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WHITNEY FACES THE SENATE PROBERS

MYSTERY SURROUNDS MURDER; CLUES POINT TO A VENDETTA

Couple Found by Son After Mother and Father Had Been Dead for Hours—Two Children Murdered a Year Ago.

St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 20.—Each shot through the left temple, apparently murdered as they slept, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDowell were found lying in a pool of blood in a bed at their home here today.

Last night and this morning Manchester was visited by the most terrific snow storm of the year. The snow began to fall early last night and by this morning had changed to a combination of sleet and hail.

It was one year ago today that the two young daughters of the McDowells were burned to death on a kerosene soaked mattress at Decatur, Ga., where they lived at that time.

There was every indication, according to police, that the couple were murdered five or six hours before the bodies were discovered. The belated alarm was given by Frank McDowell, 18 year old son of the slain victims.

When police arrived Frank exhibited a bump on his forehead which he said he sustained when he was struck as he opened the door of the bedroom. The abrasion was slight.

Frank's Story. Here is the story Frank told detectives. He was awakened at about midnight by a noise which he thought was a burglar.

When I opened the door, I saw a dim light on the floor. I saw a shadow and I heard a swishing sound and then I knew nothing for I don't know how long. I think it must have been about fifteen minutes before I regained consciousness.

Saw His Parents. "I saw mother and father on the bed. They looked like they were asleep except for the blood which was all over the place."

Frank defied police to connect him with the crime as he was subjected to a prolonged cross examination.

When Frank told police that one year ago today his two young sisters were killed at Decatur, Ga., presumably murdered and their bodies destroyed by fire and that the murder was a deep mystery spread over the entire case.

The outstanding clues in the strange case were: A .22 calibre revolver, its butt spotted with blood, was found through Frank's direction at the bottom of a trunk in the bedroom.

TODAY'S STORM WORST OF SEASON

Gale from Northeast Brought Snow and Rain—Rain Predicted for Late This Afternoon and Night.

Last night and this morning Manchester was visited by the most terrific snow storm of the year. The snow began to fall early last night and by this morning had changed to a combination of sleet and hail.

The Connecticut Co. schedule suffered accordingly but every man on the line worked hard to bring the cars back on their regular running time.

About four inches of snow fell but the wind mad it anywhere from five to seven inches in the drifts. Walking was difficult and auto-riding was just about as hard.

The town gang with the tractor plow and the big truck went up and down Main street and had the middle of the thoroughfare cleaned off before noon.

Even when the snow ceased falling the wind was so intense that it blew the snow particles through the air. Walking was difficult and auto-riding was just about as hard.

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Washington, Feb. 20.—The threat that President Coolidge will veto the Democratic tax reduction rates that are now written into the new revenue bill in place of the Mellon schedules was definitely projected today into the Congressional tax fight.

The sharp defeat of the Mellon program by a coalition of Democrats and Progressive Republican insurgents was a distinct shock to the White House, despite the fact that it has long been apparent to unprejudiced observers at the capitol that the Mellon bill would not be passed as written, with its maximum surtax of 25 per cent.

President Coolidge feels very deeply about the situation, it was said today. The White House is in direct touch with the capitol during the balloting late Tuesday and it was regarded as significant today that the close friends and confidants of the President were openly predicting that he will never approve the Garner reduction rates, with their maximum surtax of 44 per cent.

A White House official who usually speaks for the President said: "The President will not recede one inch from his previously stated position. The Garner plan is fundamentally unsound. Its enactment would wipe out the \$300,000,000 surplus now existing in the treasury and would in fact create a \$300,000,000 deficit."

Quick work on the part of Captain Hammell, in charge of the ferryboat, prevented the collision although the boats were less than two feet apart.

Passengers received a scare but there was no panic and no one was injured.

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Flames Make Ashes of Old Landmark



Fire destroyed Park View Inn, one of Brooklyn's (N. Y.) oldest roadhouses. Damage was estimated at over \$100,000, and the spectacular blaze was visible for miles. Only chimney remained, as photo shows.

Food Famine Threatens England; Strike Still On

London, Feb. 20.—A food famine threatens England today as a result of the dock workers' strike which has tied up the importation of foodstuffs.

Arthur Henderson, M. P., disclosed that the government had opened new negotiations with the strikers attempting to secure the transportation of foodstuffs to the exclusion of other freight.

Atlantic Seaboard in Grip Of Worst Storm of Season

New York, Feb. 20.—The Atlantic seaboard today was in the grip of the worst snow and sleet storm of the season.

Shipping was seriously interfered with and storm warnings have gone out in all directions.

Snow, which began falling in New York and other big eastern cities last evening, continued until the early hours this morning when it turned into a blinding drive of sleet.

The local weather man predicted at least six inches of snow, and it probably wet and sticky will be driven by a gale like storm.

Four hundred snow plows and a force of four thousand men worked all night in New York City keeping the traffic cleared of the drifting snow and a call sent out today for ten thousand more men.

POINCARÉ ACCEPTS REPARATION REPORT

In Behalf of France He Declares that Principle is All Right—Plan to Be Made Public Next Week.

Paris, Feb. 20.—The French government as represented by Premier Raymond Poincaré, today accepted in principle the reparations solution worked out by the two committees of international experts appointed by the inter-allied reparations commission.

The program of the two committees has not been made public but probably will be next week. It will be discussed by the committee Saturday.

Premier Poincaré held a conference with the ministers of war, public works and liberated regions when a provisional report from the committee was discussed.

Residents of the shore section were fearful that their homes might be washed away in the fury of the storm which has driven waves to a higher point than ever before known here, exceeding by far the distance covered in the storm of four years ago.

Trolley tracks in sections are not only under water but are littered with uprooted poles, broken buildings, and general debris.

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CORSET COMING BACK SAY MANUFACTURERS

New York, Feb. 20.—The corset is coming back and the walking "barrel type" of sapper is going.

This tip came from the Corset Manufacturers' Association of America, whose convention ended here today.

"Women have returned to sanity in dress," is their prediction. "The corset again is the foundation of health, style and morality for the fair sex."

COMMUNITY CLUB BUSY MONTH

The Community Club has arranged a program of social events for the month of February.

The program will include a variety of social events, including a dance and whist night.

WAVES ALONG SHORE SWEEP HOUSES AWAY

Myrtle Beach Strawn With Wreckage—Higher Waves Than Four Years Ago.

Milford, Conn., Feb. 20.—Damage amounting to hundreds of dollars has been caused along the shore front here by the worst storm and highest tide known here in years.

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WORK TRAIN HITS WAGON AT CROSSING

Threw Horse 50 Feet Against Telegraph Pole—Smashed Wagon to Pieces Driver Escapes With Only Slight Injuries.

The work train that passed the Manchester station yesterday afternoon shortly after four o'clock struck a manure wagon at the Williams crossing in Meekville and instantly killed one of the horses and injured the other.

Cooper, who is a married man, employed by John Devitt of Burnside had just delivered a load of manure to Herbert McIntosh's place in Buckland and was on his way back to Burnside.

The engineer saw the danger and blew the whistle repeatedly but still the man drove on. The brakes on the work train were applied but it was impossible to bring it to a halt in such a short space.

The engine struck the wagon a glancing blow and threw one of the horses almost fifty feet. The horse struck an interurban pole which carried the high tension wires.

The injured man was conscious when picked up and claimed that he was not aware of the approach of the train until it was too late. He was able to tell the men who he was and asked them to get word to his wife about the accident.

The work train was brought to a stop as soon as possible and the workmen ran back to the crossing. Cooper was taken on and hurried to Hartford where an ambulance was in waiting to convey him to St. Francis hospital.

The wagon was smashed to pieces and workmen in the employ of the Connecticut Company were called to the scene of the accident and replaced the pole immediately.

Many fatal accidents have occurred at this crossing, and the subject of just what can be done to abolish one or more of these crossings at Meekville is one to which the selectmen are giving deep thought at the present time.

AUTOS CRASH ON EAST CENTER ST.

Willamantic Man Runs Into Car Owned by Elery Darby in This Afternoon—No Body Seriously Hurt.

about 10 o'clock this afternoon when a Buick touring car owned by Elery Darby of East Center street and driven by Mr. Charles J. Edwards, was struck by an Oldsmobile touring car driven by O. L. Williams of Willamantic.

The Buick had just arrived at the intersection of East Center street and Willamantic street when the Oldsmobile struck it from the rear.

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MILLIONAIRE TURFMAN IS ON WITNESS STAND

DAUGHERTY TARGET OF BITTER ATTACK

Senate Divided as to Who Shall Be Members of Probe Committee—Attorney General Will Not Resign.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty was the target today of a Senatorial attack that eclipsed even that which forced the resignation of Secretary of the Navy Denby.

Temporarily blocked by a technical objection, foes of the attorney general planned to force a show down within 24 hours on the Wheeler resolution authorizing an investigation of Daugherty and his conduct of the Department of Justice by an insurgent controlled special committee.

While a coalition of Democrats and insurgent Progressives supported the proposal of Senator Wheeler, Democrat of Montana, administration leaders held out for appointment of an investigating committee by the president pro tem, Cummins, Republican of Iowa.

The investigation would be conducted by the so-called Republican Regulars. Over this issue the Senate was split into two belligerent camps.

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EXAMINATION HELD BEHIND CLOSED DOORS—WILL NOT TALK TO REPORTERS—SENATOR ELKINS, ALSO NAMED IN OIL SCANDAL, SAYS HE WAS NOT CONNECTED WITH CASE.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The Senate oil investigators decided today to send expert accountants to New York to examine the books of Harry Payne Whitney, multi-millionaire turfman and business associate of Harry F. Sinclair.

This decision was reached by the committee after a secret hearing accorded Whitney this morning behind the locked doors of the committee room.

Brief Examination. The examination of Whitney who has been Sinclair's partner in many deals was short and said to have been sharp. It lasted less than half an hour.

He was accompanied by his attorney, Frank L. Crocker, and after being excused they conferred with Senator Davis Elkins, Republican of West Virginia who admitted today having bought and sold some thousands of shares of Sinclair oil stock.

"There is no law against buying and selling anything," said Elkins heatedly after his conference with Whitney. "When buying and selling stops the nation stops. Even if you could not live if they did buy and sell."

Bought Oil Stock. "I bought and sold Sinclair oil stock, but I did it without any knowledge of leases. I do not make a business of buying and selling stocks. How could I do so, here in the Senate, without looking at a ticket?"

"All this is a political drive started by the Democrats and I think they are going to get the worst of it. It's all propaganda—all political."

Whitney, obviously nervous, declined to talk. Following the examination of the millionaire sportsman and after deciding to examine his books, the committee adjourned with no date set for another session.

Members of the committee said, however, that Elkins probably would be called before the committee at an open hearing within a few days as a result of the new revelations.

Elkins said most of his accounts were carried on the books of J. P. Bankard and Company and Harwood son and Company, New York.

"My transactions," he said, "were negligible in comparison to those of other people."

He declined to explain this remark further.

In the short session behind closed doors today the committee decided that hereafter the special counsel, Owen J. Roberts and Alice Pomeroi, should take the lead in all future investigations into the oil scandal, particularly as a number of these legal questions have been raised.

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FARINA, THIRD MAN ALSO FOUND GUILTY

One More Bandit to Be Tried for the Murder of Two Brooklyn Bank Messengers.

New York, Feb. 20.—John Farina was found guilty of murder in the first degree early today by a jury in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn.

The jury deliberated four hours and thirty-three minutes. The verdict was returned at 3:30 a. m.

Farina was charged with being one of the slayers on November 14th last of William McLaughlin and William J. Barlow, bank messengers, who were shot and killed in a \$45,000 robbery.

Farina took his conviction calmly. At no time did he display emotion or make any statement. His only remark was that he was innocent.

Farina was the third person to be convicted. The fourth man held as being implicated in the robbery and murder of the bank messengers is Anthony Pastano whose trial is to begin next Monday.

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DAUGHERTY WELCOMES SENATE INVESTIGATION

Washington, Feb. 20.—Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty today made an important denial of the charges made against him in the Senate committee by Senator Wheeler, Democrat of Montana, and his associates.

Daugherty said that he had no recollection of any investigation into his conduct or the department of justice.

NEWS FROM SURROUNDING TOWNS

WAPPING

Holly Troop of Girl Scouts will give an entertainment and dance in the school hall tomorrow evening. Behrend's orchestra will supply the music.

William Smith of Hartford, a well known magician, will give an entertainment in Wapping on Friday evening, Feb. 23. The affair will be held under the auspices of the men's committee of the Y. M. C. A.

The Connecticut Federation of Churches is preparing a history of the Federated Churches of Connecticut. The book will include pictures and a history of the Congregational and Methodist churches of Wapping which federated in 1922.

Many local telephones were out of order this morning on account of the ice storm.

Miss Mary Lathrop of Tolland, a teacher in the local school, was absent on account of illness today.

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peared before a Senate committee to defend his administration.

Wheeler's charges were referred to a minor Senate committee on a technical objection authorized an investigation into the alleged failure of Daugherty to prosecute violations of the anti-trust laws, war fraud cases, persons involved in the oil scandal, and other alleged violations of federal laws. In addition, Wheeler made the following verbal accusation against Daugherty: "connected with the Teapot Dome oil scandal" and permitted E. L. Doheny, H. F. Sinclair and E. R. McLean to meet in his apartment during the oil negotiations.

1. That Daugherty used his high office to "protect crime and criminals."

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3. That the late Jesse Smith, an intimate friend of Daugherty, was given a special position in the Department of Justice where he "accepted money in connection with various cases before the department."

4. That "other friends and confidential advisors of the attorney general were collecting money to use their influence with Daugherty," in squashing criminal prosecutions.

5. The attorney general "if he did not get the money collected for him by his friends was a bigger fool than the country thought he was."

Wheeler announced today he would make a "fish fight" for the naming of his personally selected investigating committees. His selections included himself, Senator McLean, Republican, of Connecticut; Jones, Republican, of Washington; Brookhart, Republican, of Iowa; and Ashurst, Democrat, of Arizona.

It is understood there shall be a real investigation of the attorney general and not a "white wash," Wheeler said.

Daugherty found numerous champions in the Senate, who demanded he be given a "fair deal."

"His foes will find the attorney general a real fighter," said Senator Willis, Republican, of Ohio, chief defender of Daugherty. "His courage cannot be questioned and the country can rest assured he will not resign under fire."

"It is my opinion that any attack upon his personal integrity will collapse when the facts are brought to light."

NOMINATION WITHDRAWN.

Washington, Feb. 20.—President Coolidge today agreed to withdraw from the Senate the nomination of George B. Christian, Jr., secretary to the late President Harding as a member of the federal trade commission.

Christian's appointment was opposed by Democrats and Progressive Republicans in the Senate on the ground he was not fitted for the post. A few days ago charges were made by members of the committee that Christian had sought to "intimidate them" against issuing a complaint against the Famous-Players Lasky Film Company.

Withdrawal of Christian's name is at his own request, it was stated at the White House.

Christian had been summoned to appear before the Senate commerce committee this week to defend himself against the charges and to inform the committee concerning his qualifications for the \$10,000 post.

Not desiring to appear, Christian asked President Coolidge to withdraw the nomination.

ELKINS DENIES RUMOR.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Senator Davis Elkins, Republican, of West Virginia, one of the many prominent men in the official life of Washington, whose names have been mentioned in the rumors and reports incident to the naval oil leasing scandal, issued a public statement today admitting that he had "from time to time purchased shares of Sinclair oil stock."

He denied, however, that he had taken any profits in his dealings. Senator Elkins is reputed a multi-millionaire. He was a close personal friend and frequent golf companion of the late President Harding.

Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION

BELLAN'S Indigestion Cure
BELLAN'S Hot Water Sure Relief
25c and 75c Packages Everywhere

ADDISON

The Glastonbury Chamber of Commerce will hold a banquet at Williams Memorial hall this evening at 8:30. A special program has been prepared.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Because of the large first team squad, Mr. Clarke has deemed it proper he has separated the squad into two groups, the reds and the whites. In this way the players on the first team receive more competition than they could possibly get against the second team.

The wisdom of this move was proved in the game against Willimantic when the team put up a wonderful game against a team composed of larger and heavier than Manchester. The players that are on the reds and whites are all good and in this way Mr. Clarke has a large reserve, the players being ready to enter the game at any moment.

Tonight is debaters' night. In the debate at Middletown, Manchester will take the negative side and here, against Torrington, Manchester will take the affirmative side. The question is: "Should the United States Grant Independence to the Philippines During the Present Congress at four fifteen of the sophomore candidates for the Sophomore swimming team will meet at the Rec.

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The Minute That Seems a Year. By CLOYAS WILLIAMS



TRYING TO COLLECT YOUR WITS WHEN YOUR COUSIN'S DROP IN, ABOUT HALF-PAST TWELVE OF A SUNDAY, WITH THAT 'WE EXPECT TO BE ASKED TO STAY TO-DINNER' GLEAM IN THEIR EYES

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The railroad technicians are still studying German statistics as to the revenues from German railways. The report on German railroad revenues will not be taken up for final consideration until Saturday.

Not Practical. Banking experts have notified the committees that the suggestion of President Schacht of the Reichsbank, for a 10,000,000,000 gold mark international loan, guaranteed by revenues from the railways and other German sources is based upon an exaggeration and impractical.

The bankers consider that half a billion gold marks based upon the earning power of German railways, is a more logical prospect for a loan.

Faced with the necessity of making a unanimous decision, M. Parnmentier, the French representative upon the first international committee was requested to obtain Premier Poincaré's approval before the report is made to the interallied reparations committee.

According to The Petit Journal the general plan comprises two of three-year moratorium for Germany as to cash payments, but payments in kind (payments of goods) are to continue as in the past.

It will be suggested that an international corporation be formed to exploit German railways including those in the occupied sections of the Rhineland. If this plan is approved the French occupational forces would be compelled to give up the German roads, they now hold.

Press Reports. According to the press report, it is suggested by the committee that the "customs frontier" between Germany and unoccupied France be abolished; also, that the proposed gold mark bank, capitalized at 300,000,000,000 gold marks be established at once, one half of the capital stock being subscribed by neutrals.

It is generally accepted as a foregone conclusion that this bank will be established and that the acting head will be a resident of Switzerland. The institution will be controlled by neutrals and allied powers.

The second reparations committee, headed by Reginald McKenna of England, is understood to favor a German domestic gold loan, with premium privileges held out.

"Pertinax," political editor of The Echo De Paris, attacked the suggestion that the French cease economic exploitation of the Ruhr. "Pertinax" criticized the reparations commission for suggesting withdrawal of the French engineers.

The French foreign office denied a report that General Dawes conferred with Premier Poincaré on Tuesday.

ON VASCO'S TRAIL. Danbury, Conn., Feb. 20.—The arrest of Pietro Vasco, alleged slayer of George Goetz, Kent, Connecticut, is expected momentarily, according to state police who announce they are so close on his trail that they may arrest him this afternoon.

ISRAEL'S CASE. Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 20.—The state's attorney's office here will not take action in the case of Harry Israel, reported player of Rev. Hubert P. Doheny, St. Joseph's.

Oil stocks held up better, Pacific Oil rising 1-2 to 50 3-8, Houston 1 3-8 to 71 7-8 and Maryland 5-8 to 8 5-8. Pan-American Petroleum however, lost 1-2 to 47 1-8, Phillips 5-8 to 36 1-4, and Couden 1-8 to 32 5-8.

Studebaker lost 3-8 to 100 1-4, but Mack Truck gained 1-8 to 84 7-8.

Railroads were fractionally lower.

In France is a museum devoted solely to a collection of dress-making devices of all kinds and of all ages.

ABOUT TOWN

The annual inspection of Delta Chapter, R. A. M., which will have been held this evening, has been postponed on account of the weather until Wednesday evening, March 5, when Grand High Priest F. W. Deklyn will pay an official visit.

J. W. Wright, who has been manager of the Birch street store of the Economy Grocery Co., has been transferred to New London where a new store is to be opened. He is succeeded by William Hunniford.

George Schoen, formerly of this place, died this morning at the American Legion Base Hospital No. 81 in New York City of spinal meningitis. The body will be sent from this institution to Undertaker W. P. Quish and removed to the home of his sister, Mrs. James Fogarty, of 5 Bank street.

Mr. Schoen was a veteran of World War and had lived in the port Division to his death on the 41th Division on January 11, 1917. He was a member of T. F. Henderson, A. F. M., and was discharged January 11, 1917.

Funeral arrangements have been completed. Burial will be held here today at the charge of Rev. O'Rourke, veteran fighter, that Tex Rickard was in connection with ticket speculation.

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DOHENY RAPS PROBERS.

New York, Feb. 20.—"A lot of people are trying to run the American people off their feet in the investigation of the naval reserve oil leases," E. L. Doheny, head of the Pan-American Petroleum Company was quoted as saying in an interview in The Wall Street Journal today.

"When I was on the stand in Washington," he said, "it reminded me of old times in the west when one of our dogs at mating season joined the wolves—these wolves would surround our camp at night and I could hear my own dog barking among the wolves as they howled around."

"It seemed at Washington I could hear the bark of my own friends in a pack of political wolves."

MAY BE ROMAGNOLI. New York, Feb. 20.—E. B. Hatrick, general manager of the International News Reel Corporation said today that while he had no definite word from Rome he feared that the motion picture photographs which lost his life in the flaming eruption of Mt. Vesuvius was Umberto Romagnoli, an Italian who represented the International News Reel Corporation.

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STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mary Burke, wife of William J. Burke, of 40 1/2 North Main street, was severely injured by an automobile driven by Fred Roberts at Manchester Green yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Burke planned to visit friends on Lake street, and alighting from the Green car was about to cross the street to go in to the store to telephone when struck by the Roberts car from the rear.

According to the investigation made by Policeman Foley, Roberts applied his brakes in order to avoid hitting a car who was walking in the road ahead of him, and in so doing his car skidded around and hit Mrs. Burke, throwing her to the ground. She was removed to the Memorial hospital where it was found she had a broken rib and two cuts in the head. She was suffering severely from shock and up to this afternoon an X-ray has not been taken. It is feared there is a fracture also in the bones of her right arm. While seriously injured it is not believed at this writing that her injuries will prove fatal.

TO PROBE POLL. Washington, Feb. 20.—The poll being taken by the Literary Digest on the Mellon tax reduction plan was assailed bitterly in the Senate today by Senator Harrison, Democrat, of Mississippi.

"Whenever a periodical starts at a cost of \$400,000 to take a poll in the nature of propaganda, we must look upon it with suspicion," Harrison said.

Harrison urged that the Senate propaganda committee act immediately upon the request of Senator Harris, Democrat, of Georgia, for an investigation of the magazine's tax reduction poll.

MAY ISSUE BONDS. Washington, Feb. 20.—Henry Ford's railroad—the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton—was authorized today by the Interstate Commerce commission to issue \$240,000 of 50 year 5 per

TELEPHONE PIONEERS OF AMERICA TO GATHER IN NEW HAVEN

Six Employees Have Served the Southern New England Telephone Company More Than 40 Years—All in Good Health Today.

When the members of Morris F. Tyler Chapter, telephone pioneers of America gather in New Haven, February 26, for their annual meeting and election of officers there will be among them a half dozen employees of the Southern New England Telephone Company who have been in the telephone business practically since its commercial beginning in New Haven 46 years ago last January 28th.

These six pioneers have an aggregate service of 253 years and three months and are genuine pioneers in the telephone art, every one of them, however, being hale, hearty and active in the same business today.

The "Big Six" and their service records to January 1, 1924 are: John W. Ladd, New Haven, 45 years, 4 months; Emor A. Smith, Hartford, 42 years; Hardy T. Lohmes, Hartford, 41 years, 8 months; Geo. E. Stannard, New Haven, 41 years, 8 months; F. Parker Lewis, New Haven, 41 years, 5 months; Edwin C. Ford, New London, 41 years, 2 months.

Miss Laura E. Palmer, Restroom Supervisor of Hartford, and Miss Jessie A. Mix, Librarian at the company's headquarters in New Haven, hold the long service records among the women of the company, the former having served the company 40 years and 8 months and Miss Mix 40 years and 7 months.

An interesting sidelight on these records of long service in the fact that Lewis E. Mix, brother of Miss Mix, also has been with the company 36 years.

There will be 13 employees among the Pioneers who have served over 25 years and less than 40 years, among this number being President James T. Moran. Fourteen others have service records of over 20 years and less than 35 years.

The first 33 employees on the company's service records represent an aggregate of 1229 years with the company.

There are about 90 other faithfuls who have completed more than 20 years service in the telephone business and are recognized as

Telephone & Telegraph Company of New York, who, however, resides in New Canaan and is therefore eligible to membership in the Connecticut branch of the national association.

The present officers of the Chapter are President, James T. Moran; Secretary, F. Parker Lewis; Treasurer, Charles B. Doolittle.

The annual business meeting of the Pioneers will be held at the Lawn Club in New Haven after which luncheon will be served. In the evening at the Lawn Club the Pioneers will hold their annual banquet with which an entertainment will be provided.

STORM WARNINGS

Washington, Feb. 20.—The storm which came up out of Louisiana, bringing snow and rain to most states east of the Mississippi river, centered over Maryland today, according to the United States Weather Bureau.

A movement of the storm toward the northeast is expected, attended by gales along the Atlantic coast from Cape Hatteras northward, and precipitation in the upper Ohio valley, the lower lake region, the southern Appalachian region and the Atlantic states north of Maryland. The temperature will be generally lower.

USED CAR EXCHANGES.

When the New London automobile dealers banded together and formed a used car exchange, they probably had no idea as to how far reaching their scheme would be.

The plan itself is unique because of its simplicity. It eliminates the handling of used cars by the dealers and forms a central depot for the used car buyer.

It was not long after the used car exchange got in operation here that the dealers in Waterbury became interested. They sent a delegation to New London to study the situation with the result that the Brass City will soon have its exchange.

And now a city in Ohio has started investigating the possibilities of a used car exchange for Painesville, that state.

Other places in Connecticut studying the plan are Norwich, Ansonia, Derby and Shelton and it is possible that Scranton, Pa., dealers may adopt the plan.

To the New London automobile dealers goes the distinction of being the first to adopt the idea.—New London Day.

THE GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Wheat opened unchanged to 1-8 cent up; corn 1-4 cent up; oats 1-4 cent up.

A western railroad took out a \$100,000,000 contract with a life insurance company to cover 90,000 employees of the railroad.

FAST COLOR DYES IN MANY MATERIALS NOW POSSIBLE

The Knell is Rung at Last on the Remaining Vestige of "Blue Monday."

"Blue Monday" is almost universally a thing of the past nowadays, for few are the women in this modern age who are slaves of the old-fashioned wash tub.

Nevertheless, though the old days of hot, steaming kitchens and sloppily floors are over in most homes—with modern washing-machine facilities and the wide-spread custom of sending the wash to the laundry—there is one phase of the laundering question that keeps it "blue" Monday still.

This is the matter of dyes. No matter whether clothes are sent to the laundry, washed in an electric machine or handled tenderly in the old fashioned tub—they fade.

This fading bugaboo has just been overcome, and for the delay in doing this, as in everything else, the war is to blame. However, now, for the first time in the history of modern textiles, fast-color dyes are becoming possible on medium-priced fabrics.

The materials can't fade in washing! Quite recently the dyers and dye-makers of the United States, who gave up their experiments on the problem of cheap, fast-color dyes at the beginning of the war, have just succeeded in making long difficulty of the dye manufacturers was not to produce a fast-color dye, so much as to produce one which could be adapted for use on fabrics without boosting the price sky-high.

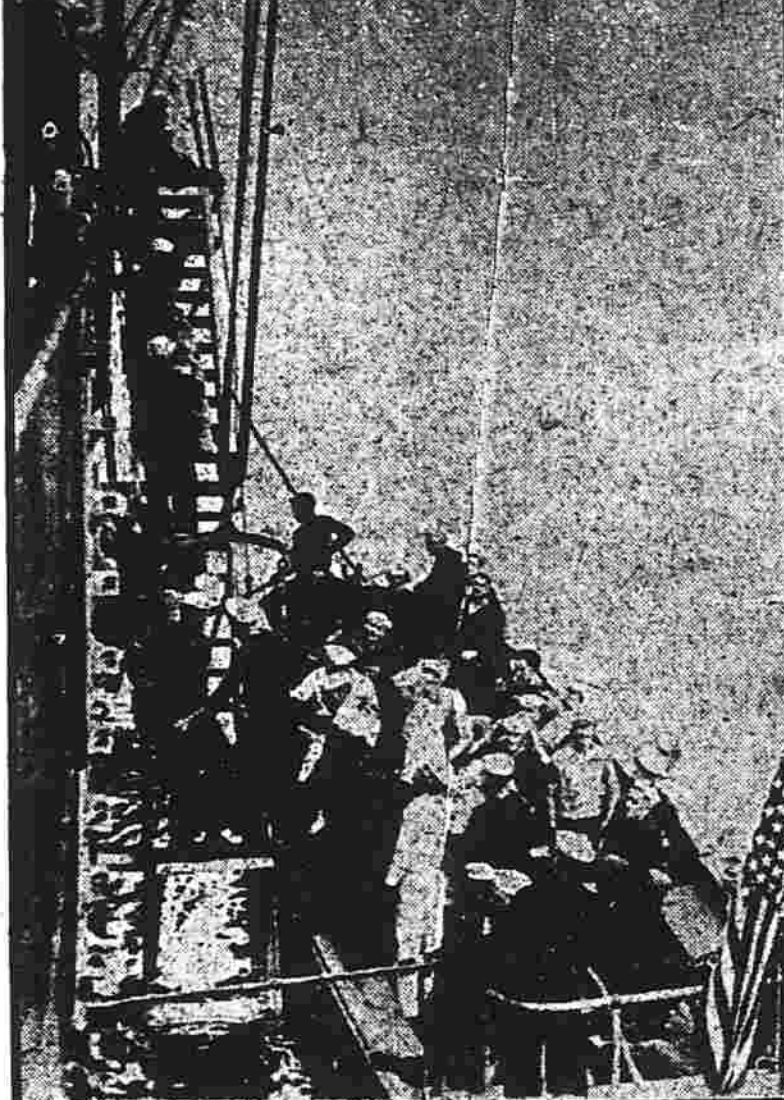
Certain pre-war dyes if applied to satens, for instance, would have made it necessary to add at least 50 cents a yard to the cost of the material, which made their commercial use prohibitive. But in the past few months they have succeeded, according to the New York retail storekeepers who are now putting the new fabrics on their shelves, in making a guarantee that the materials will not wear out or get out of style and that they will not cost more than they have even today.

PATROLMAN KILLED.

Geneva, N. Y., Feb. 20.—Struck down by an assailant's shots at his post of duty yesterday, Enos McDonald, patrolman, died of his injuries today. Police are holding two men, one giving his name as Harry Roberts, 118 Standard street, Brockton, Mass., and the other giving his name as Edward O'Neill, 22

of Cornhill. The men for the present are charged with retaining an officer, McDonald was shot through the stomach twice when a gang of about a dozen men, with a woman, were in the neighborhood. The woman was a guarantor for the manufacturer to give money back for the goods and also for

Rescuing Crew of U. S. S. Tacoma



This is first and exclusive photo of the rescue of survivors of cruiser U. S. S. Tacoma, wrecked on reef off Vera Cruz, Mexico, in which three men were killed. Survivors are shown boarding the U. S. S. Prometheus. Disaster was due to Mexican rebels moving reef light, it is said.

cost of making it up, if the action of perspiration or water alters the color in the least.

New materials are being added to this list daily, as experts in the testing-rooms of the dye plants discover new adaptations of the process which will work on other types of fabrics. It begins to look as if the millennium is coming, particularly if we can get a guarantee that the materials will not wear out or get out of style and that they will not cost more than they have even today.

Three Congressmen are making a special trip from Washington to New York, and parties of prominent society folk are proceeding from Virginia, Pennsylvania, and New England to the metropolis to attend the world premiere of D. W. Griffith's "America" at the Forty-fourth street Theatre, February 21.

The Congressmen being lured from troubles of state by a desire to attend the first performance of this photodrama of the Revolution made by Griffith for the Daughters of the American Revolution, are: Allen P. Treadway, E. Hart Penn and Charles H. Moore.

The Virginia party includes Mr. Mrs. Richard Crane of Westover; G. Watson James, national historian, Sons of the Revolution; James J. Scott Parrish, Miss Learor Parish, and Miss Agnes Toyher of Richmond.

Among those in the New England party are: President Edwin B. Nathan of the Lexington Historical Society; Mrs. Worthen, Judge Mrs. Frank H. Hamhill of Bristol; R. I.; Mrs. A. Martin Pierce, Miss Alice Pierce, Curtis Moore, George T. Hough and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Whitman of New Bedford, Mass.; Mrs. John L. E. Gil, Everett Hamilton Pell, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Taylor, Robert Heeler and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Addings of Great Barrington.

The United States army, which is an important part in the making of the picture will be represented by Major General Bullard, commander of the Department of the East, and a distinguished coterie of officers, which Mrs. Charles White and eighteen regents of the A. R. will represent that organization.

LIBERTY BONDS

New York, Feb. 20.—Opening Liberty bonds: 3 1-2's 98.31; 4 1-4's 98.29; 3rd 4 1-4's 99.28; 4th 4 1-4's 99.3; new 4 1-4's 100.85.

Elopes With Boss?

London, Feb. 20.—A dock worker was arrested here today on charges of severe here today. The boat engineers joined in sympathy walkout.

Members of the Cabinet the situation informally by action.

The dock workers at Boston went on strike, refusing to mail to and from Boston. The labor troubles were when 3,000 ship repairers Hampton and 1,000 workers ton went on strike.

It was estimated that 100,000 workers are on strike because of the dock strike.

STORM IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Feb. 20.—A men equipped with shovels and teams laboring the main thoroughfares as the snow continued. The thermometer showed a five degrees. At 7 o'clock morning the mercury registered above zero. Fair and weather is promised for tomorrow.

In the state of New Mexico there are six national forests whose combined areas total some 9,500,000 acres.

BRITISH ROW ON OIL ECHOES U. S. SENATE INQUIRY

London, Feb. 20.—Announcement by the Labor Government of its intention to retain the Government's holdings in the Anglo-Persian Oil Company has precipitated a controversy echoing in intensity the U. S. Senate Committee's investigation of the Teapot Dome transactions—although the British situation is the direct antithesis of the American row.

The Government's decision to retain these holdings was reached after months of negotiations for their sale to private interests, and though announced by the Labor Government is understood to be the policy adopted by the preceding Conservative government of Stanley Baldwin and to have been merely confirmed by the MacDonald government.

The Burmah Oil Company has issued a stinging statement charging that the Government's decision is not the national interests, and the controversy promises to run for weeks.

The statement made by the Burmah Oil Company seems to make it evident that, in seeking to purchase the governmental holdings in the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, there was a plan afoot to secure predominant British control of a new group consisting of Burmah, Shell, and Royal-Dutch companies.

The Navy was undoubtedly the determining factor in the Government's decision to retain its Anglo-Persian holdings. The British Navy runs on oil, and its oil supplies in times of war must be protected if it is to protect the British Isles.

A majority of British shareholders represented by a majority of British directors on the board of the new group, probably would not be able to guarantee oil supplies from foreign countries in time of war.

Moreover, some of the fields controlled by the proposed new group are not strategically placed and might easily be rendered unavailable in time of war.

Under the present conditions the British Admiralty has a contract under which a great portion of the output of the Anglo-Persian is at the disposal of the Navy at very favorable terms. Undoubtedly the Admiralty had no inclination to let this contract go by the board and run the risk of seeking a new contract with a new group.

Oil shareholders are decidedly dissatisfied with the Government's action, but so long as it can rest upon the plea of national defense there is little possibility of any reversal of the decision.

KILLS THREE AND SELF

Danville, Ill., Feb. 20.—Bullets fired by a madman crazed with the spirit of revenge, ended three lives early today and another shot, self-inflicted, sealed the tragedy in a little home at Philo, near here. A pedestrian stumbled over the bodies.

The slayer, police believe was Louis Kuntz, butcher of Homer, whose body was found just outside the house.

His victims were John Whistle, his brother-in-law; Mrs. Whistle, his sister, and Edna Whistle, his niece.

The killings are believed to have followed a family argument over the division of some property.

LIVED IN PATERSON.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 20.—Police officials were puzzled today over the identification of the girl known as Josephine Fox, 23, who was brought dead to University hospital here yesterday following an illegal operation for which three persons are held on a charge of manslaughter.

Clothing of the dead girl bore Paterston, N. J., and Boston labels, and police first were confident she came from the former place.

Some doubt arose today, however, as to whether her name was Fox, the name under which she worked here in a theater. Initials on a bracelet she wore do not correspond to the name.

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Foreign News Nuggets

Moscow, Feb. 20.—Soviet troops today captured a gang of bandits accused of killing sixty persons in Siberia.

Belgrade, Feb. 20.—The Jugoslav Parliament today ratified the treaty of amity with Italy by a vote of 123 to 21. Foreign Minister Nintchitch, replying to criticism, explained that Jugoslavia is seeking peace with all her neighbors.

Naples, Italy, Feb. 20.—An Italian seaplane, carrying a moving picture operator, today fell into the crater of the volcano Mount Vesuvius.

Rome, Feb. 20.—Pope Pius today sent a message to the Apostolic delegate at Washington asking him to extend thanks to the American people for their charity in behalf of destitute Germans.

Rome, Feb. 20.—Italy will formally annex Fiume on March 2, after ratification of the Jugoslavia treaty, it was announced today.

PRATT AT LIBERTY

Norwalk, Conn., Feb. 20.—Announcement was made here today of the release from state prison on February 14 of Arthur W. Pratt, of Darien, who in December, 1919, was sent to prison for a term of two to five years on a charge of auto theft. Pratt was found in New York in possession of an auto belonging to Charles Coppola, of this city, who disappeared on February 14, 1919, and who has never been heard from since.

Pratt never explained how he came in possession of the car. He was released from prison in February, 1922. Pratt was taken back there the next May charged with loose conduct. He was arrested at his home on Pratt Island, Darien, where he was said to have been entertaining women with wild parties. A search of the island was made in the hope of discovering some trace of Coppola but the search was fruitless.

A LAWLESS PROCEEDING.

(Exchange.)
The teacher was giving the class a lecture on "gravity." "Now, children," he said, "it is the law of gravity that keeps us on this earth."

"But please, teacher," inquired one small child, "how did we get on before the law was passed?"

Circle Theatre

The most impressive scene taken for Mary Pickford's latest, United Artists' production, "Rosita," which has taken Manchester by storm, is that of the wedding of Rosita, the character portrayed by Miss Pickford, to the Count of Alcala.

An exact replica of a famous Spanish Cathedral was built with the imposing chancel completed with fidelity to detail. To approach this edifice was awe inspiring. The wedding ceremony was performed by a Bishop wearing the full robes of his office. Minuteness of detail was adhered to. Hymnal music was played during the scene and a spell seemed to be cast over everyone, a still silence prevailing.

A most pathetic touch was created owing to the fact that the bride and bridegroom, portrayed by Mary Pickford and George Walsh, were blinded by orders of the King, and the bridegroom was to be put to death immediately following the ceremony, the marriage having been arranged in order to make Rosita, the little street singer, a Countess, that she might later take station in the King's palace.

The scene was presided over by the Rev. Neal Dodd, who officiated as director of the ceremony, and those who were fortunate enough to witness this strange wedding were greatly impressed.

"Rosita" played to capacity last night. It will be shown this evening for the last time and from the praise heard on all sides last evening, standing room will be at a premium. A comedy and news reel are on the same bill.

Tomorrow's feature will be Anita Stewart in "The Love Piker," a drama dealing with modern life.

OHIOAN, 85, PROVES HE IS STILL CRACK SHOT

Lima, Ohio.—W. O. Wallace, 85, recently took his shotgun and three shells and strolled into the woods. He returned with two squirrels, and one shell still unused.

"My eyes are not quite as keen as they used to be, but I can still see good enough to shoot pretty straight," Wallace said.



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Write for booklet "Soups, Salads and Desserts", from which these recipes are taken.

BEET SALAD 1 CAN BEETS 4 HARD BOILED EGGS FRENCH DRESSING Cut beets in cubes, mix with the French dressing, let stand 1/2 hour. Arrange on lettuce in salad dish, chop white sauce, and rub yolks through sieve, put around the dish. *Always use Burt Olney's Beets.	BEETS WITH SCARLET SAUCE Reserve 1/2 cup of liquor drained from 1 can roasted beets*, reheat the beets and pour over sauce made as follows: Melt 3 tablespoons butter, add 1/2 tablespoon flour, 1/2 cup liquor drained from beets, 1/2 tablespoon vinegar, cook until thickened, add 1/2 cup cream, 1/2 teaspoon sugar, season with salt and pepper. When hot pour over the beets. *Always use Burt Olney's Beets.
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BOOK THIEVES.

Commenting on the annual report of the librarian of the Rockville Public Library, the Rockville Leader notes "with incredulous surprise" that at the time of the yearly inventory 81 books were discovered to be missing.

"We have no intention of condoning theft of any kind but a rather large question seems to be raised here. We regret we know next to nothing about the Rockville library but we have had more or less intensive experiences among book collections, both privately and publicly owned.

One of the religions to which we have remained most faithful is bibliolatry. As a youngster we have walked long miles to plead for the loan of a book only to meet with blunt refusal.

We do, however, so far concede the truth of the indictment as to admit that if we now were in possession of all the books we have loaned in the days of our prosperity we would have little use for either public or private libraries.

When word comes from the White House, nowadays it is usually "mum". Anyway with this new feminine fashion an employer need not be afraid that his stenographer is laughing at him in her sleeve.

San Francisco has just finished an 18 mile tunnel. What a lot of doughnut holes it would make. Heredity, as mother understands it, is what makes a boy get all his bad qualities from his father's side of the house.

THE FOG From the Kansas City Star Out of a sea-fung mist she comes Wrapped in her trailing veils of gray. Climbing over the pointed roofs Of cliffs that sullenly bar her way.

THE VALUE OF A MAN: A Texas professor of chemistry finds that the net material value of an average human being is 98 cents. He says that if the body of a man weighing 150 pounds is resolved into its component chemical elements there can be assembled enough water to wash a pair of blankets, enough iron to make a tennepenny nail, sufficient lime to whiten a small chicken coop and enough sulphur to kill the fleas on a good sized dog.

A WORTHY MAN OF WEALTH.

Very worthy men are not popular in America. The great majority of citizens, who toil for a daily wage or worry along on meager salaries, feel that it is not quite right that it should be possible for individuals to become multimillionaires when so many have difficulty in acquiring the necessities of life.

Passing without comment the fact that most of our great universities and hospitals have been founded and are maintained by men with large fortunes we come to one conspicuous example of a large fortune well handled which has just been brought to public notice by the dedication to public use of the late J. Pierpont Morgan's magnificent library of rare books and manuscripts in New York city.

Incidentally Mr. Morgan had a hobby, that of collecting rare works of art, statuary, pottery, books and manuscripts. He had a discriminating taste and was well advised. When he died he left a collection worth probably far more than it cost him and of an historical value beyond price.

The great banker left a son and namesake who is as public spirited as his father was, and it is the son's action which has conveyed the New York library, conservatively valued at \$3,500,000 to a self-perpetuating board of trustees, and has provided an endowment fund of \$1,500,000 for its maintenance.

MR. LONGWORTH. Congressman Longworth, son-in-law of Roosevelt and present Republican leader of the House of Representatives, has not given convincing proof of the stamina that might have been expected from his earlier social associations.

We might ask what the chief justice of the United States Supreme Court, Mr. Tat, thinks of surrender and compromise to partisanship and treachery. He has had many opportunities of judging Mr. Longworth at close quarters. We would like his honest opinion of the man from Ohio.

Mr. Longworth is disappointing. The fact that Chairman Greene of the House Ways and Means committee agrees with him does not convince the average taxpayer that his representatives are rightly dealing with him. The only way to deal with the political trickery of the Garner and Frear bills is to defy them and refuse to give up the ship. A principle is at stake.

QUITs FAMILY MANSION TO WORK IN THE SLUMS London—Anne Barbara Kinnaird, eldest daughter of Lord Kinnaird and possessor of one of the most ancient names in England, has forsaken her father's mansion in the fashionable West End for a small room in a back street in Barking, one of the poorest slums in London.

Advertising on postage stamps has been permitted by the Italian government. The advertisers agree to turn over 60 per cent. of their receipts to the government.

SENSE - NONSENSE

Helpful Hints To Fish Caution is a great asset in fishing, especially if you are a fish. It's all in the cut, said the surgeon, as he forgot and sewed up a sponge and knife in his patient.

Those who will ride fast over railroad crossings, often follow it with a slow ride a few days later. His friends could give no reason why he should have committed suicide. He is single.—Leland, Ill. Times.

There isn't as much red tape in buying insurance as there is in collecting it. Woman actually makes her husband give her the military salute four times a day. If Adam couldn't be good with only one woman to tempt him what chance has a man got today. You tell.

It isn't always possible to gauge a man's aristocracy by the length of his cigarette holder. A girl in the kitchen is worth three in a hammock. Who would want three girls in a hammock.

ONCE THERE WERE FOOTPATHS From the London Observer. Once there were footpaths along Windflower and wildflower paths and their green pavement, yellow gems, white gems, clustering in the clover, and a cloud of birds like drifting over.

Brightly jeweled carpets lined the paths on Eiden. Even the sun grew dazzled by the hot gold hush of nosegays. And here and there across the scattered petals, blown from the harvest pools of poppies broken ruby burned along.

But nobody crossed the stone path that marked the way to Eiden. (Except it was on Sunday, a lass and her lover). All through the moorland summer But no he people they passed by, but no he people they passed by, only the boy that was I.

Oh, my heart remembers where they led me over Eiden, I found a crooked cottage, Eiden, and an old gaunt witch with a word that left me haunted! No more, no more those paths were mine, nor peace enchanted.

Once there were footpaths. Thomas Mow.

BOOK BORROWERS (Rockville Leader) The annual report of the librarian of the Rockville Public Library is full of the usual features. It shows a continuing interest in this educational and recreational institution on the part of adults and children alike, and again indicates the amount of supervisory and clerical work that makes these public benefits readily available.

NEWS and VIEWS

By Roland Krebs, International News Service Staff Correspondent. Washington.—Someone should pen a saga or, at the very least, an epic poem to the lamp posts of Washington.

They are every bit as deserving of a modicum of fame as the nightly white fire of New York's Broadway or the hidden electric lamps in Chicago that make its white buildings after dusk resemble great, blazing piles of loaf sugar.

The street lights of the national capital are as varied and as interesting as the big and little, bright and dull buttons that most grandmothers collect in tin boxes, along with odds and ends of ribbons, skeins of yarn, pressed flowers and daguerotypes.

To a visitor the city's street lighting arrangement must look like an experiment to determine which type of lamp post will serve best. For example: The famed Pennsylvania avenue at night is illuminated by very modern lights. They have large, beautiful globes set atop poles, sparkling like so many king's sceptres.

Some of the drossy lamp posts have sheets of colored glass worked into their schemes of things. All have crazy, jumbled lettering upon them which seems to have no meaning. This modern capital there is a thing that about these old lamps, they are of a day when pride and vanity were the chief motives.

MIGRANTS They set forth on their migrant path, a cloud on the darkened night; their pace as they hastened on, the wind rolled under their helon.

They steered with never a guiding line, But found their way by a chart divine, A wondrous map that their fathers knew When earth was young and the first birds flew.

A lighthouse stood on their pathway clear, A man-made warning of danger near; The rays with a blinding brilliance shone For perils beyond a bird had known, They breasted the storm and sea in vain To dash their wings on the light-house pane.

POOR FOLKS AS IT IS SOMETIMES WROTE. (Exchange) The strike of Howard Carter at the tomb of King Tut is the logical result of Egyptian arrogance, which is about as offensive as anything known in the present day Egyptian as the concept of the ancient rulers who thought to make themselves immortal by gawgaws, tinsel and bitumen. It is to be noted it was their own state, their exaggerated estimate of their own importance, they desired to record— their name to their people. Of course they had little or no concept of the present day Egyptian king was the epitome of selfishness. The inheritance of the present day Egyptian is what makes him at times a man and an exasperation.

STORK IS PUNCTUAL Lawrence, Mass.—The stork made his advent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald on two occasions with exquisite precision. Their son and daughter, six and four years, respectively, are exactly two years apart—to the minute. Each was born at 2:45 p. m.

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Thursday 60 x 76 Inch Cotton Blankets \$1.98 This is a sensational value offered during our February Furniture Sale for tomorrow only. These blankets are made of cotton, staple finish, in choice of four colors: Gray with pink or blue stripe and brown with pink or blue stripe. Limited quantity, come early. Regular value \$2.69. WATKINS BROTHERS, Inc. JUBILEE YEAR

BIG POWER FOR GOOD OR ILL IN SCIENCE-VIEW Fall of Civilization Seen if Man Ever Wrongly Uses Knowledge—Atom Holds Great Power. London.—The world is playing a game of hide-and-seek with the atom. It is a game of hide-and-seek with the atom. It is a game of hide-and-seek with the atom. TO RENEECA LAKE. On thy fair bosom, silver lake! The wild swan spreads his snowy sail. And round his breast, the ripples break, As down he bears before the gale. On thy fair bosom, waveless stream! The dipping paddle echoes far, And flashes in the moonlight gleam, And bright reflects the polar star. The waves along thy pebbly shore, As blows the north-wind, heave their foam. And curl around the dashing oar, As late the boatman hies his home. How sweet, at set of sun, to view Thy golden mirror spreading wide, And see the mist of mantling blue Pout round the distant mountain side. At midnight hour, as shines the moon, A sheet of silver spreads below. When early birds at morning wake Light clouds, like wreaths of purest snow. On thy fair bosom, silver lake! O, I could ever sweep the oar. When early birds at morning wake And evening tells us toll is o'er, James Gates Percival, Connecticut poet and scientist, 1795-1856. THE PRAYER OF A LITTLE HOUSE. I, I a little house have prayed to God, One wistful, shining prayer my whole life long. I have not asked that children's feet go shod With softness through my echoing halls, white song. Mounts small and gentle to my battered weather vane. I have not asked for sun, warm, sweet, To glimmer always through my leaded panes. Or glossy birds for these my saves deliverance from sleet. But I have prayed the dear Lord God of earth, Who watches over little roofs and halls Through the dark and light, though walking and through sleep, in sun and storm, in agony and mirth. That always, always He should let me keep Much love within the circle of my walls! Kathryn Worth In N. Y. Herald. The serving of the flesh of wild birds protected by the migratory bird treaty act with meals in hotels, restaurants or other places is unlawful. SORE THROAT Gargle with warm salt water—then apply over throat VICKS VapoRub

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RATE—One cent a word for first insertion, one-half cent a word for each subsequent insertion. The combined initials of a name, or the figures of a number count as one word. Minimum charge 25 cents for first insertion; three consecutive insertions 50 cents.

For the accommodation of our patrons we will accept telephone advertisements for this column from any one whose name is on our books. Payment to be made at earliest convenience. In other cases cash must accompany order.

FOR SALE—Have some good single Comb White Leghorn utility breeding cockerels; also excellent orders for hatching eggs, baby chicks and pullets. High producing strain. One breed, one quality, one price. Order early. Write, Frederick H. Miller, Coventry, (Manchester telephone).

FOR SALE—3 room house, electric lights, new car garage, large lot, fruit trees, everything in best of condition. Price reasonable. Inquire 85 Homestead street.

FOR SALE—Home Knitting machine. Apply 93 Cambridge street.

FOR SALE—The "Magic" coal burner colony brooder stoves. Self regulating and gas proof. Guaranteed satisfactory or money back. Free delivery. Used on our farm exclusively and can now be seen in actual operation. Write, Frederick H. Miller, Coventry, (Manchester telephone).

FOR SALE—New gas stove, water heater, and oil burner for furnace. Leaving town. Apply 22 Henry street.

FOR SALE—One pair white Chinese geese, also eggs and goslings, 555 Center street.

FOR SALE—Hard wood, William Sams, Vernon street, Telephone 451-3.

FOR SALE—Glenwood range with hot water front, practically new. Apply to 31 Eldridge street, South Manchester, Conn.

FOR SALE—Home made bread and pastry, on sale at the Woman's Exchange, Room 1, House and Hale Bldg. Special orders taken at home.

FOR SALE—Stalway plant, upright, used for sale or rent. Address, Herald, Box C.

FOR SALE—Butter-Kist electric portable machine, fully equipped. Very low price. Address Herald Box C.

FOR SALE—5 ton cow hay, Arthur E. Pinney, Tel. 106-2.

FOR SALE—Oak sideboard, baby porch gate, baby stroller, Rota ash heater, Tel. 137-1, Church street.

FOR SALE—Seasoned hard wood, \$12 per cord, also Birch wood, \$12 per cord or \$10 per cord. Phone 141-4.

FOR SALE—Seasoned dry hard wood sawed and split, kindling \$7.50 truck load, \$6 during day. Tel. 477-2 after 5 P. M. Anderson.

FOR SALE—Hard wood, stove length, Richardson Coal Company, Phone 425.

FOR SALE—Plenty of season hard wood cut to any order. Also fire place wood, stacks delivered promptly. Tel. 1375-2, George M. Buck.

FOR SALE—Tuberculin tested cattle, Franklin Orcutt, Coventry, Conn. Telephone Manchester 1064-3.

FOR SALE—Dry wood, W. E. Orcutt, Coventry, Conn. Tel. Manchester 1064-3.

CENTER STREET, WEST—Single six room strictly modern house including furnace, hot gas etc., two car garage, close to Center, near mills and on trolley, excellent for business or residential. Lot is about 80 feet front. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main St.

FLORENCE STREET—Extra large two family, twelve room, strictly modern, strictly modern, two car garage, 157-2 quick sale. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main street.

STONE STREET—Two family, twelve room, strictly modern, two car garage, 157-2 quick sale. Wallace D. Robb, 853 Main street.

WANTED—Did you hear the story about the Counts Barber Shop? "No," Children's hair cuts 25 cents.

WANTED—Women to paint lamp shades for us at home. Easy, pleasant work. Whole or part time. Address Nilsart Company, 2313 Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

WANTED—To sell someone a bakery route in town. Price reasonable. Write to Mother's Home Bakery, 67 Pine street or telephone 1175-5.

WANTED—Tutor, experience in private and public teaching, desires pupils by the hour, day or evening. Individual or class work. Terms reasonable. Phone 1391-12.

WANTED—To buy rags at 2c lb., magazines at 15c, a hundred pounds, bundled papers at 35c hundred pounds. I pay highest cash prices for South End business. Old cars for junk \$10 up. William Ostrinsky, 91 Clinton street, Phone 845.

TO RENT—Four room tenement. All improvements. On first floor. Call 614-3.

TO RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, heated close to depot, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply after 5 p. m. 34 Woodbridge street.

TO RENT—Six room tenement, corner Main and Woodworth street, all improvements, steam heat. Call 1439 or inquire on premises.

TO RENT—Midland apartments, three room steam heated apartment, janitor service, gas range, refrigerator, furnished. Apply Manchester Construction Company, Telephone 722-2.

FOR RENT—Available April 1st, in the remodeled Orford Annex Building 375 Main street in the heart of the South End business district, has with kitchenette attached, admirably adapted for social functions, lodge, club, or society quarters. Available NOW at same location, large front office room. Apply on Premises to Mr. Quinn or Mr. Blush.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished, with kitchen range, set tubs, electricity, gas, bath, pantry, two closets. Can be had three rooms if desired. Inquire 109 Foster street.

TO RENT—Five room tenement on Walnut street, white sink, wash tubs, electricity, near depot, all reasonable. Inquire Malsel's Grocery, 1 Walnut street, Telephone 576.

TO RENT—Centennial apartment four room, steam heated, janitor service, gas range, refrigerator, kitchen cabinet, door bath furnished. Reasonably rent. Apply Manchester Construction Company, New Fair Block, Telephone 732-2.

TO RENT—6 room bungalow, Inquire E. Ferris, 238 Oak street, Tel. 475-2.

TO RENT—Large single room, heated furnished or unfurnished. Linden street, near depot, 62 Linden street or 701 Main street.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms heated, also 3 room flat, bath, heat etc. Trotter Block. Inquire Slocumaker, Trotter Block.

FOR RENT—Large furnished front room for light housekeeping, inquire 400 Main street, corner of Bristol, second floor, or telephone 1064-3.

TO RENT—5 room flat on Benton street, improvements, steam heat. Inquire E. J. Holl, Orford Building.

MISCELLANEOUS

WOMEN—Earn big money making bungalow aprons at home during spare time. Enclose 2c stamp for particulars. Rosemary Apron Co., Asbury Park, N. J.

SELL MADISON "BETTER MADE" SHIRTS direct from our factory to nearer to customer and more required. Easily sold. Big profits. Write for FREE SAMPLES, Madison Mills, 603 Broadway, New York.

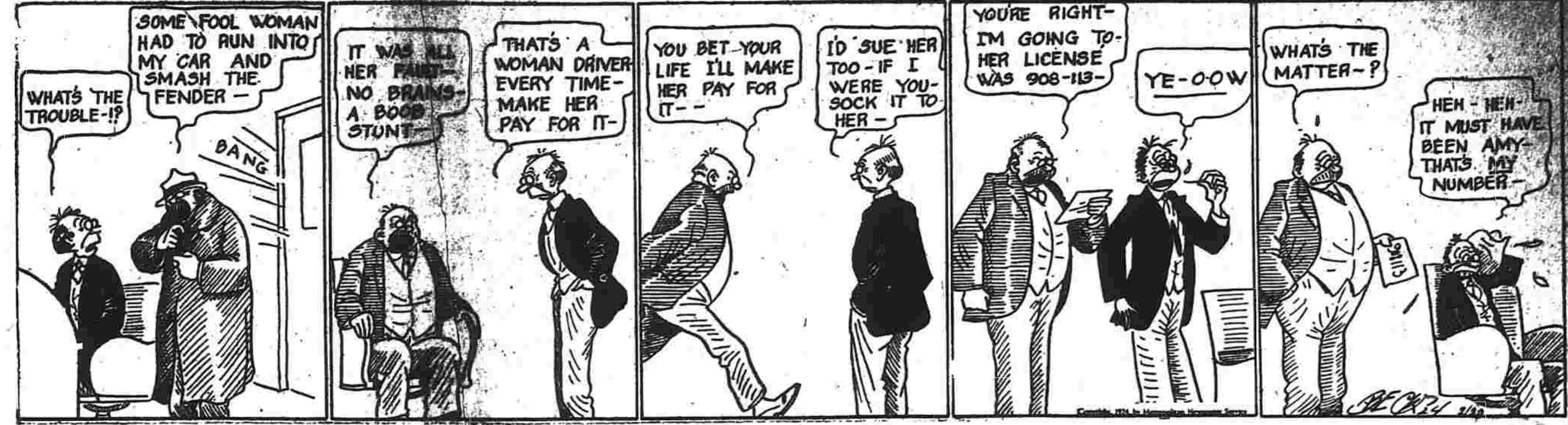
"KNOW YOURSELF"—Your character read in your handwriting. Send month, date of birth and a photograph in ink on plain paper in your own handwriting. By mail \$1.00. Josephine A. Smith, 224 Washington St., Hartford, Conn.

C. R. BRONSON—Painter and decorator removed to 27 Woodland street, Tel. 1293-2.

BROODERS & INCUBATORS: \$7.50 up; Newborn, Reliable Lionel Electric free catalogues. Poultry supplies of all kinds. Clark Hatchery, 45 Burnside avenue, East Hartford.

POULTRY: Brooders & incubators, \$7.50 up; Newborn, Reliable Lionel Electric free catalogues. Poultry supplies of all kinds. Clark Hatchery, 45 Burnside avenue, East Hartford.

Gas Buggies—We Sometimes Regret a Hasty Speech



BABY MINE

POP SAYS AT THE NEW EFFICIENCY EXPERT AT THE OFFICE IS A GREAT MAN—HE SAID AT POP HAD TOO MUCH WORK TO DO



NORTHERN NEW YORK IS SNOWBOUND TODAY

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 20.—With trains far behind schedule, street car traffic badly handicapped and automobile traffic between this city and nearby towns out of the question, Buffalo, western New York and northern Pennsylvania reported the worst storm in years.

Lockport reported heavy snow with no steam railway service since last night and trolley service this morning nearly two hours late. A newspaper train is reported stuck in a snow bank west of Lockport. A snow plow, one of three used all night to keep tracks open, got wedged in the snow.

Kane, Penn., reported the worst blizzard in its history with three feet of snow on the level and drifts of eight or ten feet. A Bradford orchestra was snowbound two miles south of Kane. Its members walked to a nearby farm house. There was no train service and none was expected until late today. Dozens of automobiles were abandoned along the state road when drivers sought shelter in farm houses.

In Towanda several factories were shut down by the inability of workmen to get to the plants because of the blizzard that piled up drifts of from six to ten feet. Passenger trains were to be five hours late.

At Geneva outlying districts were cut off from trolley or auto service.

GIRL KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Waltham, Mass., Feb. 20.—Miss Mildred Johnson, 19, of 92 Bridge street, Salem was instantly killed today and her employer, Foster H. Parker, prominent Salem business man is at Waltham hospital in a serious condition. Parker's automobile collided with a Waverly-Walton trolley car during the early hours of the day. Parker is married and the father of several young children. The girl's neck and right arm were broken and her skull fractured. Parker suffered a possible fracture of the skull and numerous cuts and bruises. The accident occurred on the Waverly Oaks road at a point where the car tracks cross the highway.

THE MONEY MARKET

New York, Feb. 20.—Foreign exchange: Demand sterling \$4.29 5-8. Franc cables 4.16; checks 4.15 1-2. Lire cables 4.29 1-2; checks 4.29. Belgian cables 3.49; checks 3.48 1-2. Marks .0000023 per million. Guilder cables 37.23; checks 37.25. Sweden kronan cables 26.12; checks 26.08.

As lightning rods contain platinum, they are subject to occasional rifling by thieves.

Bethlehem Steel Ready for Finals With Fall River Club Next Sunday; Brief History of Each Steel Player

The Bethlehem and Fall River clubs will play the eastern finals for the National Cup next Sunday afternoon at Brooklyn, New York. The Herald prints today the history of the Bethlehem players. Tomorrow the Fall River club will give a list of its players.

Goalkeepers Highfield—Although born England, this player last played Hamilton, Canada, before joining Bethlehem, three years ago. He has always played as an amateur. His forte is uncanny skill to anticipate the direction of shots, and an added ability of safely gripping the ball. Although devoid of the sensational order, it may be safely stated that there is not a safer goalkeeper in the American League.

Fullbacks J. Ferguson—This player may be rightfully termed the "grand old man" of Eastern soccer, by reason of his years of service, his skill, and his always unquestionable character. He joined the Bethlehem team in the year of 1914, and since having played under its colors, has always played under its colors. A clean tackler, a sure kick with either foot, his uncanny skill of taking position, are outstanding characteristics of his play in every contest. His position is left fullback.

Robertson—A player of the "school" type who dribbles exceptionally well, and by reason of height and physique, is capable of coping with any of his opponents when a ball is in the air. In his first season with the club, Robertson was a member of the team that won the National Cup at New York.

McGregor—A halfback of playing any of the three positions. A player of the "play ball" type. He is particularly adept at tackling and initiating movement that tend toward offensive play. He is a great believer in "play football," and his art is unexcelled in these lands. As he is familiarly known, is in his second season with the club, and during the present season has acted in the role of center forward.

Inside forward. Another player of the "old school" type, who has ball control developed to the "nth" degree, and is capable of filling any position on the forward line, he has shown marked ability in the inside positions. His wizardry with the ball, and his capacity for making openings for his partners when the opportunity presents itself. He is a generous player to any opponent and requires the best of his opponents. As a result, he is a rare, median, and goal scorers of the league. He promises to wind up the season close to the leaders. He is his first season with the club.

Center Forward. Other of Alex, and very much the same style. He shows rare standing of the manner in his position should be played and never fails to give every ounce of his partner when the opportunity presents itself. He is a generous player to any opponent and requires the best of his opponents. As a result, he is a rare, median, and goal scorers of the league. He promises to wind up the season close to the leaders. He is his first season with the club.

Weather conditions. The southern disturbance has moved northeastward during the last 24 hours and is now central over Pennsylvania and New Jersey. It is causing cloudy weather with rain and snow from Illinois eastward to the coast. It will probably pass out to sea tonight. It is followed by an area of high pressure which is producing pleasant weather with lower temperature between the Rocky Mountains and the Mississippi river.

PLAN STRIBLING BOUT. New York, Feb. 20.—A conference is expected to be held today between "Pa" Stribling and Harry Blaufuss, Newark promoter, looking toward the proposed return bout between Young Stribling, sensational Georgia schoolboy, and Mike McTigue, light heavyweight champion of the world. The bout if held, will not involve McTigue's title, unless Stribling scores a knockout.

FROSH LEAGUE GAMES. Yesterday morning's games completed the second round of section B in the Frosh league. Cole, representing the Rovers, was defeated by the All Stars, while the Big Five won from the Dixies; the only score of the Dixies coming via the foul route. It does not seem natural to connect the Dixies with anything concerning the bottom but the Dixies in this league have a secure hold on the cellar position.

Big Five. F. G. F. Tl. Garvino rf 1 1 3. Rohan lf 0 0 0. LaShay c 2 1 5. Lupelin rg 0 1 1. Harabuda lg 1 0 2.

Dixies. F. G. F. Tl. Burke rf 0 1 1. Kemp lf 0 0 0. McCluskey c 2 2 2. Harabuda lg 1 1 1.

All Stars. F. G. F. Tl. Rohan lf 0 0 0. Campbell lf 2 3 7. Bulla c 0 0 1. McCluskey rg 0 0 1. Holland lg 3 1 7.

Rovers. F. G. F. Tl. Tierney rf 1 1 3. Reale lf 0 0 0. Cole c 6 0 12. Moore rg 0 0 0. Sharp lg 0 0 0.

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Conditions favor for this vicinity snow or rain followed by fair and somewhat colder weather. Bar. Ther. Atlanta, cloudy 3002 38. Atlantic City, rain 2972 46. Block Island, snow 3016 32. Boston, snow 3034 30. Buffalo, snow 2976 22. Cincinnati, cloudy 3022 22. Chicago, snow 3008 15. Denver, snow 3052 10. Detroit, cloudy 2980 22. Hatteras, rain 2980 60. Jacksonville, rain 3000 64. Kansas City, rain 3048 16. New Haven, snow 3012 28. New Orleans, cloudy 3024 48. New York, snow 2994 34. Norfolk, rain 2972 60. Northfield, Vt., snow 3034 14. Portland, Me., snow 3054 14. St. Louis, cloudy 3022 28. St. Paul, snow 3024 16. Washington, rain 2972 34.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS. At New York—Abe Goldstein, of New York, got the decision over Danny Edwards, of California, in ten rounds. K. O. Phil Kaplan, of Meriden, Conn., stopped Fred Archer, of England, in ninth round. At Boston—Jack Delaney, of Bridgeport, Conn., received the decision over Tommy Loughran, of Philadelphia in ten rounds. Bob Lewis, Boston welterweight, defeated Ed Boston, in eight rounds, while Fatserson, of Philadelphia, won from Billy Ennis of Fall River, in eight rounds.

Senator La Follette calms his nerves after a hot debate by "pulling" on an old-seasoned pipe.

Keeping Fit for Olympic Games



Photo shows Miss Beatrix Loughran, New York exhibition skater and member of the American Olympic skating team, is seen here sawing wood to lumber up for the skating races at Chamonix, France.

THE COTTON MARKET

New York, Feb. 20.—Irregularity marked trading at the opening of the Cotton Market today, first prices being from 10 points higher to 50 points lower.

Sentiment was confused, the result of uncertain Liverpool cables.

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Dixie Five and Crescents Play at the Kacey Hall This Evening

WILL MURPHY, HAFNER AND WATERMAN RUN WILD AGAINST BURKE, THORNTON AND BISSELL IN THE BIG TILT TONIGHT?

HOW THEY LINE-UP

DIXIES	CRESCENTS
Murphy	Thornton
Mantelli	Burke
Hoffarth	Waddell
Waterman	Bissell
Hafner	Rogers

Referee: Sanderson, East Hartford.

The long awaited game between the Manchester "speed boys" and the Dixies, "speed boys" of Hartford will be played this evening at the Kacey hall on Bissell street. The winner is hard to dope; both teams have some of the fastest players in the state and anyone predicting a winner in advance is simply courting a "fall". A snappy preliminary game has been arranged, between the Heights of this town and Troop 66 of Hartford.

Slam Bang Game Promised
If ever a slam bang affair has ever been arranged in this town, this game has the call. It is by far the most talked of tilt in the state at the present time, overshadowing, for the time being, the long discussed town series. Both teams are without a doubt the speediest in Connecticut today and both employ the offensive that means curtains for the aggregation getting away first.

Local as a matter of teamwork, the Dixies have perfected a short passing game that is hard to beat, that is with all the regulars in there. The Dixies have a five man defense that has baffled the best in this neck of the woods, and it remains to be proven whether or not this method of winning will prevail in tonight's muss.

Offense Best Defense
All season the Crescents have worked on the theory that the best defense is a strong offense. Any team can take a fall out of a team that has a strong offense.

That proves the first paragraph here it is stated that the game this evening will be a slam bang affair. Bill Bissell and Rogers are able to do Murphy, Mantelli and Hafner; the other hand will Waterman id Hafner stop Thornton, Burke id Bissell, not to mention Waddell? Therein lies the secret of tonight's muss.

The Crescents are out to shake a slump which it has fallen into during the past couple of weeks. nce the Kacey game the "Speed ys" have gone stale and their supporters are looking for the usd to snarl out of it this evening. It was said on good authority to y that the Dixie rooters would be it here tonight "loaded for bear", id hoped that the Silk Town root-

REC PLAYS THIRD GAME WITH CRACK PLAINFIELD FIVE

Ballsieper's Men Confident of Winning "Rubber" Game in That Village Tonight—Series in Works.

With games one and one, the Rec Five will make its third trip to Plainfield this evening. They will travel down to Plainfield by auto where they will play the rubber game of the series.

This contest will be played under professional rules, just as the first two games were played. Manager Ballsieper's men have adapted themselves to the rougher game like ducks to water and are sure to give the home team a hard battle all the way through.

Benyon's fractured nose, which he sustained in a game at Plainfield some time ago, is all ready to be broken again by this gang. It is hoped, however, that it will be brought back whole for he will need it in the series with the Crescents and Atlas-Red Men.

The first game that Manchester played in that town went to the Silk Town team by an overwhelming margin. The second was a victory for Plainfield, although the margin was rather scant. This third contest will tell which is the better aggregation.

If the Rec wins this game a series might be arranged with a home-and-home game here and in Plainfield. Manager Ballsieper said last night that he would consider such a series if the visitors would play the amateur rule game which they came to Manchester. This has not yet been decided.



Dixie Team Which Plays Crescents at K. of C. Hall

METHODISTS LOSE BOWLING MATCH TO CENTER CHURCH MEN

Last evening, the Center Congregational church bowlers took the series with the South Methodist pin shooters, although losing the match by 82 pins. The Congregationalists won because they had an overwhelming lead in total pinfall in the first two games. The summary:

Center No. 2	Center No. 1	Friendly Five	Center No. 3	Methodist No. 3
Rodman 88 113 106	Cottrell 81 102	Taylor 486 487 4	D. Hemingway 98 100 83	Noren 116 124 87
Robinson 85 78 88	Donnelly 195 102	Towle 121 98 1	Ray 75 78 307	Richmond 109 77 102
Hitt 87 93 84	Bellamy 85 91	Haugh 83 86	S. Carter 89 71 78	S. Carter 96 82 108
A. Hemingway 108 103 84	Thomson 105 97	Humphries 85 129 3	Urquhart 89 94 09	W. Richmond 108 81 88
Plumb 85 98 102	Taylor 100 95	Smith 87 85	Seaburg 99 102 91	O. Nelson 98 89 108
485 485 484	466 496	466 496	527 453 487	527 453 487

Methodists won third game by 82 pins.

Giants Start South in Raging Blizzard

New York, Feb. 20.—The first detachment of New York Giants will leave today in the midst of a blizzard for their spring training camp at Sarasota, Fla., enplaned by Judge Francis X. McQuade, treasurer of the club.

Bill Ryan will be the only regular in the party which will consist of Bernie Wefers, Jr., son of the former sprinter; Howard Baldwin, Newark pitcher, for whom the Giants are said to have paid \$30,000; Joel Lette, Amherst College pitcher; Bill McAuliffe, Kingston, N. Y.; Walter Huntsinger, Uni-

CUMBERLAND SEEKS CONTEST BETWEEN WILLS AND DEMPSEY OFFERING FINE INDUCEMENTS

First City of Any Size Offering Real Prospects for Battle Between Heavy-weight King and His Most Dangerous Rival.

By Davis J. Walsh.
New York, Feb. 20.—The bustling, up-and-down-going town of Cumberland, Md., hard by the site of the memorable dialogue between Barbara Fritchie and Stonewall Jackson, today entered a bid for a Dempsey-Wills heavy-weight championship bout through the agency of one John Snyder. At least, John says it did. He is here so he says, for the laudable purpose of persuading Tex Rickard to take over the promotion of this enterprise and others. Included in the latter is the proposed return engagement between Dempsey and Firpo, the well-known human being.

Mr. Snyder talks a very good game of pool, so to speak. Among other things he claims that Governor Ritchie has indicated official tolerance toward the two bouts and will not be a party to any interference, premature or belated. He also declares that he has the backing of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, the mayor, the fraternal orders and the town in toto.

To show his sincerity of purpose, he was a visitor to Madison Square Garden yesterday but whether he placed this glowing prospect before Rickard is not known but the fact remains that neither Cumberland nor Snyder is new to the fight racket. Five years ago, when Rickard was casting about for a spot on which to drop the Dempsey-

Willard affair, he wavered between Cumberland and Toledo before selecting the latter. The selection is said by Snyder to have been hastened by the fact that the then incumbent of the governor's chair hesitated too long with his sanction to suit Rickard. Governor Ritchie was attorney general at that time and was almost impatient in his eagerness, says John, to have the fight go to Cumberland.

"It is the ideal place for a big fight, what you might call a focal point," he declared. "It is within two hours of Baltimore, three hours of Washington, five of Philadelphia, eight of New York, three hours of Pittsburgh, and eight and one-half of Cleveland. We do not want to make money, all we want is the fight. Rickard can promote the bout to suit himself and the profits are his. We, of course, are prepared to co-operate in every way."

Mr. Snyder is not dealing in apple sauce, and Cumberland is the first town in three long years to speak audibly for the services of Harry Wills against Jack Dempsey.

WOODPECKERS TRIM BLUE-JAYS.
The Woodpeckers took two out of three from the Bluejays at their last meeting in the Casino alleys. Lanard was high man with 106 for single and 289 for three strings. These teams will bowl again on Friday evening at the Casino.

Bluejays	Woodpeckers
Moda 67 76 68	Earn 83 76 77
Butler 78 77 73	Bihun 86 65 86
Little 89 71 85	Hultgren 90 78 96
Moore 77 77 81	Oakes 84 79 82
Lanard 103 106 86	Fahy 92 90 96
495 407 417	435 388 424

MORSE COLLEGE FIVE DEFEAT TRADE SCHOOL.
East Hartford, Feb. 20.—The Morse Business college quintet of Hartford defeated the Manchester Trade school five in a spirited contest here yesterday afternoon by the score of 25 to 24. The game was exceedingly rough and both teams suffered in consequence. Gates and Goodwin were the stars for the winners while Oldershaw, Kingsley and Benyon were the big guns for the Silk Town outfit.

Warrior's Behaviors War Cry and Dance.
Manager "Fess" Vandrilla of the Red Men team has started his warriors practicing for donning the war paint against the Crescents Saturday night in the first game of the series for the town title. The following warriors are requested to report this evening at the Rec in full war paint: Pentland, Hunt, Mullens, Barrett, Smith, Deitz, Clune, Mantelli, Paul Cervini, Edgar and Flavell. There will be a short business meeting after the practice session.

Carroll Barrett, one of the cleverest little players in the Industrial league, has been formally signed to play with the Red Men in the coming series. Barrett is a great player having but one fault, that of sacrificing team play to "take a shot."

COULDN'T READ SIGNALS.
(Pearson's Weekly.)
Tommy—"My brother made ugly faces at you yesterday, and you didn't dare to fight. You pretend you didn't notice 'im."
Jacky—"I didn't, either. I thought they were natural!"



The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All Trains by Fontaine Fox

"WOTSA! MATTER! WY DONT TH' SKIPPER, COME ON HERE AN' START UP HIS OLD CAR"

JIM SMITH, AFTER A BAD NIGHT IN THE CITY, THOUGHT HE WAS ON THE TROLLEY WHEN HE HAD CLIMBED ON THAT RINKY OLD CABOOSE STANDING ON THE R.R. SIDING.

A windowless art museum will probably soon be erected to avoid the destructive elements of the sun.

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RADIO RAMBLES

WBZ-SPRINGFIELD. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

5:00 p. m.—Dinner concert by the WBZ String Choir. 7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story for the kiddies. Humorous program. 8:00 p. m.—Program of Chamber Music by the WBZ String Choir, and Walno E. Arvo, and Rene J. Kern, cornetist. 9:00 p. m.—Bedtime story for grown-ups by Orison S. Marden. 9:55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.

WEAF-NEW YORK. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

8:00 p. m.—John Martin, Editor of John Martin's Magazine for Children, and Helen Waldo, soprano, in stories and songs for children. 7:00 p. m.—Religious services under the auspices of the United Synagogue of America. 7:30 p. m.—United Cigar Stores Daily Sport Talk by Thornton Fisher. 7:40 p. m.—Esther Dale, soprano, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr. 7:50 p. m.—"At Your Service" by D. A. E. Albrecht, Director of the New York Office of the State Department of Farms and Markets. 8:00 p. m.—Esther Dale, soprano. 8:10 p. m.—"The New York Swamp" by Mr. T. R. Elcock, President of the American Sole and Leather Belting Tanners, Inc. 8:20 p. m.—Esther Dale, soprano. 8:30 p. m.—"Music in Medicine," by F. D. Bell, Secretary of Hospital Service of the New York Tuberculosis Association. An illustration of the use of music in treating sick people will be made by the Dvorkina Trio consisting of Gertrude Price, pianist; Miriam Holbrook, violinist and Nellie Hossman, cellist. 9:00 p. m.—Reginald F. Moser, baritone, accompanied by Ethel Keller. Mr. Moser is soloist of the Church of the Brooklyn and member of the Oratoria Society of New York. 9:15 p. m.—Arthur Haag, pianist. Mr. Haag is Assistant Professor of Music at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. 9:30 p. m.—Reginald Moser, baritone. 9:45 p. m.—Arthur Haag, pianist.

WRC-WASHINGTON. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

4:00 p. m.—Song recital, to be announced. 5:15 p. m.—Instruction in International Code of Conduct. 6:00 p. m.—Stories for Children by Peggy Albion. WGY-SCHENECTADY. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

6:00 p. m.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins. 6:30 p. m.—"Adventure Story" (courtesy of Youth's Companion).

KDKA-PITTSBURGH. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

6:15 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Pittsburgh Athletic Association Orchestra, Gregoria Scalzo, conductor. 7:30 p. m.—"Feeding the Infant," by a representative of the Sanitation Committee, Allegheny Medical Society. 7:45 p. m.—The Children's Period. 8:00 p. m.—Market reports from the studio of National Stockman and Farmer. 8:15 p. m.—"The Homecoming of a Great Race—the English Experiment."

TRIBUTE FROM CONNECTICUT FEDERATION OF CHURCHES

The great object for which Woodrow Wilson laid down his life is very dear to the heart of the Christian Church—the abolishment of war, thereby laying the foundation for world-wide peace. The Connecticut Federation of Churches has the deepest interest in this great object and wishes to pay its tribute of grateful regard to Woodrow Wilson as the most conspicuous champion of world peace. Mr. Wilson did not live to see his great ideal accomplished, and the accomplishment of so great an ideal may never come in the precise way he hoped for, but the final consummation of what he sought can never be a matter of doubt. And it is the great desire of the Connecticut Federation of Churches that the passing of Mr. Wilson may inspire all our citizens to new concentration of thought and greater unity of action toward the realization of the ideal for which this stalwart leader labored so signally, and which will not pass away.

Of 22,000,000 dwellings in the United States, only 5,000,000 have sanitary bathrooms.

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, the famous noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins at once to soothe irritated skin and heal eruptions such as rash, pimples and ring worms. It seldom fails to remove the torment and disfigurement, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment. Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.—adv.

YOU CAN QUICKLY LIMBER UP SORE, STIFF, SWOLLEN JOINTS

Even Chronic Rheumatic Swellings in Knee, Elbow, Shoulder or Finger Joints Yield to the Mighty Powerful Influence of JOINT-EASE. It's here, right in town and the Magnell Drug Co., So. Manchester, and every live druggist has it. It's a low price remedy, to be sure, but that doesn't stop it from taking the kinks, lameness or torture out of your troubled joints. Joint-Ease is the name, so called because it is compounded solely for the purpose of relieving all joint ailments. Just rub it on the tormented, lame joints and in just a few seconds it will penetrate to the bone and blessed comfort comes quickly. It absorbs instantly and is so clean and stainless that you can rub it on often and get thereby, results much more quickly, when the joint is inflamed and the agony intense. Being such a powerful counter irritant, it cannot help bringing speedy and helpful results in congestion, sore throat, chest colds, lumbago and neuralgia much quicker than almost any remedy you can buy. But you must remember that it is for joint ailments that it is mostly dispensed and its helpfulness will astonish you after all ordinary liniments and other treatments have failed.—adv.

position of 1924," Grayce Druitt Latus, Travel Editor of Pittsburgh Post-Courier. 8:30 p. m.—Concert arranged by the McKinley Gregg Automobile Company. 9:55 p. m.—Arlington time signals. Weather forecast.

KYW-CHICAGO.

6:30 p. m.—News, financial and final market furnished by the Union Trust Company, Chicago Journal of Commerce and United States Agriculture. 6:50 p. m.—Children's bedtime story. 7:00 to 7:30 p. m.—Dinner concert furnished by the Congress Hotel. 7:00 to 7:10 p. m.—Joska DeBary and his orchestra playing in the Louis XVI room. 7:10 to 7:20 p. m.—Clyde Doerr and his orchestra playing in the Pompeian room. 7:20 to 7:30 p. m.—Joska DeBary and his orchestra playing in the Louis XVI room. 8:00 to 8:30 p. m.—Musical program. Lecture by Morgan L. Eastman—"Sidelights on Music," also H. C. McClory, tenor, Sallie Menkes, accompanist. Mr. McClory's numbers will be announced by radiophone. 9:00 p. m.—Report on road conditions furnished by the Chicago Motor Club. 9:05 p. m.—Reviews on the latest book by Lewellyn Jones, Literary Editor of the Chicago Evening Post. 9:15 p. m.—Program furnished by the Federal Health Bureau. 10:00 p. m. to 2:00 a. m.—Midnight Revue.

ANIMALS IN THE MOVIES

If the efforts of the American Animal Defense League are successful, we shall see no more of the degrading and humiliating ill-treatment of animals designed to amuse the unthinking at motion picture shows. Such knowledge, it is believed, would cause a general revulsion among people who now enjoy animal acts, because the needless torture of dogs, horses and other animals is an enterprise so essentially mean and degrading that evidences of it on the screen or stage would meet with universal condemnation. Audiences enjoy trained animals on the stage or in the movies because they are so "cute". The hot irons, spiked saddles, electrically charged rods, whips and other educational devices do not, of course, appear in the finished act, although those in the front row, if they understand the animals in the least, can usually detect the strain of terror when the animal is undergoing in order to make himself entertaining for the little children, who would be properly furious if they could see the preliminary training of the nice, intelligent seal, or the cunning little dog who knows his age and the sum of six and four.

That brutality is no more necessary in the education of animals than it is in the education of children is the league's principal argument in dealing with those behind the scenes. Humane methods cost a little more and take a little more time, but those objections do not seem altogether conclusive to the league, any more than they will to a public which does not care to be amused by tortured animals. Lovers of animals, and they include most decent people, will want to encourage the American Animal Defense League in trying to let American audiences know the ins and outs of trained animal acts. Perhaps eventually they will succeed in making the cheap creatures who seek to amuse us by abusing animals see themselves as others see them.—Hartford Times.

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How to Get the Most From Your "B" Battery

By G. E. Purness, Radio Battery Engineer

How to Get Maximum Economy

FOLLOW the four simple rules given below and you will secure the most economical results from your "B" batteries:

1st. Use the lowest "B" battery voltage and the fewest tubes that will give you the results you want. Unless you are operating a loud speaker, 45 volts on the plates of the amplifier tubes will be sufficient in most cases. A higher voltage may produce louder signals but then the flow of current from the "B" battery is greatly increased and its life consequently shortened.

2nd. Use a "C" battery on amplifiers. The ordinary pocket testing voltmeter is not well adapted for measuring "B" battery voltage. Because of its low resistance such a meter draws a heavy current from the "B" battery and gives voltage readings which are too low on partially discharged batteries. The only way accurately to measure "B" battery voltage is to use a voltmeter having a resistance of at least 50 ohms per volt. That is to say, an instrument designed to measure up to 25 volts should have a resistance of at least 1,250 ohms. Never connect an ammeter across a "B" battery.

3rd. Turn off the filaments the moment you stop listening. "B" battery current is flowing as long as the filaments are lit, whether anything is being received or not. Turning off the filaments saves them, and your "A" and "B" batteries as well.

4th. Always operate your tubes at the lowest filament brilliancy that will give you good results. The current flowing from the "B" battery increases as the filament's brilliancy increases. Hence you effect a triple economy in tube and battery life by burning the filament as low as possible.

How Variable Taps Are Used. You have probably noticed that many "B" batteries have taps for

DEATH OF AGED MINER RECALLS DAYS OF GOLD

Denver.—Romantic tales of the huge fortunes taken from the mines of Colorado were revived here with announcement of the death of Cripple Creek of W. L. (Lafe) Fyffe, old-time prospector. (Lafe) Fyffe, old-time prospector, who was reputed to have made a total of \$5,000,000 in the heyday of mining activity in this state—and spent it all. Fyffe was virtually "broke" when he died, and for the last few years had been employed in the State House of Representatives. Fyffe, who was 65 years old, was known to almost every "old-timer" in Colorado. He lived in the mining camps when history was in the making and had a foresight, part in the making of much of it. He was typically a rapidly disappearing pioneer of pioneer days, and his experiences and exploits have figured in numerous fiction stories of the early days of mining in the Rocky Mountain region. Although silent and taciturn until acquaintanceship had ripened into friendship, Fyffe loved to dwell upon the days when the West was young. His lack of frugality probably prevented him from being one of the richest men in Colorado. But "Lafe" Fyffe considered it a disgrace to keep money. "Made to Spend." "Money was made to spend" was his motto, and he spent with a lavish hand. In the boom days of Leadville and Cripple Creek Fyffe squandered fortune after fortune. "I'm not happy unless I'm tramping the hills, with a pick on my shoulder and my grub on a pack horse," he frequently told friends. "I feel uncomfortable with so much money. I've got to get rid of it." Denver acquaintances declared that when Fyffe sold four claims to the famous Portland Mining Company for \$500,000 he bought the finest mansion in Cripple Creek. He stocked it with furniture from Europe, costing many thousands of dollars, and hung out a "Welcome to my home" sign.

Cream Clears Stuffed-Up

Instantly—Opens Every Passage—Clears Throat. If your nostrils are stuffed and your head is stuffed with a nasty catarrh or a cold, a little pure, antiseptic cream, your nostrils, it penetrates every air passage, soothes and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief. Try this. Get a small jar of Ely's Cream Balm at once. Your clogged nostrils open right up, your head is clear, no more hawking or snuffing. Count fifty. All the stuffiness, dryness, struggling for breath is gone. You feel fine.—adv.

It's Dirt Cheap at \$300,000

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ed stories of fortunes changing hands over night at the gaming tables. The old prospector in late years bemoaned the decadence of the mining game and what he termed the "present-day laziness of prospectors." "The modern prospectors," Fyffe declared, "who telescope ten miles away are afraid of getting their hands dirty."

FEAR ALCOHOL MAY BLOW UP SYRACUSE POSTOFFICE. Syracuse, N. Y. — Thousands of gallons of alcohol, capable of blowing the building to atoms are stored in the basement of the Syracuse postoffice, imperiling the lives of more than 500 persons employed in the postoffice and neighboring buildings.

This alleged condition was brought to the notice of Patrick H. O'Hara, chief of the Fire Prevention Bureau, by Professor Ernest N. Pattee, head of the department of chemistry at Syracuse University, who said that if a single spark came into contact with the alcohol it would precipitate a terrible explosion. Chief O'Hara will make a rigid inspection, and it is expected the liquor will be removed.

IF RHEUMATIC BEGIN ON SALTS

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure, Eat No Sweets.

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat no sweets of any kind for a while, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of Jad Salts occasionally to help keep down uric and toxic acids. Rheumatism is caused by poison toxins, called acids, which are generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this poison, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize acidity, remove body waste also to stimulate the kidneys, thus helping to rid the blood of these rheumatic poisons. Jad Salts is non-toxic, and is most effective when used under the terms of the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

JAP CROWN PRINCESS WRITES POETRY ABOUT THE "NEW YEAR'S SUN". Tokyo.—Following the marriage of the Prince Regent of Japan and the Princess Nagako Kuni publication of the Princess's New Year's poem was authorized. The Crown Princess, following the imperial command for all Japanese to write poems on the subject "Shinnen-koro-zashi-in" (Speak Your Heart in Regard to New Year's), wrote as follows: "As thou risest among snow-laden trees And shinnest on silver-drifted roads, Inspire this shattered and troubled life To rise to thy beauty, O New Year's Sun!"

Year's Sun! The Princess was deeply affected by the ruin wrought by earthquake and fire in her native city, and this is said to have been responsible for the words "this shattered and troubled life."

GASOLINE FERRYBOAT TO FLY CONNECTICUT RIVER. Chester, Conn.—Gasoline still will be the motive power when motor vehicles cross the Connecticut river here to penetrate the wilderness of eastern Connecticut. The old steam ferryboat that has been crossing the mile-wide stretch of river for generations will be supplanted April 1 by a Lake Champlain type ferry made up of a gasoline launch that carries barges. When only one barge is to be ferried over the launch can be detached for voyage.

DEBT EXPERTS CONSIDER Paris, Feb. 19.—Both international committees of experts examining German proposals for payment met here today. General Charles Gates Dawes, Chicago banker, presided over the committee, and Reginald McKenna, London banker, presided over the second. A sub-committee on banknotes questioned President Schacht, the German Reichsbank, during the afternoon.

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Now then... THE HARTFORD AUTO SHOW FEBRUARY 23-24 STATE ARMY. This is a BIG selling year at the Auto Show. There has never been anything like it—because there never have been such opportunities to get so much MORE for so much LESS. The man who has a car, and wants a new one, either with or without balloon tires, four wheel brakes and the like, will find "trade-in" possibilities that he can't resist. And, if it's a question of buying your first, you'll find that it's easier than ever before to own one. So easy that if you really want a car you can have it. Most of the show is meant for folks who have to "think it over,"—and there's plenty of food for thought at the State Armory in Hartford this week. Saturday, the 23rd,—Suburban Day,—is the last of the Auto Show of 1924. Doors open at 1 P. M. Daily,—10 in the morning Washington's Birthday. Music daily by Emil Heimberger's Hotel Bond Orchestra. Special programs by Miss Edith Aab, contralto, accompanied by Weber Grand Duo-Art reproducing piano through courtesy of Sedgwick & Casey. The Hartford Automobile Dealers' Association, Inc.

NO TIME FOR CHEAP POLITICS SAYS SENATOR CAMERON

Democrats Plan Careful Scheme to Have a "Do-Nothing" Congress Says Noted Arizona Legislator.

Several Republican leaders today made statements that the present investigation of the Teapot Dome lease and other activities of the Democrats is part of a carefully planned scheme to have a "do-nothing" Congress during this session and to harass President Coolidge's administration. One of the leading Republican members, Senator Ralph Cameron of Arizona, today in discussing this plan said: "I am convinced that the Democrats, with utter disregard of the welfare of the nation, are determined that Congress shall not pass a suitable tax reduction measure, or any other bill that will be of benefit to the people. This is not only wrong morally but it is petty politics of the meanest kind and one that will be sternly repudiated by the people at the polls next fall. The responsibility for this time of high costs of living can be laid to former Democratic administrations which taxed the people until it cut deep into their pocketbooks. Despite the fact that we had to finance a great war, for which we all are willing to pay, the Democrats absolutely squandered millions and millions of dollars for which the voters of this country are still paying in high taxes. The Republican party is trying in every way possible, to relieve the burden of taxation on the people. Let me analyze this situation for a moment and we find that the national wealth, that is, that part that can be used for tax purposes to 275,000,000,000 dollars. If we analyze this we will find that one-fifth of this amount is tax exempt. Following this out to an end, we find that the tax bill of every citizen is 25 per cent. higher than it would be if there were no such tax levying. This condition can be remedied by the passage of a genuine not a political tax measure. The Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee of the House have reported out a measure which

would reduce the income taxes for 1923, but I am willing to go on record that the Democrats will either try to kill this proposition or they will put in amendments which will practically nullify it. Whether we will be able to do so or not is a matter to be seen. I want to call your attention to one thing, namely, the action of the President in calling to Washington numerous men from all parts of the country in the hope that some solution may be found which will relieve the burden that now rests upon those who make their living by agriculture. President Coolidge has already taken steps to relieve the bank troubles in the West and his invitation to representatives of forty lines of trade which deal with agriculture, is one which should receive the hearty support of every member of Congress, no matter what his political affiliations may be. When asked about the oil lease investigations the Senator said: "I believe in investigating anything that should be investigated; I think the stand taken by President Coolidge in the matter is one that will command itself to every thinking American. With characteristic fairness he refuses to judge a man or men until they have been tried. I cannot help but wonder sometimes if some of the investigations proposed are not incited by those who would have made them for personal or political gain. If we are going to investigate this, that or the other, let us put politics to one side in these investigations, punish those who are guilty, acquit those who are innocent and then let us settle down and try to do something for the people of the country. This is no time for cheap politics, or political "bunkum." Slight-of-hand never milked a cow or turned a furrow. What the people of the country need is more action and less noise."

ONE OF THE "PRACTICAL" MEMBERS.

(Good Old Things Recalled.)

A country school board was visiting a school and the principal was putting his pupils through their paces. "Who signed the Magna Charta, Robert?" he asked, turning to one boy. "Please, sir, it wasn't me," whispered the youngster. The teacher in disgust, told him to take his seat, but one old tobacco-chewing countryman on the board was not satisfied. After a well-directed aim at the cuspidor, he said: "Call that boy back, I don't like his manner. I believe he did do it."

Keeping the Peace



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Members of Illinois militia searched for firearms all who attended the inquest over the body of Caesar Cagle, slain constable of Herrin, Ill. Quiet prevailed in Williamson county, under occupation by state troops because of warfare between dry Ku Klux Klansmen and bootleggers.

Priest Held for Murder



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Accused of killing housekeeper, Rev. John J. Brady, Pittsburgh priest, was arrested by policeman, charged with murder and held for inquest.

GIRLS NICE—BOYS BAD SAYS GIRL, PREACHER.

"Soul-Saving Sheba" Once Called Broadway Angel Laments Modern Maid—Blames It on the Lads.

St. Petersburg, Fla. — Even though she swears, wears little, drinks gin, goes on "necking parties," plays poker, smokes and stays out all night, the modern girl is made of sugar and spice and every thing nice," the same as the sad sister of yesteryear or Rhea Crawford, 25-year-old evangelist, doesn't know enough to pound sand in a rat hole. She will tell anybody that. And, just as sure as she is sure of this she is sure modern boys are made of "snaps and snails and puppy dog tails!" "There's nothing wrong with our girls. The boys are to blame. The girls are just what the boys want them to be. They may be wrong a lot of times in deciding what boys want them to be, but they are doing their damndest to find out. Whatever it is, their inherent decency can be depended upon to protect them from bad results." So there.

Soul-Saving Sheba. Hailed from coast to coast a year ago as "The Angel of Broadway," the erstwhile Salvation Army lassie does a swan dive right into the national spotlight now as "The Soul-Saving Sheba" of St. Petersburg.

She is preaching independently to tourists in the heart of the hotel and business district of this city, with only an old circus tent for a church. Every night great crowds are packed under the "big top" to hear what this exotic girl is going to say about her religion, which brags unkindness as the greatest sin in the world.

Seeking an exclusive interview, the writer found the famous Rhea, attired in a filmy black negligee, her glory of golden hair falling loosely over shoulders that Venus herself well might envy and the little evangelist perched amid flowers that surrounded a chaise longue in the sun-parlor of her home.

Flapper Is O. K. "Is the flapper O. K.?" she exclaimed in answer to a question. "With apologies to her own slang, she ain't nothing else but." She got it all over the old-fashioned girls when it comes to taking care of herself. She ought to look how much more she knows. Men used to talk girls into errors of judgment on promises of marriage, but that condition passed with the sob songs, the minuet and petticoat.

The time has come when girls realize the odds are against them. They are playing all their cards. They are stressing the physical appeal and smoking cigarettes—things they wouldn't do but for the primitive instinct of self-preservation. Men won't pal around with the retiring, timid, little girl any more, and the good girls have to "do their stuff" or lose out. "There is no more wiggliness among young girls now than there ever was. The modern girl, under all her rouge and lipstick, wants honorable marriage, a home and kiddies just as much as her mother or grandmother wanted them. She despises cheap love and only plays at it to beat man in his own game. In the true sense of morality she is decent and irreproachable.

Men Are to Blame. "It's the man who doesn't want marriage, or if he does want it he thinks he can't have it. Economic conditions of the country make it hard for him to build a home and have children. Besides, he can have all the advantages of married life with none of the responsibilities—hence moral carelessness. Young men have become freedom-crazy. They seek something without knowing what it is they want. They are not back at heart; they are merely the echo of the age.

"We must not get too loud with our orthodox 'Thou Shalt Not!' It would be impossible to make this outbreak of 'shaking' unpopular. It has turned in some form or other since the world began. Girls have turned 'Shebas' in answer to the call of unfettered youth and to keep their husbands and sweethearts from stepping out with some other 'sweet mamma.' "This witness will pass. It is just a novelty. It is not going to be dangerous unless turned into commercialized 'petting.' But the good girls have a conscience, and they always remember, sometimes sorrowfully, when some man has mangled around over them, and this very conscience is so potent that the flapper's freedom is little less than her protection."

TURKISH WOMEN DEMAND MORE MODERN LAWS AND ABOLITION OF POLYGAMY.

Constantinople. — Turkish women are agitating for the same rights possessed by women of other countries. At a largely attended meeting of women of the educated class held in this city to discuss women's rights in family life a general desire to end the practice of polygamy was expressed.

The meeting passed resolutions demanding that laws regulating marriages, divorce and polygamy on modern lines should be framed, and a committee was formed to draft the reforms. "Polygamy, which is authorized by our present laws, is a relic of past ages," said one speaker. "We must break with this tradition, which, in any event, has not been practiced for the last twenty years."

The authorities are said to be sympathetically inclined toward the women's demands.

Between 1914 and 1923 the number of Baptists in Russia has increased from 100,000 to 2,000,000, according to the president of the Baptist World Congress.

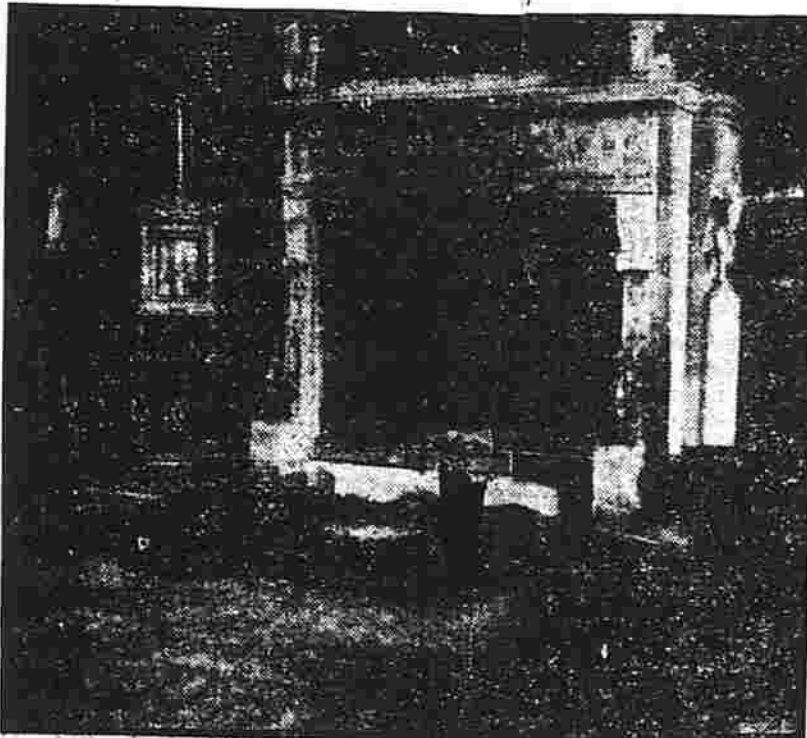
Denby Announces His Resignation



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Edwin Denby (left) challenged any unprejudiced tribunal to find anything wrong in his acts as he talked to reporters after his resignation as Secretary of Navy and acceptance of it by President Coolidge. Attorney General Daugherty will be the next to resign, it is said.

Gift to Scholars



The above illustration shows the west room of magnificent library in New York which J. Pierpont Morgan, financier, has opened to scholars of world as memorial to his father.

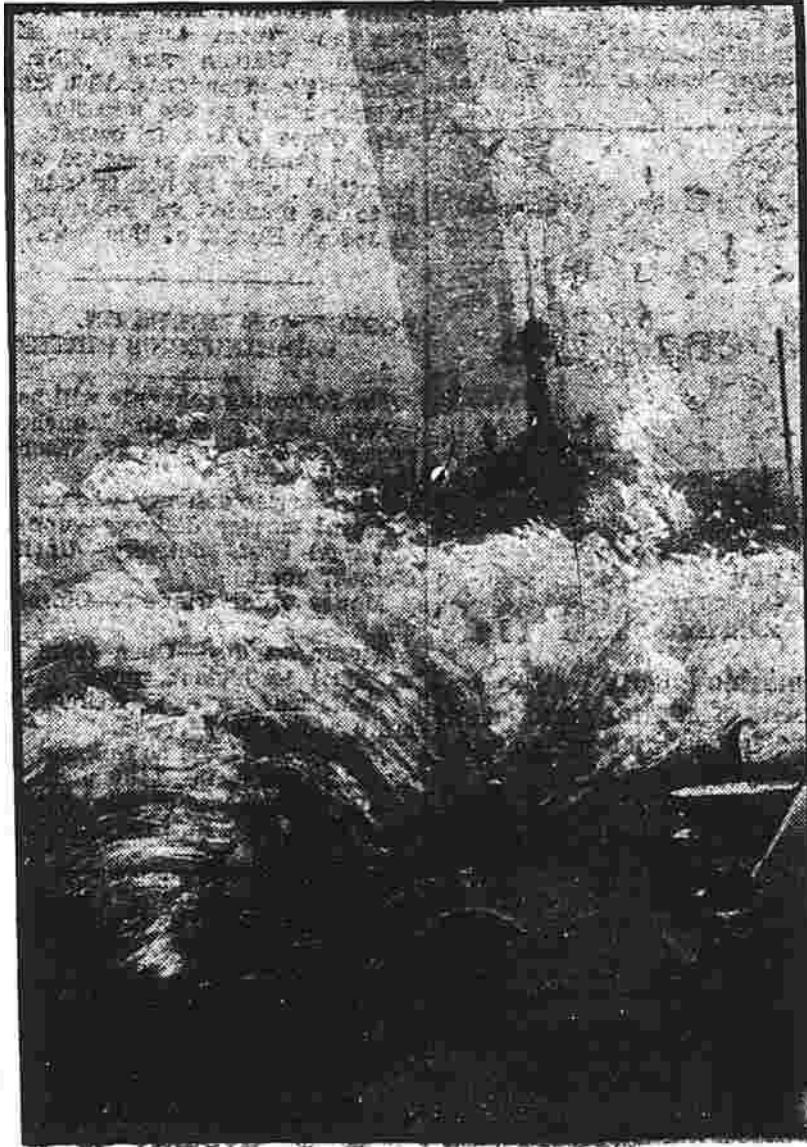
Murder of Louise Lawson Still Mystery



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Towel and leash used to choke and strangle Louise Lawson, Broadway butterfly, being examined by Assistant District Attorney Marrow (left) and Jones of New York. The hunt for murderers is being continued for the two so-called expressmen who called at the Lawson apartment just before the murder.

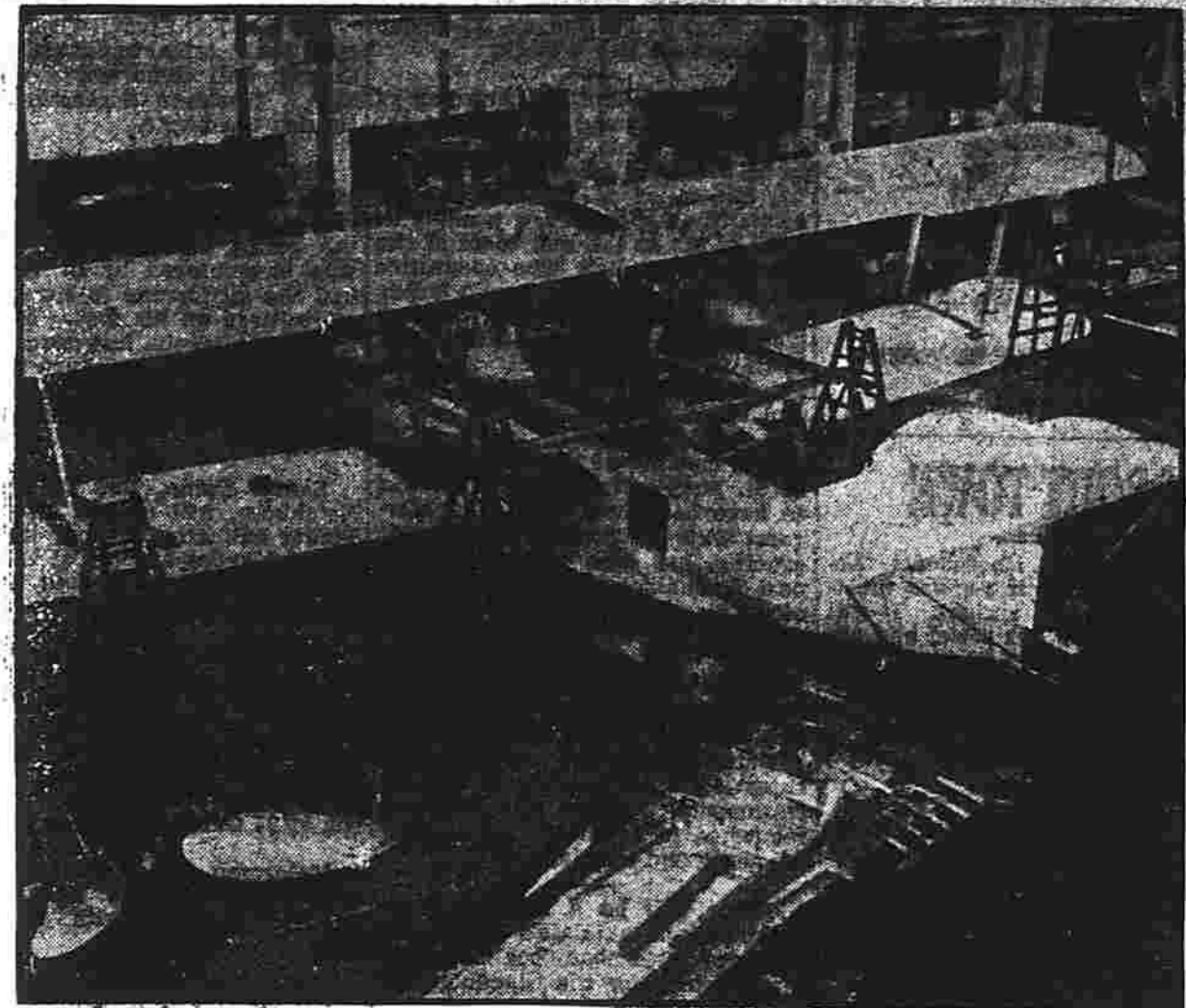
Heavy Weather



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

In this splendid marine photo the battleship Texas is shown bucking huge waves on her way south to the Caribbean, while beyond the high flung spray of the sea into which she is seen plunging is the flagship of the fleet.

Arctic Limited Sidetracked



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Work was being rushed at navy aircraft plant in Philadelphia, Pa., on planes (one shown above) which was to have been used in North Pole flight this spring.

DEAN WANTS TO KILL OFF HEADS OF RED REVOLT

Would Slaughter Them Like "Mad Dogs", He Asserts—Calls It Disease—Predicts Soviet Fall.

London.—Degenerate and diseased revolutionary leaders should be killed off like mad dogs. Dean Inge, known as "The Gloomy Dean" of St. Paul's makes this startling suggestion. Nearly all the "red" leaders in Russia, diagnosed by some medical professors who escaped, were of unsound mind, most of them alcoholics or diseased, and many addicted to drugs, the dean declared. Russia will soon become a state of peasantry, governed by a military tyranny, which will call itself something else, the dean said. "I think it is really an epidemic disease," continued the dean, "a contagious moral insanity. It may be that in time it will lose its dead-

liness, like smallpox; but the laws of psychical contagion are not yet known.

"If, as I believe, this poison is actually contagious it is justifiable to kill the infected like mad dogs, unless we prefer the more expensive and less safe way of imprisonment. We cannot allow moral poisons to be scattered broadcast, and we cannot allow fanatical minorities to conspire against the community."

Bolshevism is a revision to savagery, the dean said. Local conditions favored it, especially in the great masses of jewels which had been accumulated by the Russian churches and aristocracy. These jewels have kept the Bolshevik government going for a time but they have now been expended, and the communist experiment is at an end, the dean predicted.

The only successful communist experiments in history have had either a religious or caliphate basis, the dean said, and of this the Catholic monasteries are obvious proof. The dean announced himself as a believer in heredity and therefore is of the opinion that the sup-

ply of degenerates who figure largely in troubles should be cut off. The present system, he added, is simply perpetuating the least successful classes of the community. There is no danger of a revolution in England, according to the dean, for the people of this country are too fair-minded, level-headed and tolerant to break out into bloodthirsty movements.

BRITISH CRUSADERS NOT UNLIKE AMERICAN K. K. K.

London.—On the theory that "everybody likes a little mystery and dressing up," the Most Noble Order of Crusaders, in some respects similar to the Ku Klux Klan, is spreading throughout England. Although the Crusaders do not admit Jews to membership, Sir Edward Bethune, Keeper of the Records, denies the order has anything in common with the Klan. Every member must be of British parentage, and the purpose of the Crusaders, according to Sir Edward, is "to bring a little sentiment and feeling into everyday life."

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ABOUT TOWN

The women of Mooseheart Legion will hold their regular meeting in Orange hall tonight. It will be followed by a box social and entertainment and all members are urged to attend. The Loyal Order of Moose, South Manchester lodge, No. 1477, and wives or friends of the members have also been invited for this occasion.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. are planning to give a dance at Cheney hall next Monday evening, February 25. The promoter for the old-fashioned dances will be Prof. Foley, and Fontaine's orchestra will furnish the music.

The East Center street group of the Hospital Auxiliary will meet

with Mrs. J. P. Cheney, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

Miss Hazel Trotter, chairman of the entertainment committee for the Mother and Daughter banquet to be held at Cheney hall February 27, has called a meeting of the committee for tomorrow evening at 7:30 p. m. in the rest room of the School street Rec. The committee includes the following young ladies: Eva Freeburg, Dorothy Moran, Helen Berggren, Grace Hunniford, Doris Brownell, Cecelia Johnson, Charlotte Montie, Caroline Osello and Florence Jolly.

The meeting of the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal which was to have been held with Mrs. Margaret Welr of Brookfield street this evening, has been postponed until next Wednesday evening on account of the stormy weather.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Veterans will be held tomorrow night with Miss Bailey, 193 Hilliard street. Following the business session the members will enjoy a Washington social and refreshments. Those attending are requested to board the car leaving the south end terminus at 7.30.

There will be a sale of home cooked foods at Hale's store next Saturday afternoon beginning at three o'clock for the benefit of the local Girl Scouts.

The dance which was to have been conducted in Tinker hall tonight by the Macdonald club has been postponed on account of the inclement weather until next week Wednesday night, when the same orchestra and promoter will be on hand.

E. V. Llewellyn who recently bought the Pagan farm on Keeney street has sold it to Andrew and Katie Wake of Bissell street. There are 85 acres on the farm. Mr. Llewellyn for the past quarter of a century conducted the Addison grocery store. The Pagan brothers are now running the store.

It is expected that about seventy will attend the annual supper and entertainment given by Hose Co. No. 2 of the North End fire department at the fire headquarters tomorrow night. It is ladies' night with the firemen of this company and the committee in charge have engaged Samuel Davidson of the Waranoke hotel who will furnish a chicken supper with all the necessary side dishes. The supper will be ready at 6:30 sharp. Beside the firemen and their wives there will be a few invited guests. The program will include a performance by a sleight of hand man from Hartford. Dancing will follow.

The Swedish Gymnastic Club will give their sixth annual dance in Cheney hall tomorrow evening.

The Wesleyan Serenaders will furnish the music.

Robert and Allan Ellis, sons of Mrs. Agnes Ellis of Main street, are both confined to their home as the result of accidents. Robert, who is employed by L. T. Wood, had the misfortune to have a cake of ice drop on his foot. It is getting along nicely, however, and he hopes to be able to return to work in a few days. Allan, while coasting Monday evening, broke his collar bone.

Laurel Camp, No. 2640, Royal Neighbors, will give a whist in Tinker hall after the regular meeting on Monday evening at 8:30. Six prizes will be given and refreshments will be served.

The I. O. O. F. minstrel troupe, which is to perform in Cheney hall on March 27 held its weekly rehearsal in Lincoln school last evening. The next rehearsal will take place on Monday evening of next week at the home of James B. Wilson of 27 Garden street at 7:30.

Metorman James Walker of the local Connecticut Co. lines is confined to his home with a severe cold.

Louis R. Smith of New York city is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Smith, of Clinton street. Mr. Smith is attending a dramatic school in New York and has appeared in leading roles in several metropolitan theaters.

COMMERCE CHAMBER MEETING MONDAY NIGHT
Flavel Shurtliff, secretary of the national conference on city planning, will be the principal speaker at the February meeting of the Commerce Chamber of Commerce at Tinker hall next Monday evening, February 25. It is believed that the speaker will be able to clear away some of the misunderstandings along this line.

Horace B. Cheney who has been appointed chairman of the town planning committee will also have something to say along the town planning line. It is expected that the committee on suburban membership will make its report at this meeting. A supper will precede the meeting and it is scheduled to be ready at 6:30.

BRITISH ENVOY SAILS.
London, Feb. 20. — Sir Esme Howard, the new British ambassador to the United States, sailed for New York today to assume his duties. He succeeds Sir Auckland Geddes, who retired on account of ill health.

GIFTED SOPRANO IS HEARD AT SWEDISH CHURCH LAST NIGHT

Miss Mildred Pearson of Norwich Gave Very Pleasing Program Before Large Audience.

An audience which comfortably filled the spacious auditorium of the Swedish Lutheran church greeted Miss Mildred Pearson, soprano, of New York city at her initial concert appearance in town last evening.

This gifted soprano, who is a native of Norwich, Connecticut, gave a delightfully varied program of seventeen numbers, as printed in Monday's Herald. A group of French as well as Swedish songs were warmly applauded and were sung with as much expression and apparent ease as those in the English language.

Her voice was a lyric soprano voice of remarkable sweetness and purity, which shows the result of careful training under the best teachers and methods. In her more difficult numbers she had plenty of reserve power and strength to call on, and this well as her selections in lighter vein were very well received by the appreciative audience.

Favorites perhaps among the list of songs rendered last night were the Jewel song from "Faust," Lang's "An Irish Love Song," "An Old Fashioned Town," "Sehara Rose" in the French group and in Swedish "Nar jag bief Bjornstjarna".

To an enthusiastic reception she responded with an additional number "The Year" at the Spring ways a favorite with music lovers. Miss Pearson is a decided beauty and makes a pleasing appearance. She wore last evening a beautiful gown of pearl gray georgette and chamois. Following the recital an informal reception was held.

Mrs. Joseph Christmas of Hartford, who accompanied the singer, did very good work at the piano, although at times the accompaniment was a trifle strong.

The evening of the concert under whose auspices the concert was given, were complimented on the success of the affair, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the organ fund.

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Among the games scheduled for the evening will be dodge ball, relay races, magic music, cat, throwing darts, etc. Hot dogs, coffee and sandwiches will be served.

Admission A. ticket.

Every girl should plan to be there and advise her mother or father not later than Monday, Feb. 26.

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City carrier delivery—none.
Rural carrier delivery—none.
Parcel Post delivery—Until 12 o'clock, noon.
Money order window—Closed all day.
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MRS. LEWIS J. GIBSON.

Mary, wife of Lewis J. Gibson, passed away yesterday afternoon at her home, 23 Starkweather street. Mrs. Gibson had been in poor health for the past five years.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Herman Miel, of Rockville, and Mrs. Clayton Holmes, of Bigelow street, this town; also one brother, Herman Klee, of Rockville.

Funeral services will be held from her late residence Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. John E. Duxbury, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Manchester, will officiate. Interment will be in the Grove Hill cemetery, Rockville.

REC NOTES

Tomorrow evening from 7:30 to 9 o'clock there will be a men's gym class at the West Side Rec.

At the School street Rec tomorrow evening there will be a girls' gym class from 8 to 9 o'clock and the men's class will meet from 9 to 10 o'clock.

The pictures to be shown at Cheney hall Friday evening will be "Oxygen—The Wonder Worker," "Historic Virginia," two-reel comedy, "Bumps."

There will be a meeting of the entertainment committee for the Mother and Daughter banquet tomorrow evening at 7:30 at the School street Rec. Tickets for the banquet can be obtained at either Rec building.

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HEART OF TOWN SMOULDERING RUIN

Manchester's Business Section Heap of Twisted Iron and Piles of Bricks — Town's Worst Conflagration.

A heavy pall of smoke today marks the site of Manchester's business section. Riven as if by some gigantic lightning stroke, buildings that yesterday graced the town's busiest street, are now but heaps of twisted iron, piles of brick, smouldering ruins. Manchester's most disastrous conflagration, although it took no toll of lives, tried the heart of the town's bravest fire fighters and rolled up thousands of dollars to the credit of the dreaded Fire god.

How It Started.

Just at that hour of 3 a. m. when all is quiet and the townspeople were slumbering in their warm beds dreaming of the good things tomorrow was to bring forth, the solemn siren at the mills shrieked out its solemn warning. A flash of flame in a small building on Birch street. A hurrying figure to turn in an alarm. A rush of fire engines and autos to the vicinity indicated by the number 45. That was the scene preceding the fire.

Fanned by a heavy wind, the small building was soon a seething furnace. Companies 2-3-4 and 5 were soon there. The air was filled with flying sparks which soon ignited the building next door known as the "Prince Theater." The frame garage at the rear of the small building was soon in ruins. Firemen to arrive first at the scene saw the danger and turned in a general alarm.

Hose Co. No. 1 arrived. The members were connecting their line to the hydrant at Park and Main streets when fire was discovered on the second floor of the Tinker building. Willing hands among the spectators, now thousands in number, helped the tenants and other occupants of the building to carry what goods they possessed to a place of safety. Soon the lawns from Park to Locust streets were piled high with household goods of all descriptions.

Another Pump Arrives.

Soon No. 1's pumper was set in motion and eight heavy streams of water were now playing on the flames. The firemen were working hard to contain the fire. The flames made them appear like devils working in the glare of a colossal Vesuvian furnace.

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SILK MILL NEWS

GIRLS' A. A. KNICKER PARTY.
Each member of the Girls' Athletic Association has just been advised by Miss Elizabeth Sumner, secretary, of the knicker party for girls to be held at the West Side Rec. Tuesday, Feb. 27, at 8 p. m.

Among the games scheduled for the evening will be dodge ball, relay races, magic music, cat, throwing darts, etc. Hot dogs, coffee and sandwiches will be served.

Admission A. ticket.

Every girl should plan to be there and advise her mother or father not later than Monday, Feb. 26.

MOVIES AT CHENEY HALL

On Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. the regular motion picture entertainment will be given at Cheney hall.

Oxygen.

The oxygen process is an interesting scientific process in which oxygen gas is used and it is used in science and industry. Then there is the picture of "The Texas Trail to Your Table," showing how beef steak reaches your table. "Historic Virginia" is another picture which, on Washington birthday, is of particular interest. The two-reel comedy will extract many laughs from everyone who sees it.

RECORD BREAKING TIDE

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 20. — A tide that actual records show to be the highest known here swept the shore front and harbor today, flooding low lying places and cellars of buildings. Luder's shipyards here have records showing that the previous highest tide occurred October 24, 1919.

STEAMERS SEEK PORT

New London, Conn., Feb. 20. — Several Sound steamers put into New London Harbor today to escape the storm which is recorded as the worst known in many years. No damage to shore property has occurred in this district.

CLEARING HOUSE

New York, Feb. 20. — Clearing House statement: exchanges \$754,000,000; balances \$82,000,000; federal reserve bank credit balances \$62,000,000.

The Way to be Beautiful

Miss Steele was presented with a beautiful lamp by her friends. She is to be married on February 27 to Joseph Hewitt of this town.

POSTOFFICE HOURS ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

The following schedule will be observed at the South Manchester post office Friday Feb. 22, Washington's Birthday:

City carrier delivery—none.
Rural carrier delivery—none.
Parcel Post delivery—Until 12 o'clock, noon.
Money order window—Closed all day.
Stamp window—Open from 8 a. m. until 12 o'clock, noon.
Mails will arrive as follows: 6 a. m., 9 a. m., 12:30 p. m.
Mails will depart as follows: 8:20 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 1:00 p. m.
All departments of this office will close at 1:00 p. m. for the day.

MATERNITY HOME

Conducted by Mrs. G. H. Howe at 57 Wadsworth St. Experienced obstetrical nurse in attendance. Phone 1106.

B. L. SALVIN, M. D. Physician and Surgeon

Office, Park Building
653 Main St. So. Manchester
Telephone 1438.
Office Hours:
9 to 10 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

We Now Have a Complete Stock of
HALE'S SUPERIOR HAIR NETS

We have been short on some of the most popular shades but now have a complete stock. Hale's Superior Hair Nets are made of real human hair, are sanitary and durable, both single and double and come in the following shades—blonde, Auburn, light brown, medium brown, dark brown and black.

10c Each
3 for 25c

The J. W. Hale Company
SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATERS IN CONTEST WITH MERIDEN.

A large crowd is expected to attend the Danaher Cup debate in which Manchester will contest against Meriden high school at the high school this evening. The first speaker will take the floor at 8 o'clock. Trant's orchestra will furnish music during intermission.

At the same time another team will be debating Middletown high school in Middletown. A Middletown team will be in Meriden on the same question, "Should the United States Grant Independence to the Philippines During the Present Contest."

This cup must be won by a team three years in order to have it stay permanently in possession of that team. Middletown has won one leg on the cup while Meriden has taken two. Manchester has not won any in these debates.

The following members of the high school debating club will represent Manchester: Stanley McGee, Miss Frances Dwyer, John Stevens and Miss Joyce Manly.

FIREMEN'S SETBACK.

Anderson and Gustafson of No. 2 of the south end won the high single score at the firemen's set-back tournament held at No. 1's hose house on Monday night. Their score was 229. Following is the result of the sitting:

No. 4 South 620
No. 2 South 617
No. 1 South 614
No. 1 North 549
No. 2 North 537
No. 3 South 483

The standing of the teams to date is as follows:

No. 4 South 7117
No. 1 North 6977
No. 1 South 6934
No. 2 South 6847
No. 2 North 6676
No. 3 South 6589

The next sitting will be with No. 2 of the south end department. There are five more sittings in the tournament.

Call for Outside Help.

The local fire chief, seeing that the fire was getting beyond control, put in a call for help to the North End, Hartford and East Hartford departments. The North End company was ready when the call came and arrived on the scene in about three minutes. Its members connected two lines of hose and stationed themselves before the Tinker building, which was now burning.

Forty-five minutes after the general alarm the walls of the Tinker building collapsed. The fire then seemed to be under control when a loud cry was heard from the spectators on Main street, "The Stark building is a-fire!" This had been set ablaze by sparks from the conflagration to the north of it.

Calls Out Reserves.

The local fire chief at this time called out all reserve men and apparatus and twenty lines of hose were now in use. The firemen worked as they never worked before.

Wanted—You to Join Miss Murphy's millinery class in Odd Fellows' block. Old hats revamped. Telephone 317-2.—adv.

Why are about two-thirds of the homes in Manchester furnished or partly furnished with furniture from Herrup's popular store, corner Moran and Main streets, Hartford?

Is it because Mr. Herrup is good looking, or is it their representative, E. Benson, that has the good looks? Not by a long shot. There is a much better reason than this, and we are going to leave it for you to answer. When you want furniture at the right price, with a good assortment, and special terms, come to Louis Herrup's. Inquire for Mr. Benson at the store.—adv.

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Mid-Winter Clearance



Men's Shoes and Oxfords

All of our broken lines and odd sizes of Men's Shoes and Winter Oxfords have been assembled for this sale, and marked at prices that will move them quickly.

Practically all sizes are to be found in one or another of the styles represented.

These Shoes represent values up to \$9.00 but they have been marked at prices that mean a saving for you of \$2 to \$8 a pair.

They are in four lots, priced at

\$2.95 - \$3.95 - \$4.95 - \$5.95

Come in and pick them out.

Glenney & Hultman

Clearance Sale of Electric Table Lamps

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

10 Percent Off on Every Lamp

They are Hand Painted Art Glass with Metal Bases. Every one of them a high-grade product.

You Can Save From \$4.00 to \$5.00 On Each Lamp.

Hand Painted Lamps, Sale Prices \$13.00 to \$22.00

Plain Art Glass Panel Lamps, Sale Price \$10.00

Hamilton-Beach Electric Clothes Washers, regular \$49.50, 10% Off This Week

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