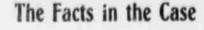
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China over Shantung, which possible were marshalled for promises to cause much trouble the occasion. The menu of tur-

Twenty years and more ago proved herself an expert in ditwo German missionaries were murdered in China. The Kaiser tu program. One of the surimmediately sent a fleet under his brother, Prince Henry, to expact reparation and China of Edison street, accompanied helpless and overawed by Ger-man power and threats, made a treaty that gave Germany full found on the premises contain-Shantung, including the great ic, both singer and planist ren-ports of Kiaochow and Tsingtau, dered their parts perfectly withand extensive mining and rail-way concessions; but the treaty stipulated that without the con-two fine solos. The Irvine male Price tool inderno burgatow parts perfectly with the treaty out a trip and without are hear-sal. Mr. Gearbart Lason sang two fine solos. The Irvine male Price tool inderno burgatow residence location in St. Johns. Price tool inderno burgatow sent of China Germany should quartette, composed of the not transfer to any other power three enlisted brothers of that to Wall and Lombard streets. Best not transfer to any other power the rights that the treaty con-ferred. That was in 1898. On August 23, 1914, Japan entered the war just ended. Maying directed Germany to evacuate all its possessions in China, it at-tacked, and ten weeks later cap turned and composed Tsington. ured and occupied Tsingtau, With Tsingtau went the rest of the territory occupied by Germany.

The Entente Allies made a secret treaty with Japan in which they promised to uphold the right of Japan to succeed to the rights of Germany in China. It was the price paid for the support of Japan in the war. Japan nevertheless pub-licly announced that its pur-near is excelling Germany from pose in expelling Germany from lot on account of the regulations the assessment rolls for the year the penninsula was to restore of the parcel post authorities the province to China. In May, which put the limit of 50 pounds 1915, it made an agreement on all packages within the first 1915, if made an agreement of an packages which the law, with China by which it was to make the restoration, on terms that Japan itself had prepared les to 16 persons in Anton. This that Japan itself had prepared les to to persons in Anton. This duty of persons interested to appear at the time and place was expressed in language so one wanted a school house com pleted for the fall session of school. Each of the 16 was mailed by Japan alone, it can be made to leave Japan in almost dive bunches of shingles. The if not quite as strong a position school building at Anton is com-in Shantung as it would have pleted save for the shingling description or quantity, and in of the roof. School is to start the name of a person or persons had if it had not nominally rescon. It was evident to the not the owner thereof, assessed stored the territory to China. The settlement by the Peace school board that immediate ac-Conference leaves the whole tion must be taken if the build- value thereof, said Board may matter in the hands of Japan. ing was to be ready for occupa- make proper correction of the In effect, the Allies who made the secret treaty stand by their bargain. President Wilson con-sented to the arrangement. Undoubtedly he was placed in a most difficult position. If he had opposed approving the In effect, the Allies who made tion. The Dalles being the near- same. had opposed approving the to the uncertainty of freight treaty, he would have been in a hopeless minority, the Council come lost or delayed and the for Great Britian, France and school building remain uncom-Italy were against him. If he plete. Then some one thought of could have persuaded the Allies parcel post and the problem was to vote with him that Shantung solved. should be restored unconditionally to China, Japan would not have signed the treaty. If he were really opposed to the de-situation pretty well reports that mand of Japan, but yielded to there is a strong rumor to the the point in order to get his way effect that State Representative in other matters, he took a D C. Lewis is seriously thinkcourse that it is easy to criticise, ing of making the race for the but that almost any man in his office of County Commissioner position would have taken. Any against A A. Muck, the present other course would have wreck- incumbent. Mr. Lewis is reed the Conference. A compro- ported to be very much opposed mise of some sort was i e essary. to the present management But that does not make the of county affairs. He thinks decision just. Every right think a public officer ought to be a ing man will hold that it is not real public servant and that just. We do not permit a man county property should never be C. DETERING, to take even a thier by the used for private purposes or throat, dispossess him of his private pleasure. He is reportstolen goods and retain them for ed to have said that the present his own use, e.en though he expenses of the county govern-offer to restore the loot to the ment could be cut one-third and owner on conditions. Shantung the efficiency of government was wrested from China with materially increased. He says F. S. DOERNBECHER, original highwayman, but it all of which should be plugged C. DETERING. had no right to profit by German and a real government establish-A. O. NEAL. rapacity, ed.-A Citizen. Now the United States is in FRED W. GERMAN. the same position that the President occupied in Paris and must face the same problem. Shall we, too, consent to the compromise and agree to the wrongful provision in the treaty, or shall we refuse and wreck the measure, which contains good as well as evil? Stiff opponents THE ST. JOHNS GARAGE Fine line of Vogan's Candles of all compromise, and the more or less partisan opponents of the President at every point will 216 North Jersey St. say no; but a great many of us have learned that we cannot always have everything our own Authorized Ford Service Staway.

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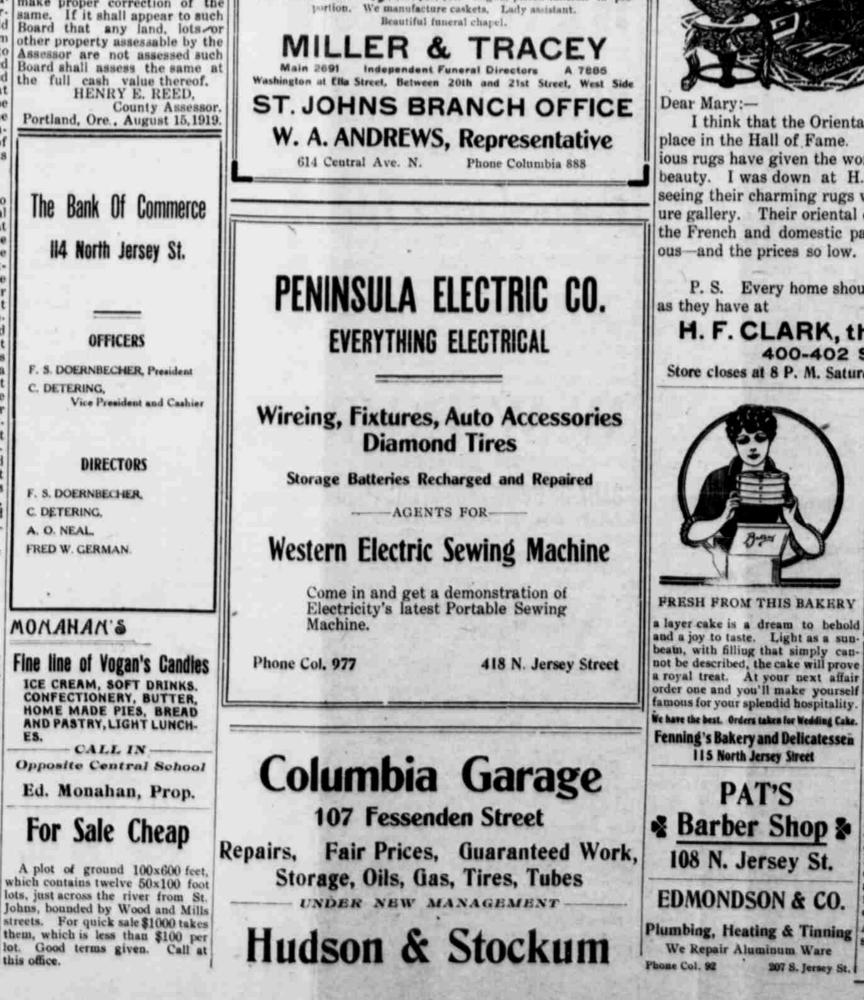
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