





DIRECT TRAINS INTO FAR EAST PROMISED SOON

Through Passenger Service From Europe to Japan Is Program of Nations; Russia Plans to Put On Daily Express From Moscow to Vladivostok in May

Moscow, Jan. 12.—(I.N.S.)—Establishment of direct passenger communication from Western Europe to the Far East by way of Russia is still a matter of the future in spite of the efforts of the international railroad conference here between representatives of the Soviet Union, Germany, France, Poland, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia and Japan.

The absence of Belgium, which has not yet recognized the Soviet Government, and the withdrawal of the Chinese representatives after the Peking administration ordered them not to conclude any agreement for the passage of trains without change of cars from Russia into Chinese territory, left a gap on the West and one on the East.

Belgium Absent Belgium's absence excluded the convenient route via that country from Paris to Berlin and made it impossible to realize the plan whereby passengers coming from England and landing at Ostend might purchase there through tickets to Tokyo.

Nevertheless, it was hoped that a satisfactory route could be arranged from Paris via Strasbourg, to Berlin, via Riga to Moscow and

thence to Vladivostok. Yet even this substitute is still in the realm of theory, for the conflict between the French-Compagnie Internationale des Wagons Lits and the Soviet Government has not yet been settled.

Want Pay for Cars The conference wanted the Wagons Lits Company to supply the cars for the inter-continental service. No other suitable rolling stock is immediately available, and the French concern has exclusive contracts with some of the Western European countries. But the Wagons Lits Company refuses to send cars into Russia until the Soviet Government compensates it for the sleeping cars nationalized after the revolution. This the Soviets insist they will not do.

However, Mr. Withoeff, of the Wagons Lits Company, is now in Moscow and it is believed possible that some compromise may be reached, perhaps by means of a concession granted the sleeping car company by the Soviet, on advantageous terms. This has been a favorite means of indirect compensation for foreign property owners.

Another Obstacle A third, though less important obstacle, is presented by the Polish corridor. Over this point the conference approached a standstill, the Poles insisting that the inter-continental route should lie over Warsaw, and threatening that unless this demand were fulfilled, they would do nothing to decrease the present inconveniences of travel through the corridor.

A through service may come into effect within a few months. In this case the Russians would run a daily express from Moscow to Vladivostok instead of the present twice-weekly train.

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



SPORT OF KINGS MAY COME BACK FOR CALIFORNIAN

Petitions Being Circulated For Law to Permit Racing With Pari-mutual Betting; Would Be Regulated Just As Boxing Is Now Controlled in Several Other States

By COPELAND C. BERG, I. N. S. Staff Correspondent Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 13.

"They're off."

That cry may ring again in California. Horse-racing, the sport of kings, with the mad climax of bright jockeys' silks and foaming, satin sides of thoroughbreds flashing past the grandstands filled with thousands of eager fans, has a good chance to be returned to California, long famous as a breeder of fast horses.

Initiative petitions calling for racing under the pari-mutual system of betting, are now being circulated throughout the State and in Southern California thousands have already signed for the measure.

Under the proposed law, racing would be governed by a state commissioner, appointed by the Governor, in exactly the same fashion as boxing is now regulated in this state.

Supporters of the measure have advanced claims that the advent of legalized racing will hose scores of illegal gambling houses, particularly in Los Angeles, where "book" betting is now engaged in. Thousands of dollars are wagered daily in these "under cover" betting rooms, it has been charged.

Southern California, it has also been claimed, sends \$500,000 weekly to Mexico during the racing season at Tijuana track from November to March. The Tijuana course, located fifteen miles south of San Diego, Calif., attracts many Californians annually and profits reaped by the Mexican track owners are said to be enormous.

Backers of the proposed racing

BOSTON CATHOLICS WILL VISIT CHICAGO

Boston.—(I. N. S.)—Thousands of Hub Catholics are preparing for a pilgrimage to Chicago to attend the International Eucharistic Congress there from June 28 to 24.

Cardinal Gasparri, Papal Secretary of State and nine other princes of the Church from Rome. It is expected will take part in the Congress, which will be attended by 1,000,000 Catholics.

Eucharistic congresses are gatherings of ecclesiastics and laymen for the purpose of celebrating and glorifying the Holy Eucharist and of seeking the best means to spread its knowledge and love throughout the world.

Chicago will become a gigantic sanctuary when the Congress opens June 26. It will start simultaneously all over the city at noon when solemn pontifical mass will be celebrated in each of the 359 Catholic churches in the Chicago archdiocese. Solemn vespers and benediction will be given throughout the afternoon and evening.

On the second day, according to plans announced here, 50,000 children of the parochial schools of Chicago clad in white, will sing "The Mass of the Angels" at the Stadium where a Cardinal from Rome will be celebrant.

On June 24, at Munklelein, Ill., a mass will be celebrated on the 1,200-acre campus of St. Mary of the Lake Seminary by a visiting Cardinal from Rome. A huge parade will emerge the three-mile shore line of the lake of St. Mary. In line will be cardinals, archbishops, monsignori, priests and laymen. The Blessed Sacrament will be carried under a canopy. Choirs, stationed at intervals around the lake, will sing hymns.

law include prominent Los Angeles business men, sportsmen and 150-110 picture stars.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county made in Special Proceedings No. 2665, entitled, "R. A. McLawhorn and Elizabeth McLawhorn, by her guardian, vs. O. M. McLawhorn," the undersigned commissioner will sell at public auction, before the court house in Greenville, at noon on

Tuesday, January 19, 1926 the following described tract of land:

All that tract of land in Beaver Dam Township, Pitt county, adjoining the lands of C. D. Smith and other, beginning on Line Log Canal on the south side at a stake with a cypress, oak and sweet gum pointers, and running S. 22-25 E. 475 ft. thence S. 22-15 E. 1291 ft. to the Stantonburg road; thence S. 24 E. 700 ft. thence S. 23-25 E. 480 ft., thence S. 24 E. 789 ft., thence S. 23-35 E. 408 ft., to an iron stake, a corner; thence S. 74-50 E. 305.5 ft., thence S. 86-40 E. 239 ft. thence to an iron stake, another corner; thence N. 14 W. 733 ft., thence N. 14-10 W. 899 ft., thence N. 14-10 W. 425 ft., thence N. 14 W. 279 ft. to said Stantonburg road; thence N. 14 W. 1823 ft., to a bridge over Pine Log Canal; thence N. 82-40 W. 232 ft. thence S. 86-10 W. 386 ft., thence S. 78-30 W. 313 ft., thence S. 81-20 W. 279 ft. to the beginning, containing 82.20 acres, except one-fourth acre known as school house lot.

Terms of sale. First, said commissioner will offer said land for cash, second, for one-third cash, balance in one and two years.

This is a re-sale and said land will be sold subject to a mortgage for \$2700.00 and the purchaser will be required to assume said mortgage.

This December 19, 1925. F. G. JAMES, Commissioner.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County In The Superior Court

Elmie Brown vs. Tom Brown

The defendant Tom Brown, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to grant an absolute divorce on the grounds stated in the complaint,

and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of said county, in the court house in Greenville, N. C., on the 1st day of February, 1926, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 2nd day of Jan., 1926. J. F. Harrington Clerk of Superior Court Pitt County John Hill Paylor, Atty. Farmville, N. C. 5-11w-4w

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County In The Superior Court

Richard Grimes vs. Annie Grimes

The defendant Annie Grimes will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the said Annie Grimes will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County on the 8th day of February, 1926, or within twenty days thereafter and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

This 4th day of January, 1926. J. F. Harrington Clerk Superior Court Julius Brown Atty fro Plaintiff 5th-11w4wpd

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain mortgage made and of record in Book U-13, at page 97 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, at noon, on Saturday, January 23rd, 1926, the following described property: Lying and being in Winterville Township, Pitt County, on the west side of the New Bern road, adjoining the lands of R. L. Worthington, W. A. Sermons, and County Home lands, containing 18 acres, more or less, and being the place where Mariah Barnhill resides.

This December 22, 1925. D. T. COX & CO., Inc., Mtgee. D. T. COX and R. L. WORTHINGTON, Owners of Debt. A. B. Corey, Atty. 11-2-4wks.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of statutory Lien given mechanics for labor done and material furnish, the undersigned will expose to public sale at L. A. Randolph Co's. Garage in the Town of Greenville, on the East side of Washington St., situated between Fourth and Fifth Streets, at 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, January 28th, 1926, the following described personal property:

One Chalmers Automobile. Sale will be made to satisfy such Lien for work done and material furnished. Statutory time and notice having been given. Terms of sale, cash.

This 7th day of January, 1926.

L. A. Randolph Co. 13th-22nd.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that Deed of Trust executed and delivered by Robert Perkins, sometimes called J. R. Perkins and wife, Cora Perkins, to Albion Dunn, Trustee, dated December 17th, 1920, and duly registered in Book Y-13, at page 21 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the undersigned will on Saturday, February 13th, 1926, at 12 o'clock, noon, before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash, a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Carolina Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, more particularly described as follows: Adjoining the lands of J. L. Roberson, W. G. Stokes, Arinda Howard and others, and containing 40 acres, more or less, and before the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, more particularly described as follows: Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured in the above Deed of Trust, this sale is made in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust.

This January 11th, 1926. Albion Dunn, Trustee James L. Evans, Atty. 13th-11w-4wk.

Announcement

I take this method of informing my many friends throughout the county and the general voting public that I will be a candidate for reelection of Sheriff of Pitt County in the Democratic Primary to be held in June.

In addition to this announcement I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the honor conferred upon me by electing me to this office at the last election, and, if again nominated and elected, I promise you a continuance of my best services.

Sincerely yours,

A. C. Jackson



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LOTS OF PARKING SPACE

Statement of Condition The Greenville Banking & Trust Co. Greenville, N. C.

At the Close of Business, December 31st, 1925

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and Discounts (\$1,162,751.77), Overdrafts (156.84), Liberty Bonds (295,650.00), Stocks and Bonds (102,566.24), Banking House (37,277.21), Furniture and Fixtures (12,635.71), Other Real Estate (17,300.36), CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS (324,166.49). Total Resources: \$1,952,504.62.

Table with 2 columns: OFFICERS and LIABILITIES. Officers include E. G. FLANAGAN, Pres.; E. B. HIGGS, Vice-Pres.; W. E. PROCTOR, Vice-Pres.; W. H. WOOLARD, Vice-Pres.; J. H. WALDROP, Cashier; A. J. MOORE, Asst. Cashier; M. L. COWELL, Asst. Cashier. Liabilities include Capital Stock (\$100,000.00), Surplus (50,000.00), Undivided Profits (11,727.40), Dividend Unpaid (8,000.00), DEPOSITS: General (\$1,487,127.22), Liberty Bonds (295,650.00). Total Liabilities: \$1,952,504.62.

THE OLDEST AND LARGEST BANK IN PITT COUNTY

# LOCALS

Mr. G. A. Holden, of Farmville, was a Greenville visitor today.

Mr. J. W. Buck, of Vanceboro, spent today in the city.

Mr. B. W. James, of Parmele, was in the city today.

Mr. A. K. Hatem has returned from Norfolk.

Mr. J. Y. Monk, of Farmville, was a visitor here today.

Mr. Walter Sheppard, of Farmville, spent today in the city attending court.

Mr. E. Wyatt, of Hobgood, was in the city today.

## EVERREADY CIRCLE KING'S DAUGHTERS TO MEET THURSDAY

The Everready Circle of the King's Daughters will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. John Flanagan, on Eighth street. Be on time and bring a new member with you.

## GREENVILLE VISITED BY TWO FIRES

Greenville was visited by two fires during last night. The first alarm went in from box 72, and was the shoe repair shop on Albernarle Avenue. The fire was of unknown origin and the estimated loss was about \$50.00.

The second was a house on First street. This was also of unknown origin, the estimated loss being around \$300.00. The alarm this morning was found to be the same house.

## GARDEN CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The Garden Club will hold its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Key Brown, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The subject will be "House Plants." A full attendance is desired.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the kindnesses and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. May the blessings of God rest on each of you.

## CAST OF FAVORITES IN "I WANT MY MAN"

How will the future judge of America in its present era of social dissolution which came as a reaction to the anxiety and agitation of the last war?

That is the question evoked by Milton Sills and Doris Kenyon in their latest First National drama "I Want My Man," which opens tonight at White's Theatre.

Will they see it with the eyes of Sills in his role of Gulian Eyre—a man returning after eight years' seclusion in France, during which he was seeking cure from blindness incurred in the war?

To Sills it is a world up-ended, a world of flapper orgies, of teazing matrons, and reckless fathers. But beneath it all, he sees there is that soundness of heritage that will emerge above the phase of pleasure-madness that prevails.

As Earl Huxton has produced it, "I Want My Man" is well acted, well directed and well told. It is a drama well worth seeing with a story of weight and moment. The film was adapted from Struthers Brut's novel, "The Interpreter's House."

## MUSIC RECITAL THURSDAY EVENING

The music pupils of Miss Eva Hodges will give a recital in the auditorium of the High School on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

## PRAYER SERVICES CHRISTIAN CHURCH THIS EVENING

There will be the regular weekly prayer service in the Eighth Street Christian Church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Choir practice on the meeting of the Pastor's Aid Committee will follow the services.

## PYTHIANS WILL INSTALL OFFICERS THURSDAY P. M.

All elected officers for the ensuing term are expected to be present at Castle Hall, Thursday, Jan. 14th, at 7:30 P. M. After installation there, will be work in First and Second ranks. A large attendance is expected.

## MONTHLY MEETING OF THE MEN OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

On Thursday evening at 7, the men of the Presbyterian Church will meet in their monthly so-

cial and business meeting. They will have as their guests men from Parmele, Falkland and Fountain. At this meeting they will also have the following men present to present the Presbyterian Progressive Program, which is the term employed for the various activities of the church:

Mr. J. B. Spilzra, secretary of stewardship for N. C.; Rev. Daniel Iverson, of Tarboro; Rev. A. J. Crane, Superintendent of Home Missions for the Presbytery; Rev. N. N. Fleming, of the Farmville church.

At 7:30 P. M., these men will speak on the various topics assigned them, and give the men and the whole church an idea of the scope of the work of the church.

Every member of the church is urged to attend this service, and we invite our friends to be present also. These men are familiar with the great task assigned the Presbyterian Church, and are speakers of note.

We hope that every man will attend the supper at 7, and that every officer of the organization will make a special effort to attend the service beginning at 7:30.

## PRICES ON TOBACCO MARKET CONTINUE TO SHOW STRENGTH

The number of pounds of tobacco on the local floors, today, were double those of yesterday and the prices continued to show an upward trend.

Considerable scrap is being offered and this is reducing the average, it selling from one to three cents a pound.

The market continues strong, however, and is showing strength.

## MRS. BERRY BOSTIC TAKING TREATMENT AT ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL

The many friends of Mrs. Berry Bostic will regret to learn that she is in the St. Luke's Hospital Richmond, for treatment, and wish for her a successful recovery. She was accompanied to Richmond by Mr. Bostic, who returned today. Mrs. Bostic may undergo an operation before she returns.

## MRS. W. E. HOOKER HOSTESS TO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Mrs. W. E. Hooker was hostess to the members of her Sunday School class on Monday night, at the monthly social and business meeting.

Ruth Haskins, President of the class, led the devotional exercises then the business of the class was discussed.

It being the first meeting of the New Year, a contest aroused much interest. "Turn Over a New Leaf." There being four girls who had correct answers, they were asked to make resolutions, when read aloud, Mrs. Russell's resolution won the prize.

Paper and pencils were distributed among the guests, each one to write her name, and put it in

a basket. Later each one drew a name, not knowing to whom it belonged, and wrote a confession. These were read aloud with the name. This caused much fun. Gladys Forbes won the bag of candy for being the winner in the cracker contest.

Every one present enjoyed the radio, while tempting refreshments were served.

## MAYOR'S COURT

Larry March, charged with driving insufficiently lighted auto, allowed to pay costs.

Willie Perkins, charged with dumping fish and rubbish in grate of storm sewer.

Sherman Heath, charged with speeding. Fined \$10 and costs.

J. P. Nichols, charged with reckless driving in cutting street corner to left. Paid cost.

Tommy Pitt, charged with being drunk and disorderly. Fined \$10 and costs.

Arthur Teel, charged with being drunk. Fined \$10 and costs.

Charlie Massingell, charged with being drunk and committing acts of disorderly conduct. Fined \$20 and costs.

Charlie Massingell, charged with assault. Judgment suspended upon payment of costs for period of two years and so long as defendant remains sober and law abiding.

Sadie Cooper, charged with driving automobile in a reckless and careless manner and damaging auto of Robert Tucker. Allowed to pay damage, and costs.

J. D. Gardner, charged with speeding. Called and failed and bond forfeited.

Robert Teel, charged with giving worthless check to L. A. Randolph. Bound over to County Court. \$200.00 bond.

Robert Teel, charged with giving worthless check to Harvey Outerbridge, bound over to the County Court. \$200.00 bond.

W. H. Allen, charged with being drunk. Fined \$10 and costs.

W. H. Allen, charged with trespass. Fined \$10 and costs.

Roy Wilson, charged with vagrancy. Sentenced to 30 days on city streets.

## Futurist Movie is Actorless, Plotless

Paris, Jan. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Futurist movies, actorless, plotless, setless, will be shown to the American public for the first time when Count Etienne de Beaumont present his unique photomovie, "What a Young Film" Thinks About" to the International Congress of Theatrical Art in New York, January 26.

"The stars of my picture are light and shadow," said the Count in his beautiful ancestral home on the Boulevard Saint Germain to the International News Service. "And I frankly and honestly think it will be the beginning of the movie renaissance. After all what is there original in the new developments of the cinema under your direction, for I'm the first to admit American cinema supremacy!"

The Count was the first individual in France to own a projecting machine. He has closely followed the development of the new

## —and the Worst is Yet to Come



art ever since the experiments of Edison and Pathe.

"The film which I have been invited to show in New York is built around light. It's pure cinema, it's the basic theory of the moving picture in its essence, stripped of all conventionality and artifice.

"I've taken sunlight and the gleams of an electric bulb and by reflecting them, distorting them, something new and something indefecting them, I've arrived at interesting," said the titled young movie fan.

I order to give a change in the film certain original views of Paris are shown but all made by a special camera adapted for the Count's uses and ideas. He also succeeded in persuading several of the most beautiful women in Europe to pose for him.

## Watch Your Frail, Puny Child Grow Strong, Take On Weight

In just a few days—oufter than you ever dreamt of—these wonderful flesh making tablets called McCoys' Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets will start to help any weak, thin, under-nourished little one.

After sickness and where rickets are suspected they are especially valuable. No need to give them any more nasty Cod Liver Oil—these tablets are made to take the place of that good but evil smelling, stomach upsetting medicine and they surely do it. They put on flesh.

Ask Denton Drug Co., or any druggist for McCoys' Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets—as easy to take as candy and not at all expensive—60 tablets 50 cents.

Be sure and get McCoys, the original and genuine and give the child a chance for 30 days. If you aren't delighted with results just get your money back.

## SOUTHERN F. BALL STOCK IS GOING UP

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Southern Conference football, always well estimated by fans, coaches and players in the other loops, is enjoying a decided stock boost as a result of the achievements in inter-sectional contests with representatives of four other conferences.

The victory of the Alabama Crimson Tide over the Washington University Huskies, Pacific Coast champions, clinaxed the greatest season of inter-sectional success in conference annals.

George Teel started the good work early in the season by lumbing Penn State's powerful Nitony Lion on a sale-swept field in New York City. Then Tuaine's Greenwon a moral victory and an actual 7-7 tie from Northwestern, one of the strongest of the Big Ten eleven, Vanderbilt humbled Texas, always a contender for Southwestern Conference honors.

When Alabama engaged Washington at Pasadena on New Year's Day, old rivalry was forgotten, and coaches and football enthusiasts of virtually every Southern Conference college are still celebrating the Southern team's triumph.

"We can battle each other vigorously in our own section, but Alabama was our representative fighting for us against the world," praised Dan McGugin, Vanderbilt's veteran mentor. "Vanderbilt felicitated Alabama on the most conspicuous victory ever won by a Southern team."

Tom Eberling, Florida University coach, who says his splendid eleven shattered by the driving thrust of Pooley Hubert, Gills and Mack Brown, early in the season, was one

## Woman Doing Good Work

of the first to congratulate Wallace Wade, the Tide coach. He illustrates the quality of Southern football, and leaves no doubt in the minds of fans of its increasing strength," said Sebring. "Great praise to Wallace Wade and his team."

## BOSTON TURNS TO SMOCKS AS OFFICIALS ADOPT STYLE

Boston, Jan. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Boston is smocking. Superintendent of Police Michael H. Crowley, and in City Hall, Brigadier General John Dunn, have taken to wearing smocks, adopting the Milwaukee idea. Business men here, including H. S. Dierstoff, president of the Boston Kiwanis club, believe in the old Roman regalia.

## Woman Doing Good Work

"I have been bad off with stomach and liver trouble and bloating for many years. No doctors or medicine helped me. On the advice of my druggist, I bought a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and I don't want to miss a single dose. It has given me more benefit than all the medicine I have ever taken. I feel I am doing good to recommend it to others." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. All leading druggists.

MULES — HORSES  
COWS — HOGS

Let me supply your needs along these lines. Yards located opposite Serve-U Filling Station.

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## Announcement of PITT SHOE CO.

We wish to use this method of conveying to our customers and the general public our appreciation for their patronage preceding the fire in which we saved only a small part of our immense stock. We realize your confidence in our store and the class of merchandise is responsible for the good business we have enjoyed in the past, and we appreciate the expressions of our many friends relative to our losses.

AS TEMPORARY QUARTERS WE ARE NOW LOCATED IN THE STORE FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY C. HEBER FORBES NEXT TO BLOUNT-HARVEY CO., AND WE ARE ARRANGING OUR STOCK SAVED FROM THE FIRE PREPARATORY TO A SPECIAL SALE ANNOUNCEMENT OF WHICH WILL BE MADE WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

OUR BUYER IS NOW ON NORTHERN MARKETS PURCHASING AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF SHOES. THESE WILL REPRESENT THE SAME BRANDS THAT WERE CARRIED IN OUR FORMER STORE WITH POSSIBLY A FEW ADDITIONAL MAKES.

WATCH THE COLUMNS OF THE PAPER FOR FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENT CONCERNING OUR SPECIAL SALE.

# Pitt Shoe Co.

"We Keep Your Feet Happy"

## Auto Man Hurt in Wreck



W. C. DURANT

When two trains crashed in Florida, four persons were killed and W. C. Durant, automobile manufacturer and financier, was reported to have suffered concussion of the brain.

## FLORIDA TOURS TO HOLLYWOOD "BY THE SEA"

Visits to all points of interest on the East Coast of Florida, including St. Augustine, Daytona, Cocoa, Palm Beach, Hollywood, Miami, Coral Gables, Miami Beach, Coconut Grove.

Limited party will leave Greenville Tuesday morning, January 19, returning Tuesday, January 26.

\$47.50 Includes All Expenses

For information, see  
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IN ORDER TO RAISE SOME READY MONEY, TO MEET SOME PRESSING OBLIGATIONS, WE HAVE DECIDED TO CUT THE PRICE 1-3 ON OUR ENTIRE STOCK. OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE, AND NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY. DON'T FORGET THE DATE AND BE ON HAND. SALE COMMENCES

# Friday, January 15th, 1926

## Promptly At 9 O'clock

Just Secured 500 Ladies' and Misses' Spring Hats in Latest Style, \$2.50 to \$5.00 Values. They Will Go At 90c For One Hour  
Friday, January 15th, 9 to 10 a. m. One Hat to Each Customer

Don't Miss This Opportunity to Get Shoes for the Entire Family at These Bargain Prices  
1000 Pairs of Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps in Colors and Fatten Leather for 98c On Friday and Saturday.

Down Goes the Prices of Children's Coats, New Special Fashion of Sport Coats, Worth up to \$4.98, now—  
**\$2.98**

7- to 14-year Coats, Worth up to \$8.00 Now—  
**\$3.98 to \$4.98**

Boys' \$8.00 Value Long Pants Suits, with 2 Pair Pants, Now—  
**\$4.98**

Boys' \$15.00 Value Long Pants Suits, Now  
**\$10.98**

\$1.50 Fancy Flannel, Beautiful Styles, Special, Per Yard—  
**78c**

50c Value Finest Pongee, Now—  
**27c per yard**

Mens Overcoats, All Styles—34 to 44 \$18.00 Value, Now—  
**\$10.98**

27-inch Outings, in Colors, 25c Value, Now  
**15c**

Soap Of All Kinds, Per Cake—  
**2 1-2c**

Special Ladies' \$1.25 Overshoes,  
**59c**

Men's Clothing, \$25.00 Value, Newest Styles, Prettiest Patterns, Now—  
**\$14.95**

Closing Out Big Line of Ladies' Dresses From \$5.00 to \$10.00 Values, Now—  
**\$3.98**

From \$12.00 to \$20.00 Value Dresses, Now  
**\$8.95**

\$2.00 Sweater Coats, For Men and Women, Now—  
**98c**

**Spool Cotton 3c**

**Sugar, 2 lbs for 10c**

Curtain Goods, 20c Values, Now—  
**9 1-2c**

Mens Every-Day Top Shirts, \$1.00 Value For—  
**59c**

\$1.25 Value For—  
**88c**

Ladies' Jersey Bloomers, All Colors, \$1.00 Value for—  
**49c**

Ladies' Gowns, in Outing and Nainsook, All Colors, \$1.50 Value for—  
**95c**

Boys' Corduroy Suits, 2 Pieces, Sizes 3 to 8, for—  
**\$1.48**

White Sheeting, 36 Inches Wide, 15c Value, Per Yard—  
**9 1-2c**

Good Unbleached Sheeting, 8-4, 50c Seller Per Yard For—  
**38c**

9-4 Sheeting, 60c Value for—  
**44c**

10-4 Sheeting, 75c Seller for—  
**55c**

Men's Heavy Fleece Undershirt \$1.00 Value for—  
**68c**

Men's Union Suits, \$2.25 Value for—  
**\$1.49**

Boys' and Girls' Union Suits, \$1.25 Value for—  
**79c**

Ladies Silk Hose, 5c Value for—  
**39c**

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# Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

By H. K. REYNOLDS.  
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent  
London, Jan. 13.—The Soviet Government has failed in its efforts to enact marriage and divorce laws even far liber than those which have been in effect since 1918, according to dispatches from Russia.

The new law would have practically abolished the institution of marriage, as understood in most European countries, and while it being debated before the Moscow Central Committee it was described by a leading Bolshevik lawyer as an "incitement to polygamy and polyandry." The bill was finally defeated through the efforts of women deputies and leaders, who said their constituents wanted to retain the old marriage customs.

One woman deputy, in discussing the government's bill, said that even under the present law many men have as many as twenty wives. "With one he lives for a week, with another for a fortnight," she said. "Each of them perhaps has a child, maybe two. That sort of thing is impossible. How are you going to get a man like that to maintain his children. That is why children are thrown into streets and that is where our thousands of homeless children come from."

It had become a usual practice, other opposition speakers said, for any workman, as soon as he received a promotion to discard his old wife and to get a young and prettier one.

The newly-published "History of Ireland," by Sir James O'Connor, ex-Chief Justice of Ireland, stands out as one of the finest descriptions of a century and a quarter of turbulence in that country.

O'Connor, although a Catholic, and very Irish, writes with unusual detachment. He shows little sign of partisanship and sees clearly through the troubled mists of the past thirty years.

Apparently he disliked both sides in Ireland and is content, at times, to abuse them in turn. On the other hand, he had great personal admiration, both for John Redmond and Joseph Devlin, but the former he laughs to scorn. According to him they were never more than 2,000 in number and might easily have been suppressed, and he makes fun of the history of the insurrection as described by Dan Breen.

O'Connor thinks highly of President Cochrane, but his greatest admiration, among the younger generation is for O'Donnell, whom he regards as a kind of Irish Mussolini.

A discovery which may entirely revolutionize dirigible methods in Britain is reported by the British Oxygen Corporation, of London, which claims to have discovered a method of extracting helium gas from the air.

## Bride-to-Be?



MISS EVANGELINE JOHNSON

New York society is much interested in the report that Miss Evangeline Johnson, wealthy member of the "400" will marry Leopold Stokowski, conductor of the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.

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either, playing a good game of golf at the age of 80.

A horse sleeping on soft straw, well fed will win more races than he would sleeping on bare boards, and short of oats. Take care of your machinery and it will take care of you.

Our government and people criticize Mexico's land laws. Mexico has the right that we have, to make any law she pleases. That is not condonatory. To what extent should we allow Mexico to regulate our law making. Mexico will not attempt to steal property honestly acquired by Americans.

This nation should learn to deal with Mexico as politely as it would deal with Canada. That would help.

In 1921 this country passed a law taxing dealings in "grain futures" which, in plain English means taxing grain gambling. The Supreme Court cancels the tax as unconstitutional. The same high court wiped out also as unconstitutional a law to protect children from child labor exploitation.

Supreme court justices know the law, and the constitution, of course. Perhaps the writers of the constitution did not quite know what they were doing.

Mussolini thinks our United States luxury represents waste of energy, and our democracy is not quite real. "Italy, poor, cannot afford such waste and must organize her people, like a militia, always under strict discipline."

## STRENGTHEN ALL LINES MAINTAIN STRIKE POSITION

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likely that all maintenance men will be called out. The strongest hope among the mine workers and others in the coal region is that the Federal Government will take some steps to end the suspension.

## FAITH MISSION PROVING GREAT HELP TO PUBLIC

\$210.09 in Money, Groceries and Clothing Received and Used in Relief Work

The following report of the first three weeks of Faith Mission is given out for the information of the public, and especially those who have contributed to the work:

The Mission opened for business on the morning of December 17, 1925. Since that date the social service department has received and prayerfully used in relief work a total of \$210.09 in money, groceries and clothing. No family has been given aid without a thorough investigation being made, and in all cases the rule "Never An Alm Without a Prayer" has been insisted upon. Twenty-one families have been given groceries; fifteen persons have been supplied with needed clothing; three families have been supplied with fuel; two persons have been given medical attention, and one contribution of five dollars given toward the hospital bill of a referred case; and one stranger was cared for overnight. In addition to this "Christmas Cheer," in the form of fruits, candies, toys for children, etc., was carried to over twenty families, who otherwise might have not had Christmas. Several cases reported to the mission have been referred to churches and other organizations, and in some cases contributions made through these organizations.

In connection with the above social service report, we want to make special mention of the fact that \$59.52 of the money here accounted for was contributed by the members of the Men's Christian Federation of Greenville, and the mission merely aided in the distribution of the same upon request of that organization. Also we want to make special mention of the fact that much of the "Christmas Cheer" contribution came from the Junior King's Daughters and the Young Women's Federation.

The religious work department reports the following activities: Forty-three prayer services have been conducted by the workers in homes; twenty-seven calls have been made upon shut-ins; fifty visits have been made to the sick; eight services have been conducted in the county home and the jail. Upon request of the King's Daughters, we have taken over the general direction of the mission Sunday School in the cotton mill village, and will conduct this mission as a regular part of our work in the future. Plans have been made to enlarge the scope of the work, and to beautify the building now used for the school. An efficient staff of teachers and workers has been secured, and the co-operation upon the part of the cotton mill community has been good.

The mission appreciates the splendid co-operation given by the people of the city, and all donations received. It has been the aim of all the staff to be governed in the use of all money, and in all the work of the mission, by just one thing—God's will. We could, and would like to, make mention of the co-operation of several individuals, but will not take the space for this. We do

## In the News of the Day



ALEXANDER P. MOORE



CASS GILBERT



PRESIDENT HAEBERLIN



STEPHEN G. PORTER

Ambassador Alexander P. Moore has returned from Spain to resign his diplomatic job. Cass Gilbert, famous architect, is planning a new bridge across the Hudson River from Washington Heights to Fort Lee, N. J. President Haerberlin has just assumed his duties as head of the Swiss Republic. Congressman Stephen G. Porter has a bill asking \$5,000,000 to build U. S. embassies in foreign countries.

want, however, to express publicly our appreciation of the interest and active co-operation of the Christian Federation and the King's Daughters.

## PRISONER SAYS HE IS R. SCOTT

John C. Redding Admits That He Can Prove Charges Are Untrue

San Francisco, Jan. 13.—(AP)—John C. Redding, prisoner in San Quentin Penitentiary, admitted in an interview today that he is Robert Scott, wanted in Chicago in connection with the murder for which Robert's brother, Russell Scott, was sentenced but saved from the gallows when he was adjudged insane, the San Francisco Examiner says today.

Redding is further quoted as saying he will go back to Chicago willingly in the belief that he can prove the charges against him are untrue. "I will go back to Chicago willingly and face the charges against me," Scott was quoted as saying. "At this time I cannot say what my defense will be, but I am confident that I can prove the charges against me untrue." Scott further declared he would

retain William S. Stewart, who acted as Attorney for Russell, to defend him. He will remain in San Quentin until Illinois authorities request his extradition. It was said at the prison. They are at a loss to know why extradition has not been requested and why officials have not come to California from Illinois to take charge of the man.

## NAVAL PLANS CALL FOR EXPANSION AVIATION

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naval air defenses including construction of a new and larger dirigible to replace the wrecked Shenandoah is contemplated at the administration navy program taking place in Congress.

The reorganizing would be accompanied by economies in other branches of the naval services. The appropriation for naval aviation would be increased under the bill to permit the Navy Department to carry out a policy of expansion of heavier than air facilities already approved by it. No recommendation for a new dirigible is contained in the supply measure as reported, but today the committee heard testimony by Secretary Wilbur and other Department officials endorsing instruction of such a craft at the cost of \$8,000,000. The ship would have about three times the gas capacity of the Shenandoah.

The Secretary told the committee that the Navy General Board regarded lighter than air craft as still in the experimental age, doubted their military value, and opposed any experiment which would curtail "needed type of air craft such as scout cruisers or fleet submarines." The board agreed however that for experiment-

al purposes the Shenandoah should be replaced.

Regarding the most discussed of the efficiency of the naval air services, the committee in reporting the naval appropriation bill declared a "very gratifying situation" had been found in the services, although the officers should have more interest in aviation, and provision should be made to supply a greater number of trained pilots in emergency.

A shortage for aviation exists, but this problem is being attacked by such measures as giving flying instructions at the Naval Academy. It is intended to expand these forces. Secretary Wilbur told the committee that largely because of the aviation requirements of the services it was "essential" to increase the allotment of appointees to the Naval Academy from three to four men for each Representative and Senator and that it was "desirable to increase them to five each. As matters now stand, prospects were that there would be a shortage of 200 pilots for naval aviation in the fiscal year 1927.

"National Cost of Living is Going Up." That would worry us all more if the national income were not going up, too.—Francisville Journal.

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## FINDING REASONS FOR GIANTS NOT WINNING FLAG

By DAVID J. WALSH.  
New York, Jan. 13.—There were, it seems, several reasons why the New York Giants finished second in 1925 after winning the National League title through four straight campaigns. One of them, of course was the Pittsburgh Pirates. Another was the mid-season injury sustained by Travis Jackson, the only non-reliable infielder in the outfit.

A third has just seen the light of day with the recent release of the National League's official fielding averages for 1925. These uncover several interesting facts and none of them redound to the Giants' benefit.

George Kelly, for example, happens to be one of the greatest defensive firstbasemen the modern game has known. Yet he played only twenty-five games at the position. He occupied second base for all of 108 games and played in cut field position in seventeen more. Kelly is an extremely adaptable player, but he never was nor will be a ranking second baseman. It is only natural, therefore, to assume that the Giants' defense suffered while he was out of his best position, which was almost continually.

Frank Frisch furnishes a similar case. He, also, is quite versatile, but is at his best as a second baseman. Yet he appeared there only in forty-two games, dividing the remainder of his time between third base and shortstop. After viewing Frisch's efforts at the latter position, the fans continued to remember Dagner without difficulty.

In any case, the general effect must have been a lessening of the club's efficiency, as was that of a season of injuries that prompted the intermittent placing of Grob, Lindstrom, Farrell and even Mickey Devine, a catcher, at third base; Jackson, Farrell and Lindstrom at shortstop and Young, Lindstrom and Ross Young at second base.

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,119,887.87
Overdrafts	1,535.40
U. S. Bonds	25,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Bank Building	88,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	15,000.00
Real Estate Owned	14,740.51
Cash and Due from Banks	351,878.17
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,620,541.95</b>



LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Profits	3,075.62
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends (unpaid)	6,000.00
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