulties of living properly and entertaining in the right way. Frances Parkinson Keyes, wife of Senator Keyes, of New Hampshire, has written from her own experience as a new senator's wife, and the pictures she gives of society in the Cabinet and Senatorial circles of Washington's official season are vividly entertaining and amusing. With a new Congress coming in soon you'll be interested in learning what Mrs. Senator from your state will find in store for her. Mrs. Keyes' article in the February LADIES' HOME JOURNAL is full of personalities and anecdotes. Read it!



Why Your Child Should Eat Spinach

"It's good for him," you say. Yes, but why? And why milk? Why butter? Why string beans? Why eggs? It's because they contain vitamins, the newly discovered mysterious force that controls growth and life. Read Making Friends With Vitamins, and regulate your children's diet so they'll be strong boys and girls.

Dainty Things for Baby

A pretty new sweater; some new handmade dresses from Belgium—easy to copy; a muff for the baby-carriage handle; a nursery screen with handy pockets; a bib that is different; a pillow cover. These things, pretty for the baby and a joy to the mother, are shown in a splendidly helpful page in the February HOME JOURNAL.

The Heart That Understands

By

Edith Barnard Delano

She was a frivolous flapper with a Mona Lisa smile. He was a poet. And her young heart fluttered and throbbed as he danced with her. . . . Youngsters are funny, and Mrs. Delano makes Anna Isabella irresistibly amusing in this story in the February HOME JOURNAL.

Save it for an evening when the world looks blue—and see how it will brighten the corners for you.

The February Edition Is More Than Two Million Copies

The February issue of THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL is a book of 172 pages, containing 44 separate and distinct features—short stories; installments of novels that later will sell for \$1.75 to \$2 in book form; inspiring special articles on a great variety of interesting subjects; and helpful departments of fashion news and

patterns, housekeeping ideas, needlework, entertainment, gardening and architecture; besides poetry and colored pictures suitable for framing. More than two million copies will be printed, but unless you buy today you may be disappointed, as thousands of women were disappointed last month. There

are only two ways to buy THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL—by subscription at \$2 a year (address The Curtis Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.) or from a newsboy or news-stand at 20 cents a copy (\$2.50 a year or 25 cents a copy in Canada). The February edition is sure to be exhausted quickly—Buy Your Copy Today!

All in the February Ladies' Home Journal
172 Pages—20 Cents.

RAILROADS FAIL TO EARN
OPERATING EXPENSES

Thirty-Six Lose, While Twenty-Eight Did Not Cover Taxes and Fixed Charges in January.

Thirty-six railroads failed to earn their operating expenses last month, and twenty-eight others, while earning their operating expenses in that time, did not earn their taxes and fixed charges, according to a statement by Gen. W. W. Atterbury, vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad, supplementing his testimony given before the United States railroad labor board last Monday, where he said it would be necessary to reduce wages to continue operations.

Among the latter group he named the Baltimore and Ohio, the Norfolk Southern, the Atlantic Coast Line, the Pennsylvania lines and the Western Maryland.

"The railroads cannot achieve their earning power under continuing abnormal and inflated operating expenses, of which the labor cost is the principal item," said Gen. Atterbury's statement. "Hence in accordance with the latter and spirit of the transportation act, the railroads are before the one body which ought to grant them relief, namely, the United States railroad labor board."

"For, as I said on Monday, at a time when wages and prices are falling in the field of agriculture and in the other industries of the country the public has a right to demand that the solvency of the railroads shall be assured by economy in operation and not by any further general increase in rates."

"The fight which the railroads are now making is not only their own fight, but the fight of the farmer, the consumer, the workman and employer in every industry of the country."

ENOUGH FREIGHT VESSELS
Benson Expects No Increase in Exports to South America.

No immediate increase in the volume of freight to Latin-American countries is expected by Chairman Benson of the Shipping Board, he told the permanent committee on transportation and commerce at its first meeting yesterday at the Department of Commerce.

As chairman of the ocean transportation subcommittee, Admiral Benson said, judging from observation of freight movement he had made as chairman of the Shipping Board, there were enough vessels running to Latin-American countries now to care for available business, and there was a surplus of available tonnage space.

A resolution introduced by Senator Fletcher of Florida and adopted by the committee provided that Congress be urged to pass the pending bill authorizing the Navy Department to accept surplus merchant vessels for use to and from South America. Secretary Alexander of the Department of Commerce presided at the meeting, attended by shipping men and business men and representatives of the State Department. The meeting was the first the committee has held since its inception in January, 1920.

GERMAN RIVALRY FELT.
Underell United States Products in South America.

German competition in the markets of South America is beginning to be felt, according to cable advices today to the Department of Commerce.

A report from Argentina declared that German competition in sale of hardware in South American markets will not be very strong for a long time, although the prices asked for the German goods are from 15 to 30 per cent lower than for American goods. Deliveries of German goods, however, are slow and uncertain.

Commercial Attaché McQueen at Santiago, Chile, reported that freight to that country from Germany is increasing, although as yet goods are not being offered at retail in large quantities. An increasing number of salesmen in the country, he said, are offering silver-plated, nickel, pottery and enamel ware, cheap hardware and electrical supplies. Prices are lower than for American goods.

Commercial Attaché Jackson at Mexico City reported that German manufacturers are making determined efforts to recover their markets in Mexico. He emphasized the fact that the German goods are of high quality and that the American goods cannot compete with the German in price.

MAKES PLEA FOR CHINESE.
Head of U. S. Chamber of Commerce Says 10,000 Die Daily.

President Joseph H. De Fries of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States has appealed to members of the chamber for funds to help the starving in five Chinese provinces. Famine is costing the lives of 10,000 Chinese a day in the provinces of Chihli, Shensi, Shansi, Honan and Shantung, the appeal says. The American minister to China has informed the President that 15,000,000 persons will die of starvation unless immediate relief is furnished. Checks may be sent to "Thomas W. Lamont, chairman, China relief committee, Bible House, New York city."

BETA CLUB MEETS.
The Beta Theta Pi Club of Washington met at the University Club last evening. Plans were made for the dinner to a number of prominent members of the organization who will be members of the new administration. Officers were elected as follows: President, W. V. Cox; vice presidents, C. F. Nesbit and G. H. Baldwin; secretary and treasurer, C. C. Williams, M. F. Kerby and W. T. Thom.

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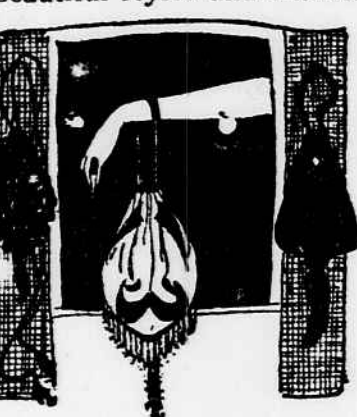
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—1 Black Chiffon Velvet Bag, with sterling silver frame. Originally \$50.00. To close... **\$15**

—1 Brown and 1 Black Chiffon Velvet Bag, with sterling silver frames. Originally \$40.50. To close... **\$15**

—1 Black Brocade Velvet Bag, with very handsome sterling silver frames. Originally \$75.00. To close... **\$20**

—1 Green Silk and Velvet Brocade Bag, with Galalith frame. Originally \$27.00. To close... **\$10**

—2 Gold and Blue Figured Chiffon Velvet Bags, with Dutch silver frames. Originally \$19.50. To close... **\$10**

—2 Violet and Rose Figured Chiffon Velvet Bags, with Dutch silver frame. Originally \$19.50. To close... **\$10**

—1 Gold and Blue Figured Chiffon Velvet Bag, with gold-plated Dutch silver frame. Originally \$19.50. To close... **\$10**

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—1 Black and Silver Cloth Bag, with hand-engraved sterling silver frame and chain handle. Originally \$52.50. To close... **\$15**

—1 Black Silk Brocade Velvet Bag, with large oval frame and mirror of oxidized silver. Originally \$26.50. To close... **\$10**

—1 Black Velvet "Monte Carlo" Bag, with carved Galalith top and ornaments. Originally \$26.00. To close... **\$10**

—1 Navy Blue and Gray "Monte Carlo" Bag, with gray top and ornaments. Originally \$16.00. To close... **\$7.50**

—1 Navy Blue Velvet and Silk Bag, with Galalith knob catch. Originally \$18.75. To close... **\$7.50**

—1 Brown and 1 Black Corded Velvet Vanity Bags, with silver-plated trimmings. Originally \$16.50. To close... **\$7.50**

—1 Brown Corded Velvet Bag, with silver-plated trimmings. Originally \$16.00. To close... **\$7.50**

—1 Black Corded Velvet Bag, with silver-plated trimmings. Originally \$16.00. To close... **\$7.50**

—1 Black and 1 Blue Bag, with silver-plated trimmings. Originally \$16.00. To close... **\$7.50**

—2 Black Chiffon Velvet and Suede Bags, with silver-plated trimmings. Originally \$19.50. To close... **\$7.50**

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—19 Velvet and Silk Bags, in black and brown. Originally \$12.00 and \$15.00. To close... **\$5**

—39 Velvet Bags, in black and colors. Originally \$5.00 and \$7.50. To close... **\$2.50**

—48 Velvet Bags, in black and colors. Originally \$3.00. To close... **\$1.50**

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Include \$4.95 to \$5.95 Values, in Sizes 36 to 46

—Georgette Blouses, excellent quality in tie-on models trimmed with silk embroidery and beads; in white, flesh color, bisque, navy and brown. Also waistline models that are beaded, embroidered and lace trimmed; in white, flesh color, navy, brown, taupe and black.

—Pongee Blouses, tailored models; one style with two-in-one collar, the other has roll collar finished with knife pleating.

—Crepe de Chine Blouses, in tailored models.

Choice
Saturday

\$3.99



Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses

—New and attractive models—the Georgette Blouses are in tie-on and slip-over effects in white, flesh color and bisque trimmed with lace. The Crepe de Chine Blouses are the popular waist line models, embroidered and tucked in attractive manner. Choice of white and flesh color. There are also Mignonette Blouses in tie-on models with roll collar and sash. Colors are navy, black and reindeer. All sizes and special values at...

Kann's—Second Floor.

WOMEN'S
GLOVES

—Saturday's news is interesting, because it tells of Imported Gloves at new low prices:

—Women's Two-clasp Imported Glace Kid Gloves, with Paris Point stitched backs. In black, brown, tan, white, black with white and white with black. A pair... **\$2.00**

—Women's Imported Glace Kid Gloves, two-clasp style; P. K. sewn, with self and contrast crocheted stitched backs. In black, brown, tan, gray, white and mode shades. A pair... **\$3.50**

—Women's 12-button Length Glace Kid Gloves, P. K. sewn and self-stitched backs. In brown and tan and mode shades. A pair... **\$7.25**

Kann's—Street Floor.

Clearance of Girls', Juniors', Misses' & Women's
Coats at Great Price Reductions

—Lines are broken, of course, and there are not all sizes in each style, but there is a complete line of sizes in the combined lots and the values are exceptional.



—Winter Coats—Dressy and tailored models, with fur collars and collars of self material; full length lined. Choice of brown, navy, reindeer, copenhagen and Pekin. Sizes 8 to 18 years and 36 to 42 bust in the combined lot. Originally \$35 to \$45. Reduced to... **\$24.95**

—Winter Coats—In heather Polo cloth, velours and two-tone mixtures, with large cape collars of self material; belted models and button-trimmed effects, half and full lined. The girls' coats have fur collars of taupe nutria. Choice of navy, brown, copenhagen, Pekin and reindeer. Sizes 8 to 16 and 15 to 19 years in the combined lot. Originally \$29.75 to \$35. Reduced to... **\$19.90**

Kann's—Second Floor.

Women's Low Priced Hosiery

Is to go quickly tomorrow with these four items as leaders—

—Women's "Radmoor" Pure Silk Hosiery, regular made feet, double soles, heels and toes, wide garter tops. In black, white, seal brown, navy, gray and silver. A pair... **\$1.75**

—Women's "Radmoor" Pure Silk Hosiery, seamless feet, reinforced heels and toes, wide garter hems. In black, white and silver. A pair... **\$1.00**

—Women's Imported Lace Lisle Hosiery, assorted patterns. Regular made, double soles, heels and toes. In black and white only. A pair... **\$1.50**

—Women's Fine Mercerized Lisle Hosiery, regular made; reinforced soles, heels and toes; high spliced garter tops. In black only. Originally \$1.50. Special, a pair... **\$1.00**

Kann's—Street Floor.

Millinery of Irresistible Charm



Choice, **\$10**

—Other popular ideas in Trimmed Hats, \$8.49 and down as low as \$3.95.

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—New York's latest ideas in high-luster colors. Hats in all silk, silk combinations and cellophane, in such a wide color assortment as pheasant, henna, pearl, gray, black, navy, cherry red, capucine, blue, etc.

—Shapes are side droops, turbans, off-the-face, Hindoo turbans, short-brim sailors and others.

"Brilliant Colored Sashes"

—Are all the rage, and they are worn with much grace and attractiveness. We have quite a large assortment and many of them are exclusive with us

SEE OUR SPECIAL DISPLAY OF THEM

—Georgette and Crepe de Chine Sashes, finished with picot edge, in all the wanted shades, such as burnt orange, henna, orchid, Copenhagen, Marion blue, brown, black, white, gray and jade.

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—Changeable Taffeta Sashes, with picot edge. Each... **\$3.98**

—Soft Taffeta Sashes, with hemstitched ends. Each... **\$2.50**

—Roman Striped Tricolette Sashes, with wide knotted silk fringe. Each... **\$3.98**

—Satin Sashes, hemstitched ends. In black, white, cardinal and navy blue. Each... **\$2.25**

—Roman Striped Silk Sashes, with wide fringe. Each... **\$5.50**

Kann's—Neckwear Store, Street Floor.

Fine Values in New Neckwear

Will Be Featured for Saturday

—Styles you will want to own and wear right now, they are so fresh and dainty.

—Crisp new organdie collars, vestees and collar and cuff sets in both rolled and flat shapes.

—Collars Are Priced 50c to \$2.50

—Vestees Are Priced 79c to \$1.98

—Collar and Cuff Sets at 59c to \$2.50

Saturday Special
—Seven different styles of Vestees, made of Point Venise laces, in attractive effects. Choice... **\$1.00**

Kann's—Street Floor.

Saturday Special
—At the Bargain Table—Lace Collars and some Collar and Cuff Sets, pretty styles in white and ecru; 79c and \$1 values. At... **59c**

A GOOD TIME TO BUY

TOILET REQUISITES

Prices are Special

—Coty's L'Origan Perfume, bottle... **\$5.50**

—Pinard's Lillac... **79c**

—Angelus Cream, 1.00 jars... **89c**

Kann's—Street Floor.

—Hind's Honey and Almond Cream... **32c**

—Absorbent Cotton, per lb... **39c**

—Pebeco Tooth Paste... **32c**

Kann's—Street Floor.

—Coty's L'Origan Face Powder, a box... **61c**

—L'Origan's L'Origan Sachet, box... **\$2.35**

—Coty's L'Origan Toilet Water... **\$3.10**

Kann's—Street Floor.

—One Lot of Toilet Soap, assorted odors, regularly 10c, a cake... **5c**

—Earl Brand Hard Water Soap, 8 cakes for... **45c**

—Palmolive Soap, 9c a cake...

Kann's—Street Floor.

Women's Glove Silk Underwear

At Drastic Reductions

—Women's Glove Silk Camisoles, self straps, hemstitched embroidered fronts; assorted patterns, in slip-over style. In pink only. Originally \$2.50, special each... **\$1.50**

—Women's Glove Silk Vests, low neck, no sleeves, tailored style. In pink. Sizes 36 to 42, special each... **\$2.75**

—Women's Glove Silk Vests, low neck, no sleeves, tailored style. In pink. Sizes 36 to 42, special each... **\$3.00**

—Women's Glove Silk Blouses, elastic at knees and waist; cut extra wide. All sizes. Originally \$4.35, special each... **\$2.95**

Kann's—Street Floor.

"PERLES DE ROMANCE"

Reduced

To Quickly Lower Amount of Stock on Hand

—These are the well known indestructible "pearl" necklaces, guaranteed not to peel or crack. Beautiful in appearance, soft and velvety; in the popular graduated style. At tomorrow's sale prices, this is an opportunity.

13 Strings
—18 and 20 Inch Lengths, originally \$14.40 and \$16.00, special at— **\$4.95**

4 Strings
—22-inch Lengths, originally \$19.20 and \$21.60, special at— **\$4.95**

8 Strings
—Straight, all one size beads. Originally \$15. Special at **\$4.95**

Kann's—East Room, Street Floor.

Good News
For Mothers

With Daughters to Provide With Apparel.

Final Reductions Saturday

On Our Remaining Stocks of Girls', Juniors' and Misses'

Dresses, Suits, Coats in the Girls' Store

Quantities Are Limited—Be Here Early

Party Frocks

—1 Orchid Satin and Chiffon, originally \$52.50, reduced to... **\$22.50**

—1 Pink Imported Organdy, originally \$45.00, reduced to... **\$22.50**

—1 Blue Satin and Maline Dress, originally \$37.50, reduced to... **\$22.50**

—1 Yellow Satin and Chiffon Dress, originally \$35.00, reduced to... **\$22.50**

—1 Yellow Chiffon Dress, originally \$30.00, reduced to... **\$15.00**

—1 Black Satin Dress, originally \$59.95, reduced to... **\$39.00**

—1 Navy Tricolette Dress, originally \$42.50, reduced to... **\$25.00**

—2 Navy Tricolette Dresses, originally \$37.50, reduced to... **\$22.50**

—3 Navy Serge Dresses, originally \$39.00, reduced to... **\$22.50**

—4 Navy Serge Dresses, originally \$30.00, reduced to... **\$15.00**

—6 Navy Serge Dresses, originally \$15.00, reduced to... **\$7.48**

—1 Velvet Suit, originally \$18.75, reduced to... **\$9.95**

Girls' Suits
—2 Wool Jersey Suits, originally \$37.50, reduced to... **\$15.00**

—2 Cloth Suits, originally \$49.95, reduced to... **\$22.50**



—2 Navy Serge Suits, originally \$49.00, reduced to... **\$22.50**

Children's Hats
—Entire stock of Winter Hats, to close out at **\$4.50 and \$2.98**

—Girls' Straw Hats, special... **\$3.95**

—Girls' Straw Hats, special... **\$1.95**

Girls' Waists
—6 Georgette Waists, originally \$7.50, reduced to... **\$4.50**

Girls' Petticoats
—12 Silk Jersey Petticoats, originally \$5.00, reduced to... **\$3.00**

Children's Coats
—Only 10 left. Sizes, 2, 4 and 5 years. At **\$10.00**. Kann's—Second Floor.

Tomorrow—Another Day to Buy

Children's Play Shoes

At **\$1.00** Pair

Only 500 Pairs

—They have the famous sturdy-wearing Keller Rhodes stitched soles. They are made in sensible broad-toe shapes, have black leather vamps and black fabric tops.

—The sizes are from 5 to 8 and 8½ to 11.



NOW IN PROGRESS— Our February Sale of Furniture

Features Bountiful Stocks
at Savings of

20% to 40%

On Our Famously Low
Prices

Making our point
clear—

There is nothing exceptional about fine furniture at a high price. And there is nothing exceptional about mediocre furniture at a low price. But to offer dependable and superior quality furniture at lower than prevailing retail prices is an achievement. And this is just what The Palais Royal February Sale of Furniture is doing.

Dining Room Suites
Library Suites
Bedroom Suites
Living Room Suites
Beds and Bedding
All Separate Pieces
of Furniture except
some standard
and priced brands

Are marked at 20% to
40% less than our
famous low prices.

Palais Royal—Fourth Floor.

New French Kid Gloves, \$3.75 and \$4 Pr.

Soft, pliable skins, perfect fitting, 4-row, hand-crochet embroidered back, in medium and light gray, mastic, sand, beaver, brown, champagne, also white and black; all sizes. At \$3.75 and \$4 pair.

Kid Gloves, \$3 and \$3.50

Two-clasp, pique or overseam sewn, medium and light weight, in the shades of mode, beaver, gray, assorted tans, brown, white and black. Self and contrasting stitching, at \$3.00 and \$3.50.

Suede Gloves, \$7.50 Pair

12-button length. In shades of beaver and assorted tans, with contrast stitched back. Interesting value at \$7.50 pair.

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

French Kid Gloves \$1.95

Two-clasp, light weight, overseam. A limited quantity. In shades of beaver, gray, mode, white and black. Paris point with 4 rows embroidery stitching, at \$1.95 pair.

BARGAIN BASEMENT

The Season's Most Remarkable Sale of 288

Coats and Wraps

DIVIDED IN THREE GROUPS

\$12.98, \$19.98 & \$29.98

Women who have waited for this mid-winter sale of coats will be more than repaid. Every coat in our Basement included in this sale.



Group No. 1. \$12.98

Silvertones, Velours, Polo Cloths—the majority of them handlined with rich silks, many with large fur collars. Coats that will appeal to the miss. Clearance price at \$12.98.

Group No. 2 \$19.98

Plush Coats, worth much more. Made of Salt's Peco Plush, a quality that will retain its beauty after long wear. All are handsomely lined. They may be worn belted or ruffled full. Sizes for women and misses. Clearance Sale price at \$19.98.

Group No. 3 \$29.98

Materials are Suedene, Bolivia, Velour, Superior, Polo Cloth and Salt's Seal Plush. Handsome fur collars of natural Raccoon, Australian Opossum and French Seal. Full cut wrap coats, conservative belted styles, every coat beautifully silk lined and warmly interlined. Clearance price at \$29.98.

Palais Royal—Bargain Basement.

Watch Sunday's Papers for Great Bargain Basement Dress Sale.

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THE SHOPPING CENTER

Eleventh and G Streets

A. LISNER

Scores of the Newest SPRING BLOUSES

FEATURED AT
\$10

Expressing individuality and charm. Displayed in our Third Floor Blouse Section.

Smart and Semi-tailored Georgette Crepe Blouses, in flesh, bisque and white. Real filet lace collar; others are trimmed with excellent quality lace, hemstitching or frills. Sizes 36 to 46. At \$10.00.

Dressy Blouses at \$5.00

Newest Blouses; styles for spring wear; venise or filet trimmed collars and cuffs. Tailored crepe de chine, models with roll collars and cuffs trimmed with heavy laces. 25 styles in the lot. Sizes 36 to 46. At \$5.00.

Just Arrived—Smart Tailored Silk Shirts
Featured for Saturday at \$6.95

Palais Royal—Third Floor.

SOMETHING NEW!
Tiger Spots
Veils, \$1 Yard

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

CAPTIVATING COLORS
AND STYLES

Spring Frocks at \$22.95



If there ever was an opportune time to buy a spring frock at less, it is NOW.

Fashioned of Crepe de Chine, Taffeta, Canton Crepe, Georgette Crepe, Mignonne, Polart Twills and Tricotines.

Attractive colors—Navy, gray, new brown, also black.

By making choice now, there will be a saving advantage and the benefit of a full season's wear. At \$22.95.

Palais Royal—Third Floor.

PETTICOATS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION 200 New Petticoats, \$5

Of all-silk Jersey flounce, formed of inserts of contrasting color. Forming squares and points. Heavy weight. At \$5.

Petticoats at \$3.98

Made with silk Jersey top and flounce of taffeta or mesaline; in neat pleated model. Bright, changeable colors. At \$3.98. Similar styles in full extra sizes at \$5.00.

Petticoats at \$1.98

Of rosebloom, in lovely spring colorings; plain and floral effects. Shades to blend with your new suit or dress. At \$1.98.

Palais Royal—Third Floor.

TOILET Soaps

An uncommonly large assortment of Domestic and Imported Toilet Soaps at Palais Royal moderate prices.

Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap, 6 cakes for 55c
Colgate's Coloso Soap, 6 cakes for 55c
Colgate's Big Bath Soap, 3 cakes for 40c
Colgate's Elder Flower Soap, 3 cakes for 40c
Colgate's Pine Tar Soap, 3 for 40c
Colgate's Violet De Mai, Radiant, Rose, Florient and Splendor, cakes for \$1.25
Low's Son and Hayden Imported Carbolle Soap, 3 cakes for 25c
Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap, 3 cakes for 25c
Vivandou Mavis, Lady Mary and Cream of Almonds at, cake, 30c
Melba Toilet Soap, 5 cakes for 75c
Coudray's Lettuce Soap, cake, 30c
Hudnut's Violet Sec Soap, cake, 35c
Armour's Stork Castle Soap, 3 for 50c
Armour's Sylvan Series, in Violet, Sandalwood, Rose, Heliotrope, 3 cakes, 40c
Armour's Auditorium Bath Soap, 3 cakes, 40c
Armour's Certified Witch Hazel Soap, 4 cakes, 50c
Bromley's Imported Bath Soap, cake, 50c
Bromley's Almond Soap at, cake, 25c
Violet (Ve-o-lay's) Cold Cream Soap at, cake, \$1.00
Roger and Gallet Violette de Parme Soap, cake, 75c
Colgate's Guest-room Soap, 12 cakes for \$1.10
Wristley's Olivio Soap, 12 cakes for \$1.00
The Original Hard-water Soap, 12 cakes for \$1.00
Woodbury's Facial Soap, 3 cakes, 50c
Lion Castle Soap, 1-lb. bar at 25c
Transparent Balsam Pine Tar Soap, 2 cakes to bar, at bar, 13c
Colgate's Turkish Bath, 12 cakes for \$1.10
Roger & Gallet Violette Soap at, cake, 50c
Dier-Kiss Toilet Soap at, cake, 50c
Palais Royal—Main Floor.

WOMEN'S PURE LINEN Handkerchiefs

—with fine embroidered corners at 25c each.

Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, hand-embroidered corners. At 39c each.

Men's and Boys' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 1/4-inch hem. At 50c each.

Boys' and Girls' School Handkerchiefs. At 12 1/2c, 15c and 25c each.

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

Saturday— Children's Day

Now that the second term of school has begun, mothers are looking where they can most economically outfit the children. Come to the Palais Royal and the wish of choosing from generous assortments at attractively low prices will be gratified. Some of the many groups listed below:

Raincoapes, \$3.98

"Bestyette" brand. Of rubberized saten, guaranteed waterproof; bright lined hoods. Navy and red. Sizes 6 to 14. At \$3.98.

Separate Skirts, \$5

Of all-wool navy serge and worsted plaids and checks. Side or box pleated models, with or without waists. Sizes 6 to 14. At \$5.

Children's Headwear, \$2.98 to \$10

Included is a style for every face. Lovely models in Milan, Chip, Leghorn and Novelty Straws, some Tailored styles, but some with fruit and flower trimmings. Black and colors. At \$2.98 to \$10.

Underwaists, 50c

New prices on Children's "Ideal" underwaists; sizes 2 to 14 years. At 50c.

Flannelette Pajamas, \$1.98

Children's. One and two piece styles, of heavy striped flannelette, neatly made and finished with braid and frogs, loose or tight bottom. 6 to 16 years. Formerly up to \$3.98. At \$1.98.

Children's Dresses, \$2.98

Just being unpacked. Attractively made of gingham and chambray, in plain colors, stripes and plaids. Styles with bib. Jacket and hand embroidered effects. 6 to 14 years. At \$2.98.

Now the Vogue—These Plaid Sports Skirts

Special Purchase—Should Be Priced
at \$15 to \$18. Special for Saturday

at \$11.95



A variety of clever new models to choose from. In box and knife pleats. Peg top and flat pockets and some embellished with pearl buttons.

Fashioned of two-tone serges, shadow lawn crepe and striped gaberdine. All sizes, 24 to 30 waist.

To purchase this material and have the pleating done would cost one more than the above price asked—not considering the cost of expert workmanship. For Saturday at \$11.95.

Palais Royal—Third Floor.

Neckwear

Many new and attractive things shown in our Neckwear Section for early Spring Wear.

NEW VESTS, to be worn with suit or sweater, made of nets, laces, organdy and novelty silks.

NEW COLLAR AND CUFF SETS of colored organdy, dainty laces, real filet and real Irish laces, eyelet embroidery.

CIRCULAR COLLARS and sets to be worn with the round neck, dress made of fine Venise lace and fancy net.

VESTINGS AND BANDINGS by the yard in white and cream, made of organdy, ruffled net and lace. All the above items offered at very moderate prices.

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

Children's Hair Cutting

Mothers will be interested to know that our Children's Hair Cutting Parlor on the Main Floor, Balcony, has only experienced and highly trained men barbers, who know how to cut and trim the children's hair.

Bring the children Saturday and do your shopping while they are having their hair cut.

Palais Royal, Main Floor, Balcony

New Lower Prices on Holeproof Hosiery

ARE NOW IN EFFECT, SHOWING
THE NEWEST SPRING STYLES

Holeproof Hose, \$2 Pair

Full-fashioned, Pure-thread Silk Hose; pure mercerized tops, in black, white, brown and gray; formerly \$3 pair. At \$2 pair.

Holeproof Hose, \$1.65

Women's; pure silk; seamed back; ribbed; elastic tops; in black, white and colors; one of the best selling styles; formerly \$2.25. At \$1.65 pair.

Holeproof Hose, 75c

Women's; fiber silk, with seamed back; good weight; in black and brown; also lisle and cotton-ribbed top, black and white; formerly \$1.50. At 75c pair.

Women's Hose, \$2.25

Silk and wool hose, in the popular Richelieu ribbed; brown, green and heather mixtures; all perfect; formerly \$2.95 and \$3.50. At \$2.25 pair.

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

MEN

Unusually low Clearance prices are featured on these

Suits and Overcoats

\$30 and \$35 Overcoats, \$14.45 sizes 33 to 35 only. At \$14.45.

\$40 to \$50 Overcoats, Ulsters, Ulsterettes and standard staple Chesterfields. Sizes 34 to 44. At \$24.45.

\$50 to \$60 Overcoats, Ulsters, Ulsterettes and Chesterfields, sizes 35 to 44. At \$28.45.

\$65 to \$75 Overcoats, Ulsters, Ulsterettes and dress Chesterfield models; sizes 34 to 44. At \$34.45.

\$75 to \$90 Overcoats, our finest tailored Rochester's best makes, no finer garment produced. Ulsters, Greatcoats and Dress Chesterfields, all lined with best grade silk or satin. \$42.45 sizes 35 to 44. At \$42.45.

\$38.50 All-wool Two-trousers Suits, Yung Men's models. Sizes 33 to 37 only. At \$21.45.

\$50 All-wool Two-trousers Suits sizes 34 to 37. At \$26.45.

All \$50 to \$60 Suits, fine all-wool, hand-tailored; all sizes 33 to 42, but not in every pattern. At \$28.45.

\$60 to \$75 Suits, hand tailored, all-wool Rochester \$34.45 make. Now

Men's \$90 Two-trousers Suits, tailored of the famous Ethan Allen Worsted, garments that will wear several years; conservative models only, in regular, stouts and longs. \$48.45 Reduced to

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

ALL-OVER IMPORTED HANDMADE Beaded Bags INCLUDING WAR TAX \$16.29

Attractively lined with silk, fitted with mirror and purse. Beautiful color effects.

\$5 Boston Bags, \$2.98

Made of genuine cowhide leather, steel frame, double stitched handle with strap and buckle fastener, neatly lined. At \$2.98.

Palais Royal—Main Floor.

For Your Boy

Good Clothes at Most Exceptional Savings

Boys' \$30.00 All-wool Two-trousers Suits, high-grade chevrot and tweeds. \$15.00

Sizes 8 to 18. At \$17.50 to \$22.50 All-wool

Norfolk Suits, sizes 8 to 17; limited quantity. \$8.95

Clearance price at \$10.00.

Norfolk Suits, limited quantity; sizes 8, 9 and 10 only. At \$9.45.

\$12.50 to \$15.00 Two-piece True Blue Serge Suits, sizes 7 to 16. \$7.95

At \$12.50 to \$15.00

Boys' Corduroy and Woolen Knickers. The same

grades that were formerly \$19.50 to \$22.50. \$1.25

Sizes 7 to 16. \$1.25

Boys' Fine All-wool Blue Serge Knickers. An extraordinary special purchase

makes this low price possible. Tailored of good

quality fine all-wool double-warp serge. Every pair full

lined, the same grade recently sold at \$5.00. All

sizes, 7 to 16. \$2.95

Boys' Corduroy Suits, the

finest quality; regular \$12.50 to \$17.50 grades. \$9.95

Reduced to \$12.50 to \$20.00

Big Boys' \$25.00 to \$30.00

All-wool Ulster Style Over-

coats, sizes 11 to 18. Reduced to

\$12.50

\$15.00 All-wool double-

knaws, reduced to \$7.95

to



\$2.50 Grade Wash \$1.15

Suits, sizes 3 to 8. At \$2.00 and \$2.50 Grade

Wash Suits, sizes 3 to 8. At \$1.35

to \$1.00. At \$1.00 to \$2.00 Grade Wash

Suits, sizes 3 to 9. \$1.85

At \$1.85

The greatest Wash Suit

values in years. All guar-

anteed fast colors.

Palais Royal—Third Floor.

COLORFUL AND JAUNTY

New Spring Hats

at \$6.95, \$10 & \$15

A new arrival of scores and scores of fascinating styles in all the warm spring colors—a wonderful collection. Each hat appears more beautiful than the other. There are fetching styles in visca cloth, combined with satin or faille silk in combination colors. Hats of all visca, celophane and of all lisere straw, cleverly trimmed with imported flowers, fruits, foliage, glycerined ostrich, imitation paradise, ostrich bands and fancies.

Included are cute small-brimmed sailors, also the larger sailors; popular off-the-face styles, smart new turbans, pretty pokes and many larger dress hats that are now being sought.

Every wanted style, every wanted color to suit the miss, young woman and matron. Hundreds of styles to choose from.

Perhaps the Largest Collection of Straw Braids, Visca and Celophane Straw, Webbing and New Spring Flowers in the City at Moderate Prices

For the woman that wishes to "brighten up" her old hat or make her own new spring hat, we offer a wonderful collection of all the newest imported and domestic straws, flowers, wreaths, pins, ornaments and fancy feathers, at prices that are exceptionally low.

Palais Royal—Second Floor.

ATTRACTIVE VALUES
FOR SATURDAY

Men's Pajamas at \$2.45

Of good quality madras, plain and striped styles; large, full cut models. The colors are lavender, pink, blue, tan and white. All clean, new stock. Some have silk frog fastenings. All sizes at \$2.45.

Men's Night Shirts 75c

Made of light and medium weight cambric. V neck; some have silk trimming. Large, full cut sizes. Slightly soiled. Sizes 15 to 20. Formerly \$1.50. At 75c.

Men's Underwear \$2.25 Garment

"Duofold" brand. Shirts and Drawers, wool on the outside and cotton next the skin, so as to prevent itching. Regularly \$4.50, at \$2.25 garment.

Men's Pajamas at \$2.00

Made of heavy-weight domet flannel. All neat patterns. Some have silk frog fastenings. All sizes. Regular \$4.50 to \$5 grade. Reduced from our regular stock to \$2 a suit.

Men's Onyx Socks 25c

All perfect, new stock with double soles and high spliced heels. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. The colors are black, gray, navy, cordovan and white. Lisle. Formerly 40c pair, at 25c pair.

Palais Royal—Men's Shop—Main Floor.

SIR JAMES CRAIG ULSTER'S PREMIER

Chosen New Leader Under
Home Rule Act—Twelve
More Murders.

By the Associated Press.
BELFAST, February 4.—The Ulster unionist council today elected Sir James Craig, M. P., leader of the party in the new parliament to be set up for Ulster under the Irish home rule act. Sir Edward Carson presided over the council session.

The election of Sir James Craig as the first premier of the new Ulster parliament means the virtual retirement of Sir Edward Carson from his long-standing leadership of "the loyal people of the six counties" of Ulster. Sir James has been in the imperial parliament since 1906. He was the right-hand man of Sir Edward during the home rule crisis, which was suspended by the dramatic intervention of the war.

Sir James, who was made a baronet in January, 1918, for war services, was born at Strandtown, County Down, on January 8, 1871. He served both the South African and world wars. Three ministerial posts have been occupied by him. He was treasurer of the royal household in 1917-18. Sir James has been in the imperial parliament since 1906. He was the right-hand man of Sir Edward during the home rule crisis, which was suspended by the dramatic intervention of the war.

Twelve More Officers Slain.
DUBLIN, February 4.—Nine policemen were killed and two wounded yesterday when two lorries ran into an ambush between Drumkeen and New Pallas, County Limerick, ten miles from Limerick. Most of the casualties occurred with the first volley.

Members of the attacking party took all the arms of the policemen and also searched their pockets. It is reported that some of the bodies of the dead were mutilated.

Another ambush took place yesterday afternoon near Ballinahugh, County Cork, a short distance southwest of Queenstown. Four constables were attacked. Two of them were shot dead and one was seriously wounded. The other man escaped.

Given U. S. War Honors.
District Inspector Francis Worthington Craven was one of those killed in the ambush Wednesday at Ballinahugh. He served in the navy during the war, and received the American distinguished service cross, and the British distinguished service order.

Mr. Craven, an auxiliary policeman, dressed in citizen's clothes, was followed into a restaurant in Dame street and shot in the arm by a man armed with a revolver. Craven was sent to a hospital. His assailant escaped.

At Balbriggan a policeman named Samuel Greene was shot and killed today.

Attempt to Kill Witness.
The third murder trial arising out of the assassination of court-martial officers in Dublin last November, set for today, was postponed, in consequence of an attempt to assassinate an important witness for the prosecution. This witness, whose name was not given, was wounded in the attack upon him.

SAYS DAWES REFUTES
"MUCKRAKERS'" STORIES
Secretary Daniels Foresees Oblivion for Detractors of President Wilson's Conduct of War.

RALEIGH, N. C., February 4.—"The muckrakers have been trying to find something wrong about the Army and the Navy, but as brave Gen. Dawes, an honest republican," said, they cannot make out a case," he declared Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels before a joint session of the general assembly of North Carolina.

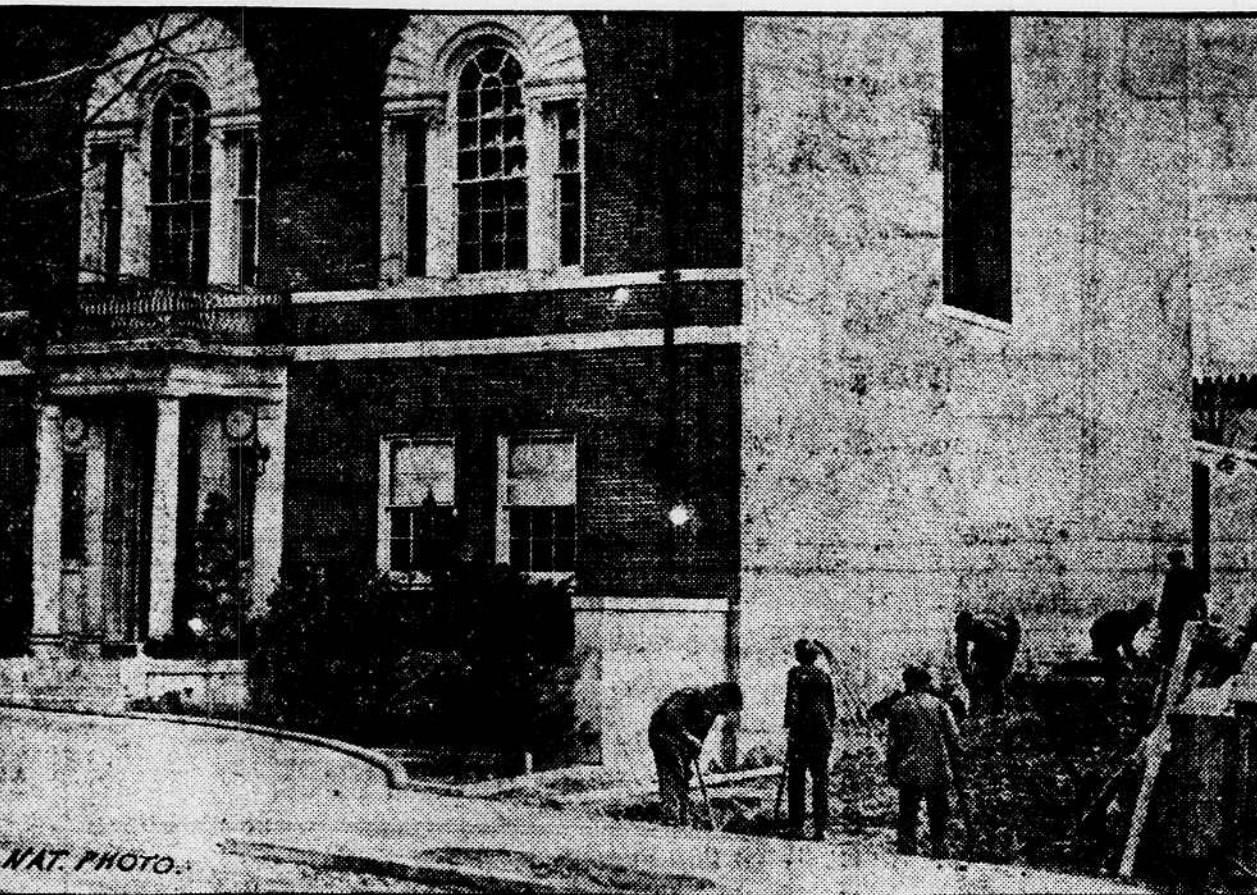
In the clear light of history," continued Secretary Daniels, "the great achievement will shine while the detractor of Wilson's conduct of the war will be despised and forgotten."

When the war was over, Secretary Daniels said, there was no place in the world where men did not love America. The day of isolation has gone for ever, and America must lead the world in prosperity and in peace.

"You read in the morning papers the vigorous and illuminating testimony of Gen. Dawes of Chicago, who was Gen. Pershing's right hand. He was in charge of the forces who supplied the soldiers in France. Mr. Dawes told the committee of Congress that in that war they would have paid for a sheep the price of a horse if it could carry a gun into action."

\$5,500 REWARD FOR BOMBERS.
ABERDEEN, Wash., February 4.—Rewards totaling \$5,500 were offered today for the arrest of the man who attempted to dynamite the American Legion building here last Wednesday night by placing a bundle of dynamite with lighted fuse attached under the corner of the structure. Following the proclamation by Gov. Louis F. Hart at Olympia of a reward of \$500 for the arrest of citizens who subscribed an additional \$5,000 last night.

FUTURE HOME OF PRESIDENT WILSON UNDERGOES CHANGES.



Work on remodeling the new home of President Wilson has been started. Workmen are busy excavating for a driveway on the west side of the house. The plans call for an elevator to be installed, with a direct entrance.

AMERICAN PROTEST ON INDEMNITY PLAN BEING CONSIDERED

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on the haste the French government had displayed to settle matters concerning the United States before the new administration was installed. Criticizing the Paris conference, he declared: "There can be no capitalization, mobilization or discounting of the German debt until the United States is a party to the agreement."

The reparation commission estimates that the total damages of all the allies collectable from Germany will be between 210,000,000,000 and 250,000,000,000 gold marks, according to an official announcement. The ministry of foreign affairs calculates that the supreme council's fixed indemnities, if capitalized, should yield about 75,000,000,000 gold marks.

GERMANY NOT TO SIGN.

Paris Proposal Not Even Starting Point, Says Dr. Scholz.

BERLIN, February 3.—"Germany does not, of course, withdraw from further negotiations, but she must decline to accept the present Paris proposals as constituting a basis, or even a starting point, for renewed deliberations," Dr. Ernest Scholz, minister of economics, informed the Associated Press today. Germany, he added, would not affix her signature to a pact that could not be fulfilled, and declared that the Versailles treaty prescribed an entirely different procedure for arriving at the amount of indemnity Germany was to pay than that adopted by the supreme council at Paris.

Dr. Scholz, who represents the German people's party in the present coalition government and who has had a long career as government and municipal official, designated the export tax provided for in the proposals as

tantamount to "killing the goose that is to lay the golden eggs," because it would not only stifle Germany's export industry, but would primarily deprive her from earning credits and moneys from exports to neutral countries and the United States, where she in turn is obliged to pay for the raw products and foodstuffs indispensable to the nation's economic and vital existence.

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TIRES
30x3½
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CHAS. E. MILLER, Inc.
Formerly Miller Bros. Auto Supply House,
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MANDATE FOR PALESTINE PREPARED BY BRITAIN

Assumption of Responsibility for
Territorial Integrity and Civil
and Religious Liberty Announced.

LONDON, February 4.—The British draft of the mandate for Palestine, which will be submitted to the council of the league of nations at its next meeting in Geneva, provides in its first article that the mandatory nation (Great Britain) shall have all the powers inherent in the government of a sovereign state, according to the text of the draft, printed by the Jewish Chronicle here today.

The mandatory assumes the responsibility of seeing that no Palestine territory shall be ceded, leased, or otherwise subjected to any foreign power; that Jewish immigration shall be facilitated; that the civil and religious rights of all the inhabitants, irrespective of race or religion, shall be safeguarded, and that there be no discrimination against the nationals

of any state member of the league of nations. Responsibility for taxation, commerce and navigation is vested in the mandatory. It also is provided that a land system be introduced to promote close settlement of the land and its intensive cultivation, safeguarding the interests of the community and the development of the country. All responsibility in connection with the holy places, religious buildings and their sites are assumed by Great Britain.

English, Arabic and Hebrew are to be the official languages of the country. The Palestine administration, it is provided, may organize on a voluntary basis the necessary forces for the preservation of the peace and order and defense of the country, subject to the supervision of the mandatory. The mandatory is to adhere to the existing conventions regarding the traffic in slaves, ammunition and drugs, and as to commercial equality and freedom of transit and communication.

Great Britain is to make an annual report to the league of nations council on the measure taken during the year.

\$4.00
ROUND TRIP
War Tax, 32c
Additional

**SUNDAY
EXCURSION**
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.
SUNDAY, MARCH 6th
SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN, VIA DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE.
NO CHANGE OF CARS.
LEAVES WASHINGTON—12:01 A.M.
RETURNING,
LEAVES ATLANTIC CITY—5:00 P.M.

**PENNSYLVANIA
SYSTEM**

Woman teachers are no longer employed in French schools for boys. The authorization to employ them, granted during the war, has been withdrawn, because the return to normal life has rendered man teachers available.

POWER MARKET KEARNEY
714-11ST. OPP PALAIS ROYAL
P-K quality table delicacies will please YOU, too.

Smoked Hams Morris' "Supreme" lb., 28c
Sugar Cured

Prime Steer Beef
Prime Rib Roast . . . lb., 35c
Bouillon Roast . . . lb., 28c
Shoulder Clod . . . lb., 28c
Chuck Roast . . . lb., 25c
Leg of Lamb, lb., . . . 35c

Fresh Hams
From Young Corned Pigs
lb., 28c

Corned Hams
Fancy Sugar Cured
lb., 28c

Chickens
Fresh Killed—Baking or Stewing
lb., 45c

Fresh Eggs Shipped to us direct from
Virginia farms. Every egg
guaranteed. **Doz., 68c**

Sugar Best American Cane Granulated,
lb., 8c; or

Oranges Large Floridas
Doz., 50c

Potatoes Best No. 1 Stock
Peck, 30c

Grape Fruit Large size
Each, 10c; 3 for 25c

Flour Gold Medal or Pillsbury's
12-lb. Sack, 75c

Strawberry Preserves
Del Monte—Glass Jars
Each, 35c; 3 for \$1.00

"Tulips"
Sunshine Biscuit Co.
lb., 35c; 4-lb. Box, \$1.20

Tomatoes Del Monte—Large Cans.
2 for 25c—9 for \$1.00

P-K Coffee, Freshly Roasted Every Day—
Ground to Your Order **lb., 25c**

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Avenue

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Seventh
Street

Each Department has a Proclamation tomorrow
that will interest—because it has the essential
factors of satisfaction—quality and saving.

Men's Suits

From out the \$40, \$45 and \$50 grades of
Suits we've gathered the broken sizes—mostly
Young Men's models—38 is the largest. But
they have those unmistakable evidences of
Saks makemanship which proclaim the supe-
riority of Saks Clothes.

Thus, the special price becomes a magnet
worth yielding to—

\$23.75

Shoes

A Family Affair

That wonderful sale of Women's Low
Shoes started last Monday will have another
day of grace—tomorrow.

The values—conservatively estimated—
reach up to \$10—

\$2.95 a Pair

Dress—Walking or English lasts—in Oxfords—
Colonials—One-eyeclet Ties—Strap effects—Tongue
and Victory Pumps—Slippers and novelties—in Brown
Kid—Brown Calf—Black Kid—Gun Metal—Patent
Kid or Colt—White Kid—Black Satin. Sizes 2½ to 8;
widths AAA to E—with plenty of the larger sizes.
Quite all sizes—for tomorrow.

Men's English and Conservative lasts—
Blucher or Lace styles—of Delta and other
contemporaneous makes. Shell Cordovan,
Mahogany and Brown, Tony Red Russia Calf,
Gunmetal, Vici Kid, Patent Leather, etc. All
sizes in the combined lots.

Values up to \$11—
\$4.95 a Pair

Boys' Brown English Lace Shoes—
Goodyear sewed Oak soles—in sizes from
1 to 5½. Regular value is \$6.00. . . . **\$3.95**
Boys' and Little Boys' Scout Shoes—
Brown Elk leather; solid leather soles;
sizes 11 to 6. Values up to \$4.00. . . . **\$2.95**
Boys' and Girls' Tan Leather Laced
Shoes—made on the "toe-room" last;
sewed leather soles. . . . **\$1.39**

Boys' Clothing

The manufacturers have their bargain
times, too—and when our special coterie be-
came ready to cut loose, we were given our
privilege—you to choose—with this astonish-
ing result—

Fancy Cheviot Suits—belted model—
each suit with TWO PAIRS of pants, fully
lined. Strictly all wool. Sizes 7 to 16 years. **\$9.75**

Gray and Brown Mixed Cheviot Suits—
TWO PAIRS of full-lined pants with each
suit. Excellent models. Sizes 7 to 16 years. **\$7.75**

Crompton's All-weather Corduroy Suits, the
"real Crompton's," bearing the label; pants
full lined and all seams strongly sewed.
Sizes 7 to 16 years. SPECIAL. . . . **\$6.75**

Makers' Samples of Wash Suits—Linen, Crash,
Madras, Poplin, Coutil, Pique, Mercerized, Cham-
bray, etc.—Middy, Junior Norfolk and But-
ton-on Styles. Sizes from 2½ to 7 years
—and all models of Suits made to sell up to
\$6.00. Choice. . . . **\$1.95**

Boys' Corduroy Knickerbocker Pants—
full cut; strongly made. They are in the
wanted Mouse color. Sizes 7 to 17 years. **\$1.59**

Boys' Fancy Cassimere Knickerbocker
Pants—neat patterns; full lined; sizes 7 to
17 years. . . . **\$1.95**

Boys' Blouse Waists—cut in excellent
proportions, and well made—with many attractive
patterns from which to choose. Collars
attached. Sizes 6 to 16 years. . . . **79c**
3 for \$2.25

Boys' Shirts—splendid patterns that
the boys will like. Sizes from 12½ to 14.
Soft cuffs. . . . **89c**
3 for \$2.50

Children's Notaseme Stockings—White,
Black and Tan—in sizes from 6 to 11. . . . **39c**
3 for \$1.10

Boys' Domet Sleepers; striped pat-
terns; with and without feet. Sizes 2 to
14 years. . . . **95c**

Men's Shirts

A real surprise is coming tomorrow. We
are able to place on sale about 200 dozen
Neglige Shirts—of the finer grades of Ma-
dras, Percale and Crepes—in extremely choice
patterns—some very smart, others more con-
servative.

From neckband to bottom hem these are
generous Shirts—in material, in proportion, in
make.

All sizes from 13½ to 19—note that, you
big men—19.

\$2 Shirts—you'll say—

95 Cents

Men's Hats

We've puzzled and planned, searched and
schemed to make a Hat that would measure
up to our ideal of value—both ways—material
value and value in effect.

It's here—a Hat that will win you on sight
—and keep in your good graces to the day of
its emancipation for a straw.

We have laid down very minute specifica-
tions, and they have been adhered to—strictly
—in the quality of which you may not be a
judge, as well as in the outward evidences upon
which you are thoroughly posted.

Gracefully tapering crowns—rather snug
brims—wide silk bands—bowed behind or to
the side—silk lined and leather sweated. In
personal proportions. Seven smart colors—
with Pearl Gray as the smartest of all—

\$4.85

Economy Floor

(Fourth Floor)

Some more of those really remarkable
Suits—in plain and fancy weaves—of excel-
lent models; specially well made and trimmed.
Young Men's and Conservative models—and
all sizes, for Saturday at least—

\$19.75

And the Pants Sale goes on.

The best values you've seen for a long time
in Separate Pants—qualities and patterns con-
sidered. In three groups—

\$3.00 grade. \$1.95

\$5.00 grade. \$3.65

\$7.50 grade. \$4.95

\$10

for Invisible Bifocals

This special price for Invisible Toric
One-piece Bifocal Lenses is to de-
monstrate our expert service.

A Test will help you get acquainted
with the Eye Efficiency of this shop.

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MOVIE CENSORSHIP HEARING ORDERED

Commissioners Invite Civic Organizations and Other Interests to Appear.

Believing there is need of censorship for motion pictures in Washington, the Commissioners announced today that a public hearing will be held in the boardroom of the District building at 2 o'clock on February 23 to consider the question.

Representatives of the motion picture industry, civic organizations and the churches will be invited to attend the hearing and make suggestions as to the best method of regulation.

Commissioners' Statement.
The statement of the city heads read, in part, as follows:

"The Commissioners believe there is need of some further regulation or censorship of motion pictures exhibited in the city of Washington. Under an act of Congress approved March 1, 1901, the Commissioners are authorized to terminate the license of any theater or other place of amusement whenever it shall appear to them that, after due notice, the person holding such license shall have failed to comply with such regulations as may be prescribed by the Commissioners for the public decency."

"While no specific regulations governing exhibitions of motion pictures have been made, there are regulations prohibiting other performances offensive to public decency. The Commissioners have no doubt that they have power to extend these regulations to govern the exhibition of films which violate decency. They have no desire to do anything that will work an undue hardship on those engaged in the motion picture industry, but they feel their responsibility to the people of Washington to see that what is shown on the screens does not violate the regulations which they have adopted."

"Some Very Objectionable."
"While films exhibited in Washington have been subject to censorship, this has not been rigid enough to prevent the exhibition of some very objectionable films. In order to afford an opportunity for a full and free discussion of this matter, both on the part of those engaged in the motion picture industry and those representing the citizenship of Washington, they have decided to hold a public hearing on the 23rd of February, at 2 p.m., to which they extend this invitation to you to be present to make suggestions as to what, if any, restrictions should be made upon the display of films which will tend to better regulate this industry."

The international reform bureau, through Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts, recently was granted a brief conference with the Commissioners on the question of censorship, but the city heads felt a more general discussion would be advisable before action is taken.

MOVIES OF POPE SHOWN.
Pictures of Canonization of Joan of Arc at Gonzaga Hall.

Motion pictures of the Pope of Rome were shown here for the first time yesterday afternoon and evening at Gonzaga Hall. The pictures depicted the Pope's canonization ceremonies attending the canonization of Joan of Arc.

Representatives of the French embassy and the Cuban legation attended the entertainment. The apostolic delegate was represented by Rev. Mgr. Cosio. Delegations from Georgetown University, Immaculate Seminary, Trinity College and Holy Cross College also were in the audience.

TALES OF DARING IN AMERICAN WEST CHOICE AT COBLENZ

COBLENZ, February 4.—Tales of adventure in the American west are the favorite reading matter of the Coblenz boys, who are very keen about translation of Caesar's Gallic wars.

Strangely enough, Julius Caesar runs a close second with the doughboys, who are very keen about translation of Caesar's Gallic wars.

Books which describe the legends centering about the Rhine are also popular. All-story magazines which specialize in adventures are more popular with the American soldiers than any other periodicals, and the American Library Association has been unable to supply the demand for publications of this sort.

The main library in Coblenz was formerly a German officers' club and is ideally suited to library purposes. It has a great hall, which makes an excellent reading room, and also has sun parlors and large drawing rooms.

Many Germans have asked for the privilege of using the library. But this has been denied, as the army did not think it advisable. One German told the librarian he had lived many years in America and should really be allowed to have books because he was an American "in principle."

WILL REPEAT PROGRAM.

St. Patrick's Players to Give Performance Tonight.

The recently organized St. Patrick's Players, who made their dramatic debut Tuesday night, will put on an extra performance at 8 o'clock tonight, caused by the inability of hundreds of purchasers of tickets for the first two shows to gain admittance to Carroll Hall.

All attendance records for the hall were broken by the new company, which seems destined to become a permanent community means of presenting new dramatic and musical productions by Washington talent. The entire proceeds of the engagement last night were turned over to the Hoover European relief fund, as well as the collection that was taken up in the audience.

Next Monday night the last performance will be given for the benefit of the hospital fund of Costello Foster, in a society dancing act; Miss Margaret Blaine, Miss Estelle Murray, Miss Elizabeth Boxan, Miss Ethel Williams, Miss Rita Ryan, Miss Peggy O'Dea, Miss Lenore Schultz, Miss Helene Faleska, Miss Beatrice Cosgrove and Irwin Cosgrove all scored hits in their various numbers last night.

PERSHING TO LAY STONE.
Will Officiate at Ceremonies of New Racquet Club Building.

The corner stone of the Racquet Club will be laid at 11:35 16th street Saturday, February 12, Lincoln's birthday. Gen. John J. Pershing will officiate at ceremonies, which begin at 12 o'clock noon.

U. S. S. MAINE MEMORIAL.
Plans for the annual memorial ceremonies to be held at the shaft of the U. S. S. Maine in Arlington, May 30, were perfected at a meeting of the President's Own Garrison, No. 104, of the Army and Navy Union, held in G. A. R. Hall last night. New members mentioned in at the meeting were Lieut. John B. Spratt, formerly of the 6th United States Marines, who was awarded the D. S. C. for the forerunner and the cross de guerre; John L. Snider, J. S. Hanson, John Malloy and C. M. Snyder.

SCHOOL FOR TUBERCULAR CHILDREN IS CONDEMNED

Conditions at Hamilton Building, on Fladensburg Road, Described in Medical Society Report.

Conditions at the Hamilton public school for tubercular infected children are described in a report just submitted by a committee of the District Medical Society.

The committee was composed of Drs. C. N. Chipman, E. C. Folkmar, Benjamin Newhouse, F. A. Hornaday and Joseph D. Rogers. The school is characterized as a "disgrace to the nation's capital."

"Charges that the school building is damp and musty and that the grounds around it likewise are damp and unhealthy, besides being inaccessible for the thirty-four pupils attending it, are embodied in the document. Complaints are made that school authorities have not furnished a single cold weather garment for the pupils, that the school nurse made only one visit to the institution last year and that the building has not been fumigated in that time."

The Hamilton Tuberculosis School is located on Fladensburg road, a mile north of 14th and H streets northeast, on the crest of a hill called Fort Hamilton. The only view from the school building, the report states, is of Mount Olivet cemetery.

Another bad feature is a trash disposal plant which has been located near so that in damp weather odors and smoke reach the school. The committee recommended in its report that the Hamilton school be replaced by a new building.

PLAN TO JOIN SHIPPERS.

Maryland Peach Growers Hope to Revise Freight Rates.

COLLEGE PARK, February 4 (Special).—Maryland peach growers are preparing to join forces with the International Apple Shippers' Association in an effort to secure a revision of the classification and freight rates on peaches shipped from the territory east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio river and affecting Maryland producers.

Peach growers in the southern part of the eastern shore already have signed their intention of contributing to the fund which is being raised in the state to aid in presenting the case to the Interstate Commerce Commission. On the basis of the 657 carloads which represent the average annual shipment from Maryland orchards, the peach growers of the state stand to save approximately \$20,000 each year.

PRESIDENT CUTS PENALTIES LEVIED BY COURTS-MARTIAL

Dishonorable Discharges to Be Ordered Only in Aggravated Cases—Prison Terms for Certain Offenses Reduced.

By the Associated Press.

Reduction in the number of dishonorable discharges from the Army and a grading down in the severity of courts-martial sentences are expected by the judge advocate general's department to result from an executive order limiting military peace-time punishment, which goes into effect tomorrow. The order follows wide agitation over courts-martial penalties during the war period.

A memorandum from the President, attached to the order, directs that maximum punishment and dishonorable discharges be imposed only in aggravated cases. This is expected to have more effect in reducing penalties, it was stated, than the actual order, which reduces punishments for twenty-one different offenses under the military code.

The old maximum of eighteen months' confinement for desertion by more than one year in service has been reduced to one year. The period of absence for which desertion penalties can be imposed is increased from thirty to sixty days.

The maximum penalty for fraudulent enlistment has been reduced from one year's imprisonment to six months. The greatest reduction of maximum confinement is for assault without deadly weapons, which was five years, reduced to one year. The maximum where weapons are used still is five years.

The maximum for obtaining under false pretenses money or property valued at \$50 or more is reduced from five years to three years.

"The executive order will not result in a radical reduction of penalties," Col. C. A. Kreger, acting judge advocate, declared. "Punishments for offenses in the Army have been based since 1914 on a consensus of those fixed by different state laws for similar civil offenses. The executive order reduces maximum penalties for certain offenses as fraudulently enlisting, desertion and other peculiarly military in nature, but maximum penalties seldom have been awarded for these offenses."

The President's memorandum, calling attention to the articles of war,

which provide for a grading down from maximum penalties where cases are not aggravated, probably will have more effect in lightening punishments than the reductions which he actually orders. His memorandum, however, but stresses what is already a part of military law.

Since 1890 the President has been authorized by Congress to fix the limit of military punishment by executive order, and several such orders have been issued from time to time by different Presidents.

WATER METERS URGED.

Women's City Club Wants U. S. to Pay for Supply Used.

Believing that the government should not be permitted to have a free water supply at the expense of the citizens of the District, the Women's City Club, at a meeting held Tuesday, adopted a resolution urging the immediate installation of meters in all District and government buildings in Washington. The resolution was introduced by Mrs. William B. Hardy.

The committee from business and professional women's section reported from a business meeting a protest of that section against the action of the appropriations committee of the House in cutting the estimates of the women's bureau, as marked discrimination against women. The club indorsed the action.

The following were elected on the committee to nominate officers for the May elections: Mrs. Edith B. Newman, chairman; Miss Margaret Patch, Mrs. Margaret DeWolf, Mrs. Lena C. Davis, Mrs. George Johnston, Miss Estella Holman, Miss Ethel Lawrence, Mrs. Jennie O. Berliner, Miss Adela Heaven.

NOT WITH CULINARY STAFF.

The "Cuban dinner" served at the National Press Club last Sunday was prepared from a menu submitted by Peter Borras, but it was erroneously stated that Mr. Borras was one of the culinary staff of the Cuban legation.

SUNDAY "PARTY" WORK FOR SERVANTS RAPPED

Bishop Harding Raps Some D. C. Social Leaders to Episcopalians.

Persons in Washington who hold social events on Sunday afternoons which require work of their servants were criticized by Right Rev. Alfred Harding, Bishop of Washington, at the closing session yesterday afternoon of the annual convention of the diocese of Washington at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

Bishop Harding's address followed a report of the social service committee, which, at the morning session, had recommended that none of the clergymen participate in any campaign for Sunday "blue laws" here. He said further that the commercialized amusement places are to be closed on Sundays it is up to the churches to provide a substitute, such as good music or some other form of entertainment in the churches.

The convention voted to increase the bishop's salary by \$2,000 a year. It was decided to hold the convention next year at Trinity Circle and Community church, 30 and 40 streets, of which Rev. David R. Covey is rector. The convention elected the following diocesan committee:

Standing committee—Clerical, Rev. George F. Dudley, Rev. L. R. Levering, Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, Rev. J. W. Austin, laymen, Marcus Benjamin, J. H. Gordon, W. C. Rives. Deputies to the provincial synod—Clerical, Rev. C. P. Sparling, Rev. T. Warner, Rev. G. C. F. Bratenahl, Rev. D. Wellington Curran, laymen, S. E. Kramer, E. L. Rust, H. P. Blair, E. L. Stock.

Diocesan board of managers—Clerical, Rev. T. J. Brown, Rev. J. W. Austin, Rev. W. O. Boone, Rev. G. C. F. Bratenahl, Rev. C. P. Sparling, Rev. W. L. Davies, Rev. W. D. Dent, laymen, S. E. Kramer, E. L. Stock, W. C. Rives, C. H. Stockton, G. B. Selden. To cathedral council—Rev. J. W. Austin, Rev. G. C. F. Bratenahl and Rev. W. L. Davies.

WOULD SAVE THE BIRDS.

Rev. Dr. C. Ernest Smith Presents Resolution to Episcopalians.

Rev. Dr. C. Ernest Smith, rector of St. Thomas' parish, who also is president of the Washington Humane Society and the National Society for the Humane Regulation of Vivisection, presented resolutions to the Episcopal convention yesterday on behalf of proper treatment and care of animals, both wild and domestic. The convention adopted the resolution.

CROSSING SWEEPERS LIKE DICKENS' OWN FOUND IN ST. JOHN'S

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., February 4.—The child crossing sweep, a character that seems to have stepped out of the pages of Dickens, has come into his seasonal occupation in this colonial capital. So far as known, St. John's is the only place in North America where the institution survives. The old-world touch given by the young fatherless and their brooms has much of the picturesque, and in a city subject to weather conditions that make for snow-bound crossings and muddled flagstones the children have made themselves so familiar and useful on the streets as to have unofficial status as a public utility.

No white-winged child laborer of Chicago or New York does his work more faithfully. Unlike the manual employee, the child crossing tender pays their sweeps independently and without wage. At the end of the crossing, however, the pedestrian almost invariably finds the little ones holding their brooms in one hand and extending the others for alms. Payment in pennies is given freely, but the pedestrian has a problem when he finds several seeking to clear his way and waiting their payment combatively at the curb.

Convention protests against the destruction of the birds of the air and preserves sympathetic interest with the work of all societies whose aim is "the protection of the friendless and the wronged."

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G. U. FIRE LOSS, \$1,000.

Seib Praises Students for Helping Save Property.

Fire Marshal Seib and his assistants made a careful survey of North Hall, the building at Georgetown University damaged by fire yesterday, and estimated the damage to the building at \$1,000. More damage was done by water than by fire, the fire marshal reported. Damage to the contents of the building was placed at \$200.

The fire marshal praised the university students for their effective work in removing portable goods from the building, preventing much damage. Before firemen left the structure, the students were making merry in the building, playing musical instruments and singing college songs. Fire Marshal Seib said he thought the fire resulted from a spark from the chimney.

SHARP DEBATE IN SENATE OVER AID FOR WOUNDED

Senator Robinson Declares Legislation for Service Men Must Precede All Other.

Failure to provide safe and adequate hospital facilities for sick and wounded world war service men provoked another sharp debate yesterday in the Senate. Offering a bill to appropriate \$20,000,000 for new beds, Senator Robinson, democrat, Arkansas, said he acted at the instance of a number of senators who were determined that action should be had at that session.

"Congress," he said, "may postpone consideration of tariff legislation and even the general appropriation bills until the next session, but it must redress its obligations to former service men, thousands of whom might be suffering and premature death, and who are being threatened with life-long suffering and premature death, unless the appropriation committee had amended the sundry civil bill so as to provide funds for five new hospitals and to enlarge existing ones. The bill would be reported," he said, as soon as the "bill" on the House emergency tariff bill ended. He added that Surgeon General Cummings of the public health service had told the committee that the \$17,500,000 appropriation proposed was all that could be spent next year.

KIWANIS CLUB MEETS.
Decides Active Support of Boy Scouts and Plans Entertainments.

Active support of the Boy Scout movement, an entertainment for Walter Reed Hospital on March 17, an invitation to the Rotary Club to attend a meeting, and a club picnic are some of the activities decided on yesterday for the coming year at the weekly meeting of the Kiwanis Club at the Washington Hotel.

It is expected that the club will raise approximately \$10,000 to further the Boy Scout movement, which club members have recently indorsed. Harry Rust, chairman of the European relief committee of the club, reported that \$308 had already been raised for this purpose.

Claude H. Woodward, president of the club, announced the following appointments as members of the house committee: H. C. Rand, chairman; Robert B. Cummings, Robert S. Downs and Max Walton.

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Overcoat
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You can practically wait on yourselves. Pick out any coat, the price is the same, \$19.75.

Fine Kerseys, Meltons, Plaid-Backs and other rich and expensive cloths comprise the stock.

Usters, Ulsterettes, Conservative Chesterfields, Form-fitting Double-breasted Coats for stylish young men are in colors and materials to please any man. Sizes 33 to 48.

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That Will Match Your Odd Coats

There are plenty of patterns, shades, colors, etc., in all the desirable materials, such as cashmeres, flannels, worsteds, etc. The possibilities are that we have just the Trousers you need to go with your odd coat, for we have hundreds of pairs to choose from—the biggest assortment in this city. All sizes.

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15c size Lux Flakes.....	10c
50c size Pepsodent Tooth Paste.....	32c
30c size Kolynos Tooth Paste.....	19c
50c size Pebeco Tooth Paste.....	32c
25c size Lyons Tooth Powder.....	17c
25c size Mennen's Talcum Powder.....	17c
65c size La Blache Face Powder.....	42c
50c size Java Rice Powder.....	32c
50c size Mennen's Shaving Cream.....	29c
50c size Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream.....	32c
60c size D. & R. Cold Cream.....	36c
50c size Multisified Coconut Oil.....	34c
35c size Pond's Cold Cream.....	24c
\$1.00 size Horlick's Malted Milk.....	69c
\$1.00 size Nujol.....	79c
\$1.00 size Listerine.....	74c
\$1.00 size Lavioris.....	69c
\$1.00 size Mellin's Food.....	59c
\$1.00 size Eskay's Food.....	59c
\$1.00 size Danderine.....	62c
\$1.30 size Pinkham's Veg. Comp.....	77c
40c size Castoria.....	25c
60c size Bromo Seltzer.....	36c
60c size Doan's Kidney Pills.....	39c
70c size Sal. Hepatica.....	41c
35c Frostilla.....	19c
60c size Forham's Tooth Paste.....	35c
50c size Doran's Reuge.....	40c
\$1.10 size Nuxated Iron.....	65c
\$1.00 size Pyorrhoeide Tooth Powder.....	79c
25c size Woodbury's Soap.....	16c
25c size Resinol Soap.....	18c
25c size Cuticura Soap.....	18c
25c size Mavis Talcum Powder.....	17c
10c size Lifebuoy Soap, 2 for.....	15c

FEBRUARY SALES

Harmony Trailing Arbutus

Regular 60c Jar 43c During February Only

To introduce this exceptional cream to new customers as quickly as possible, we have reduced the price from 60c to 43c for February only. An excellent skin food, and nothing better to counteract the effects of winter weather on the face.

Riker's Expectorant
Regular 75c Bottle 49c During February Only

For over three-quarters of a century used with great success for the cure of coughs. Pleasant to take and soothing.

Riker's Senafig
Regular 75c Bottle 49c During February Only

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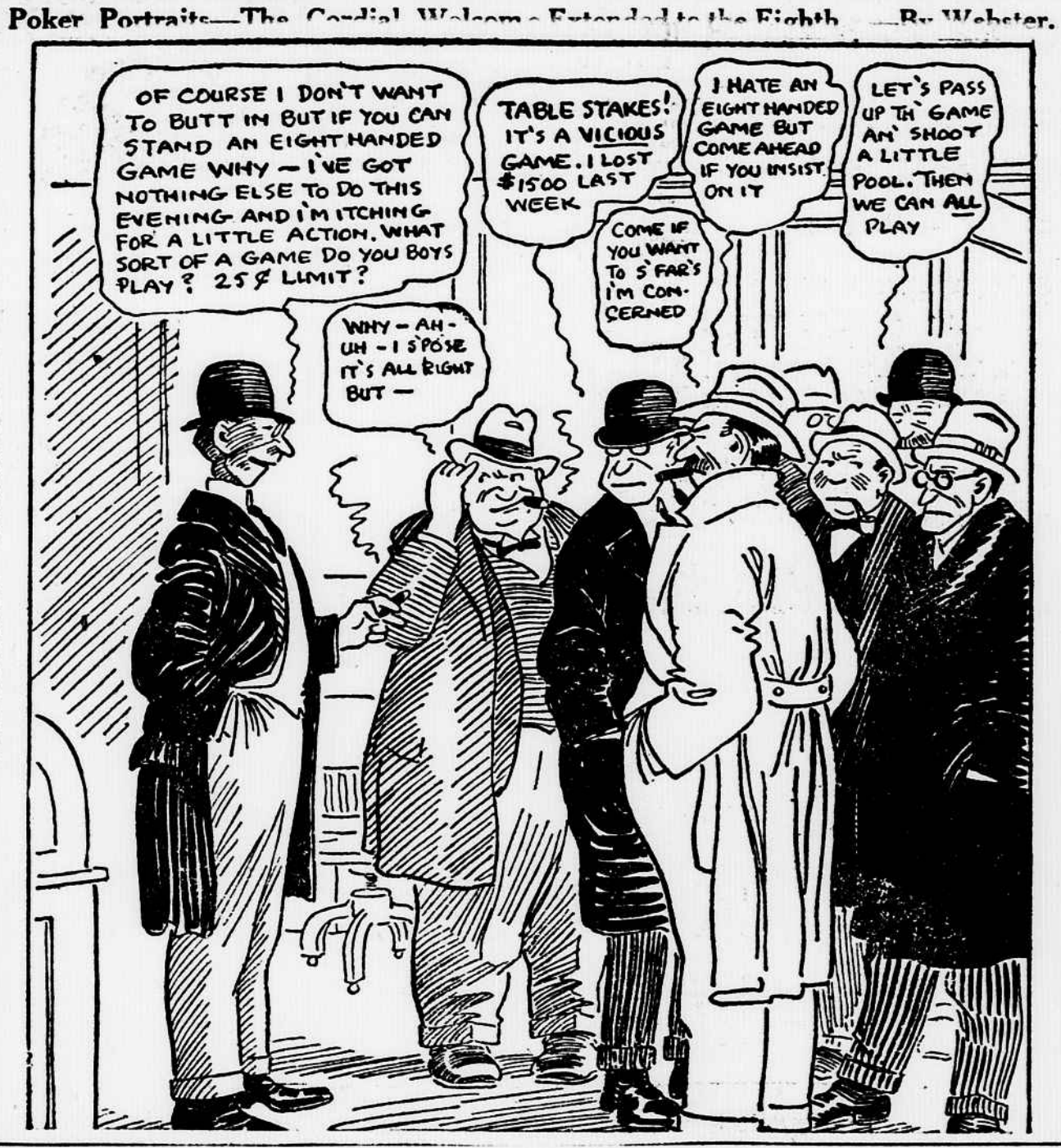
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NOMINEE FOR S. A. R.

Selden Marvin Ely was the only nominee for the office of president of the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at a meeting of that organization, held Wednesday night at the Franklin Square Hotel. Other candidates for office to be voted on at the annual meeting of the society February 22 and for the position of delegates to the annual congress scheduled for next May at Buffalo, N. Y., were:

For vice presidents (three to be elected), Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, Clarence A. Kenyon, John E. Torbert, Henry L. Bryan, Dr. Mark F. Finley, Dr. Andrew Stewart and Dr. G. Tully Vaughan; secretary, William A. Miller; treasurer, Alfred B. Dent; registrar, Capt. O. C. Lufford; assistant registrar, Henry P. Holden; historian, Henry White Draper; librarian, William L. Boyden; chaplain, Dr. James M. Nourse; board of management, Francis H. Parsons, Merritt L. Davis, Dr. Mark F. Finley, John S. Barker, Dr. Thomas J. Brown, Dr. J. Newton Baker, A. D. Spangler and Samuel Herick; delegates to annual congress (eleven to be elected), Dr. Mark F. Finley, John S. Barker, William A. Copenhaver, A. D. Spangler, Col. Fred C. Bryan, John S. Barker, J. Newton Baker, E. W. Chatterton, Commander John H. Moore, Henry W. V. Fletcher, Bennett, Samuel Herick, Fred D. Owen, Alfred B. Dent, George R. Ide, Maj. A. M. Holcombe, O. W. Goodwin, Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, Admiral George W. Baird, Clarence A. Kenyon, William S. Parks and Admiral T. F. Jewell.

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Fresh Shoulders, lb.	19c	Fresh Hams, lb.	27c
Bean or Fat Back, lb.	15c	Country Style Bacon, lb.	19c
Machine Sliced Bacon, lb.	35c	Pure Hog's Lard, lb.	16c
Pork Pudding, lb.	18c	Compound, a lard substitute, lb.	12½c

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Round Steak, lb.	23c	Fancy Chuck Roast, lb.	16c
Porterhouse Steak, lb.	27c	Prime Rib Roast, lb.	20c
Hamburger Steak, lb.	18c	Shoulder Clod Roast, lb.	20c
Plate Beef (for boiling), lb.	10c	Bonillon Roast, lb.	20c
Beef Liver, lb.	15c	Top Rib Roast, lb.	20c
		Boneless Pot Roast, lb.	18c

PRIME MILK-FED VEAL

Veal Cutlets, lb.	40c	Leg of Lamb, lb.	30c
Loon and Rib Veal Chops, lb.	30c	Breast Lamb, lb.	14c
Breast Veal, bone out, lb.	16c	Shoulder Lamb, lb.	20c
Shoulder Veal, roasting, lb.	20c	Shoulder Lamb Chops, lb.	23c
Fancy Calf Liver, lb.	30c	Rib & Loon Lamb Chops, lb.	30c

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Tan English Bal, Buck Top, Tan English Bal, also Tan Button, Patent Button Buck Top, also in Lace, Patent Leather Blucher and Button, now reduced to \$3.98.



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Men's Work and Dress Shoes, Men's Heavy Tan Work Shoes, also Gun Metal Button, Patent Button, and Patent Lace in Bal and Blucher Styles. Now reduced to \$3.98.



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Men's Dress Shoes in Black Blucher and English Bal, Tan Blucher and Tan Bal; also in Button and Lace, Tan and Black Lace and Blucher Oxfords; odd lots and broken sizes. Now reduced to \$2.98.

Women's Rubbers. All styles and shapes. Regular prices, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Sale Price.....	89c
Women's Black and Grey Juliets. Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 kind. Sale Price.....	98c
Women's Wool Heather Hose, which is now all the rage. Regular Price, \$2.55. Sale Price.....	98c
Women's All-Color Juliets. Regular Price \$2.50. Sale Price.....	\$1.29
Women's Spats, most all colors. Regular Price, \$2.50. Sale Price.....	\$1.29

Boys Greatly Reduced Little Gents' Hi-Cat Storm Shoes; heavy soles. Sale Price.....	\$2.98
Boys' Gun Metal Button; sizes 1 to 4½. Reduced to.....	\$2.95
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Men's Manchester Hose Regular price, 4 for \$1. Sale Price, 4 for.....	89c
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Women's One-Strap Comfort Oxfords. Made to sell at \$4. Sale Price.....	\$1.98

TARIFF BILL STILL ON SENATE FLOOR

Prospects of Vote on Measure Before February 15 Growing Brighter.

The Fordney emergency tariff bill continued to hold the floor in the Senate today, with prospects that eventually a vote would be had on the measure, probably prior to February 15. The Senate met at 11 o'clock in an effort to speed up and get through with the mass of legislation it hopes to put through before the session ends March 4.

Senator Williams of Mississippi, democrat, who prevented the consummation of a unanimous consent agreement to vote on the tariff bill when Senator Simmons of North Carolina, another democrat, suggested the agreement two days ago, declared that he would not consent to fix a day to vote on a measure when he knew that the result of the vote would be to pass a measure he opposed. This was taken as a warning that there would be no unanimous consent for a vote on the tariff bill, at least not at present.

Outside of Senator Williams, the democrats appear to be reconciled to a vote on the measure, believing the republicans will do themselves great harm by putting through a bill which will keep up the cost of living.

Senator Williams, in voicing his opposition to the emergency tariff bill today, warned the republicans they were "riding to a fall" if they attempted to put through high tariffs on the bread and meat which the people must have. He pointed to the British landlords and their efforts to uphold the corn laws and the uprisings which had finally forced the repeal of those laws.

Failure of Congress to enact emergency tariff legislation will encourage advocates of state socialism and "a host of other visionary and extreme and impractical doctrines," Senator Capper, republican, Kansas, declared yesterday in a prepared speech delivered in the Senate. Deploping the "short-sightedness" of senators unwilling to support the bill, he urged that the legislation be passed as an economic necessity.

38 CUSTOMS INSPECTORS CHARGED WITH GRAFTING

Evidence to Go Before Grand Jury at New York—Collector Says Warrants Will Be Issued.

NEW YORK, February 4.—Evidence involving thirty-eight customs inspectors at the port of New York in charges of graft, will be presented to the federal grand jury as soon as the cases are completed, Earl B. Barnes, assistant federal district attorney, announced. Warrants will be issued for the arrest of the men, he said.

Byron C. Newton, collector of the port, admitted that recommendations had been sent to Washington for dismissal of eight of the inspectors. Otherwise, he said, no changes had taken place in the staff. He said the investigation, which had been in progress but a short time, "revealed a deplorable condition on the pier."

The inspectors, Mr. Newton declared, have been receiving gratuities or bribes ranging from \$1 to \$300 from passengers who wished their baggage passed uninspected.

The smuggling of liquor, Mr. Newton added, figured in the investigation, although perhaps not to so great an extent as silks, jewelry and other dutiable articles. There was also evidence which tended to show that an international drug-smuggling ring was at work, he said, but thus far no one connected with the customs service had come under suspicion in this connection.

CONTEST WOMAN'S SEAT.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., February 4.—Notice of contest of the election of Mrs. Parks Worley on January 25 last to succeed her late husband, as senator from Sullivan and Hawkins counties, has been filed with the clerk of the senate by Nixie McNeill, her republican opponent.

Mrs. Worley, on the face of the returns, was elected by 496 votes.

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PEACE WITH U. S. SAID TO LEAD JAPAN'S AIMS

War Spells Bankruptcy for Them, Declares Man Fifteen Years in Far East.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 4.—Japan desires more than anything else to maintain friendly relations with the United States, J. Russell Kennedy, head of the Kokusai News Agency of Japan, declared in an address here yesterday. Mr. Kennedy, who has just completed a tour of the United States after about fifteen years in the far east, said that everywhere he went he had been asked whether there was to be war between the two countries.

"If it were not for the serious side of that question, the question itself would be childish absurd," he declared. "I can give you the most solemn assurance that if there is one thing in the world that Japan wishes to avoid more than anything else it is the rupture of friendly relations between this country and herself."

"The vast majority of the people there are bitterly opposed to war. War between Japan and America spells bankruptcy for Japan."

Denial of the holding of lands by aliens, Mr. Kennedy said: "I am in full agreement with the property state that every man has the right to say who shall be admitted to their privileges as laborer, as traveler or as resident. I am very confident that the Japanese government and the thinking and ruling element in Japan are in full accord with this proposition."

BRINDELL FOUND GUILTY IN CASE OF EXTORTION

New York Jury Reaches Verdict in 80 Minutes at Trial of Leader in Building Trades.

NEW YORK, February 4.—Robert P. Brindell, president of the building trades council, last night was found guilty of the charge of extortion from builders by a jury in Justice McAvoy's court here. Shortly after the verdict was announced, Brindell was remanded to the Tombs prison, where he will remain until Tuesday, when sentence will be passed upon him. The maximum penalty is fifteen years' imprisonment.

The jury, which deliberated one hour and twenty minutes, retired at 5:35 o'clock, after Justice McAvoy, presiding at the criminal term of the supreme court, delivered his charge. The judge told the jury they must confine their deliberations to but one transaction, alleged to have passed between Brindell and Max Aronson, a manufacturer. The indictment against Brindell was based on the allegation that he received \$5,000 from Aronson, which, the prosecutor claimed, was paid to call off a strike on one of Aronson's buildings.

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18709	I'm a Lonesome Little Raindrop.	
85c	For Every Boy Who's On the Level.	
18712	Oh, Gee! Say, Gee! You Ought to See My Gee Gee From the Fiddle.	
85c	My Home Town Is a One-Horse Town, But It's Big Enough for Me.	
45214	Deep in Your Eyes.	
\$1.00	Once Upon a Time.	
18705	When You Are Gone I Won't Forget.	
85c	There's a Vacant Chair at Home, Sweet Home.	
87321	A Dream, Enrico Caruso.	\$1.25
74659	The Fountain. Alfred Cortot.	\$1.75
87322	Si J'etais Jardinier. Geraldine Farrar.	\$1.25
64803	Passapied. Mischa Elman.	\$1.25
64820	Come, Ye Disconsolate. Mabel Garrison.	\$1.25
64917	Sicilienne and Rigaudon. Jascha Heifetz.	\$1.25
64924	Love Nest. Fritz Kreisler.	\$1.25
64925	'Tis an Irish Girl I Love and She's Just Like You. McCormack.	\$1.25
64923	O Primavera Renato Zanello.	\$1.25
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74641	Eighth Symphony, in F Major. Beethoven.	\$1.75
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**STREET CAR, GAS AND POWER
RATES TO EXPIRE IN MARCH****Public Utilities Commission Has Busy
Period Ahead—Georgetown Light Com-
pany Case First Set for a Hearing.**

With the rates for street car fares, gas and electricity all scheduled to expire in March, the Public Utilities Commission has a busy period ahead of it.

The first case to come up will be that of the Washington and Georgetown Gas Light Company. On March 15 the rate of \$1.32 per 1,000 cubic feet for gas furnished private homes expires.

If the commission takes no action the price will return automatically to 95 cents per 1,000 cubic feet. While the gas companies have given no indication of what rate they will ask for after next month, it is expected they will file a petition requesting a rate higher than 95 cents. The rate probably will depend largely on what they are paying for gas oil at the time of the hearing.

Gas Oil May Fall.
The Washington Gas Light Company, it is stated, is still paying 12½ cents per gallon for oil. It is possible, however, that the downward trend of prices will hit gas oil within the next month or two.

On March 31 the street car rate of 8 cents cash or four tokens for 30 cents expires and on April 1 the old rate of 5 cents cash, with a 2-cent charge for transfers, will return automatically if the commission does not act.

Also on March 31 the rate of 8½ cents per kilowatt hour for electricity is scheduled to revert to 8 cents unless a new order is issued in the meantime.

Little Hope in Congress.
Apparently there is little hope now of securing legislation from the present session of Congress relieving the Washington Railway and Electric of its tax burden of 4 per cent on gross revenues, which would have brought the W. R. & E. nearer to a financial level with the Capital Traction Company.

While officials of the two street-railway companies were not prepared to say today exactly what rate of fare they will ask for next month, both J. H. Hanna, general manager of the Capital Traction, and William F. Ham, president of the Washington Railway and Electric, stated they could not operate after March on the old rate of 5 cents, with 2 cents for transfers.

This means that for the first time in approximately two years the Capital Traction Company will go before the commission next month with the W. R. & E. to show why they do not believe they could operate on the old rate, which is slated to be restored in April.

Mr. Ham not only declared his company could not operate on the rate which is slated to go into effect in April, but said the Washington Railway and Electric Company could not operate after next month on a lower rate than is now being charged.

Steel Rails Higher.
Mr. Hanna said that so far the downward trend of prices has not been reflected in the materials used in street railway operations, but, on the contrary, steel rails cost more now than a year ago. The Capital Traction Company, he said, will aim to replace two miles of worn-out

trackage this year, at a cost of approximately \$300,000.

Mr. Hanna said he has refrained since December from buying the rails for this year's work in the hope that prices would fall, but there has been no change. The rails will have to be purchased within a few weeks in order to begin the replacing in the spring.

From the statements of company officials, it seemed today that the rate of fare after next month either will be the same as at present, or slightly lower. It seems unlikely now that the commission will be able to revert

to 5 cents, with 2 cents for transfers, as specified in the existing order.

HOPES FOR SUPPLY BILLS.

Hope that all of the supply bills for the government departments will be passed before the close of the present session was expressed today by Chairman Good of the House appropriations committee after a conference on the subject with Senator Lodge.

Representative Good called upon Senator Lodge with a view to expediting the passage in the Senate of the appropriation bills, all of which, with the single exception of the fortification bill, are now before the House or have been passed by the House.

"We are determined that all of the appropriation bills will be passed before the close of the session," said Representative Good. "Of course, they are now in a jam in the Senate, but I do not believe that a few members will jeopardize the work of the appropriations committee by delaying action upon these bills. One thing is certain, there will be no continuing appropriations this time and if the appropriation bills are not passed, the blame must be placed where it belongs."

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Very moderately priced**\$8.85**Just the shoe for present or
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Men's Suits—\$25

Blue serges, cheviots, unfinished worsteds. Workmanship and styles that one has a right to expect in suits selling up to \$60. For many in this group were \$60, others were \$50, while some were \$45. Conservative models and styles for younger men. A splendid assortment.

Men's Suits—\$47.50

Beautiful materials that sold this season from \$65 to \$85. All-wool fabrics of cashmeres, worsteds and blue serges. Many weights and styles suitable for spring. Complete assortment of patterns for every taste and wear; sizes for every figure.

Never before have such inducements been offered in men's clothing. The opportunity is yours—while the values last and before reaction stiffens clothing prices. These are our final reductions. Absolutely.

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ALWAYS—and only the New

The "Chic" in Millinery at \$5.00

The Newest Arrivals Are Silk Visca, Tagal Braid, Hemp,
Faille, China Piping and Bird's Nest Straw Hats

That vivid splash of color which is the high note in fashionable millinery for spring is here—henna, pearl, copen, tangerine, pheasant, jade, copper, red; in solid or striking two-tone effects—do not these colors suggest the life and vivacity that comes with the new season? The more subdued shades—brown, navy and black are here, too, in plentiful numbers.

Coming in and going out every day like flocks of birds—and marvels of value for five dollars. They're very smart, with their trims of FLOWERS, RIBBONS and FANCY PINS—and there is surely one or more here that you'll admire, for there are fully a thousand hats and seldom two alike.

There are pokes, sailors, turbans, off-the-face shapes and jaunty tams, as well as a large number of tailored and semi-tailored styles and we know you will agree when you see them tomorrow that for STYLE, for QUALITY, for VARIETY, they cannot be duplicated elsewhere at five dollars.

Second Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Attractive Silk Nightgowns Priced \$3.95 and \$4.95

Women will see immediately that unusual values are brought in this selling. They are in many styles, either tailored or lace-trimmed yokes—all made of good quality crepe de chine and wash satin in flesh tint only. Sizes for women and misses.

At \$3.50—Envelope Chemise, of durable crepe de chine, have dainty yokes of embroidered georgette crepe. Also models of washable satin, with embroidered or lace-trimmed yokes.

At \$4.95—Petticoats of silk poplin, with tucked flounces, panel back and front. In flesh color only. At \$5.95 and \$6.75—Petticoats of wash satin, scalloped edge, panel back and front.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Brother



Sentimental or quaintly gay, these colorful Valentines will suit your varying mood. There are valentines for sweethearts, for home folks, for friends, and amusing mechanical devices for the youngsters. Heart cut-outs, Cupid cut-outs and favors are shown in profusion for Valentine parties. Valentines priced from 1c up. A large number at 5c and 10c.

First Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

"So Dear to My Heart Are the Scenes of My Childhood," and the Recollection of My Regulation Dresses

I always preferred them for school and playtime wear—for they were so comfortable and easy for mother to launder. And I really felt dressed up, too.

The girls' section glows with the newness of Spring frocks and very prominent are the Regulation styles. For girls of 6 to 14 years Lonsdale Jean Regulation Dresses are shown in several attractive styles. All white, or with blue collars and braid trimming. Yoke or smock effect. Moderately priced at \$4.95.

Regulation Middy Blouses are developed of Lonsdale Jean in all white, or with blue collars and cuffs. All are braid trimmed and priced \$2.50.

Smocks of Many Styles

Crepe Smocks—are shown in many colors, hand embroidered in bright wool. Sizes 14 to 22, at \$2.95.

Ramie Cloth or Beach Linon Smocks—are noted for their serviceability. They are here in many styles, all hand embroidered. Many colors; sizes 14 to 22, at \$1.95.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Candy

Made from purest ingredients, is temptingly sweet, and likewise priced for week-end selling.

Strictly Home-made Butter-scotch, pound, 69c.

Crisp Salted Peanuts, pound, 40c.

Delicious Nut and Marshmallow Fudge, pound, 49c.

Our Famous Peanut Brittle, pound, 38c.

Cocoanut Taffy, pound, 30c.

Peanut Taffy, pound, 30c.

Finest Salted Almonds, pound, \$1.15.

After-Dinner Mints, pound, 58c.

Hard Candy, pound, 29c.

First Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Kodak Albums—Preserve your snapshots in one of these neatly bound albums, with 50 black leaves; size 65c 8x12. Each

First Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Toilet Specials

Marinello Face Powder, all tints, 65c.

Djerikiss Talcum, 19c.

Hausen and Jenks Violet Toilet Water, 75c.

Toilet Paper, superior quality, 4 rolls for 25c.

Pompeian Massage Cream, 74c.

Listerated Tooth Paste, 29c.

Velour Powder Pads, all sizes, 10c.

Jergens Bath Soap, dozen, 85c.

D. & R. Cold Cream, jar, 29c.

First Floor—Lansburgh & Brother



NEW, Decidedly So—

Satin Overblouses

New Style
New Value \$6.95

NEW is the outstanding feature of these stunning Overblouses of satin and satin combined with georgette.

Many are beautifully embroidered in contrasting colors; buttons also form a large part of their trimming, as well as Fillet lace, used in new and different ways.

There are collar and collarless models, with either long or short sleeves. The new colors—are zinc gray, honey-dew, orchid, light blue, bisque, navy and black. Sizes 36 to 46.

Second Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Apparel for Tiny Tots

—that allows plenty of freedom for play, as well as being well fitting. Mothers will welcome the opportunity to make their youngsters' purchases here at low prices.

Rompers and Creepers

\$1.00

Nicely made little garments of chambray and gingham; also seersucker rompers. These are in plain colors, stripes and checks. Sizes 1 to 6 years. \$1.00 each.

CHILDREN'S SWEATER SETS—Of brushed wool and worsted, in the link and link stitch. Old rose, copen and brown. Reduced to \$7.95 and \$9.50.

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS—Of fine brushed wool, or link in link stitch. Slip-on and button front models. Sizes 2 to 6. Reduced to \$1.95 to \$4.95.

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' BATH ROBES—Of Beacon bathrobing, in light and dark colors, with pocket and girdle. Reduced to \$1.95, \$2.95 to \$4.95.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Youthfulness is the Keynote of the New Spring Suits

From collar to hem they are "alive" with a pronounced youthfulness that makes itself known by numerous new ideas, that range from the airiest, jauntiest, most impertinently youthful lines—flares and ripples, embroidering and braiding, cable stitching and even beading are used in accentuating the charms of the fortunate wearers.

She who prefers severe simplicity of line will find her wish gratified in the smart, superbly tailored models—in the fashionable fabrics of the hour—navy blue and black tricotine and serge.

She may choose from semi-tailored, tailored, box coat, blouse and straightline models; every one designed, tailored and finished with the care that is inspiration.

And the prices will delight as much as the suits—moderate, of course—

\$25 \$39.50 \$55



Second Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Silk Jersey and Taffeta Petticoats, \$5.95

All Jersey silk and taffeta, in a large range of smart colors. Plaited flouncings in combination effects add much to their distinctiveness.

Heatherbloom Taffeta Petticoats—With chiffon taffeta flounce. These are very attractive, and come in black or changeable colors. The flounces are tailored and finished with small tucks, \$2.95.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Leather Kodak Bags

New and smart are these roomy Kodak Bags, in Vachette or Morocco leather. Fitted with middle change compartment and mirror, and nicely lined. In black and colors. Each, \$4.98.

Men's Handkerchiefs

Of fine quality cambric, these neatly hemstitched Handkerchiefs are marked with embroidered initials, in several styles. Not all initials are included in this lot. Each, 18c, or 3 for 50c.

First Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Priced special for Saturday

50-Inch All-Wool Navy Blue Serge

(Sponged and Shrank)

\$1.19 Yard

Here is a really high grade fabric, linked with a ridiculously low price. This excellent and much-wanted Serge is strictly all wool, non-crushable, and will not crock. The dye is dependable. Full 50 inches wide, and used extensively for pleated skirts, capes, one-piece dresses, middies and tailored suits.

Third Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Boys' Crompton (All-Weather) Corduroy Suits

—also Polo O'Coats and Mackinaws

\$6.75

Crompton (All-Weather) Corduroy Suits are made of a fabric that will stand up under "any" boys' rough use, and the only corduroy that is protected against water damage by a "Cravenette" finish. Trousers lined throughout, coats nicely lined with brown twill. Sizes 8 to 17 years.

Boys' Polo Overcoats—Double-breasted Polo Coats, made of heavy wool fabrics and lined with yoke and plaid lining; all-around belt, deep collars and pockets with flaps. Sizes 3 to 8 years. For \$6.75 Saturday

Boys' Sport Mackinaws—Just the thing for the big boy. Just look at 'em—real sport style, with snappy all-around belt and deep pockets. \$6.75 Sizes 11 to 18 years. Saturday only

All-Wool Norfolk Suits, \$8.75

The sturdy service tailored into these suits makes them especially noteworthy at this reduced pricing. All-wool Navy Blue Serge and fancy wool mixtures of gray, brown, green and heather are the most prominent in this group. Sizes 7 to 17 years.

Boys' Department—Fifth Floor—Lansburgh & Brother

Another Place to Buy

Men's Interwoven Socks

To our many patrons, we are pleased that we can now say: "Yes, we have them," when they ask for Interwoven Socks. Our first shipment arrived during the past week, and, of course, we are quoting the new low prices:

INTERWOVEN SILK Lisle SOCKS—In black, navy, gray, dark tan and cordovan. Pair, 40c.

INTERWOVEN SILK SOCKS—In black, navy, gray, dark tan and cordovan. Pair, 75c and \$1.25.

Direct Street Entrance to Men's Shop

Duplicating the SHIRT SALE of January

A Recent Shipment of 1,330 Shirts for Men Enables Us Again to Offer Them at the Extraordinary Price of

\$1.29

THEY are uncommonly good shirts. The kind that make an instant appeal to the eye and good judgment of those who know and appreciate Shirt value.

We sold a much larger number of the same kind of shirts last month in a "jiffy."

These will move rapidly, because their real worth is known by those who were fortunate enough to purchase one or more last month.

The majority are of superior high-count percale cloth, in a varied assortment of neat black and colored striped patterns, on white grounds, certain of winning the approval of critical men.

Sizes range from 14 to 17. Correctly proportioned, and every shirt finished in a high-class manner. You'll like them—at \$1.29.

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WHITE HOUSE IMPROVEMENTS
LIKELY TO BE MADE QUICKLY

Congress Expected to Provide Funds Soon
in Order That Work May Be Completed by March 4.

It is considered likely that Congress will hurry through a special appropriation of sufficient size to improve the interior of the White House before its new tenants move in, March 4. Just how large this appropriation will be has not been definitely estimated, but those who are now at work on the details say that a considerable quantity of floor coverings, such as carpets and rugs, as well as linen, furniture and draperies, will be needed, and the recaning and recovering of a number of chairs and sofas and the repapering of several of the rooms are essential to give the big mansion the smart appearance due an incoming President. Some of the pictures and mirrors need toning and regilding. The china and silver are said to be adequate and in first-class condition, but it is likely that provision will be made for renewing some of the utensils used in the kitchen. It is considered also likely that steps will be taken to replace all or a considerable

number of the window draperies, of which there is a vast number.

Need of Special Fund.
This special, or "extraordinary," appropriation, as it is known, will be necessary because the regular appropriation for the operation and maintenance of the White House is barely adequate for its regular purposes, such as paying the small army of domestic servants, the making of minor alterations and repairs. This appropriation for the next fiscal year will be \$50,000, the same as during the present year. In fact, this appropriation was found to be insufficient to pay for the White House coal, and several years ago it was found necessary to make this purchase with a separate appropriation. For the past two years it has been \$3,000.

The White House has not been treated to any real refurnishing and retouching in the interior since four years ago, when Congress appropriated \$60,000. Although this apparently large sum was stretched out to go a long way, it was found to be a trifle insufficient. In the meantime the constant wear and tear have left their mark on the rugs, carpets and chair coverings until now, although by no means shabby, it is easy to see that another \$60,000, if not more, is needed to put the interior in first-class condition.

Magnitude of Job.
The officials who are preparing to make an estimate for this appropriation propose to make a thorough inspection. To give some idea of the details of this job they point to the "extraordinary" refurnishing done four years ago. Six large rugs were purchased, for corridor, billiard room, room on east side of oval room, all on ground floor; the main corridor and the state dining room on first floor; and dining room on second floor. New canvas duck was placed on the ceiling frames at thirty-eight windows and on twenty frames on the south portico.

Nine portraits of the Presidents were cleaned and varnished and twelve portraits were relined and supplied with new stretchers where needed. The frames of these portraits and of four mirrors were toned down and brightened. The frames of 400 bentwood chairs which are used at musicals, and the frames of two sofas, one centerpiece, four armchairs, eight side chairs, two stools and one screen were regilded and the velvet pads used on the bentwood chairs were dry cleaned, repaired and supplied with new tying ribbons.

In the entrance vestibule, first floor, main corridor and usher's room on first floor, were cleaned and upholstered and recovered and new draperies for four windows and four doors were hung. The ropes used at the doors of the parlors were covered with new velvet.

In the east room on first floor new draperies were placed at the seven windows and the frames of thirteen window divans were regilded and recovered with new material.

In the green parlor on first floor the walls were recovered with velvet, new draperies of same materials placed at the windows and on sofa, ten armchairs, four side chairs, and two pillows were recovered with new tapestry and six chairs recaned.

In the blue parlor, one sofa, four armchairs and thirteen side chairs were refurnished, reupholstered, and recaned where necessary, and together with four footstools and three pillows were recovered with new material.

In the state dining room, new draperies were hung at the five windows. Two chair cushions were recovered and fifty dining chairs were refurnished, reupholstered and recovered.

In the corridor on ground floor four settees and two armchairs were refurnished, reupholstered and recovered with new silk rep.

In the oval room on ground floor, two sofas, four armchairs, eight side chairs, two stools and one center settee were recovered with new silk damask and two pairs of new window curtains and one pair of door portieres were hung.

One chesterfield sofa and two chairs were purchased for the billiard room on ground floor.

In the reception room adjoining the oval room on the east one sofa and

three side chairs were reupholstered and recovered with new material.

In the usher's locker room on ground floor twenty-one new steel lockers for clothing were installed.

In the library on second floor the frames of one stool, two davenport, one couch and twelve chairs were refurnished and these, with nine pillows, were recovered with new silk damask.

In one bedroom and sitting room adjoining, new window draperies were hung, one valance, one door curtain, a lounge, two armchairs and one ottoman were covered with new material and new covers furnished for table and stand.

A new canopy was furnished for the beds in one room, seven chairs and one couch recovered and two new table pads furnished. In one bedroom a sofa and 5 chairs were recovered and new rep curtains put up at the windows.

In another bedroom new window draperies, new bed canopy and curtains were hung, and five chairs, one fire screen and two pillows recovered. In the dressing room adjoining four pillows, one couch, one window bench and two side chairs were recovered.

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BOMB BUILDING AND ESCAPE.

CHICAGO, February 4.—A bomb thrown from an automobile into the doorway of a four-story apartment

building on the south side, owned and occupied in part by Robert Jackson, a wealthy negro, shattered windows in half of the block late last night and several persons were injured by flying glass. A policeman nearby saw the missile being hurled from the car, which he said contained three men. He fired three shots at them before they disappeared around a corner.

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IN THIS WEEK'S DIGEST

Fine Colored Map of
New Germany

Showing Territory Lost by the Peace Terms; New Boundary Lines—the Germany of Today. An Instructive Article Covering the Rise and Fall of the German Empire Accompanies Map

To Cure Russia by "Absent Treatment"

The Washington *Herald* declares that "until the Allied Powers have at least a semblance of an agreed Russian policy, chaos is certain to continue. President Wilson proposes a policy of hands off, and this may help clear the air." Both Bolshevik and anti-Bolshevik spokesmen in this country, it is interesting to note, find something to praise in the President's proposal, but correspondents report that it is received coldly by the French press, and with a mingling of praise and criticism by the English papers. "Does Mr. Wilson think America can join the League for five or ten minutes whenever it wishes something, and then get out before it is called on to assume responsibilities?" asks the Paris *Journal des Debats*; and the London *Westminster Gazette*, conceding that the President's proposal "contains much sound sense," goes on to say: "But when he asks the Allies jointly to guarantee the territorial integrity of Russia, we are compelled to remark that America refuses to share not only in that guaranty, but in a guaranty of the integrity of other European states which are members of the League."

Do not miss reading this enlightening article in THE LITERARY DIGEST this week, February 5th. It presents a wealth of information derived from many sources upon the present status of Russia in her dealings with the rest of the world.

Other important news-articles are:

When the Workers Own the Works
A Bill to Make the Packers "Be Good"
A Federal Curb for Coal Prices
Labor's Indictment of Britain's Irish Policy
France's Troublous Syrian Mandate
Canada's "Drive" for Business Confidence
Britain's Egyptian Riddle
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"PENNSY" ASKS TO ISSUE \$120,000,000 IN BONDS

L. & N. Road Requests Permission of I. C. C. to Make Mortgage Issues.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company asked the Interstate Commerce Commission today for authority to issue \$120,000,000 worth of bonds. Half of the amount, bearing interest at 6 1/2 per cent, would be sold and the other half, bearing interest at 6 per cent, would be pledged as security for the bonds placed on the market. Of the funds to be derived from the sale of the \$60,000,000 of bonds to be marketed, \$20,000,000 would be used to purchase equipment of the Pennsylvania Company, of which the railroad owns the majority of stock, and \$22,000,000 would be used in purchasing shares owned by the Pennsylvania Company in the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company and in other units of the Pennsylvania system. The balance would be held and spent for capital expenditures authorized by the general mortgage to be contracted to issue \$60,000,000 of bonds. The Louisville and Nashville Railway Company applied for permission to issue \$3,500,000 of first mortgage bonds to be secured by a general mortgage on the properties of the Southeast and St. Louis Railway Company, of which the Louisville road is the lessor. The money is to be used to retire a like amount of bonds maturing on March 1.

FRENCH DEPUTY TO SLAP OPPONENT'S FACE HARD

Friend Predicts Action by Deputy De Cassagnac if Daudet Refuses to Fight Duel.

PARIS, February 3.—Deputy Paul de Cassagnac, speaking to the Association of French Deputies today, said he could make no comment on his challenge published in the morning to fight a duel with Leon Daudet, leader of the Radical Association, with army revolver at fifty feet, firing at will. M. de Cassagnac pointed out that the law governing French duels provided that forty-eight hours must elapse between the challenge and acceptance or rejection of the challenge, during which period the challenger must say nothing, only his seconds being privileged to talk. "You may quote anything appearing in my challenge this morning," added the deputy, "beyond that I am bound by honor of the code to say nothing."

A friend of M. de Cassagnac's declared that as soon as the time allowed for forty-eight hours had expired M. de Cassagnac would "surely slap Daudet's face, west, east, north and south," and added significantly: "Be on hand Saturday for the fireworks."

TRAFFIC CLUB ELECTS.

P. M. Duvall Chosen President of Washington Association.

Announcement of the election of officers of the Traffic Club was made today. J. P. M. Duvall of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was elected president. Thomas J. Stead of the Chesapeake and Potomac, and G. S. Winslow of the R. R. Y. M. C. A., chairman. Executive committee members are George W. Jentner of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, A. C. Machler of the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia railroad, E. J. Owers of the Overseas Transit Agency, W. L. Clark of the Washington Railway and Electric Company and Rodney J. Martin of the Chesapeake and Potomac railroad and the Seaboard Air Line.

STARTS FOR GENEVA.

Solicitor Mahany to Attend Important Immigration Session.

Rowland B. Mahany, solicitor of the Department of Labor, who has been appointed by President Wilson as American representative on the international commission of immigration, which is to meet during February at Geneva, Switzerland, will sail from New York today for London. He will be in London about the middle of the month to Geneva. His trip will occupy about two months. Mr. Mahany will represent the United States on the international commission, which is under the league of nations. He will also act as immigration expert for the Department of Labor and will report to the department on the results of the conference of the international commission.

LAWYER TO GET \$12,500.

Johnson Claim Against Georgetown Gas Co. Decided in Court.

William G. Johnson, former counsel for the Georgetown Gas Light Company in its controversy with the Washington Gas Light Company of some years ago, was awarded a verdict for \$12,500 against the Georgetown company Wednesday by a jury in Circuit Division 1 before Chief Justice McCoy. The verdict carries interest at ten per cent from June 2, 1917. Mr. Johnson placed the value of his legal services to the company at \$40,000 and filed suit for this amount. A number of lawyers, testifying in behalf of Johnson, declared the amount asked proper fee, but the company called other lawyers, who said a fee of \$2,000 would be fair.

PICKS POCKET IN COURT.

Thief Makes Away With Assistant District Attorney's Wallet.

NEW YORK, February 4.—The old woman that criminals cringe under the lash was well shaken here today in a case in Essex Market court. The pocket of Assistant District Attorney Henry Goodman, during examination of a witness the attorney reached for his wallet, which contained papers he intended presenting as evidence in the case. "Gone," he exclaimed. "I don't mind losing the money, but the papers are valuable."

BIG ORCHESTRAS TO MERGE.

NEW YORK, February 4.—A merger of two of New York's great orchestras, the National Symphony and the Philharmonic, at the close of the present season, is announced. Statements made by Clarence H. Mackay, president of the National Symphony, and Henry E. Cooper, president of the Philharmonic Society, explained the reasons for the change, among them the excessive number of concerts at present dividing public attention and difficulty in obtaining adequate rehearsals.

CREW OF PHANTOM SHIP BELIEVED MUTINEERS

Schooner, Sails Set, in Perfect Condition, Ashore on Diamond Shoals.

NORFOLK, Va., February 4.—Speculation as to the cause of the plight of the schooner Carroll Deering, ashore on Diamond shoals, today put forward the theory of mutiny aboard her. No trace of the crew has been found. The ship was abandoned by her crew and left apparently at sea with all sails set to drift or sail aimlessly. When the abandonment occurred, and why a ship apparently in perfect condition should be so left, is mystifying shipping interests.

URGES DOMINANCE IN AIR.

Representative Mann Wants Aviation Service Developed.

The United States should by coordinating the Army and Navy air services so develop this branch of military science as to control the air in any future war, according to Representative James R. Mann, Illinois, who advocated such development of military aviation while the Army Appropriation bill was being debated Wednesday. Representative Fields, democrat of Kentucky, started a fight to cut down the number of Army officers when he offered an amendment which would reduce the commissioned personnel by one-third and the appropriation for their pay from \$42,000,000, as recommended by the committee, to \$30,000,000. He explained that such a reduction would be proportional to the decrease in the enlisted men to 150,000, as proposed in the bill. Representative McKee, republican, Illinois, opposed the amendment, declaring it would strike a body blow at military preparedness.



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11 1/2 to 2, 4.35.

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Women's winter high shoes way down. Quite a lot at 8.85, and some black and tans; French heels, 5.00.

Men's winter high shoes way down, 9.85 and 11.85, and some remnants at 6.85.

Boys' sizes 1 to 6, 4.75 5.00 and 5.75.

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600 Boys' "Regatta" Wash Suits \$2.95

Suits of the Quality and Style That We Have Always Had From This Maker

We ask you to attend this sale, or at least look over the suits, expecting to find the most remarkable values we have offered in years. You will not be disappointed.

Mothers who have used "Regatta" Suits, which we feature so extensively, need no second invitation to participate in a sale offering such wonderfully attractive savings.

Not a suit was made for sale purposes. Because of the favorable relations which we have with this maker, he has allowed us to select these 600 suits from his regular assortments at a really unheard-of price. You get the benefit of this advantage.

Models:
Middy Suits
Junior Norfolk
Junior Twist
Sports Suits
Novelty Suits
Sizes 3 to 10 Years
Boys' Store, Fourth floor.

Fabrics:
Linen
Galatea
Reps
Devonshires
Kiddie Cloth
Beach Cloth

Unusually Attractive Values in Girls' School and Gym. Apparel

Plated White Middy Skirts, made on body; sizes 6 to 14. **Reduced to \$1.50 Each**

Black and White Sateen Bloomers, elastic waist and knees; sizes 6 to 16. **Very Low Priced at 75c Pair**

Girls' Navy Blue Serge Middy and Regulation Dresses; one and two piece styles; sizes 8 to 14. **Reduced to \$12.50, \$15 and \$19.75 Each**

White Jean Middies, all white and white trimmed, with linen braid on collar and cuffs; sizes 8 to 12. **Specialty Priced \$2.25 Each**

Girls' Section, Fourth floor.

Special—Saturday 10 Dozen Silk Petticoats, Very Low Priced at \$5

Satin and Taffeta Petticoats of splendid quality, in tucked, shirred and ruffled flounces. The changeable tones are exceptionally pretty, including blue and rose, blue and green, blue and orchid, violet and gold, jade and gold, rose and gold and blue and gold. The plain colors are violet, brown, taupe, navy and black. Petticoat Section, Third floor.

Let the Demonstrator Tell You About "EVERWAVE"

It is the modern requisite for hair dressing. Before having a Marcel Wave, dampen the hair well with EVERWAVE. The wave will stay just twice as long. It is amazing how well a Water Wave can be put in the hair with EVERWAVE, by simply dampening the hair and the combs with this preparation. EVERWAVE may be used with any kind of a hair curler. Mail orders gladly filled. Everwave, 50c bottle. Garry's Silk Hair Wavers, 5 on a card, regular size, 35c card; extra long, 45c card. Cotton-covered Wonder Wavers, 25c pkgs. Notion Section, First floor.

Children's Wool- & Cotton Sports Hose, Special, 65c Pair

A half wool and half cotton Sports Hose of exceedingly smart style. The colors are gray and brown heather. Regular roll-top sports style. Children's Hosiery Section, fourth floor.

Valentines, Valentine Favors

Post Cards, Place Cards, Booklets, Fancy Valentines and Valentine Outfits for making your own valentines; red paper, etc. Stationery Section, First floor.

New Novelty Spring Ribbons

In narrow grosgrain weave are as colorful and fanciful as Spring itself. Sometimes touches of gold or silver in odd little conventional designs are contrasted to the brilliant colors; others are double-faced in Bayadere effect; and the plain satin ribbons, 1-inch wide, are in many beautiful two-tone effects, combining military red, henna, orange, gray or rose, with dark shades, such as navy, brown and black. Ribbon Section, First floor.

Japanese Silk Waists

Specially Priced \$3.95

Tailored models, made of fine quality Japanese silk; in black or white. You may choose a model with square neck, tuxedo collar and vest effect, trimmed with narrow box pleats, or one with convertible collar, trimmed with clusters of fine tucks. Specially priced \$3.95. House Section, Third floor.

An Evening's Amusement

How often we have evenings at home that we have not planned for and are at a loss as to how to spend them enjoyably and restfully. A supply of games will solve the difficulty.

Game of Hearts, 65c. Minoru, \$4.50 to \$8.50. Pollyanna, \$1.25. Over the Hurdles, \$1. Speedway Motor Race, \$1. Pat Moran's Baseball Game \$1. Bringing Up Father, special \$1.25.

Inside Base Ball—just the game for the boy 8 years of age or over; easily understood and easily played. 50c. Toy Store, Fourth floor.

Betty Wales Dresses

Extreme care in every detail of finish is combined with advance ideas in style in every Betty Wales Dress. The wearer of a Betty Wales Dress has the comfortable assurance that her frock will retain its attractiveness over a long period.

The tricotine frock pictured is effectively embroidered in gray and rust chenille and nail heads. The wide girde is of taffeta with large bow and sash at side. May be had in handsome navy and brown shades. Misses' Section, Fourth floor.

Greater Reductions in the Clearance Sale of Children's Shoes

Very great reductions have been made on these several groups of children's, growing girls' and misses' shoes. They are all from regular stock. The price lowering is the result of active selling which has left the lines incomplete and broken.

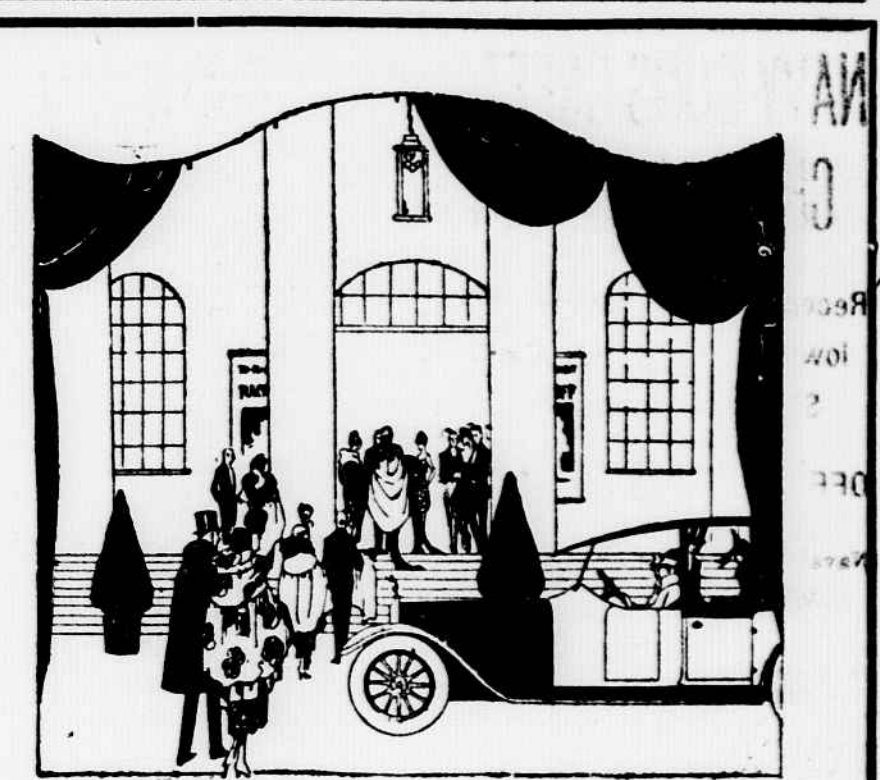
It is to be hoped that mothers will take advantage of our holding the sale on Saturday in order that the children may be properly fitted.

Reduced to \$5.45 Pair
48 pairs Growing Girls' Black Calfskin Lace Shoes; sizes 3 to 7. Also 13 pairs Tan Calfskin; sizes 4 1/2, 5 and 5 1/2.

Reduced to \$4.45 Pair
47 pairs Misses' Black Calfskin Lace Shoes; sizes 12 to 2. Also 18 pairs Tan Calfskin Lace Shoes; sizes 13 to 2.

Reduced to \$3.75 Pair
Children's Black Calfskin Lace and Button Shoes; sizes 8 1/2 to 11. Also 34 pairs Children's Tan Calfskin Lace and Button Shoes; sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.

Children's Black Calfskin Lace and Button Shoes; sizes 8 1/2 to 11. Also 34 pairs Children's Tan Calfskin Lace and Button Shoes; sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Juvenile Shoe Section, Fourth floor.



Formal Dress Requirements

Insist on the proper observance of the conventions which fashion imposes. Our displays adhere to these written and unwritten laws, but are original in many of their designs, allowing the widest possible latitude in selection.

FOR WOMEN AND MISSES

Gowns
Millinery
Fans
Bags
Wraps
Gloves
Jewelry
Scarfs
Slippers, Hosiery
Hair Ornaments
Perfumery
Handkerchiefs

Elegant Dance Slippers

Of exquisite design and fabric, evidencing beauty of style and excellence of delicate workmanship that make them resplendent and charming.

Black and White Satin Slippers, \$10 to \$15.
Bronze Kidskin Slippers, \$13.
Silver and Gold Cloth Slippers, \$14 and \$15.
Rhinstone and Beaded Buckles, \$3.50 to \$26.
Women's Shoes, Third floor.

FORMAL DRESS FOR MEN

The haberdashery sections have the quality of pleasing every man.

Black Silk Hose, full fashioned, \$1 to \$2.50.
White Kid Dress Gloves, spear point or embroidered backs, \$2.
White Dress Ties, pique and madras, newest shapes, 50c and \$1.

Plain Black and White Crepe de Chine Reefers, \$5.
Accordion Ribbed Silk Reefers, \$8 and \$10.
Dress Shirts, plain linen or pique bosoms, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.

Pearl Cuff Links, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.
Dress Suits, with Cuff Links, \$3 to \$12.
Pearl Shirt Studs, 50c and \$1.
Silk Hats, new shapes; an exceptional value, \$12.

Men's Dress Footwear

We are offering a make in Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords that surpasses anything we have ever shown. The patent leather is the finest; the workmanship far superior to what one generally finds; the models graceful and comfortable. Shoes and Oxfords, both are \$10 pair. Men's Store, First floor.

New Rain or Shine Umbrellas

—are here. The first of the spring season's showing. 24-inch size, mounted on 8-rib paragon frame, with short light wood handles, having narrow leather wrist strap; the ferrules match the handles. Shown in smart colors and black. \$10, plus tax.

Two new numbers in women's 25-inch Colored Silk Umbrellas with selected wood handles. The handles have the new marbled caps and side leather wrist straps. \$12 and \$13 each, plus tax.

Boys' and Girls' Black Gloria Cloth Umbrellas. The girls' styles have Pickwick handles, and those for boys either P.W. or opera shape, \$1.50.

Men's 28-inch Piece-dyed, Tape-edged Taffeta Umbrellas are a splendid value at \$6—plus tax. This is a silk and cotton mixed fabric that wears extremely well, and the handles are trimmed in sterling. Umbrella Section, First floor.

Caramels

Special, 40c Pound

A delicious pure sugar candy of the "chewy" variety that so many persons prefer. In a number of delicious flavors, each piece wrapped separately. 40c pound box. Candy Section, Fourth floor.

Women's Capeskin. Gauntlet Gloves

Special, \$3.50 Pair

Six-button-length Genuine Capeskin Gauntlet Gloves, with strap and clasp at wrist; fetchingly smart for street and sports wear. Shown in tan, brown and beaver. Glove Section, First floor.

Baby Clothes

—always suggest the daintiest and loveliest of little garments, and mothers will be glad to know about these little handmade things, at such reasonable prices.

DAINTY HANDMADE DRESSES, of fine nainsook or batiste are in bishop style with tiny set-in sleeves, trimmed with bria stitching, the finest of tucks, touches of hand-embroidery and lace edgings. \$3.50 each.

GERTRUDE SLIPS, of fine nainsook or batiste, are hand scalloped at the neck, armholes and around the bottom, \$2.50; or made with narrow scalloped ruffle, \$3.

WOOL FLANNEL SLIPS, soft and warm, in Gertrude style, buttoning on the shoulder, are hand scalloped with bria stitched seams, and bound at neck with silk ribbon, \$3; and also made with plain hem, trimmed with bria stitching and ribbon bound, \$3.50.

INFANTS' SHIRTS, of silk and wool, buttoning all the way down the front, are edged with double shell stitch and have silk ribbon tape at the neck, \$2 each. Infants' Section, Fourth floor.

NAVY GUNS GREET CHILE'S PRESIDENT

Reception on Warship Followed by Parade of 4,000 Sailors in Valparaíso.

OFF FOR PANAMA SOON

Naval Aviator Killed at Callao When He Loses Control of Seaplane.

By the Associated Press.
VALPARAISO, Chile, February 4.—Units of the United States Pacific fleet prepared today to leave Chilean waters for Panama, where the fleet will join the Atlantic squadron in joint maneuvers. The concluding number on the program today was a reception on board the flagship New Mexico.

Greetings of amity were exchanged between President Alessandri and Admiral Rodman during the visit of the Chilean chief executive to the New Mexico yesterday afternoon. The ceremonies were carried out under a brilliant sky, and the harbor presented a

notable scene as the sailors lined the rails of their vessels in rendering presidential honors. Chilean warships in port fired the presidential salute when the chief executive and his ministers left shore, and as President Alessandri reached the deck of the New Mexico, the salute of the mighty battleship boomed out an answering salute, while the vessel's band played the Chilean national anthem.

President Reviews U. S. Fleet.
After a short conversation in the admiral's cabin President Alessandri visited various parts of the New Mexico, remaining for half an hour. He then boarded the Chilean flagship O'Higgins and reviewed the American fleet, which lay in a semi-circle. Five airplanes whirled overhead, and the personnel of the American ships stood at attention as the president passed.

NAVAL AVIATOR KILLED.
Returning to the shore, President Alessandri met Admiral Rodman and American Ambassador Shea on the steps of the municipality building, where they reviewed a parade of 4,000 sailors and marines. The men marched without equipment, and the bands of the fleet participated.

Thousands from this city and neighboring towns lined the water front streets to witness the parade, and there were bursts of enthusiastic cheering as the men marched along. Business was virtually suspended during the parade. Admiral Rodman and his staff were guests of the governor of Valparaíso province at a banquet last evening, the function being attended by the president and naval and military authorities.

LOSES CONTROL OF SEAPLANE WHILE CIRCLING THE FLEET.
LIMA, Peru, February 4.—Festivities and ceremonies incident to the

visit of the United States Atlantic fleet at Callao and the presence of officers and men from the ships in this city came to a close today. One hundred officers from the fleet were given a luncheon by officers of the Peruvian navy and President Leguia, and later many of the visiting marines attended a religious service at which the Archbishop of Lima officiated.

The closing event of the program of the week was a ball on board the battleship Pennsylvania and a Venetian festa at Callao. Elaborate plans had been made for the illumination of the harbor and a great display of fireworks.

The visit of the Atlantic fleet at Callao was marred yesterday by a fatality, when Carlos Huguet, a naval aviator, was killed. His seaplane got out of control while circling about the fleet and fell into the sea.

NEW SOVIET PROPOSALS.

Reds Will Make Four Counter Offers to England.

LONDON, February 3.—Leonid Krasin soon will return to London from Moscow with soviet counter proposals, says the Central News. In these proposals, it is declared, Russia will say: First, that she cannot undertake responsibility for propaganda by private Russian subjects; second, that England should guarantee the safety of the soviet government's property on British soil; third, that Russia will to the value of two and a half millions sterling should be admitted to England, and that regarding debts of the former Russian government, the soviet is ready to acknowledge debts due private individuals incurred by the actual delivery of goods to previous Russian governments.

Going strong! The Hecht Co.'s sale of Society Brand suits and overcoats, \$27.50 and \$37.50

SALE

Men's silk and knitted

NECKWEAR

\$1.50 ties
\$2.00 ties
\$3.00 ties
\$4.00 ties

85¢

6 ties for \$5

YOU can't resist these—you'll buy 'em by the half dozen—first time in years you've had the chance to buy a season's neckwear for \$5.

—brocaded satins —all-over moires
—imported twills —corded mogadores
embroidered fancies, novelties, etc.

Character neckwear with a pure silk pedigree; many of them hand-made from IMPORTED silks—

Black and solid colors and stripes and fancies without number. All first quality.

The knitted silk ties

Fill the eye with wonder and delight. They alone are subject to a technical irregularity in weave or finish that you will scarcely notice. Choice, 85c.

Manhattan shirts at half price

Complete stocks—fresh varieties—all sizes. Get yours now; the half price privilege will be nationally withdrawn February 12.

In the misses' shop

A hand-painted frock

\$49.50

Yes, actually, it's hand-painted and its but one of several lovely new arrivals.

This "one" is of canton crepe (so it's very smart), of a soft café au lait shade, and 'round the hem, the neck and sleeves are painted flowers, outlined with beads. A wide henna sash to match finds its color repeated as facing for sleeves. It's a "just-one-kind" frock, as are they all—distinctive, new, chic!

Others of taffeta, poret twill and canton crepe find delight in open embroidery and colorful pipings as trimmings.

Girls' White Frocks, \$1.95

Of voile, organdie or batiste in just the right styles for graduation or party wear. Prettified in effective, new way, with lace, embroidery and ribbon. Sizes 6 to 14.

Girls' Gingham Frocks, \$1

Chambrays and gingham, plain colored or in colorful checks, stripes and plaids. Numerous styles and combinations of colors that are unusual at this price. Sizes 6 to 12. (Misses' shop, third floor.)

Sale Children's \$3 & \$3.50 Guaranteed leather shoes



THE standard Tru-shape shoes that have won us so many friends—the shoes that give growing feet room to keep on growing.

Absolutely perfect, with solid leather inner and outer soles sewed with the patented process double stitch that is

guaranteed not to rip—a new pair free if they do

Every pair bears a guarantee tag. In lace or button style, in black, tan, mahogany, brown and cherry red. Sizes 5 to 2, for children of 2 to 11 years. (Children's shoes, third floor.)

Men's full dress & street vests reduced to \$3.85

first prices were \$5 to \$10

Clearance of every odd vest in stock—all styles, all sizes—regardless of former prices now go at \$3.85.

Sale of men's and young men's

TROUSERS

About 1,000 pairs—all from regular stock; solid colors; neat mixtures; stripes; and everything. All now grouped thus:

\$3.95	\$4.65	\$6.95
were \$6 to \$7	were \$7.50 to \$9	were \$10.50 to \$12

Closing Out!

All men's mackinaws

\$5 were \$10, \$12 to \$20

(Men's shops, first floor.)

Sale of 150 Boys' wool suits at \$6.95

GOOD news for 150 sturdy boys.

Here are suits—wool suits—fine in fabric and finish—below the price of ordinary cotton suits.

Cheviots and tweeds—sturdy fabrics, with service in every fiber. Dark brown and olive tones for present and dress wear; gray shades for spring.

Pleated, Norfolk and double-breasted styles; coats full alpaca lined; trousers also lined. Sizes 9 to 17 years. 150 suits to go at \$6.95.

Boys' shirts and blouses

\$1.50 grades

\$1.95 grades

on sale at

First-quality shirts and blouses, from first-quality makers. Collar attached and neckband styles.

Plain white madras; blue chambray; striped percales and madras. Blouses in sizes 7 to 16 years; shirts 12½ to 14 neckband. (Boys' shop, third floor.)

Now on sale!

Heatherspun Suits

\$15

"Such soft quality Jersey"—"What good colors"—"Just what I wanted"—and so it goes, the hum of satisfaction and surprise that greets these good-looking year-round suits!

They are finely made in smart tailored Tuxedo, box-coat and pinch-back effects. And behind their good looks lies a world of service that scoffs at rain and damp weather and is not the least affected by tight rumpling-up in a suitcase.

Heather shades—a host of 'em, and the good plain colors such as brown, tan, plum, oxford, henna and Copen or navy blue. Sizes 34 to 46—styles to suit every type. (Women's shop, second floor.)

Women's brushed Wool Scarfs, \$4.95

Striped, plaid and plain color scarfs of soft brushed wool—many with pockets and belt. Also some novelty knitted scarfs.

Delightful colors that will enrich any costume—and the same quality as sold previously for \$6 to \$10. (First floor, south annex.)

Sale of sample trunks

Chiefly one of a kind. Savings are \$5 to \$33 on each.

Wardrobe trunks
\$79 Belber, \$55.00
\$69 Belber, \$45.00
\$98 Belber, \$65.00
\$69 Seward, \$45.00
\$75 Seward, \$50.00
\$50 Seward, \$39.50

Steamer trunks
\$20.95 trunks, \$13.95
\$17.95 trunks, \$11.50
\$14.90 trunks, \$9.95

(Trunks, third floor.)

Women's \$5 blouses, \$2.95

Of French voile, organdie and linen, trimmed with fine lace, embroidery or dainty hand-drawn work. High or low collars. Handmade blouses included.

\$2.95 blouses, \$1.95

Sheer voile blouses, plainly tailored or trimmed with lace or embroidery. Some are scalloped in pink or blue.

Regular and extra sizes

In progress! Sale Women's \$7.50 to \$12 Silk Blouses, \$5

(Blouse shop, second floor.)

Sale Dr. Denton's sleeping Garments for children

Dr. Denton's sleeping garments cover body, feet and hands; made of a hygienic, knit fabric that will not shrink.

Garments are finished with elastic outside seams with buttons and button holes stanchly sewed.

Size	List Price	Our Price
6 mos. to 2 yrs.	\$1.25 to \$1.35	95c
2 yrs. to 5 yrs.	\$1.45 to \$1.65	\$1.29
6 yrs. to 8 yrs.	\$1.75 to \$1.95	\$1.49
9 yrs.	\$2.05	\$1.79

(Toys' shop, third floor.)

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Velours, Tricotines, Jersey Finish, Silvertone and Serge Dresses, in many colors and fashionable check patterns. Choice of richly embroidered, beaded and braided styles, in fashionable blouse effects with wide sash, as well as tailored garments. Misses' and women's sizes.

\$16.50 to \$20.00 Women's Coats **\$35.00 to \$50.00** Women's Coats

\$8.99 Big "Wrappy" Styles, belted models and Fur-trimmed Coats, of this season's most desirable cloths, in black, brown, Peking, navy, green, etc. Some silk lined. Every garment this winter's most approved style.

\$17.75 For Suits Made to Sell to \$55.00

French Seal and Kit Koney Fur-trimmed Suits, as well as plain-tailored styles, in black, navy, Peking, green, Burgundy, buff, etc. Every suit expensively silk lined throughout and tailored with faultless finish.

\$8.75 Former \$12.50 to \$17.50 Skirts **\$3.98 and \$5.00** WAISTS **\$2.94**

Silk Pongee, Striped Silk, Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists, in tailored and fancy styles, including the new wide applique lace-trimmed styles.

Third Floor Bargains You'll Appreciate

Muslin Petticoats

Excellent quality fine White Muslin with draw string top and finished with embroidered ruffle flounce.

97c

Ladies' Heavy Outing Gowns

In pretty stripes made from good heavy quality Outing Flannel. All of this lot sold for twice and more during the Winter than we ask for these tomorrow. \$1.39 was the price earlier.

69c

Women's Extra Size House Dresses

Now for the big women who find it nearly impossible to get fits in House Dresses. Good Gingham used and fast colors. Sizes to 54.

\$2.95

Men's Shirts and Children's Underwear

83c

Boys' and Girls' Waist Union Suits

Under ordinary conditions, and with the underwear market normal, you would pay \$2c for these unions. Reinforced strap with button gives added strength.

83c

Men's Heavy Blue Overalls

Made from good strong, serviceable blue denim; reinforced between legs; 2 back pockets, 2 front side pockets and bib pocket; double stitched throughout.

\$1.25

\$1.50 Men's Union Suits

Heavy Quality Men's Gray Ribbed Union Suits, with heavy warm fleece, especially well made and finished.

98c

\$1.50 Men's Outing Gowns

These Heavy Outing Flannel Night Shirts were never made to sell at our regular price. Many a garment like this has been sold in town at \$2.00. Stripes in colors. All sizes.

\$1.15

American Lady—R. & G. and Other

Make Corsets

You know only the finest materials are used by these

\$2.47

well known makers, so you can look for models worth considerably more. High or low bust as well as the popular Topless Styles. White or pink.

Ladies' Slip-Over Sweaters

Think of buying these popular Slip-over Sweaters at such a low price and in a big range of new colors.

\$1.99

Good Women's Bath Robes

Formerly \$5.00

Don't think what the quality must be at this price until you see the garment. You'll be amazed how good the quality is at so low a price.

\$2.99

69c Brassieres

Made from strong, serviceable materials; nicely trimmed with lace and embroidery; sizes up to 46.

47c

Peg Top Rompers That Were \$1.98

These are of the better sort; made from good quality ramié cloth; in a big selection of colors; sizes 2 to 6 years.

94c

Special Hosiery—Gloves and Kerchiefs

50c BURSON HOSE

Run of the Mill 3 for 1.00

The slight faults will not be noticed in this famous make. Made without a seam. Black, natural and white only.

1.00

50c BOYS' & GIRLS' HOSE

Fine quality No. 1 rib double-sole—sole to insure service. All perfect quality in black and cordovan.

1.00

\$1.25 LADIES' LACE HOSE

Ladies' fine quality Lisle Lace Hose, with seamed back—double sole and toe, with high applied heel and wide double garter top. Black cordovan and white.

89c

LADIES' FINE KID GLOVES

These are all perfect quality, in all sizes. Popular colors. Cordovan, gray and white, as well as regular at a much higher price.

\$1.79

\$1 FULL-FASHIONED LISLE HOSE

Ladies' Full-fashioned Lisle Lisle Hose, in black only. Wide double garter top, double sole and toe, and high applied heel.

73c

10c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS

These are termed run-of-the-mills, but the slight defects are not noticeable. Pretty sheer lawn and Swiss, with neat designs in corners.

5c

Always Extraordinary Values for Saturday From Our Domestic Dept.

81x90 Perfect Sheets

The kind that sold only a short time ago at \$3.00. Made from a good quality, full width Bleached Sheet and free from dressing.

\$1.29

72x90 Printed Bedspreads

You must see these to appreciate their beauty. White with beautiful printed figures in blue, pink and buff, with colored embroidered escalloped all around.

\$1.98

New Linene Suitings

36 inches wide, in a good selection of colors; finished to look like linen. Excellent for one-piece dresses, skirts and children's wear.

29c

42x36 Pequot Pillowcases

You know the quality of this famous brand, and every one perfect; 42x36, with wide hem.

39c

These are for Saturday only.

59c and 69c Dress Gingham

In a beautiful selection of plaid styles, as well as the much wanted corded checks—customers tell us. The most varied assortment of designs and color combinations is on our counters. All 32 inches wide and absolutely fast color standard.

29c

25c Bleached Muslin

36 inches wide and free from dressing; a good firm round thread quality for undergarments and other uses.

17c

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Blankets

Heavy, warm blankets, in white, tan and gray, with pink or blue borders; also beautiful plaid blankets—all cotton but feel and look like wool, and just as warm. Full bed size.

\$3.98

36-inch 50c Best Light Percales

There's a varied assortment of many style stripes and as many color combinations as our color selections. An extraordinary quality for men's fine shirts, boys' blouses and house dresses.

23c

Save Money On Shoes!

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C. E. Reese and Miss L. M. Ferguson Surmount Difficulties.

ROCKVILLE, February 4 (Special).—It required two trips to Rockville Wednesday before Clarence E. Reese and Miss Laurine M. Ferguson, young Washingtonians, succeeded in getting married, but they finally managed to have the knot tied, the ceremony being performed by Rev. P. Rowland Wagner, pastor of the Baptist Church, at the home of the minister.

The couple first came out in the early morning, but were refused a license because the young man was but twenty years old and did not have with him the written consent of his parents. Later in the day they came forth with the necessary consent and also brought with them the young man's mother.

COMMITTEE HEADS NAMED

Mothers and Teachers Elect Chairmen for Annual Convention.

Committee chairmen for the annual convention of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association, to be held here from April 25 to 30, have been named. Mrs. Giles Scott Rafter, president of the District Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association, will serve as the national local chairman; Mrs. H. N. Spottawood will be the District manager. Mrs. Leonard Dotten chairman of the credentials committee. Mrs. Percy Daniel and Mrs. Ernest Daniel, chairmen of the hospitality committee. Mrs. E. G. Neumeyer, chairman of the information committee. Mrs. E. P. Woodson, chairman of the automobile committee. Mrs. Z. L. Dalby chairman of exhibits and Mrs. J. N. Saunders chairman of publicity.

PLANS TO CELEBRATE.

Corcoran Cadet Corps Veterans' Association Will Observe Anniversary

At the second meeting of the Corcoran Cadet Corps Veterans' Association, next Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the National Guard Armory, 472 I street, northwest, arrangements will be made for the celebration later this month of the thirty-eighth anniversary of the date of the organization of the Corcoran Cadet Corps. Capt. Frank Lockhead, secretary of the association, since the first meeting last Monday has received the addresses of about two hundred of those who, in the past, served as members of "The Corcorans." That number, according to Maj. C. Eugene Edwards, president of the association, is only one-fifth of the available membership. Steps are being taken to enroll the others immediately.

MARTIN GILLEN ACCUSED.

Capt. Foley Tells House His Testimony Was "Misleading."

Capt. Paul Foley, director of operations of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, testifying Wednesday before the House committee investigating Shipping Board operations, charged that Martin J. Gillen in his recent testimony before the committee made "misleading and untrue" statements. By what he termed Mr. Gillen's "malicious interference," proposals which he said would have solved the fuel oil bunker problem of the American merchant marine for the next five years were "blocked."

A husband of Akron, Ohio, wants a divorce from his wife because she would not dance.

TAKE UP COMMUNICATIONS

Delegates From South America and Europe at Meeting.

Delegates from several South American countries and from Europe attended the first meeting of the permanent committee on communications held yesterday in the office of Secretary Alexander of the Department of Commerce.

The committee was informed by Secretary Alexander, its chairman, that five subcommittees have been organized on the following subjects: Ocean transportation, ship and insurance documentation, railroad transportation, radio and cable communication and postal facilities.

Organization of the committee was recommended at the second Pan-American financial conference held in Washington during January, 1920. Admiral William S. Benson, chairman of the United States Shipping Board, is vice chairman.

PERMITS GERMANS' TRANSIT.

Permission has been given by the American government for the transfer through the United States of about fifty German officers and seamen who have been interned at Guaymas, Mexico, since the beginning of the world war and whose repatriation has been arranged by the German minister to Mexico.

A good demand is reported to exist in Belgium for the sale of calculating slide rules, architects and engineers' flat sections and other scales, these at present being obtainable from Germany only, it is stated.

NEW PACKER BILL URGED.

House Committee Would Change Senate's Measure.

Favorable report was ordered yesterday by the House agriculture committee on a substitute plan for the Senate bill for federal regulation of the meat industry. Under the substitute, control of meat packers would be vested in the Department of Agriculture and stock yards be placed under the Interstate Commerce Commission.

FAVORS INVESTIGATIONS.

Committee Approves Probing Activities in Siberia, Haiti, Domingo.

Resolutions by Senator Johnson of California, proposing investigation of American activities in Siberia, Haiti, and the Dominican Republic, were favorably received by the Senate foreign relations committee.

Senator Johnson asked immediate consideration for his resolution in the Senate, but went over on objection of Senator Hitchcock.

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Long, girlish straight effects with tricolette sashes are plentiful; graceful long-waisted models—Moyen Age ideas adapted to 1921 are shown in variety; then there are new tunics and panels of many sorts, and novel puffings and pleatings. Embroidered and beaded effects predominate. Sizes 16 to 44.

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Kayser Chamoisette Gloves, smart strap-wrist style, half P-K sewed. Heavy six-row embroidered backs. The sale price **\$1.35**

Kayser Chamoisette 16-button Gloves, of superb quality and workmanship, with heavy spear backs. The sale price **\$1.85**

Kayser Chamoisette Gloves, in 2-clasp style, with four-row embroidered backs. 600 pairs on sale tomorrow at **79c**

Kayser Chamoisette 12-button Gloves, with spear backs. This popular style on sale at **\$1.15**

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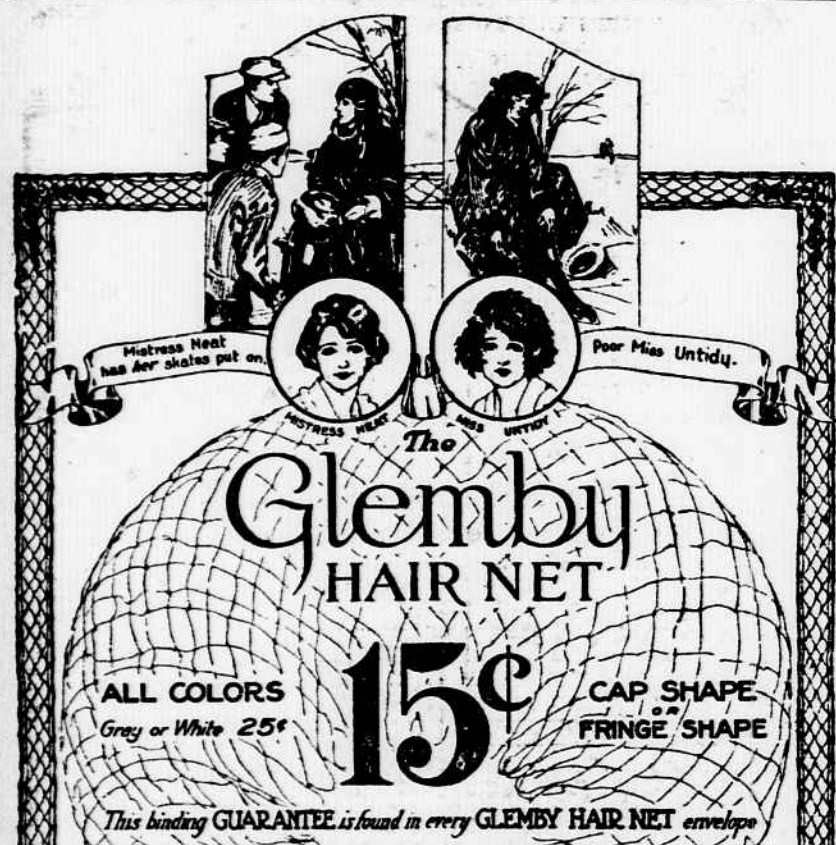
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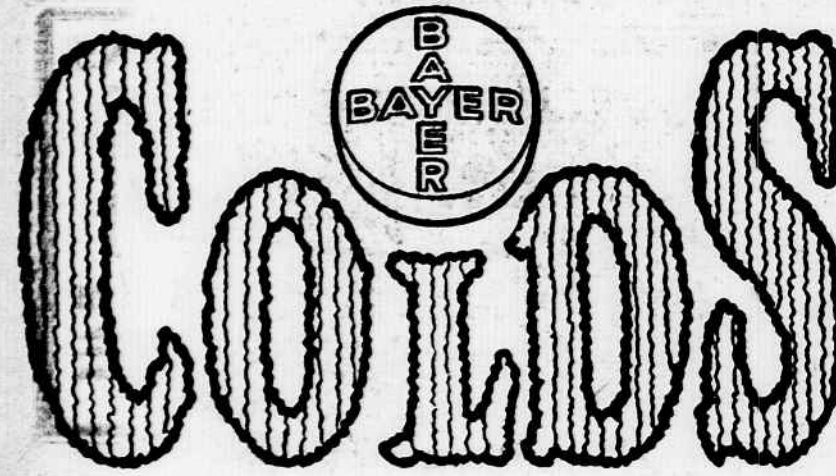
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GAMES AND DAINY DISHES FOR FEBRUARY ENTERTAINMENTS

How to Prepare for a St. Valentine Party—Vegetable Confections—Novel Ways to Serve Refreshments.

If you adopt the following plans and suggestions your St. Valentine day party will cost you very little money and take little time to prepare. First, buy some red cardboard and cut out different sizes of hearts. Save even the tiny scraps; you may need some very small hearts. If the hearts are to be festooned on the walls or used as portieres, paper is as good as cardboard. If you wish to use the hearts for portieres, fasten them with pins or paste them to narrow strips of muslin.

Table Centerpiece and Refreshments.
A large heart cut from red paper and edged with tiny white hearts makes a pretty centerpiece for the table, and plate and tumbler doilies can be made from the same material and in the same shape. Cut out tiny red hearts with which to outline the dishes on the table or to scatter over the cloth.

For refreshments there are many things that can be served in heart-shaped dishes. Patty shells can be made in that form and filled with creamed chicken or oysters. You can cut all kinds of sandwiches in heart shape. For a relish use rather thick slices of pickled beets, cut in heart shape. Blanc mange and cranberry jelly cooled in heart-shaped molds are decorative and make good foods for each other, and, of course, cookies and small cakes can easily be made in that shape. If butter is served, that can be molded into little hearts. A large cake, iced in white with a border of red hearts, makes a pretty decoration.

Cover the cake smoothly with plain boiled icing, and then, before it sets very hard, mark it around the edge with a heart-shaped cookie cutter. For some of the icing, red, and with a cornucopia of white paper outline the hearts. Use enough of the icing so that the little hearts will stand up.

Valentine Gifts and Cards.
Any kind of a heart-shaped trifle will serve for a Valentine day gift. A little heart-shaped apron of white lawn, edged with dainty lace, is a self Valentine that is both useful and attractive. Tiny hearts cut from red silk and filled with cotton sprinkled with sachet powder will please any girl.

Many of the valentine post cards have large hearts with dainty figures or verses on them. They can be cut out and used for different purposes. A heart that may be broken—makes an amusing gift. An attractive pin ball can be made with an extra heart cut from light felt or flannel and pasted between two fancy hearts from a post card. A simple valentine that combines a bit of humor with the sentiment of the day can be made by decorating a little card of white or gray with hearts and cupid's heads and printing the following verse on it:

This rose is blue.
This violet red;
For cause of you,
I've lost my head.

Paint a deep blue rose after the first line and a brilliant red violet after the second.

Good Games to Play.
If you play games that require the choosing of partners, tear hearts in two and distribute the pieces among the guests. The hearts that match will, of course, indicate the partners.

To vary the old donkey game, have two large figures outlined on paper, one of a girl, the other of a boy. The boys, blindfolded, in turn, endeavor to pin a red heart on the figure of the girl, and the girls, also blindfolded, try to put the boy's heart in place.

In another game red cardboard hearts, two inches in diameter, with loops of string attached, are provided for the guests to wear. Each heart is inscribed with a word and a figure. The word reveals the wearer's family name for the occasion, and, at the same time, the particular part that he or she is expected to play in the plans of the evening; the figure indicates the number of persons who will fall under that particular classification.

Thus, if a heart is inscribed "Speech," the bearer understands that she belongs to the Speech family and is expected to search until she finds two other members of it. If a second player's heart is marked "Charade," she must not stop until she has found the other four guests who are to act charades for the enjoyment of the gathering. Other family names are Stunt, Trick, Riddle and Gymnastics. One girl should be labeled "Solo," and when the guests are finally grouped together, the members of each group must consult together and make plans as to how they will perform their particular part. No one must be allowed to refuse.

Vegetable Confections.

Home candy making has been revolutionized by the discovery that common vegetables can be used as a basis for confections that heretofore have been made only from high-priced ingredients, often difficult to obtain. These facts are of special interest to those who are fond of the candy that are so attractive to children can be made at home. Each of the following recipes follows a principle that can be applied to many other well known candies besides the particular confection described.

Mocha Walnuts.—To the yolk of one egg, beaten to a cream, add one teaspoonful of coffee extract and one-half cup of white potato, boiled, drained and forced through a sieve. Gradually stir in confectioners' sugar until the mass can be made into soft balls. Flatten them and press the kernels into them and spread them to dry. If you wish to pack them, dip them into a crystal cooked to 220 degrees. Dipping them again in sugar letting them dry for a day insures a good surface and keeps the cream from drying out.

Raisin Creams.—Mold some potato fondant like that described above into balls, flatten them and place a seeded raisin on each side of each ball. Cook a sirup to 225 degrees and keep it warm. Into it dip the fondant balls, one by one. Dry them on racks. Ordinary bonbon cream, flavored and colored to suit the fancy, can, of course, be substituted for the potato fondant if you prefer it.

Sweet Potato Patties.—Sweet potatoes when used as a basis for candy should be baked, not boiled. Boiled sweet potato changes color during the succeeding processes and retains the amount of water that is likely to cause trouble. The potato, after being baked, must be forced through a sieve so carefully that all hard fiber is removed. Then boil until very thick one pound of evaporated sugar, one cup of sweet potato, prepared as described above; one-half cup desiccated cocoanut and one-half cup of water. When the mixture has cooked add one-half cup of bonbon cream. As the mass begins to set, drop it quickly on waxed paper in small drops.

Other Vegetable Sweets.—Boil some white sugar to a sirup in twice its volume of water. In the sirup cook the following vegetables in succession until they are nearly transparent, then lift them out carefully and place them on waxed paper: Sweet potatoes, pared, baked and sliced or cut into rings or strips. Sweet yellow turnips or Hubbard squash, prepared in the same way as the small yellow carrots, scraped and used whole. Stalks of green celery. When candied they resemble the angelica stalks that are so pretty cut into small bits for decorating icings.

Novel Ways to Serve Refreshments.
To make candy saucers to hold ice

cream, use a recipe for peanut brittle, having the nuts ground, and when it is ready to turn out, instead of putting it on a plate, spread it over an inverted saucer as evenly as possible, especially around the edges. When the candy has cooled, take it off the saucer, turn it over, and you will have a candy saucer. A row of little hard candies will finish the edges prettily. In the saucer serve ice cream in bricks. A cup, in which some-made ice cream may be served, can be as easily made by shaping the candy over a tiny bowl.

To make attractive receptacles called "fruit wells," bake any good cake mixture in gem pans, and when cold remove the center of the cake, spread the remaining top with vanilla frosting, fill the cavity with freshly cut fruit, arrange on a bed of ferns and serve with sweetened whipped cream.

Banana ice cream served in lady-finger cases makes a pretty dish. To make the cases, dip the sides of the required number of lady-fingers in a soft white icing, which will keep them together when they are placed side by side. Arrange them around a bowl. Tie a soft yellow ribbon around all to hold them in place, and remove the bowl when the icing has hardened sufficiently for the case to retain its shape. If the refreshments are to be served at a Washington's birthday party, tie with ribbons in the colonial colors of blue and gold, or the patriotic colors of red, white and blue. Pistachio cream and green ribbon would make it appropriate for a St. Patrick's day party.

"Peach surprise" is a refreshing dainty that is easily prepared. Put halves of ice-cold canned peaches together with a filling of whipped cream and chopped walnuts; top each with a whole nut meat and serve with fancy cakes.

Mint-cake cream is very delicate. It is made from one quart of cream, half a pound of mint-stick candy and the whites of two eggs. Whip one pint of cream and the whites of the eggs; then mix thoroughly with the remaining cream, in which the candy has been dissolved. Freeze and serve in glasses with garnish of candied violets and finely chopped candied mint leaves, or decorate with little pink and green mints.

Making Your Own Lamp Shades.
With the single exception of window valances of cretonne or silk, I believe there is nothing that gives a house a "home" look as quickly as a pretty and harmonious silk lamp shade. For woman whose living room lamp or drop-light is severely shaded in frosted glass or cut glass (the shades of which, but not in the living room) has not achieved the highest decorative development of the room from a standpoint of soothing harmoniousness.

Why not make these artistic shades ourselves? They are expensive if purchased ready-made but not if made by our own hands out of remnants of silk we already have. Some women make them out of portions of worn-out silk dresses; others use faded silk cushion tops turned about, or parts of a discarded silk curtain. And one clever woman of my acquaintance made an white silk petticoat which she had dyed old-rose!

The first step in amateur shade-making is to secure a wire frame. These may be bought at large department stores, but to my mind it is better to have one hand-made by a tinsmith. For the cheap frames that one buys ready-made do not have flattened joints; that is, the round wire is not flattened down wherever it crosses over itself. It should be. Another argument for having the frame made by a tinsmith is that one can have it the exact size one needs. The tinsmith is to take the lamp to the tinsmith (if it is not too large) and let him use it as a guide in making the shade-frame.

After procuring the wire frame, the next step is to wind it all over with a strip of silk the same color as the lining. This strip should be about one inch wide, and where it is necessary to piece it one should make a bias seam.

And now comes the question of the kind of shade-covering—shirred or plain? This question depends largely upon the amount of silk at hand. One has plenty of the material, one can have the pretty shirred, or gathered, style of covering. This is made simply by gathering at top and bottom, as the shade is deep and pinning this gathered strip at intervals around the frame; distribute the gathers evenly between the pins, then sew the gathered strip to the binding on the wire, cutting off any edges that may stick out above or below the frame. At this stage there will be raw edges at top and bottom of the frame, and these raw edges must now be covered with some kind of trimming—either a gold braid or a narrow shirred strip of the same silk that covers the frame. A lining must now be sewed on the inside of the frame.

If the frame-maker has not enough silk for a shirred covering and must have, therefore, a plain one, she had better try to carry out this plan. Make panels of the material, divide the space between each two vertical wires of the frame; run a piece of braid (or other trimming) up each seam that joins these panels; have an interlining of some pretty figured

both receiving and inflicting injuries. Our children are learning these things in some of our schools. We elders must make up the deficiencies of our education as we can, and learn cotton, linen, silks and wool, which we must use every day of our lives. Instead of Latin, of which we may have learned something once, but which we have little occasion to use, let us learn something that will show through the plain covering when the light is turned on. Then, as in the case of the shirred (indeed, of any kind of shade) make a plain paneled lining and sew it on inside.

HOME ECONOMICS.
BY MRS. ELIZABETH KENT.

Cloth Fibers.
All cloth is made by the interlacing, or weaving, in some way, of one or more kinds of fiber. The four fibers most used are cotton, linen, silk and wool. These are divided into the two general classes, vegetable—that is, cotton and linen—and animal—that is, silk and wool. The value of a fiber depends upon the four qualities of length, strength, elasticity and curl.

In modern manufacture an almost infinite complexity of materials has been developed from these four basic fibers, and both women who make their own clothes and those who buy clothes ready made need to know something about this development in textiles. They should know the names and qualities of the stuffs of which their clothes are made, the methods of production and manufacture, the process of weaving and the results upon fibers, the possibilities of adulteration and its effect upon values, the names, standard prices and widths of staple materials and such things as tape, braid and the like and their appropriate uses, and, lastly, they should know and care something about those who produce, manufacture, transport and sell women's garments. Without this knowledge they cannot buy intelligently, nor protect themselves from

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Peter Tries a Back Door.

BY THORNTON W. BURGESS.

If you had the front door locked, try the back door without shame. Both lead to the self-same thing. All the difference is in name.

—Peter Rabbit.

Peter Rabbit is a foolish little fellow in many ways, but he is not one of those with a front-door pride. The only use he can see for a door is a means of getting in or out, and he doesn't care a hair of his funny little tail which door it is so long as it is open. So Peter always has an eye open for back doors as well as front doors.

When Peter popped out of Johnny Chuck's house by the front door almost into the mouth of Reddy Fox,

and then popped back in again just in the nick of time, he found himself in a fix. He was foolishly afraid to stay in that house, because the feeling that Johnny and Polly Chuck might be dead down there in their beds frightened him. Why should I don't know, for even had they been dead, which they were not, there would have been nothing to be afraid of. I suppose it was the mystery of it. Mystery frightens more people than real danger does.

But if he was afraid to stay in that house he was more afraid to go out.



SO PETER GRINNED AND HE MADE A FACE AT REDDY'S BACK.

With Reddy Fox waiting outside. He knew Reddy would be enough to know that unless he had something else on his mind he would hide somewhere near and wait patiently. It looked to Peter as if it would be a matter of time before the fox would get out of which possessed the greater amount of patience. Ordinarily Peter wouldn't have minded this at all. It was much warmer inside than outside, and he would have enjoyed staying in there until he was sure that his patience had outlasted that of Reddy Fox.

But with the mystery of those two little friends, Johnny and Polly Chuck, so still and cold down there in their beds, Peter wanted to get out of that house and he wanted to get out right away.

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear me!" said Peter to himself. "Whatever did I come here for, anyway? This is what comes of being so curious about something that didn't concern me at all. I'll never, never be curious again. I never will."

For a long time he sat just half way down that long hall. And all the time he was nervous. He couldn't see it out of his head that Johnny and Polly Chuck were dead, and that whatever had killed them might kill him. At last he had a blessed thought. He remembered that branch hall that led to one of Johnny Chuck's back doors. Perhaps he could get out that way.

Peter turned and crept down to that branch hall. He crept as if he feared to disturb Johnny and Polly Chuck. Why, he didn't know. Only a little while before he had tried hard enough to waken them and failed. He crept up the narrow little back hall and so presently came to the back door. It was nearly closed with snow. Carefully Peter dug the snow away. Then just as carefully he poked his head out. Long dead grass hung over that doorway. Peter peeped between the grasses toward the front door. Then Peter drew a long silent breath of relief and grinned. Sitting with his back to him within one good jump of the front door, but where he couldn't be seen by any one coming out of that door until he was out on the doorstep, was Reddy Fox.

Peter was no longer afraid. With the light of day all fear of the mystery down behind him in that house of Johnny Chuck's vanished. And with Reddy Fox right where he could be watched, there was nothing to fear from him. So Peter grinned. Then he made a face at Reddy's back. He would be quite satisfied to sit right where he was until Reddy should give up and go away.

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Thus the sweater has gone through all sorts of phases. It has been figured beyond all recognition, made of wool, cotton, silk fiber, and even knitted of ribbon. That was just part of its struggle for existence.

The sport coat had remained much the same. The change that has come over it is radical. It was a simple process of elimination. All that remains of it is above the waist line. This waist line, of course, is made to be placed low, coinciding with the lowered waist line that is affected when wearing separate blouses as well as in one-piece frocks.

First in Leather.

This pelumless or skirlless sport jacket first attracted attention as a sport coat when it was developed in reindeer skin and other leather. Apparently the jacket was made to come just to the waist, so that it might be worn beneath a topcoat for additional warmth. And though it found usefulness and still retained usefulness worn thus, it was also found to be a most convenient sort of jacket to wear alone.

One model that met with the approval of many sportswomen was made with a loose blouse-like body and long set-in sleeves of leather, with a snug collar, cuffs and belt of knitted wool. Worn with a heavy shawl, this little jacket proved ideal for cool days on the golf links.

Now this very type of jacket, made of a variety of materials—wool for cooler weather and silk poplin and silk jersey for warmer days—is gaining favor particularly among well-dressed women. In the bright reds—notably the shade known as Egyptian red—in burnt orange and in combinations of colors, the woman who likes bright hues in her sports costumes.

It is worn already with white crepe skirts, with tweed and homespun. In fact, one thing that especially recommends it is the fact that it combines so readily with the separate skirt. With the gored skirts of tweed shown for place and summer, the combination of these two skirts, by the way, will doubtless remain in good place for place and summer, completely supplanting the plaid skirt.

Well Adapted for Sport.

The coat shown in the sketch was designed for southern wear. It is of a bright soft red, with white on the lapels and at the girdle, a separate skirt of white.

The sleeves of all these sport coats are long, and like those in the original design, are made to fit well under the arm, usually with a soft seam at the shoulder.

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LISTEN, WORLD!

By Elsie Robinson

They're getting thicker than a plague of seventeen-year locusts, these birds with a longing for "free life" and "free expression." If you don't hop the conventional track and go off on a trail of your own, you're a stunted, stunted carbon in the cylinders of progress.

It doesn't matter exactly what you do, from dancing to the devil in a roller towel to sloping with the dog catcher. Just so long as you avoid regular work, you're of the elect. And

I'm here to state that I think it's all Tommy rot.

You can't help civilization by grabbing the grab away when you're tired of it. That was the way the monkeys lived. The test of an upstanding human is to think for the gang, and work with the gang, and carry on. It takes a million times more bravery and originality and humor and backbone to stay at home and cook three square meals a day, or plug down to the office and earn them, than to do as you please and dodge your taxes and live a life of sin-without-soap.

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At Law, No. 63872.—The object of this action is to compel the defendant to pay to the plaintiff, the sum of \$1,000.00, with interest thereon, as provided for in final decree in cause of Carl J. Lockwood vs. Lela Lockwood, No. 62621, Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, dated December 1, 1921.

On the basis of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this cause, the plaintiff claims that the defendant, therefore, this 15th day of January, 1922, ordered that the defendant appear in this court on the 15th day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock of the forenoon of said day, to answer to the complaint of Sundays and legal holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order, to defend himself and show cause why he should not be held liable for the sum of \$1,000.00, with interest thereon, as provided for in final decree in cause of Carl J. Lockwood vs. Lela Lockwood, No. 62621, Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, dated December 1, 1921.

It is ordered that the defendant be published at least once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Post, or in any newspaper before said day. By

in the court of WENDELL P. STAFFORD, Justice, (Real Estate Division), at the true and lawful place of the BUCH, Clerk. BY CHAS. B. COFLIN, Assn. Clerk. Jan 22, 1936.

HENRY W. SOHON, Attorney.

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Miss Helen Parsons, Chevy Chase, Md., was driver of an automobile that came to a sudden stop against a trolley pole in front of 2843 Connecticut avenue yesterday and was damaged. Miss Parsons and Miss Louise Moore, the latter residing at 1819 Adams Mill road, received slight cuts and bruises. They were given first aid by a physician.

George Black, 59 M street southwest, driver of a garbage truck, was thrown from his wagon at Virginia and Delaware avenues southwest as a result of a collision between the wagon and an automobile yesterday and his right hip was fractured.

A collision between a bicycle ridden by Harry Canister, 619 Massachusetts avenue, and a motor truck driven by Howard Matthews, 437 O street, occurred at Massachusetts avenue and 6th street yesterday afternoon. The wheel was damaged and its rider injured.

Henry F. Newell, five years old, 28 G street, was knocked down in front of his home yesterday afternoon by the automobile of C. W. Rice, 1322 N. Capitol street. The child was injured about his face, head and both legs.

AT THE COMMUNITY CENTERS

Wilson Normal Community Center—A series of moving pictures for children and parents of the public schools and community center will be given tonight at 7:30. The Wilson Normal Community Center, and will be given every Friday afternoon at 2:15 and in the evening at 7:30.

Girl Scouts, Troop 1, will meet at the same hour in the gymnasium. Other activities tonight at 7:30: Domestic science for juniors, Boy Scouts, Troops 40 and 75, and Junior Club.

East Washington Community Center—The Dervishes hold a meeting tonight in the gymnasium. French Club meets tonight at 7:30; Wallach Boy Scouts, Troop No. 35, and the Epworth Boy Scouts, Troop No. 55, will practice at 7 o'clock.

Thomson Community Center—The Children's Dramatic Club will meet at 3:30 this afternoon and the Adults' Dramatic Club at 7:30 tonight.

The community folks will give a neighborhood dance this evening. Dressmaking and china painting at 7:30 o'clock.

Park View Community Center—Friday Night Social Club, Boy Scouts, Troop No. 35, and Park View Boys' Athletic Club.

E. V. Brown Community Center—This afternoon at 2 o'clock, French, dramatics and rhythmic dancing for children; at 4 p.m., social dancing for young people; Boy Scouts, Troops Nos. 52 and 57.

Southeast Community Center—There will be an election of officers of the Pollyanna Club tonight; the Boys' Freckles Club will meet at 7:30; Boy Scouts, Troop No. 52, Scoutmaster Mastin, 7:30; Rag Doll Sewing Club at 8:30.

Johnson-Powell Community Center—Tonight, Friday Evening Club, with parliamentary drill, dramatics, costume making, scenery building, social and folk dancing, supervised game playing, at 7 o'clock. This afternoon there will be French for children and violin lessons.

Trinidad Community Center, Ludlow School—Girls' handwork club meets tonight. The Boys' Independent Athletic Club will box and play games tonight.

Dunbar Civic Center—French for children at 3:30 this afternoon.

Birney Community Center—This afternoon at 3:15, Girls' Reserve, Y. W. C. A.

Miner Normal Community Center—There will be a game of basket ball tonight at this center between the Settlers' team of the Miner Normal School and the Just's team of the Dunbar High School. Other activities tonight: Sewing and dressmaking club, conversational Spanish club, typewriting and shorthand club, gymnasium activities.

Burrville Community Center—This evening at 7:30, Mothers' sewing club, knitting, embroidery and crocheting club, dressmaking and millinery.

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United States Jacob Jones Post, No. 2, American Legion, gives a benefit performance tonight at Community Service, 918 10th street, at 8:20 o'clock. The Debut Club will present an "F Street Cabaret," to be followed by dancing.

Agricultural History Society meets at 8 o'clock in the lecture hall at the Public Library, Miss Mary G. Lacey speaks on "An Early Agricultural Periodical." The public invited.

Phil Sheridan Post, No. 6, Department of the Potomac, meets at 8 o'clock in G. A. R. Hall.

Kansas State Society will give a dance at 8 o'clock at Wilson Normal School.

Dr. Frank Ballou will address the Parent-Teacher Association of the James A. Burney School, Anacostia, at 8 o'clock.

Society of Automotive Engineers meets at 8 o'clock in Cosmos Club Hall. Dr. Dickinson presents a paper on "Lubrication," and William S. James speaks of "Recent European Automotive Developments."

Faculty Club of George Washington University holds a get-together meeting and smoker at 8:30 at the clubrooms, 719 21st street. Harry C. Davis and Dr. Frank A. Hornaday speak.

Beckington Presbyterian Church Aid Society gives a "Church Bazaar" at Mulberry Corners at 8 o'clock at the church.

Women from the universities of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Texas, Kansas, Oklahoma and North Dakota are invited to be present at 8 o'clock at the clubhouse of the National Association of Collegiate Alumnae.

Piney Branch Parent-Teacher Association meets at 8 o'clock at the West School. Dr. Arthur D. Call speaks.

St. Paul's Mothers' Club meets at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Roy Wiseman, 152 1/2 street, as guest. Mrs. Helen B. Hall reads a paper.

Rabbi Nathan H. Golish speaks on "The Aim of Jewish Education" at 8 o'clock at the Adath Israel Synagogue.

National Urban League for Social Service Among Negroes will meet at the Brooklyn Academy of Music. Prof. Kelly Miller of Howard University will speak.

D. C. GUARDSMAN HONORED.
Sergeant John R. Burns, Company G, Engineer Regiment, National Guard of the District of Columbia, has been designated by the War Department to take the entrance examination March 1 next for admission to the United States Military Academy at West Point. He lives at 217 13th street southeast.

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