

FRUIT RECORDS BROKEN

All records were broken in the movement of fruit during August, according to reports to the railroad administration. From California to the Missouri river and Chicago 135 special fruit trains were operated in the last month. These trains carried 8,640 cars. The total California fruit movement since June 1, when the season opened, now amounts to 446 trains of 17,495 cars.

In the movement of Colorado fruit forty-five special trains were operated during the last fifteen days of August. These transported 1,523 cars of fruit to eastern markets.

CHASE CAR IN PAJAMAS

LAWRENCEBURG, Ind., Sept. 12.—Wallace W. Whitaker, constable, and his son John ran through a cornfield just as the sun was rising, and they both made the marathon in their pajamas and bare feet; but they prevented two other men who had pushed their popular-priced car six blocks away from the Whitaker garage from stealing their family transport.

SIR GEORGE REED DIES.
LONDON, Sept. 12.—Sir George Reed, Australian high commissioner, died in London today.

Somebody Is Always Taking the Joy Out of Life Copyright 1918, by the Tribune Association. **By Briggs**

MOB ROBS BUTCHERS

GENEVA, Sept. 12.—A mob, armed with revolvers and clubs, sacked and burned a number of butcher shops in Willach, Austria, according to a dispatch received here today. The ring leaders were arrested, but were released after being threatened with death.

ACCEPTS FINNISH CROWN

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 12.—Prince Frederick Charles, of Hesse, has accepted the Finnish crown. The Finnish diet will meet soon to confirm the acceptance.

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In plain colors with one or two band border effects. The colors are Blue, Green, Rose, Tan, Taupe, Gray and Gold. All colors are made in the following interesting sizes:

18x36 inches	4x7 feet	9x15 feet
21x45 "	5x8 "	10 1/2 x 18 1/2 "
26x54 "	6x9 "	12x15 "
30x60 "	7 1/2 x 10 1/2 "	12x18 "
36x72 "	9x12 "	

The prices range from \$3.00 to \$155.00.

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24x48 " 4.25	6x9 " 22.50
27x54 " 5.25	8x10 " 27.50
30x60 " 5.85	3x3 " 4.50
36x72 " 7.00	4x4 " 6.50
39x30 " 8.50	5x5 " 9.50
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Are made in the same general style of design and coloring as the higher grade but of a less quality.
All sizes from 22 1/2 x 36 inches.
Prices from \$4.50 to \$165.00.

SAYS U. S. SOLDIERS U-BOAT SUNK BY STAND WAR TEST PERSIC'S CONVOY

Private David B. Herman, of 635 Sixth street northeast, now in France, in a letter to J. A. Eskins, 111 C street southeast, tells of the test of steel through which Pershing heroes have passed on the fields of France.

"Our forefathers of revolutionary and civil war fame can look down with pride upon the youth of America battling in France," he writes. "They are more than upholding our valorous traditions. I cannot say too much for them. I only wish those at home could see them, quiet and determined. And after the battle coming out of something worse than hell, you'll see them smiling, though their hair is matted, their eyes are red, and the mud is caked on their faces and clothing."

He states that they can get plenty of smokes over there, but that magazines and other reading matter is what they lack. Continuing he says: "Since I last wrote, I have been through lots of experiences. The last letter I wrote in the S. O. S. zone, or rear, but since then I've been in the zone of advance."

"Although this affair is a horror from beginning to end, I've never for a single moment regretted that I asked to be sent across."

"It's a mighty big thing. Men come to know things that they never knew before. They come to know the big-ness of a man's soul. They learn what real sacrifice means, and that death, in a just and righteous cause, is a most glorious death. They die a man's death and facing the enemy."

"You have been reading for the last two weeks of our wonderful offensive, and how we gave the Germans their second defeat on the Marne. It was a great fight, and they were driven pell-mell across the country. It wasn't any voluntary retreat, I tell you. They were in a mighty big hurry to get out. We captured tons and tons of ammunition and supplies, and thousands of prisoners."

Private Herman is the young man who seized the leader of the pacifist delegation that called on Senator Henry Cabot Lodge at the Senate Office Building after the Massachusetts election has been assaulted by the spokesman of the party.

DEAN MONROE QUILTS
Dr. Charles Edward Munroe, head of the chemistry department at George Washington University and dean of the school of graduate studies at the institution, has been granted indefinite leave of absence to devote all of his time and energy to research work in connection with the prosecution of the war.

Dr. Munroe is a chemist of international reputation, and is one of the leading authorities in this country on high explosives. He has accepted the chairmanship of the committee on explosives of the Research Council.

Dr. H. C. McNeil, for a number of years lecturer on physical chemistry at the university, succeeds Dr. Munroe as acting professor of chemistry. In charge of the chemistry department, Dr. McNeil has resigned his position as chemist at the Bureau of Standards to devote all of his time to the university work.

Prof. George N. Henning, head of the department of Romanic languages, succeeds Dr. Munroe as acting dean of the school of graduate studies.

RUTH DARLING KILLED
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—Mrs. Chester N. Franklin, known as Ruth Darling, moving picture actress, was instantly killed here in an automobile crash. The woman was identified at first as Grace Darling, Hearst's favorite star. It was not until the husband reached the hospital that positive identification was made.

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- Potatoes U. S. Standard No. 1 (15 pound) **peck, 47c**
- Mackerel Cape Shore, Large Fish **each, 33c**