



## Help us to HOLD DOWN— Tire Prices

**T**IRES, and GASOLINE, "make the Wheels go round!"  
A Car in the Garage COSTS as much as a Car-on-the-Road,  
but it pays no dividends, on the Investment, so long as it STAYS in  
the Garage.

The VALUE of the Car,—to its Owner,—narrows down, in the ultimate,  
to the precise number of Hours he USES that Car, yearly.

If a \$2,000 Car be owned for, say, 4 years (then sold for \$600.) there has  
been \$1,400 of Car-Value absorbed by the Owner,—equal to, say, \$350. per year.

If then, that Car be USED 913 Hours in the year, it would cost him but 38  
CENTS per Hour, for Car-Use.

But,—if he used it only HALF that number of Hours, yearly, the Car would  
cost him 100% MORE for every Hour he used it.

How MUCH he uses it will depend,—to a considerable extent,—upon the  
PRICE of TIRES and GASOLINE.

This was one of the reasons why we (Jan. 31st, 1915) inaugurated the Goodrich  
"FAIR-LIST" Propaganda against High-prices, and Padded-Price-Lists, on Tires.

It is a further reason why we NOW keep our own Goodrich Prices DOWN  
to the very moderate "Fair-List" figures here quoted.

**B**ETTER Fabric Tires are NOT made, and cannot be made,—at ANY  
price,—than are produced by The B. F. Goodrich Co.

A 15% to 50% higher price could well be justified for these  
same Tires, by fair comparison with other Tires sold at 15% to 50% higher prices.

Will you help your own interests (present and future), by further expanding  
the Sale of that Tire which demonstrates its Intention, through LOWERING the  
Cost of its Tires to you, with every INCREASE in its Volume?

Will you thus endorse, and support, the Goodrich Policy which automatic-  
ally PREVENTS OTHER Makers from forcing UP the Market on Tires?

Compare Goodrich Fair-List prices, here quoted.

Bear in mind that NO Fabric Tires,—at ANY price,—are "better,"—no  
House more Fair, and LIBERAL, on proper Adjustments.

THE B. F. GOODRICH CO., Akron, O.

### Goodrich "Fair-List" Prices

30x3	Ford Sizes (Safety-Treads)	\$10.40	34x4	(Safety-Treads)	\$22.40
30x3½		\$13.40	35x4½		\$31.20
32x3½		\$15.45	36x4½		\$31.60
33x4		\$22.00	37x5		\$37.35

NOTICE.—These Tires are as perfect as Fabric Tires can be made.  
But, should any dissatisfaction whatever arise, with any Goodrich Tire, its Owner is  
invited, and REQUESTED, to take the matter up promptly with us,—the Makers.  
He will find that Fair, Square, and LIBERAL treatment will always be extended, on all  
proper adjustments.

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# GOODRICH

## Black "Barefoot" TIRES

**"TEXTAN"**—Does for your SHOE Soles what black "Bare-  
foot-Rubber" does for Goodrich Tire Soles.

- Wears longer than Leather!
- Is Non-slippery!
- Is more Flexible than Leather!
- Is Waterproof!
- Is Lighter than Leather!
- Is EASIER on your Feet!

Ask your Shoe Dealer, or Shoe Repairer, for Textan Soles on your next pair of Shoes.

Sold in Cresco by Pierce, Cunningham & Rice

### VULCANIZING

Am now located at the  
Pierce, Cunningham &  
Rice Garage and can  
take care of your tire  
work of all kinds. All  
work guaranteed.

JAMES NICHOLS

### Bed Bugs

To kill Bed Bugs, Ants, Roaches and Fleas and  
their eggs as well, use the New Chemical (Pesty  
Devil's Quietness), with Devil heads in each letter  
of P. D. Q. Made in Indiana. Pesty bugs can't  
exist where it is used. See box makes one quart.  
Squirts in every hole to get them in the hard-to-get-  
at places. Does not injure bedding. Kills Fleas on  
dogs. Druggists have it or can get it. Mailed for  
5c. by P. D. Q. Company, Terre Haute, Ind.

### LLOYD-GEORGE MADE SECRETARY FOR WAR

London, July 8.—The appointment  
of David Lloyd-George British secre-  
tary for war was announced. He was  
raised to this rank from that of min-  
ister of munitions, which post he has  
held since the opening of the present  
war.

The Earl of Derby, director of re-  
cruiting, has been appointed under  
secretary for war.

The new secretary of war has been  
the man of the hour in England in re-  
cent years and is the man looked to  
in the present crisis to give renewed  
stability to the cabinet.

In the recent riots in Dublin it was  
Lloyd-George who was called on to  
bring peace and straighten out the  
tangle of relations caused by the arbi-  
trary orders issued by the war de-  
partment in respect to treatment of  
Irish rebels.

### SEVENTY THOUSAND TROOPS ON BORDER

San Antonio, Tex., July 11.—The  
United States now has more than 70,  
000 troops on the Mexican border.

This army is being constantly in-  
creased by the arrival of militiamen.  
Bandit raids in the Big Bend coun-  
try and the report that a large band  
of Villistas is headed that way caused  
General Funston to plan the disposi-  
tion of most of the national guards-  
men in that region.

The Big Bend country presents  
great difficulties to the maintenance  
of an army, as each town must be  
reached by motor trucks from the  
railway, necessitating the use of hun-  
dreds of trucks.

General Funston remained at the  
railway station until late at night to  
greet some of the officers of the Sec-  
ond Kansas infantry, passing through  
en route for Laredo.

### GERMANS' THIRD LINE IS DENTED

British Continue to Push Back  
Teutonic Army.

### GAIN OF FOUR MILES MADE

Considerable Ground Secured by Eng-  
lish Soldiers Since Offensive  
Began on July 1.

London, July 15.—British guns and  
infantry continue to deepen the big  
dent in the German lines north of the  
Somme.

After forcing the second line along  
a four-mile front General Sir Douglas  
Haig's forces renewed the attack.

As a result the Germans at one  
point have been pushed back to their  
third line of defense.

This marks a British advance of  
four miles from the original German  
lines as they existed at the beginning  
of the offensive on July 1 in the Fri-  
court-Mamez sector.

The force of the renewed British  
drive is shown not only in the ground  
gained, but in the number of prison-  
ers captured.

London reports the taking of more  
than 2,000 Germans within the past  
twenty-four hours, the total since the  
start of the offensive now being in ex-  
cess of 10,000.

### French Remain Inactive.

While the British are thus pushing  
back the Teutonic lines the French on  
their right flank are remaining com-  
paratively inactive, having already  
achieved a similar object.

They are busy at Verdun, however,  
where they have repulsed an attack  
near the Avacourt redoubt, on the ex-  
treme left of the Verdun front, while  
the artillery is actively replying to  
bombardments by the crown prince's  
guns on the east bank of the Meuse.

At Apremont attempted German at-  
tacks were broken up by the French  
barge fire.

Hard fighting continues between  
Russians and Turks in Turkish Ar-  
menia, where the Russians are push-  
ing westward from Mamakhatun.

The result of the battles so far is  
indecisive, Constantinople reports.

The German official report admits  
the penetration of the Teutonic lines  
by the British.

### BRITISH TROOPS RAID TURKS OF SUEZ GULF

London, July 18.—Two columns of  
British troops operating on the eastern  
shore of the Gulf of Suez have  
raided sixty miles of difficult country  
held by the Turks, according to an  
announcement made by the secretary  
of the British war office.

"The commander-in-chief of the  
Mediterranean expeditionary force,"  
the statement says, "reports that two  
columns operating from Tor and Abu  
Seenelma, on the Sinal shore of the  
Gulf of Suez, have returned to their  
bases after successful raids of the  
enemy posts in the peninsula.

"Sixty miles of difficult country  
were traversed, prisoners were taken  
and live stock secured. Despite oppo-  
sition and considerable sniping no cas-  
ualties were sustained by either of the  
columns."

### More Russ Troops in France.

Paris, July 18.—A contingent of  
Russian troops disembarked at Brest,  
France. The troops will be sent to  
camp from Brest and later to the front.  
This is the sixth contingent of Rus-  
sian troops, the arrival of which in  
France has been reported.

### WILL SPEAK IN TWIN CITIES

Justice Hughes to Visit Northwest in  
August.

St. Paul, July 15.—Charles E.  
Hughes, Republican presidential candi-  
date, will speak in St. Paul or Min-  
neapolis about Aug. 10.

A telegram received from Bridge-  
hampton, N. Y., Mr. Hughes' summer  
home, says he will open his campaign  
with a speech in Detroit on the even-  
ing of Aug. 7.

From Detroit he will go to Chicago,  
where he will deliver another speech,  
probably on the evening of the 8th or  
9th. From there he will come to  
the Twin Cities.

### MINIMUM WAGE DEFEATED

Minority Leader Mann Has Nolan  
Bill Indefinitely Shut Out.

Washington, July 18.—The Nolan  
bill, providing a minimum wage of \$3  
a day for federal employees, was in-  
definitely shut out of consideration in  
the house by Republican Leader Mann.

### Flood Drowns Twenty-three.

Mexico City, July 15.—Twenty-  
three persons are known to have been  
drowned in floods caused by torren-  
tial rains which fell in the Guana-  
juato district. Thirty houses were  
destroyed in Silao and heavy material  
damage was caused in other places.

### ELIE METCHNIKOFF.

Scientist Who Studied Means  
to Prolong Life Is Dead.



Professor Elie Metchnikoff, the fa-  
mous bacteriologist and exponent of  
life, is dead at Paris. He was seventy-  
one years of age.

Professor Metchnikoff had been in  
poor health for several months. He was  
world famous as an exponent of theo-  
ries for the prolongation of human  
life.

### WINNING BATTLE AGAINST PLAGUE

New York, July 18.—Further de-  
crease in the number of deaths and  
new cases of infantile paralysis is re-  
ported by the health department.

During the past twenty-four hours  
fourteen children died of the disease  
and there were ninety-five new cases  
in the five boroughs of New York city.

The new bureau of the health de-  
partment made possible by a gift of  
\$50,000 from the Rockefeller founda-  
tion, organized to assist in curbing the  
epidemic, began work under direc-  
torship of Dr. Alvah H. Doty.

To emphasize previous statements  
that the disease is seldom contracted  
by adults the board of health an-  
nounced that of the 1,959 patients to  
date only seventeen were more than  
sixteen years old.

### GEORGE S. LOFTUS IS DEAD

Prominent St. Paul Man Is Victim of  
Cancer.

St. Paul, July 18.—George S. Loftus,  
sales manager for the St. Paul Equity  
Co-operative exchange, is dead. After  
an heroic fight against the encroach-  
ment of abdominal cancer, with which  
he was stricken Aug. 5, 1915, he suc-  
cumbed at the home of his sister, Mrs.  
Ray Trautman.

Since his illness first began phys-  
icians several times have given up all  
hope for his recovery, only to marvel  
at the promptness with which he re-  
sponded to various treatments. It was  
he who first realized that the long  
fight to mend his broken health was  
a vain hope.

### GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.  
Duluth, July 17.—Wheat—On track  
and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.20½; No.  
1 Northern, \$1.19½; No. 2 Northern,  
\$1.14½@1.15½; Flax—On track and  
to arrive, \$1.99½.

### St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, July 17.—Wheat—No. 1  
Northern, \$1.17½@1.22½; No. 2  
Northern, \$1.17½@1.18½; No. 2 Mont-  
ana hard, \$1.12½; corn, 82½@83½c;  
oats, 39¼@39¾c; barley, 63@72½c;  
rye, 87@88c; flax, \$1.99.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, July 17.—Wheat—July, \$1.  
11½; Sept., \$1.12½; Dec., \$1.15½.  
Corn—July, 79¼c; Sept., 75¼c; Dec.,  
65¼c. Oats—July, 31¼c; Sept., 41¼c;  
Dec., 53c. Pork—July, \$25.75; Sept.,  
\$24.65. Butter—Creameries, 25@27¼c.  
Eggs—18@22½c. Poultry—Springs,  
20@23c; fowls, 17c.

### South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, July 17.—Cattle—  
Receipts, 6,500; steers, \$5.00@9.75;  
cows and heifers, \$4.75@7.75; calves,  
\$5.50@11.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.  
75@7.25. Hogs—Receipts, 15,500;  
range, \$9.00@9.40. Sheep—Receipts,  
1,600; lambs, \$5.00@9.00; wethers, \$5.  
00@7.00; ewes, \$2.50@6.25.

### Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, July 17.—Wheat—July,  
\$1.15½; Sept., \$1.16½; Dec., \$1.16½.  
Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.  
28½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.19@1.20½;  
No. 2 Northern, \$1.13½@1.17½; No. 3  
Northern, \$1.06½@1.14½; No. 3 yellow  
corn, 82½@83½c; No. 3 white  
oats, 39¼@39¾c; flax, \$1.99.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 17.—Cattle—Receipts,  
22,000; steers, \$8.00@9.10; cows and  
heifers, \$3.35@9.40; calves, \$8.25@11.  
75. Hogs—Receipts, 37,000; light, \$9.  
25@9.85; mixed, \$9.25@9.95; heavy,  
\$9.20@10.00; rough, \$9.20@9.40; pigs,  
\$8.00@9.40. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000;  
native, \$6.75@8.30; lambs, \$7.25@  
10.70.

### MAY BE SETTLED BY COMMISSION

Difficulties Between Mexico and  
the United States.

### POLK AND ARREDONDO MEET

Acting Secretary of State and Mex-  
ican Ambassador Designate in  
Conference.

Washington, July 15.—Solution of  
difficulties between the United States  
and Mexico seem to trend more and  
more toward settlement by an inter-  
national commission.

Informal conferences by Acting  
Secretary of State Polk and Eliseo  
Arredondo, Mexican ambassador des-  
ignate, it was indicated, were develop-  
ing questions for probable submission  
to such a body.

General Carranza is said to ap-  
prove the commission plan of settling  
differences as provided in the treaty  
of 1848, and state department offi-  
cials are believed to be willing to let  
things take this course, though pre-  
ferring adjustment through the pres-  
ent conferences.

President Wilson, it is understood,  
is not dissatisfied with the direction  
negotiations are taking.

Both Mr. Polk and the ambassador  
are confident that an agreement will  
be reached in the near future.

Mr. Arredondo issued a statement  
warning against sensational stories  
published throughout this country by  
those who desire intervention.

"I beg to warn the American peo-  
ple," he said, "against the falsity of  
reports published within the last few  
days, constituting an actual propaga-  
nda system, by persons interested in  
causing a conflict between the two  
countries."

### CARRANZA OPPOSED TO WAR

Wants Friendly Relations With the  
United States.

Mexico City, July 15.—General Car-  
ranza, in an interview, said that the  
status of the negotiations with Wash-  
ington was very satisfactory as the  
result of the good will shown to each  
other by Mexico and the United  
States.

"Thanks to this feeling of good  
will," the first chief continued, "we  
will be able to avoid war. War is  
something I do not desire, but if  
there were no other remedy for the  
situation I would enter upon it."

General Carranza, however, refused  
to discuss the situation as it relates  
to the possible action of President  
Wilson or of the Latin-American na-  
tions which offered to mediate in the  
trouble between the United States and  
Mexico.

### PARKER MAY RUN ON THE DRY TICKET

St. Paul, July 18.—John M. Parker  
of New Orleans, the Progressive party's  
orphaned candidate for vice presi-  
dent, looms large before the eyes of  
Prohibition rival leaders assembled  
in St. Paul. Rival forces are lining up  
for a determined fight for control of  
the party organization and the battle  
may turn on the question of his adop-  
tion as the Prohibitionists' vice presi-  
dential nominee.

William Sulzer of New York and J.  
Frank Hanly of Indiana are leading  
in the race for the presidential nomi-  
nation, the boom for Eugene N. Fos-  
s of Massachusetts having suffered a  
setback when the report was spread  
among the delegates that the Bay  
State man is ill and probably will not  
attend the convention.

### TO DELAY MOVING MILITIA

Forces Now Mobilizing Not Going  
South Until Fully Equipped.

Washington, July 18.—The war de-  
partment has sent orders to all de-  
partment commanders to delay transpor-  
tation to the border of national guard  
organizations, now mobilizing, until  
they are fully equipped and organized.  
The effect of this order will be to  
revoke a ruling issued when the Mexi-  
can situation was acute, waving cer-  
tain requirements. The new order af-  
fects about 25,000 men now held in  
the various state camps.

### Fined One Cent for Assault.

Richmond, Ind., July 18.—Henry U.  
Johnson, a former member of con-  
gress, was fined 1 cent by a city court  
jury that found him guilty of assault-  
ing Frank M. Taylor, vice president  
of a bank here.

### Russ Losses Put at 252,000.

Berlin, July 18.—Russian losses from  
the beginning of the present offensive  
to July 1 total more than 252,000, the  
semi-official news agency estimated.

### Retired Admiral Dies.

Norfolk, Va., July 18.—Rear Admiral  
Charles Henry Eldridge, U. S. N., re-  
tired, died here. He was seventy-five  
years old.