

Say it with flowers... Corsage Bouquets Artistically Arranged... John Robinson Florist

G. O. P. STARTS RALLIES EARLY

G. O. P. leaders in Bridgeport are evidently squaring regarding the coming elections, and have started their political rallies unusually early.

SAPINERO WAS DISABLED AT SEA IN HURRICANE

London, March 29.—The American steamer Sapinero was towed into Plymouth on Friday evening after having been disabled at sea in a hurricane.

MRS. BENNETT TELLS JAIL EXPERIENCE

Noted Connecticut Suffragist Will Make Suggestion For Prison Reform.

Mrs. M. Toscan Bennett of Hartford, who is to be the principal speaker at the meeting of the National Woman's party in the Springfield hotel parlor, Wednesday, April 3, at 8 p. m., a member of the National Advisory Council of that organization.

ALFRED B. BEERS GOES TO NATIONAL BOARD WORLD WAR

Veteran of Civil War Aids Younger Men in Noble Work—Soldiers Desiring to Join Bridgeport Branch May Sign Enclosed Coupon.

The World War Veterans held a meeting last night at the Elks Club at which several new members were received. Plans for a campaign to obtain at least 2,000 members will soon be stated.

The organization is only temporarily formed but after all the boys get back from France and into civilian life permanent officers will be elected and the society will become of national importance.

SERVICE MEMBERSHIP

WORLD WAR VETERANS OF AMERICA

Executive Offices, Holland Building, 40th Street and Broadway, N. Y. City. Bridgeport Camp, No. 1, Sergeant Frank J. Mitchell, 684 Brooks street, Bridgeport.

To the Board of Directors:—

The undersigned, an officer or enlisted man or a former officer or enlisted man in the services of the United States, believing in the desirability and need for the World War Veterans of America, being in general sympathy with the principles upon which the organization is founded, and wishing to endorse the work being done by this organization, hereby subscribes for membership.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Fee for Officers and Men in the Service of former Officers and Men in the Service, ONE DOLLAR.

Trouble Caused by Union Affiliation

(Continued From Page One.) In talking of the situation today to a Times representative, Miss Sullivan, organizer, said: "The rumor that Miss Keefe called other operators 'yellow dogs' is untrue and unfounded."

Famous Divisions Will Retain Names to Keep Traditions

(Continued From Page One.) The First to Seventh Divisions will retain the designations of the seven regular divisions now in France, comprising the First and Second Army corps.

Will Government Make Arrests Here for Boze Violations?

Whether the government authorities will invade this city to make arrests for violations of the liquor law after July 1 was a question asked of the county commissioners today.

STRIKE TROUBLE STILL SPREADING

Copenhagen, March 29.—The strikes in the industrial region are extending, according to despatches from Essen today. Thirty thousand men are reported out.

LABOR BOARD TO CLOSE APRIL 1

The Bridgeport office of the War Labor Board will probably close on April first, according to rumors in circulation today. There has been an apparent slackening in the activities of the office for the past few days.

NEW SUB-STATION.

Postmaster Charles F. Greene announced this morning the opening of a new sub-station on April 16 at the General Grocery Store in Lordship.

ALL BIDS REJECTED.

All the sealed bids received by Local Board No. 5 for the furniture and typewriters which had been in use during the war draft were rejected as they did not come up to expectations.

SITUATION CRITICAL.

Paris, March 29.—The situation for the Allies at Odessa is still critical according to the latest advices from that region.

TODAY'S WANTS

MAIZE HELP WANTED

A SALES REPRESENTATIVE—A large established manufacturer, national advertiser, needs a responsible energetic man to represent them in this territory.

WANTED—First class cabinet maker. Apply to the Post Chestnut Lumber Co., Fort Chester, N. Y., in person or by letter, stating wages wanted. \$250+

BUTTON HOLES

MACHINE MADE buttonholes made to order. Women's Smart Shop, 157 Golden Hill St. \$25d+

FINE POSITION for a first class auto

Hinslow, W. D. Taylor, Tel. Barnum 1182-5. \$275+

LOST—Gray mackinaw coat

thrown in strange automobile by mistake on East Washington Ave. sewer job. Return name, place, \$25

WANTED—Situation by young man

(colored) as chauffeur, helper or handy man. I. Deveaux, 103 Commercial, care Mrs. Lucas. \$25+

WANTED—Position as working foreman

on farm; best references; Danish national; age 40. Address Farm Foreman, care Times. \$25+

WANTED—First class cook

Barnum 2023, 838 Clinton Ave. \$25+

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS

MULLINS & DEARBORN, carpenters and builders—Jobbing a specialty. All work promptly attended to. Call 155 Souther Ave., or phone Xolis 305-2. \$25+

SALESMEN WANTED

ADVERTISING AND SPECIALTY men—Big deal; \$1,000 per month; exclusive guaranteed purchase; every purchaser gets another, endorsing store; get this for big money, 910 Humboldt Bank Building, San Francisco. \$75+

BURCHENBENT, Iowa Park, Texas

oil field—INTERESTING—We are now drilling best location in field. See our maps, know our holdings. Wire or write for information. Texas Big Four Oil Co., 721 1/2 Ohio Ave., Wichita Falls, Texas. \$75+

EAST HATON ST.—1 family house

3 rooms, all improvements; Hancock Ave., 6 family, 24 rooms, all improvements; Norman St., 3 family house, 10 rooms, all improvements; Lindsay St., 2 family, 11 rooms, all improvements; S. Loowich & Co., 116 Bank St., Tel. Barnum 68. Open Monday and Saturday evenings. \$1000+

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL KINDS of cylinders grounded, piston and rings made special to order at a reasonable price. Phone Blufford 565-4. E. G. Blacker, Stratford, Conn. \$25+

CASE REGISTER WANTED

High prices paid; any models. Address Box F, care Times. \$25+

Milliners, Preparers or Sewers Wanted.

If you can sew we can find work for you in our workroom. Apply to E. H. DILLON & CO., 1105 MAIN ST. \$25+

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, and Cannon Street Bridgeport, Conn. Weather: Fair and slightly warmer tonight and Sunday. Saturday, March 29, 1919.

Store Hours:—Daily 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Saturday 8:30 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Congoleum rugs, seamless & durable, less than 1-2

Congoleum rugs in seven different sizes at less than half of the maker's advertised price.

Genuine, pretty, serviceable, new patterns, many colors.

But at the factory they classed these as imperfect. In point of fact, such defects as we've found are minor—and almost none of them will affect the wearing power of a rug.

Yet they are big enough and deep enough to cut price more than in half!

Congoleum is a splendid substitute for oilcloth and for printed linoleum. It is light of weight but gives good service. It is of a richer duller finish than oilcloth. Its patterns and colors are excellent.

'Tis fitted for service in many rooms: bath bedroom and such; almost anywhere except hard-service rooms like kitchen.

Patterns in this lot appropriate for every service.

Table with 3 columns: Size, Regular Price, Sale Price. 9 by 12 feet regular \$17—\$7.50, 9 by 10 1/2 feet reg. \$14.85—\$6.75, 9 by 9 feet reg. \$12.75—\$5.75, 9 by 7 1/2 feet reg. \$10.60—\$4.95, 9 by 6 feet regular \$8.75—\$3.90, 4 1/2 by 9 feet regular \$5.50—\$2.50, 3 by 9 feet regular \$4—\$1.50

Third floor.

Last day to join Machine Club.



Monday ends opportunity to get a Howland sewing-machine in the Club which offers such easy terms.

All that's necessary is to be prompt!

Then you are entitled to all the privileges of membership.

That means the right to choose a machine and have it delivered at once; to pay for it in small sums at monthly intervals; to pay only the regular cash price with no interest charge or dues.

The first payment is

one dollar.

But Monday is the last day the chance is open. If you have any thought of getting a good sewing-machine this year, ACT MONDAY!

Third floor.

HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

SUSPECTED DIPS TURNED LOOSE

Harry Williams, Harry Walters and John Meehan, the three New York pickpockets arrested at the railroad station last Monday on suspicion of robbing a passenger on the trains, were released this morning and their cases nolledd by the city court.

SCOUTS ATTENTION!

Scouts who are members of the Boy Scout Fire and Drum Corps are requested to watch the bulletin board at Scout Headquarters for a notice from Deputy Commissioner Maitland.

A hike to the Cascades will be conducted tomorrow afternoon if the weather is clear. He will give examinations in second-class fire-lighting and cooking only. Scouts who wish to go on this hike will meet at the end of the Stratfield car line at 2:30 P. M. sharp. Mr. Storrs will not wait any later than one trolley after that time.

Scouts are also requested to distribute some Red Cross Posters, which can be secured at Scout Headquarters. It is necessary that these posters be distributed at once, therefore, all scouts who can do so should come to headquarters and get some of these posters put up in conspicuous places in their neighborhood and on the main streets of the city.

SOLDIERS STILL WANT MAGAZINES

There is still a great need for magazines and other literature among the boys of the American Expeditionary Forces in France and post officials at Washington have issued the announcement to continue sending magazines to the soldiers.

Only the comparatively recent issues of reading material is desired. The boys highly appreciate the interest of readers and express their gratitude. No address and no cover is required on the magazines when they are forwarded to soldiers or sailors.

Auto Collisions Result in Starting of Three Lawsuits

Automobile collisions were the cause of three suits filed today in the Common Pleas Court and in which actions local residents are parties. In one of the suits Martin H. Hume, who conducts a motion picture theatre on Oak street, has sued M. Ross of this city, for \$400 damages.

Joseph Archer of this city, wants damages of \$500 in his suit against John Peck of Newtown. He claims his machine was hit by Peck's car last January and badly damaged. Peck is charged with negligent driving.

The third action is filed by Paul Bostford of this city, who sues John Glorandier of this city for \$500. Bostford alleges that his automobile was damaged as a result of a collision with the defendant's car on State street a few weeks ago.

MUST RESTORE BOUNDARIES

Paris, Friday, March 28.—In laying her claims before the Council of Four today, France asked, first of all, that her boundaries, as fixed by the treaty of Paris, May 30, 1914, be restored to her, together with the Sarre Basin. In the Rhine province, on the left bank of the Rhine, it was stipulated, the Germans should have political autonomy but should not be permitted to establish fortifications, occupy the territory with armed forces, nor control the railways.

COMMISSION ASKS NAMES OF BROKERS

Notices from the Federal Trade Commission at Washington, D. C., have been received at the main post office today stating that the names and addresses of persons and concerns offering speculative and doubtful stock and securities in exchange of Liberty bonds are wanted by the commission. Federal Trade officials are aware of such worthless securities and advise persons who know of any such speculators to communicate directly to them at Washington, or to the nearest post office with Postmaster Charles F. Greene.

Why Must United States Have Foreign Trade

Dr. Edward E. Pratt, author of "Why Must the United States Have Foreign Trade?" appearing in the current issue of Scribner's magazine, will address the Foreign Trade Class of the Bridgeport Chamber of Commerce at the meeting to be held in the common council chambers at city hall next Tuesday evening.

Recognized as one of the most eminent authorities on foreign trade in America, by virtue of his university work and actual export training, Dr. Pratt is admirably fitted for the subject he is to discuss.

Aged Tailor Files Divorce Action

Papers in the divorce action of Louis Mendelsohn, the 36-year-old Greenwich tailor, against his 40-year-old wife, Lena Mendelsohn, were filed in the Superior court today. It was announced yesterday that the aged husband had secured from the court an order of notice to be served on his wife as a preliminary to the serving of the divorce papers. Cruelty is charged by Mendelsohn.

UPRISING IN FORMOSA

Buenos Aires, Friday, March 28.—A general Indian uprising in Formosa province is reported, and it is said that one tribe has sacked the fort at Yunka, killing the garrison of two non-commissioned officers and fifteen soldiers. The Indians escaped, taking horses, munitions and supplies from the fort, according to reports.

WEATHER FOR WEEK

Washington, March 29.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday, issued by the weather bureau today are: North and Middle Atlantic states—Fair first half, unsettled and probably rainy latter half of week; low temperature beginning of week followed by warmer by Tuesday and above normal temperature thereafter.

HUNGARIANS APOLOGIZE

Berne, March 29.—The Hungarian government has released members of the Ukrainian mission arrested at Budapest, restored property belonging to the mission valued at one million crowns, and apologized to Ukraine, saying that the Ukrainian government entered a protest following the arrest of its mission at the Hungarian capital.

All Committees Will Discuss Regulations

Proceeding the regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen in the Common Council chambers on Monday night, all standing committees of that body will meet in City Clerk J. Alex. H. Robinson's office to discuss the traffic report, submitted to the Board of Aldermen at the meeting held on Monday evening, March 3.

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