

MILLIONS POUR INTO U.S. VAULTS

Yellow Current From Abroad Melted Up Into American Money

GOLD RECORDS BROKEN

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Straight from the heart of the city of London, a river of gold is running into a huge gray pile of stone in the United States assay office.

The huge gray pile of stone in the United States assay office. Since July 1, four months ago, the stream has flowed steadily into its many melting pots.

115 Millions Received In that time approximately \$115,000,000 in the yellow metal has passed thru the office, representing, for the most part, payment for automobiles, shells, guns, cartridges, automobiles, horses, uniforms and the thousand and one things necessary to war making.

From all quarters of the globe the stream has been fed. Into the melting pots have gone \$20,000,000 in English sovereigns, \$5,000,000 in Japanese yen, \$3,000,000 in French francs, \$2,000,000 in Russian rubles and other coins.

Emerges in Dull Bricks They emerged, and are still emerging, in common-looking, dull bricks, that are hurled to Philadelphia, where they are reborn into Uncle Sam's double eagles.

"Never in the history of the assay office has so much gold passed thru in four months," said an official today, as he sat on a truckload of metal, the value of which was over \$2,000,000.

"Since July 1 we have been running almost to our fullest capacity. Life for us is just one round of melting, molding, weighing and counting."

A Sign of Prosperity? There is no sign of a drought that will dry up the yellow stream. The end of the war will bring it in sight, but for longer after hostilities have caused the payments must continue to come in.

"If the possession of much gold is a harbinger of nation-wide prosperity, this country is due for an extended period," said the official, "for certainly never in the nation's history has there been such a flood as in the last four months."

CATTLE MEN MEET

More than 20 breeders of Holstein cattle met Thursday night at a banquet in the Arctic club and formed the Northwest Association of Holstein-Friesian Breeders.

E. A. Smart was elected president and Fred Stimson secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY

University Sunday schools will hold a joint rally at the University M. E. church, 42nd and Brooklyn ave., Friday night.

Safe Milk for Infants and Invalids

HORLICK'S THE ORIGINAL MALTED MILK

The Food-Drink for all Ages Rich milk, malted grain, in powder form. For infants, invalids and growing children. Pure nutrition, upbuilding the whole body. Invigorating nursing mothers and the aged. More healthful than tea or coffee.

Unless you say "HORLICK'S" you may get a substitute.

AMUSEMENTS

Moore Sun., Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat., 8, 9, 10

When Dreams Come True

Moore Continuous, 1 to 11 All This Week

TRIBUTE WAR PICTURES Follow the Crowds

Orpheum

Eddie Foy

NEW PANTAGES

WILLIAMS AND RANKIN World-Renowned Cornetists.

Kelly and Violette

EMPERESS MAHATMA

The Woman of Mystery

7-GLORIOUS ACTS-7

Two Shows Nightly, 7:30, 9:15

DON'T FAIL TO SEE

The German Battlefield Pictures

Presented by the Chicago Tribune

Only Two Today and Tomorrow

AT MOORE THEATRE

All Seats 25c Continuous Performance, 1 to 11 p. m.

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

MYSTIC MEDIUM JUST PLAIN HOME WRECKER, GIRL DISCOVERS

me the shivers. His eyes are the kind that dig deep, and his mouth twists constantly into a sneer. His presence is like a cold draft of damp air.

I was hurried inside the innermost corner of his "web," a third room, somewhat artistically arranged, with a small reading table in the center and a small lamp on the reading table which cast its rays down on two chairs, drawn close together.

Demands Name of Man She Loves "Sit down," he abruptly commanded. "Write the name of the fellow you love."

He handed me a slate. I hesitated a while, then wrote a fictitious name.

He sat down facing me in the other chair. His knees almost touched mine and he placed a pile of slates so they rested on both our knees.

Somewhere in the pile was the one with my three questions. He juggled the pile until I am certain he saw what I had written, though he pretended he hadn't.

"Your sister is well," he said. "I would have laughed had I not been too scared. He was a faker. He could not read my mind, so I was safe on that score."

"Your husband was with friends yesterday afternoon," went on the "psychic."

Then he leaned over toward me and, looking straight into my eyes, said, "Can I trust you?"

"Yes," I said. "I can fix it so you will be able to see for yourself that your husband is untrue," he whispered.

There! I had my suspicions confirmed. This man, this human spider, was, stripped of his mystery, the most ordinary sort of a home-wrecker.

If I were a husband and a man told my wife what he told me, I would—I don't know what I should do. But Seattle would be too small for him and me. I am sure of that.

I am afraid I almost gave myself away. I was so indignant.

"Your lover," he continued. "He is dearly in love with you. You want to be free, don't you?"

I nodded. "You have been indiscreet with your lover!" he declared. His veiled accusation almost blinded me. I wished my father was there. But I recovered myself.

"No!" I answered. Accuses Girl Patron of Lying "You are lying to me, I see," said the "spider." And his face twisted up into a sneer.

"You have no children?" he asked. "I shook my head and he went on. "You are indeed fortunate. Children are a curse to any woman."

I, who love children, hated him for that. "Come back tomorrow," said the spider, "and I will show you that your husband is untrue. I will show it all to you right here in this room. It will all be clear."

He had taken a dollar, tho his fee for one sitting is 50 cents, and kept it. "You won't have to pay tomorrow," he said.

The next afternoon I walked again into the "web." Again the door man was insulting. He grasped my hand and held it so long I blushed. He grasped me by the shoulders and I shook myself free and hid my face behind a newspaper.

Inside Overton's sanctum I sat again by the little table. "Do you still want to be free?" he inquired.

I nodded. Agrees to Get Her Grounds for Divorce "You can't get a divorce unless you get the goods on him, you know."

Yes, I knew. "You are sure you won't be jealous?" It will take perhaps 30 or 60 days to do it, but I will be able to show you your husband is untrue. You still love this other fellow, the doctor?"

I could have struck him, and I felt like crying, but I held myself together.

"Well, be careful," said the "spider," and his lips curled again, "that you don't get mixed up yourself while we're watching your husband."

But how was he going to prove my husband untrue, granted that I had a husband?

I wanted to find out, so I could warn other women and show the devilish intrigue of this home-wrecker.

He told me he had been so busy one day last week that he turned away 75 women from his door, unable to see them that day.

How many homes could he have wrecked out of that 75? They are lucky women that were turned away.

"You must keep coming back every few days," said the "spider." "You must be ready when the time comes to catch your husband. I will let you know where he is and you can go there and catch him in a room with another woman. I will get the woman who can do such things."

There! It was out. I had it. He would get the woman. I had the story of the "spider and the fly."

I sincerely trust that Prosecutor Lundin will not overlook this "spider."

WORKER'S A FOOL IF HE CAN'T GET A SHARE OF WAR PROFITS

—Machinists' Head.

By MAX HAYES

What part of the war profits belongs to labor? Is labor justified in "taking advantage" of the greedy American munitions manufacturers and demanding better working conditions and better pay while they are piling up enormous profits?

"The workers would be fools if they didn't," says General President Johnston of the machinists.

And just what other national labor leaders think of the munitions factory situation in this country now since the start of the war promises to be expressed in bold language at the convention in San Francisco of the American Federation of Labor next week.

At the outset of the big strike movement in the war munitions factories in Connecticut, and which has

gradually spread westward, a hue and cry went up that German sympathizers were instigating the trouble.

There is reason to believe that some zealous partisans of the Fatherland did endeavor to incite the men who manufactured or handled ammunition to quit work, and thus cripple the allies to a limited extent.

It was but natural that pro-Germans should do so. But when this question comes on the floor of the convention it will be shown that, while Ambassador Dumba and others may have attempted to meddle in the business of manufacturing war supplies, the organized American working man never did, and doesn't now, depend upon any outside assistance to annex a very modest share of the boundless prosperity that has been heaped upon American manufacturers through the fortunes (or rather misfortunes) of war.

General President Johnston of the machinists, who have taken the lead among the metal workers to enforce the eight-hour day and secure better wages, will have something mightily interesting to say when this question comes on the floor officially.

The workers would be fools if they did not take advantage of the present situation to im-

WATER POWER FIGHT TO OPEN

Stone-Webster and Other Corporations Send Lobbyists to Washington

EXPECT SEATTLE MAN BY GILSON GARNER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The biggest anti-conservation fight in the history of the effort to protect and preserve the nation's public resources is predicted for the coming session of congress.

The great water power interests—Stone-Webster, General Electric, Pacific Gas and Electric and all their allied interests—have started the "big drive" to get past congress legislation that will permit them to complete the acquisition and eventual monopolization of the nation's valuable water power sites.

Their last big attempted breakdown of the conservation policy culminated in the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy. Following that, efforts were made by the water power interests to dominate the National Conservation Congress.

Joker Efforts Defeated Through the efforts of Clifford Pinchot, James H. Garfield and Walter L. Fisher these efforts were defeated and the conservation congress went on record in favor of the retention of the title in the federal government of power sites in national forests and on the public domain.

Efforts were made in the last congress to jockey the Adamson general dam act, but the legislation was defeated.

The water power lobby, however, was successful in preventing the passage of the Ferris water power bill, backed by Secretary of the Interior Lane, and this legislation must come up again this winter.

Lobbyists Gathering Now the water power lobby is gathering for the battle. An imposing array of legal talent will confront congress when it convenes.

Harry J. Pierce of Seattle, formerly connected with the General Electric interests of New York, is among the power lobbyists who is expected to be active. He was a prime mover in the Portland water power conference, recently held at Portland, Or., to organize opposition to conservation legislation. He has written a book called "Looking Squarely at the Water Power Problem," addressed to members of congress, publicists, correspondents, etc., and a pamphlet called "Power Legislation and Federal Control," which has been mailed broadcast.

prove their lot. "If I had the power I would not hesitate a moment to strike every shop and mill in the country and force the owners to grant the eight-hour day and more wages, no matter how much they might sneer and whine about German interference."

Thin People Can Increase Weight

Thin men and women who would like to increase their weight with 10 or 15 pounds of healthy, stay there, fat, should try eating a little Sargol with their meals for a while, and note the results. Here is a good best worth trying. First weigh yourself and measure yourself. Then take Sargol—eat it with every meal—for two weeks. Then weigh and measure again. It isn't a question of how you look or what your friends say and think. The scales and the tape measure will tell their own story. Many thin men and women, we believe, can easily add from five to eight pounds in the first 14 days by following this simple direction. And best of all, the new flesh stays put.

Sargol does not itself make fat, but mixing with your food, it aims to turn the fats, sugars and starches of your body into the very same ripe, fat producing nourishment for the tissues and blood—prepares it in an easily absorbed form which is readily accepted. Much of this nourishment now passes from your body as waste. But Sargol works to stop the waste, and do it quickly, and to make the fat producing contents of the very same meal you are eating now develop into pounds and pounds of healthy flesh between your skin and bones. Sargol is a safe, pleasant, and inexpensive. Bartell Drug Co., Swift's Pharmacy and other leading druggists in this vicinity sell it in large boxes—40 tablets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back, as found in each large box.

PRO BONO GETS HIS

Editor The Star: In Monday's Star, "Pro Bono" gives the prohibitionists a good punch "below the belt" in condemning such fool laws to be enforced against the liberties of the people by depriving them of their usual allowance of hooch, dope, "snout," or any other poison.

The silly "prohib" have the gall to prevent us lovers of "personal liberty" to get these things

NOTHING SAVED—NOTHING HAVE

You can't save a thousand dollars without first saving ten.

Bring in your dollar today and you will soon have the ten.

Interest 4%

UNION SAVINGS & TRUST CO.

OF SEATTLE

Capital and Surplus \$800,000

JAMES D. HOGE, President

N. B. SOLNER, Vice President and Trust Officer

HOGE BUILDING

In the Heart of the Financial District

USE STAR WANT ADS FOR RESULTS

A FORTY-FIVE Dollar Suit, Tailored to Order by Louis Gross, for \$25. Nearly 1,000 Patterns to Select From. From a stock of goods big enough to suit any taste—serges, chevots, tweeds and cassimeres in the newest weaves and colors—you may select any pattern worth up to \$45, and I will make you a perfect-fitting suit for \$25. From the imported materials—the finest woollens that the world produces—you may have your unrestricted choice of patterns worth \$60 and \$65 for \$30. The same care and exactitude in cutting and fitting, same linings and trimmings and the same careful tailoring that has always characterized Gross garments. Price is reduced, quality remains the same. OVERCOATS at Proportionate Reductions. Perfect Fit Absolutely Guaranteed. LOUIS GROSS Custom Tailor 919 First Ave. RAINIER-GRAND HOTEL BLOCK

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

TELEPHONE TAXES Editor The Star: Since writing to you, the other day, I ran across an ad of the telephone company. Kindly note the ad, which says: "Every Bell Telephone Is a Long-Distance Station." This would include nickel phones in main halls of apartment and rooming houses.

There is a nickel phone without being detected by the subscriber, call for your number for Tacoma or any other city covered by the two-number system, and you won't have to pay for the call. But the telephone company won't lose. It will collect it from the subscriber.

The subscriber has to make good at the end of the month, tho he may not know who it was that used the phone. The telephone company refuses to even try to collect at the other end.

In other words, they want their subscribers to act as agents for the pleasure of it, and then pay for all the calls at the end of the month, whether they knew anything about certain calls or not. Some system. What do you call it, Mr. Editor?

The company is getting two prices for its phones anyway. I pay them not less than \$4.50 per month, and then have to spend 10 or 15 cents downtown each day besides. Not counting any long-distance business, they strike me up to the tune of \$7 or \$8 a month.

If a subscriber happens to be down town and wants to phone, he hasn't got time to take a jitney home to do it, and he'd be out the jitney just the same.

I don't think there is a town in the United States with a higher telephone rate than in Seattle. DON CAMPBELL.

PRO BONO GETS HIS Editor The Star: In Monday's Star, "Pro Bono" gives the prohibitionists a good punch "below the belt" in condemning such fool laws to be enforced against the liberties of the people by depriving them of their usual allowance of hooch, dope, "snout," or any other poison.

The silly "prohib" have the gall to prevent us lovers of "personal liberty" to get these things

DIFFERS WITH QUICK Editor The Star: I want to respectfully criticize the pro-military attitude that your paper seems to have adopted. I also want to take issue with Mr. Herbert Quick, who says a million men are needed to defend the United States.

In a past article Mr. Quick said the rich would do anything for the poor except get out of their backs. From this one would assume he had a good economic understanding, and that militarism is a result, and not a cause, of the poor being backward.

Ultimately, the poor must do the fighting, if any is done. Every year sees millions unemployed in America. Seventy-five per cent of the population do not own as much as their own homes. And we have 400,000 whose incomes, on the other hand, are large enough to come under the income tax.

All reforms, progress and advancement are accomplished during times of peace. In the struggle of the poor to buck the rich off their backs, they can best obtain results without militarism. Preparation leads to war.

War is a cancer that eats out the vitals of the people who indulge in it—the poor do the fighting. Every increase in armament brings us closer to the position of the citizenry of other nations who are military-ridden. Sherman was right.

FRANK S. FEHR, Shelton.

AGAINST TAXING CHURCHES Editor The Star: Those writers who advocate taxing religion surely are overlooking the good religion is doing and the aid rendered in teaching the masses to respect and honor authority.

To tax religion would greatly reduce the means of getting the blessings of Christianity to the benighted, thereby aiding infidels, atheists and rebels in destroying the Christian civilization.

CONSERVATIVE CHRISTIAN.

TELEPHONE GERMS Editor The Star: I have noticed in your paper that you are always giving valuable

space in advocating the things that are of real benefit to the people at large.

Being a physician, I would naturally notice the things that tend mostly to the health. Indeed, this feature you have not neglected, however. There is one thing, it seems to me, could be beneficially exploited, or the people's attention should be called to it, and that is the chances for infection and contagion through the public telephone.

Almost every telephone in use, which you will notice, the speaking part is covered with spots. These spots are the spittle and moist breath thrown out when one is talking.

These dried spots contain various kinds of germs that are inhaled by the ones using the phones. Now, while I do not think it possible to entirely evade the danger, I do believe it can be greatly lessened by a frequent cleaning and disinfecting.

It is merely my desire to call your attention to this, and suggest that you give it some publicity. W. C. BRIER, 465 Lyon Bldg.

TAFT TAKES 'NOTHER CRACK AT COLONEL

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Prof. W. H. Taft, former president, has taken another crack at his former pal and associate, ex-President Roose-

velt, in a speech here last night. Roosevelt, "broadening of executive powers" while in the White House, said Taft was "an unsafe doctrine."

ONLY TWO DAYS MORE THEDA BARA

CARMEN A COMPARISON INVITED

CLEMMER

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffing, blowing, headache, dizziness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

ONLY TWO DAYS MORE THEDA BARA

CARMEN A COMPARISON INVITED

CLEMMER

Cures Without Drugs

This Modern Method of Electric Treatment Is Curing Men and Women After Doctors and Drugs Fail.

Everybody admires the strong, virile, red-blooded man. He is the fellow that makes his mark in the world—the man who succeeds where others fail.

Look at the men who have accomplished big things—the successful men in all the walks of life—and you will see men of strength and power, men who have confidence in themselves and who are fairly bubbling over with energy and enthusiasm.

Men who suffer in any way ought to know by this time that drugs cannot help them. All that medicine can do in such cases is to stimulate—honor from your reserve force, and when that is used up you are worse off than ever.

There's only one way to restore your vital energy, and that is by putting new life into your nerves. Every function of the human body is governed by the nerves. If an organ is weak, it is a sign that the nerves which control it lack power, and this nerve power is nothing more than electricity.

Wear Electro-Vita while you sleep. It feeds a constant stream of electricity to your nerves, and they carry it to every organ and tissue of your body, restoring health and vim.

FREE BOOK

Call and test

Electro-Vita or write for our beautiful 80-page book, which tells all about our treatment. This book contains pictures of well-built, robust men and women, showing how Electro-Vita is applied, and explains many things you should know.

Consultants free. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

The Electro-Vita Co.

DEPT. 4

Room 306 Empress Theatre Bldg., Second Ave., Cor. Spring St., Seattle, Wash.