

SUFFS PLAY SPHINX ON MONEY SHORTAGE

Leaders Plan Demonstration at the White House Tomorrow.

Reports yesterday indicated that the White House picketing forces were long on enthusiasm and short on money.

The Cameron House tenants have enough of the "long green" to satisfy the landlord, but according to all accounts the treasury is suffering from lack of nutrition.

None of the officials of the National Woman's Party would admit that the bank roll had melted to a size that did not look healthy to its creditors.

The only thing official that came from headquarters of the militant "suffs" was that tomorrow, which marks the anniversary of the fall of the Bastille, a demonstration will be staged in front of the White House.

The White House is not expected to fail but its occupants are expected to take notice while the pickets with their flags are booked for board at the expense of the government.

Today the executive committee will hold a meeting and discuss ways and means for continuing the fight for the Susan B. Anthony amendment.

The meeting will be held in the room of Miss Alice Paul, director of the militant forces, who is confined to a sanitarium suffering, it is said, from a nervous breakdown.

Miss Mabel Vernon and Miss Yida Millholland returned from New York last night where they made a vigorous plea for funds to carry on the campaign for the amendment.

Accounts, H. O. Havemeyer, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont and others whose names are in the social register and high among the "long green" holders and the total collection was about \$500.

DISTRICT SCHOOLS GIVE TO RED CROSS

Children's Mite Swells Fund for Wounded Soldiers.

The Red Cross Finance Committee received yesterday another contribution from a number of the public schools, those of the fourth division, whose teachers and pupils sent in \$99.33.

The schools of the Washington district since the early part of May, when Dr. Van Schaick, then president of the board of education, made the request of the teachers and pupils of the public schools to aid the Red Cross, have contributed \$4,473.33.

The following contributions to the Red Cross fund from the District have been received:

Public schools, fourth division: Henry-Polk, \$20.88; Webster, \$30.15; Franklin-Thompson, \$54.35; Maryland avenue Northeast, \$1; Fifth street southeast, \$2.

Shiloh Baptist Church, colored, collection \$16.11; "A well wisher," \$30; W. T. and P. B. Weaver, \$25; A. H. G. Richardson, \$5; Israel Baptist Church, \$1.50; G. C. Washington, \$1.50; Proceeds from a play given by five children, \$ to 12 years old, \$1; Earned by Frances Moffett, six years old, \$1.50; Proceeds from sale of biscuits, sandwiches and cake, by Elizabeth, Mildred, Justine, Virginia and Eleanor Corby, who converted their play house into a tea house, \$15; A. D. Child, \$2.50; Proceeds from a play given by five children, \$ to 12 years old, \$1.

WAR-TIME ECONOMY URGED ON SHIPPERS

Fertilizer Association Would Facilitate Movements of Freight.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., July 12.—Horace Bowker, of New York, was selected president, W. D. Huntington, of Baltimore, vice president; Irwin Wulcher, of Dayton, treasurer, and W. G. Sadler, of Nashville, Tenn., secretary of the Fertilizer Association at the closing of the twenty-fourth annual convention at the Greenbrier Hotel here today.

The re-election of officers was decided upon because of the many war-time problems facing the industry and the desire of the manufacturers to continue without interruption the lines of incomplete vessels with the Council of National Defense and Federal officials.

Action was taken by the manufacturers to reduce the number of brands and to eliminate fractional brands as a measure of war-time efficiency and to discontinue the use of bags smaller than 20-pound size in order to conserve the limited supply of burlap in the country. Fewer fillers are to be shipped, wherever possible, in freight cars loaded to maximum capacity.

A fund of \$1,000 was raised by the manufacturers and turned over to the Red Cross to purchase an ambulance for use in France. Social affairs and entertainment features were eliminated.

THE TOWN CRIER.

The second summer picnic to Marshall Hall of the Sunday School Society and Co-operative Alliance of the Fourth Presbyterian Church will be held today.

The Prince Georges County section of the Maryland Council of National Defense will hold a community meeting at the Chamber of Commerce hall this evening, when Riverdale citizens will be told what they can do to help win the war.

The regular meeting of the Boy Scout troop of the Fourth Presbyterian Church will be held this evening at the church building, Thirteenth and Fairmont streets.

Runaway Alligator Frightens Hempstead

Hempstead, L. I., July 12.—A runaway alligator stopped all traffic, business and pleasure in the vicinity of Hempstead and monopolized the attention of the Hempstead police department for the better part of the day.

A small boy rushed into the village laying he had seen a monster reptile loose on the August Belmont estate. The police galloped to the scene and the "gator," which had escaped from the collection of Fred Ingraham, on the adjoining estate, was caught while making for the lake on the Belmont place.

Program Is Announced For Recruiting Drive

The recruiting campaign of the Third Regiment, D. C. N. G., which needs 1,200 men to bring it up to war strength will be inaugurated next week. It is planned to have five-minute talks by officers of the regiment in local theaters. Music will be furnished by the regiment band.

Among the officers who will make the addresses in behalf of recruiting are Captain Tate, and Lieut. Mc-

"Good Morning Judge"

Naughty Marietta.

Last Sunday was the birthday of Marietta Wilks. So Marietta received many congratulations but very few presents. One she did get, because Fred Errol threw himself at her feet which were shod with No. 11 1/2 Government brogans. Fred was very attentive for three whole days, and until some of his friends "kidded" him, he was the happiest man in the United States. Wednesday night his feet became very much chilled and he broke off the engagement with the excuse that his country needed him. But the sly old fox went a-calling again and engaged Marietta with no trouble at all to another dusky belle. It always happens in novels, motion pictures and in melodramas that these two women always meet, and they did. Much to Marietta's sorrow, she had never been trained for anything but a kitchen mechanic, and it happened, too, to be a time when she sorely wished she had been some kin to Jack Johnson. Women have a habit of talking about their prospective husbands and these two did not know they were talking about the same man, one of them very happy and the other quite angry, but when his name was mentioned the dust flew, and so did a few chairs. And now for Maggie she is still poorer by a \$10 bill which she must pay or go down.

It rains at Occoquan, too.

So many, many people had said to Bill Kane: "The very wet day," that it got on Bill's nerves. He hadn't minded the weather heretofore, but he began to think about his clothes getting wet and he decided to get an umbrella. Now if everyone was arrested who stole an umbrella, so Bill thought, there wouldn't be enough people left to go to war. So why shouldn't he carry one? He got down on a car Wednesday afternoon and noticed an extra fine one standing up beside an eagle-eyed conductor watching cars and he decided to get one. He got down on a car Wednesday afternoon and noticed an extra fine one standing up beside an eagle-eyed conductor watching cars and he decided to get one. He got down on a car Wednesday afternoon and noticed an extra fine one standing up beside an eagle-eyed conductor watching cars and he decided to get one.

There's a Reason.

Just because John Carney was not an owl he took to hard drinking. John says he works at night, but he has no trouble keeping awake. What he gets home in the morning he just can't get to sleep. And out comes the bottle. It wouldn't have been so bad if he stayed home and did that little stuff, but he strode out the doors and worries the police department. Once before John was put on parole and he had the nerve to report to the probation officer very drunk, and he decided to get an umbrella again and it couldn't see why any hard-working man should need whiskey to make him sleep and find him \$10, which was not forthcoming.

HERMIT WIFE FLEES FROM EXILE'S HOME

Runs Barefooted Into Country Unknown to Her.

Toms River, N. J., July 12.—Out into a section which not a foot of July 12 was acquainted, there fled barefooted, Saturday, from an isolated cabin five miles from here, Mrs. Josephine, who, with her husband, a former cavalry captain in the Serbian army, is said to have become a fugitive from that country after the assassination of King Alexander of Serbia.

The question of arranging for more suitable quarters for the local boards will also be arranged at this conference between the members of the local boards and Commissioners Brownlow and Kutz. In case there is no suitable public building in the exemption district, boards are authorized to rent quarters by the month. If a public building is available just outside the exemption district, and none is available in the district, the boards may exhibit their headquarters there.

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OBJECTION IS MADE TO BIZARRE IN ART

An expressed hope that modern art would break away from the bizarre, the artificial and the freakish was the gist of the discussion of the question, "What is Legitimate in Art," at the meeting of the Arts Club, 207 I street northwest, last night.

Ossip Perelman, Russian portrait painter, was guest of honor at the gathering. Over sixty members and invited guests were present.

Following the talk by the painter, Elise DuFour, of New York, gave a talk on interpretative dancing, telling how such dances to be effective must be modeled from nature.

Edwin Calloway, talked on music, and its place in modern art.

ARMY TO LEARN SWIMMING.

The opportunity will be given to every soldier encamped in the vicinity of Washington to learn how to swim, according to a statement made yesterday by Frederick J. Brunner, superintendent of swimming at the municipal bathing beach. The matter has been taken up with camp commanders and arrangements made for the soldiers to join classes of ten men each. Officers are invited to learn the art if they do not know it. Classes will begin in the morning and be held at intervals throughout the day.

How to Get Rid of Corns

People suffering from tired, swollen, aching feet, or from stinging, burning corns and calluses will be glad to know that the new nerve-racking and bringing afflictions can be quickly overcome by a simple home treatment that will not cause one bit of pain or soreness.

From your drugist get a small jar of Iced-Mint. Rub a little on every painful corn or callus. Instantly the pain will disappear and in a short time the corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted out easily with the fingers, root and all—leaving the surrounding skin in a healthy, normal condition.

When you stop to consider, that the simple, pleasant process of rubbing Iced-Mint on the foot at night will shortly rid one of every painful corn or callus and will keep the feet cool, comfortable and rested on the hottest days, it is easy to understand why it is thought that foot troubles are a thing of the past.

Iced-Mint is an entirely new departure from the disagreeable old time foot remedies, inasmuch as it is absolutely harmless and causes no form of a snow white creamy preparation which is delightful and easy to apply. It costs little. Have it obtained here from any of our local drugists. Adv.

CABINET OFFICERS TAKE RUN IN PARK

High Officials Devote Mornings to Exercise.

Imbued with the spirit of preparedness, Cabinet officers, Secretaries, members of the Federal Reserve Board, the Federal Trade Commission and other high executives were gone through and the morning's work ended with a long run through Potomac Park. Walter Camp, famous Yale athlete, gave advice and information on physical fitness.

The plan of the physical culture devotees call for four mornings a week to be given over to exercise. They will meet at 7, and following work, ending with a cold shower, will go direct to their desks in the Capitol.

A Bad Bill.

Bill Hazleman and his "razor" were inseparable companions. Wherever you saw Bill you could always see the razor. Once Bill had a very close shave in a scarp and ever afterward carried his trusty weapon. Wednesday night Bill got off from work in an ice cream factory and he took a few drinks to warm him up. The ice made him rather chilly. He got a little too warm and wanted to paint the town red. Now the police department objected to that sort of thing and arrested Bill and his razor. The court decided that the drunken man and a sharp razor were just about as bad as a submarine and a torpedo, with a helpless merchant ship in sight, and fined Bill \$20 which will cause him to have his razor to be separated a long time.

What! This Maggie.

If a lonesome individual, of the male sex, happens to stand around unattached, with absolutely no one to sew his clothes or tell his troubles to, why not get the services of a girl? A scheming woman to land him if she can? This is what got Maggie Sisson into trouble. Very carefully Maggie selected for herself a partner. But she was too careful. The man voiced no objection but a former sweetheart of his did. Coming out of the movies Wednesday night Maggie and her escort met up with the woman who rivaled. And it so happened that Maggie's heavy leather purse came down on her head a trifle too hard for a love tap. The man stood around like a lame crab and let Maggie send the other woman home with a bruised head. And Maggie is out just \$20 because she engaged herself to the wrong man at the right time.

DISTRICT IS SHORT 334 OF ARMY QUOTA

Young Men Urged to Enlist Before They Are Drafted.

Three hundred and thirty-four men are needed to complete the District of Columbia's quota in the regular army. Only 238 men have responded so far to the nationwide call for volunteers issued weeks ago.

Recruiting officers for the army brought out these facts in a meeting of the District Defense Council yesterday afternoon in the board room of the District Building. They appealed to the council to urge the youth of the District to enlist now, before the draft law is put in effect. War time economy in buying and delivering occupied much of the time of the meeting. Washington women can save money at present by buying all household supplies at the wholesale and markets.

By carrying small packages from the stores, instead of having them delivered, more money can be saved. It was pointed out that the cost of delivery of an article costs infinitely more than the selling price of the same piece of goods.

Before adjourning, the council received a report from the United States Boys' Farm Reserve on the number of demands received for farm labor. Over 25 boys have already been given jobs.

WILL MAKE PLANS FOR PHYSICAL TESTS

Local Exemption Boards to Meet Today in District Building.

A special meeting of the eleven local exemption boards in the board room of the District Building will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time the boards and the Commission will discuss and arrange plans for the giving of physical tests to young men of Washington who are drafted.

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Women Love Babies

It is woman's nature to naturally respond to the charm of a pretty child. Who does not admire babies? The longing to possess a mother's love is often outweighed by the inherent fear of the period of distemper. There is a most wonderful external preparation known as "Mother's Friend."

It is a safe external massage which relieves pain and discomfort at the crisis; makes elastic those fibers and muscles which are stiffening and wonderfully soothes the inflammation of breast glands.

It enables the expectant mother to preserve her health and strength, and she remains a pretty mother by having avoided the suffering and danger which would otherwise accompany such an occasion. Every nerve, muscle and tendon is thoroughly lubricated. Get a bottle today from the drugist, and write to the Bradford-Whitlock Co., Dept. G, 20 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga. They will mail you an intensely interesting book on "Mother's Friend" and an should herself aid nature in her glorious work. "Mother's Friend" makes it possible for you to do so and should be used regularly without fail night and morning.

Urges State Authorities To Curb Speculators

Where goods are hoarded, prices arbitrarily raised, or extortionate trade agreements of a local character are made they must be prosecuted by the local authorities. The Federal Trade Commission yesterday, deluged with complaints against high prices from local communities, states that neither it nor any other department in Washington has power to handle these local cases.

"Each State and each county has its own prosecuting officers," says a state official. "They should be urged to take up these local cases under the laws against evil business practices which every State has. The Trade Commission and Department of Justice will promptly attend to violations of Inter-state character."

Your Check Is the Best Receipt

Resources Over \$11,500,000

Did you ever pay a bill in cash, take a receipt for it, lose the receipt, and be compelled to pay the bill a second time? This cannot happen if you pay your bills by check.

In a number of States the courts have held that the endorsement of a check constitutes a receipt for the amount it represents.

There is also a voucher-check, the signing of which by the party receiving it is a receipt for the items indicated in the voucher.

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The Commercial National Bank
The Bank of Personal Service.
Temporary Location, 14th and F Streets

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Friday Is "Fern" Day
In Our Waist Department
Up to \$2.00
Silk Remnants at 88c Yd.

Four new models in up-to-the-minute styles. They're made of organdies and voiles. Most of them have large lace-trimmed collars; others are finished with embroidery and tucks.

Sizes from 36 to 46
Price, \$1.00 Each
69c, 75c, \$1.00 Remnants of
Dress Goods at 39c Yard

Choose from Navy Blue, Black, and Cream Mohair, Shepherd Checks, Mixtures. Every yard of Plain and Fancy Silver Bloom in the house, extra quality 44-inch Bermuda and Palm Beach Suiting, High-colored Albatross, Cashmere, Nun's 39c Veiling and a host of others. Worth up to \$1. Choice yd., 39c

Corset Covers, 29c
Made of good cambric; lace and embroidery trimmed and finished with ribbon. Sizes 36 to 46.

Drawers, made of muslin or cambric; lace or embroidery trimmed. Special, 50c
White Petticoats, \$1. Made of cambric, with embroidery cuff; all have underlay.

Remnants Up to 39c
Cotton Wash Fabrics
At 15c Yd

Both white and colored; lengths from 2 to 5 yards; accumulations from the past week's business; kinds too numerous to mention.
First Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

Now Is the Time to Have Your Hair Combing
—worked into a switch or transformation at SUMMER RATES.
Our expert hair workers will make them up in any way desired at \$1.50 for a switch from your own combings. \$1.75 for a transformation from your own combings.



Reinforcing the July Clearance Sale With Friday Hour Sales No. 6

A woman told us that her Hour Sale savings amounted to over \$5 last week and she bought only staple, dependable things which she needed from day to day. Surely you can save substantially on the items advertised for today's Hour Sale. No mail or phone orders. None sent C. O. D.

<p>9 to 10 A. M. \$1.49 Hammocks, 87c Palmer's "Ideal," made of closely woven oriental striped materials. Fourth Floor.</p> <p>10 to 11 A. M. 55c Night Shirts, 44c Boys' Night Shirts of sheer materials; all sizes 6 to 14 years. First Floor.</p> <p>11 A. M. to 12 M. 6 Rolls Toilet Paper for 25c First Floor.</p> <p>12 M. to 1 P. M. Women's \$1.15 Novelty Silk Hose, 89c Choice of our entire stock of \$1.15 Silk Novelty Hose at 89c. First Floor.</p>	<p>1 to 2 P. M. \$2.50 Rain Capes, \$1.95 For children; made of rubberized saten, in navy, red or tan. Sizes 6 to 14 years. First Floor.</p> <p>2 to 3 P. M. \$3.98 Rugs, \$2.98 Bath and bedroom rugs; size 20x30; hit and miss designs. Assorted colors. Fourth Floor.</p> <p>3 to 4 P. M. 50c Brassieres, 37c "Model" Brassieres of muslin; hook front or cross back styles. Sizes 34 to 36. Third Floor.</p> <p>4 to 5 P. M. 59c, 75c Linen, 39c Dyed Linen Suiting, 36 inches wide; both rams and French weaves; many colors. First Floor.</p>	<p>19c Drawers, 15c For children. They're of muslin with hemstitched hem and cluster tucks. Sizes 2 to 12 years. Third Floor.</p> <p>18c Percal, 15c Yard 36-inch Luceal; both figures and stripes. First Floor.</p> <p>5c Tablets, 3 for 10c Ruled Writing Tablets for ink use. First Floor.</p> <p>1 to 2 P. M. \$2.50 Rain Capes, \$1.95 For children; made of rubberized saten, in navy, red or tan. Sizes 6 to 14 years. First Floor.</p> <p>2 to 3 P. M. \$3.98 Rugs, \$2.98 Bath and bedroom rugs; size 20x30; hit and miss designs. Assorted colors. Fourth Floor.</p> <p>3 to 4 P. M. 50c Brassieres, 37c "Model" Brassieres of muslin; hook front or cross back styles. Sizes 34 to 36. Third Floor.</p> <p>4 to 5 P. M. 59c, 75c Linen, 39c Dyed Linen Suiting, 36 inches wide; both rams and French weaves; many colors. First Floor.</p>	<p>20c Percal, 13c 36-inch White Linen-finish Percal at 13c yard. First Floor.</p> <p>59c Window Shades, 29c Size 26x72; slightly shapeworn; dark or light green flannel shades. Fourth Floor.</p> <p>\$1 Union Suits, 39c Made of marquisette; athletic style; drop seat; 23 suits in size 40 only. First Floor.</p> <p>\$1 Tub Silk, 69c 32-in. Fancy Tub Silk in a variety of colored effects. First Floor.</p> <p>Trimmed Hats, 50c Odds and ends of Women's Trimmed Hats, only about 50. Second Floor.</p> <p>85c Bags, 65c Draw-string Beaded Bags, in colors only. First Floor.</p> <p>59c Pants, 49c Boys' Wash Pants, in neat striped effects; sizes 6 to 17. Third Floor.</p> <p>5c Silk Hair Nets, All Colors, 3c First Floor.</p>	<p>25c Cases, 18c 45x28 1/2 Linen-finish Pillow-cases, extra long. First Floor.</p> <p>30c Percaline, 21c Black Percaline, in light-weight silk moire finish. Yard 21c. First Floor.</p> <p>\$1.75 Quilts, \$1.47 Heavy-weight Crochet Quilt; closely woven; full size. Fourth Floor.</p> <p>25c, 29c Cards, 17c Correspondence Cards; pure heavy weight; 24 cards and 24 envelopes, 17c. First Floor.</p> <p>15c Swiss, 6c Yard 36-inch Curial Swiss of a soft quality; floral designs; assorted colors. Fourth Floor.</p> <p>50c Bags, 39c Colored Silk Bag with self-covered frames; colors only. First Floor.</p>
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