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The Circulation of The Bulletin The Bulletin has the largest circulation of any paper in Eastern Connecticut...

AGAINST THE "PORK BARREL" Candidate Hughes is setting much support for the position which he has taken against the "pork barrel."

THE SUPREME COURT'S WORK When President Wilson selected Associate Justice Brandeis as a member of the Mexican commission he did so with the understanding that his acceptance depended upon the consent of Chief Justice White of the supreme court...

CARRANZA RESPONSIBLE. It is a curious state of affairs which is to be found in Mexico today, but no different than might be expected in view of the manner in which Carranza has demonstrated his ability to maintain control.

ing the responsibility for it upon the American operators he shows that he has made but a cursory analysis of the situation. He fails to take into consideration the part which he has played in driving the mine operators...

THE SALONIKI OFFENSIVE. Of no little importance are the operations which late reports indicate have been undertaken by the allied forces under General Sarrail from the base at Saloniki. Ever since the abandonment of the fight for the Dardanelles much has been expected of the forces assembled at this Greek port.

THE EXPORT TRADE. Frequent reference is made by those who are supporting the administration to the fact that the present business activity is due to the policies which have been put in effect by the democratic party.

EDITORIAL NOTES. From the reports which come from Europe "strategic retreats" have been superseded by "rearrangements of the lines."

When it is realized that the court always has a raft of business before it and its decisions in most instances are of vital importance, and when it is understood that there are members upon that bench who are disqualified to sit in certain cases because of their previous connection with them it must be appreciated that wisdom prevailed in the decision which the chief justice made and particularly so if, as hinted, one stops to consider that there is a political tinge to the service desired.

Every member of the supreme court has plenty to do in handling the business which comes before it. It must get first consideration and it is apparently the chief justice's intention to see that it does.

ACROSS THE PICKET FENCE. The young man was industriously weeding radishes and meanwhile casting side glances through the picket fence, on the other side of which, not more than ten feet away, a young woman was setting out pansy plants. Apparently she suffered from blindness, for she betrayed not the slightest knowledge of his presence.

THE WAR PRIMER By National Geographic Society. Cambrai—If, after Peronne, St. Quentin and Arras, the French and English in their offensive, Cambrai would be one of the important objectives in the line of advance. This town, situated on the northeast of Paris, is the subject of the following war geography bulletin issued by the National Geographic Society from its headquarters in Washington.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. Health Laws. Mr. Editor: While recognizing the merits of certain "health laws" and the value of many of the functions of the health department...

Our Drinking Water. Mr. Editor: The attention of the public should be called to the necessity of keeping a filter on the faucets. At the present time the city water is filthy, and anybody who has nerve enough to turn on the tap at this time should be ashamed of himself.

Stories of the War. Why Young Men Are Preferred. "Civilians often wonder why the armies take first the youth of a country in preference to older men."

OTHER VIEW POINTS. The army appropriation bill reported to the senate calls for a total of \$228,000,000, and the navy and fortification bills carry the grand total up to \$657,000,000—about two and a half times the sum appropriated in each of the last two fiscal years.

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Reply to Mr. Cummings. Mr. Editor: After his recent hysterical outbreak, I hope Neighbor Cummings feels better. Not being amenable to reason he must needs condemn to petty subterfuges in order to justify his somewhat precarious position.

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