

A cure for shut-in lives

the joy of journeying

You may go in luxury on the California Limited or travel economically in a tourist sleeper. Four daily transcontinental trains and the weekly Santa Fe de Luxe. Fred Harvey meals. Ask for booklets.

Don't scold the cold
Get on board a Santa Fe train to summery California and run away from Winter

On the way—
Quantity garbed Indians, petrified forests, painted deserts, and that supreme wonder the Grand Canyon of Arizona.

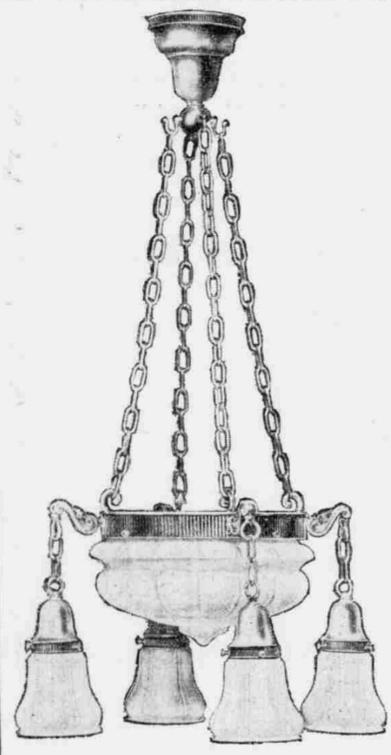
At the end—
Hedges of roses, gold of orange orchards, sunny skies, golf, autoing, and the romance of old-Spanish days

S. W. Manning, G. N. E. A.,
336 Washington St.,
Boston, Mass.

Horton D. Walker

EVERYTHING ELECTRICAL

EVERYTHING ELECTRICAL



AN EXTRA BATTERY WITH EVERY
Ever-Ready Flash Light
SOLD SATURDAY NOV. 27



This company has no personal desires, its policy and action are governed by the principle of justice. It is a state institution directly under the supervision of the state banking department. Therefore, when we are chosen to act in the capacity of trustee, guardian, executor or agent you can rest assured of the proper fulfillment of our trust.

BRATTLEBORO TRUST COMPANY

LUSITANIA CASES BLOCKED

No Agreement Reached at the Conference Held in Washington

GERMANY DESIRES HAGUE ARBITRATION

No Indemnity Has Been Offered—Berlin Thinks Payments Would Be an Admission of Wrong Doing — State Department Hopeful of Outcome.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24. — A series of conferences between Secretary Lansing and Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, has failed thus far to bring the United States and Germany near an early settlement of the issues which grew out of the sinking of the Lusitania, with a loss of more than 100 American lives. It is said by persons in a position to know that the point of view of the two governments still were widely different.

In German circles the belief was expressed that a satisfactory agreement could not be reached without arbitration. Officials of the state department were more optimistic, however, the opinion seeming to prevail that ultimately Germany would come into the American way of viewing the situation. Secretary Lansing and Count von Bernstorff have an agreement not to talk about the subject of their last conference. It is taken for granted in official circles, however, that the Lusitania case was one of the matters discussed.

It is asserted on authority that no offer has been made to indemnify the families of Americans lost with the Lusitania. It has been reported that the German government offered to pay an indemnity of \$5,000 for each life lost, but it is asserted that neither this figure nor any other has been named in the conferences.

The German Government is said to take the position that to agree to pay indemnity would be an admission of wrongdoing, and that, while in a humanitarian sense it deeply regrets the loss of any American lives, the Lusitania was torpedoed in reprisal for the establishment of the British blockade order, which the United States itself holds to be illegal.

Germany, however, is willing and anxious to take the whole matter of indemnity to The Hague for arbitration, even

Millinery

What would be more appreciated by your wife, sister or child than a Pretty Hat?

Have just been to Boston and selected

The Novelties of the Hour

which include New Shapes, Ostrich Feathers, Flowers, Gold and Silver Laces—in fact all that is BEST and NEWEST — and the prices are all right for every pocketbook.

Mrs. G. H. Smith
129 Main Street
The Millinery Shop



The Biggest Trading Day
Brattleboro Has Ever Seen

Brattleboro Co-operative
Holiday Opening Day
Saturday, Nov. 27

Excursion Rates
From All Towns on
Central Vermont
Lines

Special Offerings at The Big Store

Men's Department

2 pairs of Black Wool Hose for 25c
Special 19c Heavy Wool Hose 15c a pair
25c Black Cashmere Hose 19c a pair
\$2.50 Stiff and Soft Hats; all new styles \$1.95
Fenton's \$2.50 Shoes \$1.95
Men's \$4.00 Christmas Bath Robes, for Saturday, November 27 \$2.98
10 dozen Men's Blue Chambray Shirts 39c
Good quality Suspenders in Handsome Boxes 25c
Heavy \$7.50 Mackinaws for \$5.95
Men's \$4.00 Raincoats for \$2.98
Another big lot of Sweaters will be on sale Saturday at 69c each

Other Sweaters at 98c. \$1.49. \$1.98. \$2.48. \$2.98. \$3.48 and up to \$7.50.
Heavy Outing Flannel Shirts 50c
Fine quality 75c Shirts for 59c
Extra good quality \$1.00 Shirts for 79c
The best Flannel Shirts ever sold in town for \$1
Extra heavy fleece-lined and fine quality ribbed underwear. Brown, grey and ecru. All Sizes 50c
SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY—\$1.25 Union Suits for 89c
Carter's Union Suits \$1. \$1.50. \$2. \$2.50. \$3
Heavy grey and white wool Underwear \$1 and \$1.50
Beautiful line of Neckwear 25c and 50c

Special Values—Men's Suits & Overcoats
A Great Line of Suits and Overcoats at
\$6.95, \$7.95, \$10, \$12 and \$15

Others up to \$25
Every Suit or Overcoat guaranteed as to style, quality, fit and price. You will be surprised at the quality and low prices.

We will give a Dress Suit Case Free with every man's Suit or Overcoat purchased at the Big Store Saturday, November 27.

New Line of Sweet Orr Trousers,
98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98 and up
A Pair of Suspenders FREE with every pair of trousers sold Saturday at \$1.98 and up.

Boys' Department

Boys' Knickerbocker Trousers, 25c, 50c, 59c, 79c, \$1
Boys' Flannel Blouses 25c
Boys' Ribbed Shirts and Drawers 25c
Boys' Ribbed Union Suits 50c
Children's Sleeping Garments 25c and 50c
Boys' Nobby Hats and Caps 25c and 50c
Great variety of Boys' Suits,
\$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.98 and up

Shoe Department

All Shoes bought direct from the manufacturers—\$1.95, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5.
Sole agents for the famous Elite Shoes.
A Pair of Stockings FREE with every pair of Shoes Saturday, November 27.

Everybody's Going to The Big Store

E. J. FENTON & CO.

Always Reliable

though it is known that high German officials believe the award would be in favor of the United States, regarding the structure of the tribunal as one likely to favor neutrals.
As for future assurances regarding the safety of American citizens traveling at sea, it is considered by Germany that the assurances given in the settlement of the Arabic incident fully cover the situation.
The point of view of the United States government is, according to the outline given yesterday and previously, that the German government must disavow the sinking of the Lusitania and indemnify the families of American citizens lost in the disaster. The United States is adverse to taking the question of indemnity to The Hague.

While the conferences thus far were said to have been unfavorable to a prompt settlement, officials of the state department, it is reported, are hopeful of the results of conferences yet to come.

Fire and Life INSURANCE

Strong, Reliable Companies
Sanford A. Daniels
Crosby Block, Brattleboro
Telephone 41-2

WESTMINSTER WEST.

Rev. Walter Curtis visited his former home, Clarendon, last week.

Miss Carlotta Lawrence, teacher in the South Valley schools, is spending the Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Grafton.

Mrs. George Gottsche of Springfield, Mass., who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Blodgett, returned home Friday.

Edward Campbell, who has been football coach at the Malone (N. Y.) high school, is at his home here for a two-weeks' vacation.

The illustrated lecture which was to have been given by Rev. W. T. Sparhawk of Putney Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, was indefinitely postponed on account of illness in his family.

In the meeting of Maple Grove Grange Thursday evening, Nov. 18, much amusement was furnished by a hat trimming contest for the men. The first prize, a pair of red gloves, was won by Walter Harlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell went Wednesday of this week to Schenectady, N. Y., to spend Thanksgiving with their son, George, and his family. Before returning home they will visit their nieces, the Misses Hubbard, in Constock, N. Y.

On Thursday of last week Bert Ormsby found a buck weighing 100 pounds. He reported it to game warden Alexander, who sold it to him. On Saturday Lewis Hitchcock shot a doe weighing 125 pounds. On Monday Ed Bontelle shot a buck weighing 175 pounds and Roland Chapman shot a buck weighing 100 pounds.

Women's Department

5 dozen 50c Bungalow Aprons 39c
Wizard Polish Mops, with 4 1/2-ft. handle, complete 25c
300 Pieces Silver Deposit Glassware—guaranteed Sterling, 25c each
500 New Aprons 25c and 50c
150 pairs of Corsets on sale Saturday 25c a pair
100 pairs of 75c Corsets on sale Saturday 50c a pair
Any pair of \$1 C. B. Corsets in the store 79c
Any pair of \$1.50 C. B. Corsets in the store 98c
Any pair of \$2 or \$2.50 C. B. Corsets in the store \$1.29
39c Black Silk Hosiery 25c
Two styles of Ladies' Black Waists 50c
Six styles of Ladies' White and Fancy Waists 59c
75c values in Ladies' Flannel Gowns 59c
All sizes Ladies' Fleece Underwear 25c
Good quality Ladies' black Sateen Petticoats 49c
Handsome Xmas Neckwear, one in a box 25c and 50c
Handsome Boudoir Caps, one in a box 25c and 50c
A large variety of fancy Armlets in boxes 25c
Big values in Framed Pictures 19c
Extra value in Ladies' Shopping Bags 25c
Children's Suit Cases 25c and 50c
50c values in Babies' Bonnets 25c
Skating Sets, all colors 50c
Beautiful line of Corset Covers 25c
Ladies' Night Gowns 50c and 98c
Large variety of Ladies' Boxed Handkerchiefs, 25c and 50c

Great opportunity to buy Ladies' Kid Gloves:—
Great opportunity to buy Ladies' Kid Gloves:—\$1 Kid Gloves for 79c — \$1.50 Kid Gloves for 98c — \$2.50 and \$3 Black and White 16-button Kid Gloves for \$1.49
Boxed Jewelry 25c and 50c
Children's Boxed Handkerchiefs, per box 15c

Our Great 5 & 10c Basement

The Largest and Best in all New England. Nearly a carload of goods is on the way and will be on sale Saturday morning. Tinware, Glassware, Enamelware, Woodware, Hardware, Stationery, Jewelry, Music, Notions, Dry Goods, Toilet Goods, Candy, Crepe Paper, Post Cards, etc.

Full-size Wash Boilers—10c for the Boiler—10c for the Cover.

Full-size Clothes Baskets 10c
10-quart Enamel Pails 10c
3 styles of Enamel Kettles 10c
14-quart Enamel Rinsing Pails 10c
Regular 35c House Brooms 10c

Your choice of any of these articles Saturday with a purchase of \$1.00 worth or more in any department of the Big Store.

Leave Your Parcels With Us Saturday.
Music in the Base a All Day Saturday.
Music in the Basement all day Saturday. Listen to the music and rest in our rest room.

Merchants' Big Day

We want all our friends—everyone of our visitors—to see our line of Holiday Specialties.

SPECIAL PRICES DURING THE DAY

Watch our wonderful Pop-Corn machine work. A sample package to those who desire it, with or without a purchase.

Come in and renew old acquaintances and perhaps form new ones.

WILFRED F. ROOT

PHARMACIST :: :: TRUSS FITTER