

PUPILS CARRY CANTEENS.

Chicago School Water So Bad Children Have Own Supply.
 CHICAGO, March 5.—Children in the Hyde Park district, on the south side, started to school to-day with bottles and canteens filled with water in their school bags, as the result of an effort of city health officials to stamp out typhoid fever in that section.
 More than one hundred cases, twenty-four of them among school children, have been reported in the district in the last few days as a result of contamination of a municipal well. Consequently city water for drinking purposes was shut off from public schools in the district. This sixty men set at work to-day cleaning and draining the pipes in the school buildings.

SAVE YOUR HAIR AND BEAUTIFY IT WITH "DANDERINE"

Spend 25 cents! Dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.
 Try this! Hair gets beautiful, wavy and thick in few moments.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life, has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair; besides, it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. Destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots fash, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.
 If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed, and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.
 We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair—and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?—Advt.

EASY TO REDUCE: TAKE FRENCH BATHS CLARK'S SALT

NO EXERCISES. NO DRUGS. DELIGHTFULLY PERFUMED.
 Sold by Rorer-Hogman, Liggett's, Macy's, Altman's, Stern's, Lane's & Taylor, Gode's, Berg, McCreary's, Abraham-Strain and all leading druggists.
 Read for Booklet, ORIENT CO., 45 WEST BATH ST.

GIRL CONFESSES SETTING OF FIRES; SHE "JUST HAD TO"

May Rafferty, Thirteen Years Old, Tells of "Strange Feeling That Came Over Her."

May Rafferty of No. 205 Fourth Avenue, Brooklyn, told Judge Wilkin in the Children's Court to-day that she tried to set her home on fire Saturday night and had set fires in the building seven times before.

"I don't know why I do it," she said as she had repeated time and again to Fire Marshal Shields, "but there comes over me a feeling I must start a fire and I go and do it. It came over me last night in bed and I went out to the hall closet in my nightgown and filled a milk bottle with kerosene and went down to a vacant flat. Just as I was going to light a match Tony Piscelli jumped at me and caught me."

The girl, whose head was injured in a fall several years ago and who has suffered from St. Vitus dance, told of setting fire to rubbish in the basement bins in the house seven times since Christmas. The fires were always in the evenings before a holiday. May couldn't explain why. Olympia Piscelli, daughter of a tailor on the first floor, told her family Saturday morning she had dreamed there was going to be a fire in the house that night.

Anthony Piscelli, her brother, and his friend Paul Bartletta accordingly concealed themselves in a closet after locking the outside door to the flat. Twice they heard a key inserted in the front door and twice, peering from their hiding place, they saw a white shrouded form through the glass panel.

Then the window was opened, and in from the fire escape came the white figure, carrying a quart bottle. It scattered matches over the floor, poured kerosene on them from the bottle. Then started to light it. Then Piscelli and Bartletta jumped out and grabbed the Rafferty girl clad only in nightgown and slippers.

The girl's mother said to-day the accusations against her daughter were the result of plots among the tenants, who disliked her husband, the janitor. May Rafferty, her other daughter, and herself were in bed Saturday evening when the alarm sounded. Rafferty was shaving. The girls ran down stairs in their nightgowns.

13-YEAR-OLD GIRL WHO ADMITS SETTING SEVEN FIRES IN TWO MONTHS.



MAY RAFFERTY.

and Piscelli and Bartletta seized her and were holding her when her mother arrived. The story that May had entered the vacant apartment from the fire escape was silly, Mrs. Rafferty said, because she herself had locked the windows of that apartment earlier in the evening.

HOLLAND BARS GOLD IMPORTED FROM U. S.

Takes Unprecedented Action Because Britain Held Up Shipment of Millions From Wall Street.

Holland has taken the unprecedented action of forbidding the import of American gold. No nation has been known to bar out gold before—in fact it has been the thing most wanted everywhere.

Several millions in gold have been shipped to Amsterdam recently by Wall Street bankers, nominally to finance American purchases of Sumatra tobacco at the annual auction. The bankers stated it was cheaper for them to make actual transfer of the metal than to buy foreign exchange. Shipments made by Goldman, Sachs & Co., Boussovain & Co. and other bankers have been held up by the British navy on the alleged suspicion that the gold was intended eventually to reach Germany through Holland in payment for sales of German-owned American securities.

The Dutch Government, acting through the Netherlands Overseas Trust, has given notice that until the detained shipments are released by Britain none can be admitted. Bankers to-day prepared appeals to the State Department for help in straightening out the tangle, as to purchase exchange at present rates would entail heavy costs.

NO VENTILATION NEEDED.

Anyway, a man never has to worry about a ventilating system for his air castles.

BRITISH TARIFF PLAN WILL HIT U. S. HARD

Levy on Foreign Goods After War Will Injure American Export Trade.

LONDON, March 5.—England's commercial campaign against Germany and Austria after the war will have a demoralizing effect on American export trade. American business men with large interests in London declared to-day.

Prohibitive tariffs on foreign goods are considered certain after the war. English manufacturers, merchants and bankers are almost unanimous in their demand for a high tariff and a heavy tax on the foreigner. These measures, initially aimed at Germany and Austria, cannot help but have a disastrous effect on American export trade to England and her colonies. Men in close touch with the Parliamentary situation say it is certain Parliament will heed the demand for measures for an English commercial offensive against the whole world after the war. The result will be, it appears certain, that many American business men will shut up shop and go home.

SOAP TESTIMONIAL.

Separated for thirteen years, Charles and Robert McKee, brothers, were reunited in a St. Paul hotel when one borrowed shaving soap from his next door neighbor.

To Have Marionette Theatre. Mrs. Samuel Untermyer has arranged for a marionette theatre as one of the attractions for the German Bazaar to be held in Madison Square Garden from March 11 to 21. The theatre is designed by Tony Sarg, Frank Godwin and C. E. Searis.

Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy is Home-Made

Easily Prepared in a Few Minutes. Cheap but Unequaled.

Some people are constantly annoyed from one year's end to the other with a persistent bronchial cough, which is wholly unnecessary. Here is a home-made remedy that gets right at the cause and will make you wonder what became of it.

Get 2½ ounces Pinex (30 cents worth) from any druggist, pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking it at once.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup mixture makes a full pint—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. Keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant. Easily prepared.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in gualic acid, and is famous the world over for its ease, certainty and promptness in overcoming bad coughs, chest and throat colds.

Get the genuine. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces Pinex," and do not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.—Advt.



The Upholstery Store

Newly Arranged and Stocked, Asks the Honor of Assisting You in Kitting Up Your Home

- with new curtains and draperies of all kinds;
- with scrims, nets, muslins and curtain materials;
- with cretonnes from France, England and America;
- with antique laces a hundred years old;
- with lace and muslin bed sets;
- with furniture coverings, pillows and covers;
- with couch throw-overs and table covers;
- with awnings, shades and blinds;
- with cedar chests, cretonne and matting covered boxes;
- with everything that your home needs to "dress it up" for Spring and Summer.

Coming home from his war-time winter visit to Europe our upholstery specialist looked over his floor with a fresh eye.

"I have so many new things to show, so many wonderful things," he said, "that we'll have to rearrange the whole store."

It is done. A new, specialized, classified, harmoniously arranged Upholstery Store greets the visitor as she passes over the "Bridge of Progress" or alights from the elevator on the Third floor.

New, inspirational and suggestive settings; newly decorated and arranged rooms; new exhibits of upholsteries, the finest we could find in Europe and America.

One Hundred Year Old Laces

They draw one irresistibly to them in their crystal cabinets, and as treasure after treasure is brought forth from the hidden chest. Each piece is more than a hundred years old; brought in, therefore, without duty; and as moderately priced here as in Europe.

Filet laces Flanders laces Bruges laces Cluny laces

Motifs for curtains, table covers, bed covers, pillow covers, boudoir table covers, lamp shades, parasols, bed canopies and borders of towels.

The Cretonnes

From France, England and America—no lack of European cretonnes now, but this is the last lot we believe that will come in for some time; production is greatly curtailed abroad.

Toile de Jouy and printed linens in stripes and floral designs in thirty-one and fifty-inch widths.

Our Workroom

is enlarged and reorganized—prepared to do anything pertaining to interior drapery work—and to do it well. As soon as the Spring opens up it will be crowded with work, and orders given now will have the preference.

Our trip to Europe was made at the psychological time to take advantage of conditions and we are showing many things which cannot be duplicated and which we believe will not come to America again until the war ends. Third Gallery, New Building.

10,867 Pieces Jewelry Quarter to Half Less

If you need any little thing like a pin for your collar, or a pearl hat pin to wear over your right eye, as they do in Paris, if you want a silly little ring in a certain shade to go with a certain gown, or mayhaps a German silver mesh bag, tomorrow will be the economical time to indulge your whims and fancies. Tomorrow morning we open up for sale at a quarter to a half less than ruling retail prices, a collection which includes—German silver and gunmetal

- bags Long pearl fan chains
- Bar pins Pearl necklaces
- Lavallieres Brooches
- Velvet neck bands
- Doraine boxes New combs
- Enameled jewelry Crystal beads
- Coral and coraline necklaces
- Prices from 50c to \$6.

In the Subway Store Are

- Pearl earrings, 15c and 35c; pearl hatpins, 35c; pearl and rhinestone bar pins, 50c; pearl and rhinestone brooches, 25c; rings, colored stones mounted on sterling silver or gold filled, 35c.

B. Altman & Co.

FIFTH AVENUE - MADISON AVENUE

Thirty-fourth Street NEW YORK Thirty-fifth Street
 TELEPHONE 7000 MURRAY HILL

SALES OF SPECIAL INTEREST FOR TO-MORROW

An Important Offering of Electric Lamps

(each provided with silk shade in rose, green, ecru or red) will present an unusual opportunity at these special prices:

Floor Lamps (double light) of solid mahogany or gilded wood, with 26-inch flat Empire shade \$22.00

Table Lamps (double light) of solid mahogany, with 22-inch flat or 18-inch regulation Empire shade; an excellent lamp for library or living room \$14.50

Boudoir Lamps (single light) of solid mahogany, with 16-inch Empire shade, \$5.00

Also ADJUSTABLE BRASS DESK LAMPS

at \$2.75

This Sale will occur in the Department for Art Objects, on the Fourth Floor

Men's and Women's Silk Umbrellas

(sizes 26 and 28 inches), made of an excellent quality of silk and finished with mission or natural wood handles, will be placed on sale at the special price of

. \$2.50

A Sale of Linen Handkerchiefs FOR MEN AND WOMEN

will afford an opportunity for securing merchandise of desirable qualities at interestingly low prices.

MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

Initialed . . . per dozen \$2.35 & 2.70

Plain, hemstitched, per doz. 2.65 & 4.00

WOMEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

Initialed . . . per dozen \$1.35, 1.70 & 2.00

Plain, hemstitched, per dozen, 1.45 & 1.85

Plain, with tape border . . . per dozen 1.45

Hemstitched, with embroidered corner, per dozen \$2.25 & 4.20

With colored cross-rolled edge, per dozen \$1.75

A Special Sale of Corsets

will present a very desirable model (sizes 19 to 30 inches), with attached supporters; suitable for medium and stout figures. These Corsets offer very unusual value at

. \$1.35

A Special Sale of Blankets, Comfortables, Bedspreads Muslin Sheets, Etc.

to be held to-morrow and Wednesday, will offer decidedly superior qualities at very attractive prices.

White Blankets . . . per pair \$4.50 & 5.00

200 Pairs of White Blankets bound separately with silk; very exceptional value per pair \$6.75

Satin-finish Bedspreads with scalloped edges; sizes 80x100 inches, each \$3.25

Comfortables

Cotton-filled each \$1.65

Muslin Sheets and Pillow Cases

Sheets, with plain hems, each 72c. to \$1.10

Pillow Cases, with plain hem, each 19c. to 28c.

Men's Shoes

The remainder of a number of styles are now on Sale at the special prices of

. \$3.90 & \$4.75

The Balta Shoe is made of selected materials by expert workmen. Of particular interest is the model made on a combination last, designed to give comfort (without a sacrifice of style) to the man who requires an easy-fitting, well-appearing shoe.

Prices moderate.

(Men's Shoe Department, First Floor)

Stern Brothers
 42nd and 43rd Streets, West of Fifth Avenue

Women's Silk Hosiery

Of reliable qualities and reasonable weights will be offered TUESDAY, AT APPRECIABLE PRICE CONCESSIONS.

Silk Stockings, black or white; with deep lisle thread tops and soles; formerly 50c a pair, at 39c

Silk Stockings, black, white, silver, navy, grey or tan; lisle thread garter tops; formerly 95c, 69c

Silk Stockings, extra quality; in black; medium and heavy weights; formerly \$1.50 a pair, . . . at 95c

Dress Trimmings

AN INTERESTING SPECIAL OFFERING FOR TUESDAY, OF MOST DESIRABLE ARTICLES

Allovers and Flouncings, spangled and beaded, yard \$1.75, 2.95 to 22.50

Trimmings, novelty head spangled and emb'd, yard 50c, 1.25 to 16.50

Jet Bead Novelties, Cords, Buckles and Ornaments, at 25c, 50c & 1.95

Floral Trimmings and Sprays, yd. 45c, 1.10 to 7.50

Novelty Leather Collar and Cuff Sets, in kid and suede; plain colors and combination effects, at \$1.00, 1.50 and 1.95 a set

Cretonne Novelties

Desirable items for home decoration, gifts or bridge prizes, will be offered to-morrow, on the Main Floor, AT MOST ATTRACTIVE PRICES.

Pin Trays 40c & 50c Knitting Bags . . . 50c to 1.95

Hat Pin Cushions . . . 50c Veil Boxes 65c to 95c

Pin Cushions 50c Scrap Baskets . . . 75c & 1.75

Pin Boxes 50c & 65c Doily Cases set 1.00

Candy Boxes 40c to 85c Desk Sets \$1.65 to 2.75

Glove and Handkerchief Boxes 45c, 50c & 60c

Decorated Enameled Scrap Baskets, ivory and gilt, 1.00

Round Cretonne Pillows, floss filled \$1.00 to 1.50