

Alsace-Lorraine Potash Held Up. Shipment of potash from Alsace-Lorraine to the United States cannot be started pending decision as to the status of the mines, officials have been informed in dispatches from Paris.

When you want to make flaky biscuit, delicious muffins and gems, real doughnuts and cake of fine texture—then you need RUMFORD BAKING POWDER.

THE WHOLESALE BAKING POWDER. The minister from Bulgaria and Mme. Panaretoff entertained a dinner party last evening, their guests including the minister of Switzerland and Mme. Sulzer, the first assistant secretary of state and Mrs. William Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sumner Hamlin, the acting commander of the Mayflower and Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Irvin Hunt, Dr. George N. Poulieff, secretary of the Bulgarian legation, and Mme. Poulieff and Dr. Charles Anderson of Constantinople.

An economy that is a pleasure to exercise. Drink a well-made cup of delicious BAKER'S COCOA with a meal, and it will be found that less of other foods will be required, as cocoa is very nutritious, the only popular beverage containing fat. Pure and wholesome.

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How They Affected You. During the twelve months ended Nov. 2, 1918 (its fiscal year), Swift & Company transacted the largest volume of business on the smallest margin of profit in its history.

Profits of the meat business—under regulations of the United States Food Administration—were limited to a maximum of 9 per cent on capital employed but not to exceed 2 1/2 cents per dollar of sales.

Swift & Company in the regulated departments earned 7.57 per cent on capital employed and 2.04 cents per dollar of sales, out of which had to be paid interest on borrowed money and taxes. Here is how these earnings affect you.

Live-Stock Raiser—Swift & Company killed 14,948,000 head of livestock, which weighed alive, 4,971,500,000 pounds.

Consumer—The sales of our meat departments were 4,012,579,000 pounds on which our earnings were less than 1/2 cent per pound.

The per capita consumption of meat in the United States is given as 170 pounds. If a consumer purchased only Swift & Company's products, he would contribute only about 78 cents a year, or 1 1/2 cents a week as profit to the company.

Swift & Company, U. S. A. Washington Local Branch, 10-14 Center Market D. T. Dutrow, Manager.

Society

THE Vice President and Mrs. Marshall will be entertained at dinner tonight by Justice George E. Downey of the Court of Claims and Mrs. Downey at their home on 18th street.

Mme. Panaretoff, wife of the Bulgarian minister, will be at home this afternoon at the legation on Connecticut avenue.

A brilliant audience assembled for the Galli-Curci concert yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Marshall being the guest of Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh.

The Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Mahlon Pitney and Miss Morgan were guests in Mrs. Charles Boughton Wood's box, who had her house guests also with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson Gibson will be hosts at dinner tomorrow evening. Randall Lee Gibson, who has been visiting his parents, has returned to the Stanton Military Academy.

Miss Abigail Harvey entertained at luncheon today at the Shoreham in compliment to Miss Margaret Devereaux, whose marriage to Capt. Richard Hall Jeschke, U. S. M. C., will take place on Wednesday, January 29, and her six other attendants. Miss

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At the first ball to be given by the Allotment and Allowance Association of the war risk bureau, the ballroom at the Raleigh Hotel tonight, Mr. E. C. Brown, superintendent of the allotment and allowance division and president of the association, will receive, and with him will be Mr. Harry White, vice president; Mr. W. James H. Jennings, with Mr. and Mrs. Sara Clark, third vice president, and Mrs. Marie Downey Werner, social secretary; and the other officers and members of the executive board, which are: Miss Louise Proctor, Miss Dorothy Lavis, Miss Anna P. Starke, Mrs. Elizabeth Bell, Mr. Samuel W. Lacy, Mr. Harry Taylor and Mr. Omwake.

E. F. Droop & Sons. Co. Jennie Lind-Brignoli Galli-Curci - Caruso 1857. An apt comparison. The former have passed on leaving no heritage of their wonderful vocal attainments—the latter may be heard for all time through their remarkable Victrola Records.

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DE KORZYBSKI—Edgerly Wedding. The marriage is announced of Mrs. Mira Edgerly to Col. Count Alfred Skarbek de Korzybski of the Russian army.

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DIED. BURKE. On Friday, January 17, 1919, at 3:45 a. m., at his residence, 1612 19th street, Monday, January 20, at 2 o'clock p. m.

COMLEY. On Friday, January 17, 1919, at 1:45 a. m., at his residence, West Cherrylane, Va., WALTER W. beloved husband of Mrs. A. Comley (nee Heinrich).

CRAWFORD. On Saturday, January 18, 1919, at 12:30 a. m., JOHN P., beloved husband of Emma Crawford (nee R. P. O. E. W.), deceased from his late residence, 125 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Monday, January 20, at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Rock Creek cemetery.

CRAWFORD. A special communication of Stansbury Lodge, No. 24, will be held Monday, January 20, 1919, at 12:30 p. m. to attend the funeral of our late brother, JOHN D. CRAWFORD, by order of HENRY C. STEIN, Master, HENRY YOST, Jr., Secretary, 25

CROSS. Departed this life Friday, January 17, 9:50 o'clock a. m., at his residence, No. 18 Benton place northwest, after a short illness, his dear wife, Helen Cross (nee Thomas) and father of Viola E. and William A. Cross, Jr. We loved thee, but God loved thee best.

CROWLEY. On January 18, 1919, at 3 a. m., at Alexandria (Va.) Hospital, JOSEPHINE S., widow of William B. Crowley. Notice of funeral hereafter.

CRUISE. On Thursday, January 16, 1919, at 1:30 a. m., ISAAC CRUISE, beloved husband of Frances E. Cruise. He leaves two brothers, two sisters, mother, and a host of relatives. Funeral from Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, Monday, January 21, at 1:30 p. m. Brooks, pastor. (Lynchburg papers please copy.)

GIBBONS. On Friday, January 17, 1919, at 11:30 a. m., LAURA ESTHER GIBBONS, aged 71 years, at her residence, 5415 R Street, safe in the arms of Jesus. Safe in His gentle breast. Her dear ones join the angels in that haven of rest.

HUTCHINS. Suddenly on Thursday, January 16, 1919, at 7 a. m., at her residence, 5415 R Street, FRANCES HUTCHINS, U. S. N., beloved wife of Nettie Hutchins (nee Ober). Burial in the Rock Creek cemetery.

LAUBIE. Passed away on Friday, January 17, 1919, at 2 p. m., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. L. M. Thomson, 3404 17th Street, northwest, of PETER A. LAUBIE of the circuit court of Ohio.

LEVERING. On Friday, January 17, 1919, at his residence, 3221 Livingston street, THOMAS H. LEVERING. Funeral from his late home, near Sandy Spring, Sunday, January 19, 10 a. m. Interment in Burtonsville cemetery.

MELIKOFF. On Saturday, January 18, 1919, at 7 a. m., at her residence, 5415 R Street, north, of Mrs. LOUISA A. MELIKOFF, widow of John Melikoff. Notice of funeral hereafter.

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