## **MEAT DEALERS TESTIFY** IN PRICE BOARD HEARING

Committee Fails to Find Trace of Profiteering During Probe of Business.

LOWER PRICES PREDICTED

Packers' Representatives Say Figures Will Drop in Near Future as Market Shows Signs of Early

dure in investigating the high cost of food and fals. He had been informed since his connection with the committee, he said, by local authorities that there were several avenues by which profiteers could be reached and if the laws were not far-reaching enough to secure that result, they should be changed to meet present-day conditions. Everyteman in lustiness should be allowed to make a reasonable profit and be willing to give information about his activities to a committee duly authorized, he declared, in conclusion. The next meeting of the committee will be held in the Corporation Committee will be resulted to the little will be held in the Corporation Committee will be resulted to the little will be also considered and the dance of the Church Research the flow will be also the charge of the Committee will be resulted to the little will be also the charge of the Committee will be resulted to the little will be also the charge of the Committee will be resulted to the little will be also the charge of the Committee will be resulted to the little will be connected will be resulted to the little will be connected will be connected will be resulted YOUNG PAINTER KILLED BY

# CONTACT WITH LIVE WIRE

Diarry Womack, Engaged to Be Mar-ried, Meets Instant Death When Foot Slips.

While his bride-to-be was at her Dome preparing for their welding, ar-tranged to take place within the week. Blarry G. Womank, numeteen-year-old painter for the libburond. Fredericks-burg and Patomae Li, road, was electrocuted yesterday morning while at this work near Frederickshirg.

Womank lived with the widowed mother, Mrs. Victoria Womank, 1816
Bainbridge Avenue, and was but resently discharged from the Twenty-grinth Division, in which he had served as a member of the former Grays nome pany. pany.

For weeks Womack and Miss Rachae
Trent, Stop 21, Fetersburg line, hav
been making plans for their marriage
which was to have taken place nex fing a tank along the rativosal ericksburg, when his toot slip he fell, coming in contact electric wire carrying 6 for meeting death almost instantly. Since his discharge Wome the lines of the rativosal and day before unished some work at Acca. He left Rohm terday morning, and was hill o'clock. o'clock.

The body of the young man arrived in Richmond yesterday vening at a 20 o'clock, and will be buried salurday afternoon, the funeral ervices to be conducted from Ashury Methodist Church, South Richmond.

Besides his mother Mrs. Victoria Womack, he is survived by three brill.

MAGILL TO SPEAK SUNDAY

ester, Mrs. Fred Baird all of you Richmond.

Member of Syrian Relief Committee to Tell of Conditions at Binford High School. R. E. Magill, secretary of the Pro-byterian Committee of Publication member of the Syrian Relief Commi-sion, who spent six months in the country ruled formerly by the Tork will speak in Grace Covenant Chir-(Binford High School) Sunday mor-ang at 11 o'clock on his observation while a member of the Relief Commi-

## Funeral Services Held for Liquors

State Officials Decide to Abolish Such Liquids as Freight Commodity.

ACTION OF MILLMEN'S UNION TO BE DETERMINED TONIGHT

Question of Affiliation With Building Trades Council Up for Dis-cussion.

BIG CROWD ATTENDS DANCE AT UNITY CLUB IN FULTON

Memorial Service Today.

MADGE KENNEDY

'Through the Wrong Door' Just at Good as "STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL"

BIJOU—Two Days NAZIMOVA

"The Brat" You Mustn't Miss 1t.

ISIS - Trees FRANK KEENAN "The World Aflame"

Louise Fadenza-Sennett Comedy

VICTOR — Showing NORMA TALMADGE "The Probation Wife"

Also CHARLIE CHAPLIS in "THE FLOOR WALKER" ODEON—Today

MAURICE TOURNEUR PRESENTS "The White Heather"

## URGES CHURCH TO PROVE CHRISTIANITY TO JAPAN

Bishop St. George Tucker Tells of Oriental Problems in Forest Hill Address.

RELIGION GROWS IN NIPPON

Better Buildings Are Advocated for Eastern Missions by Speaker. Minister From Alaska Tells of

PREPARING TO WELCOME

Rev. Frank W. Pratt to Resume Ser-vices at First Unitarian Church Sunday.



"AN ORT INTAL ROMEO"

Mildred Moore and Hoot Gibson in their two-part Western

"THE CROW" "Perils of Thunder Mountain" Fun and Thrills for All

### Today and Tonight in Richmond

Formal opening of Richmond and Westhampton Colleges this morn-ing. Exercises and speeches at 11 o'clock at auditorium on campus.

Memorial service to Mrs. Mar-garet Blair Cannon by Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Second Presbyterian Church, at 4.

Advertisers' Club, at Business Men's Club, at I.

Hoosters' Club of Y. W. C. A. gives supper to members at S.

Parish Committee of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, meets in Sunday School 'room, at 11 A. M. and S. P. M.

Lyric-Vaudeville, 3:30; S; 9:30.

#### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

# REX, Today

# PASTOR FROM OVERSEAS "THE CANYON HOLD-UP"

Fox Comedy and Al Jennings.

Blg Double Offering

Rex Beach's

"THE GIRL FROM

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A Drama of the North

ALSO

"FATTY" ARBUCKLE

"BACK STAGE"

One of His Funnlest

COLONIAL—Pentures

Next Mon., Tues, and Wed.

DOROTHY DALTON

A New Year's Revelry

Next Thurs, Fri. and Sat.

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"WIDOW BY PROXY"

A Snappy Story of Merit

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"THE MARKET

# ISIS - Next

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The Story of An Exile Whom Love Reclaimed

MACK SENNETT STARS

Next Week DOUGLAS

"HIS MAJESTY. THE AMERICAN' The Zippiest Fairbanks Picture in



# MAJORITY OF FIREMEN FAVOR DROPPING UNION

Break in Ranks of City Employees Develops at Meeting of Members.

OVER TWENTY ASK TO RESIGN

band and Resignations Are Not Accepted-Result of Attitude of Director Myers.

By a hopeless division in the ranks, the Richmond firemen face the situaof Fire Fighters, affiliating with the American Federation of Labor. Upon of the firemen expressed a will to dis-

Defy Director Myers.

For the second time within the last four weeks the firemen's union has thus defied Director of Public Safety

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New Fall Shopping Hours in Effect Now:

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The Friday

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the booths (main floor) and at special counters in many parts of the building. That their sale presents a real opportunity for people desiring better grades of merchandise is apparent over and over again each week to our ever-growing patronage. All the items that make up these Friday offerings cannot, of course, be listed, but we can, and do, extend the invitation to all people to visit the store. We believe there are more good reasons for a general assembly of shoppers here today than there have been

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