

MRS. PALMER DIES AT FLORIDA HOME

Famous Society Leader Pioneer in Movement for Emancipation of Women.

FAMILY IS AT DEATH BED

Pneumonia Contracted Short Time Ago Proves Fatal—Estate Left Is Said to Be Near \$16,000,000.

CHICAGO, May 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Potter Palmer, whose life as a social leader and that of her husband as a business and real estate pioneer are engrained deeply in Chicago history, died yesterday of pneumonia after a short illness, at her winter home, Sarasota, Fla., where she had been spending the winter season.

DRAFT BILL IS READY

CONFEREES REACH AGREEMENT ON SELECTIVE MEASURE.

New Legislation Will Extend Conscription Law to Youths Reaching Majority Since June 1, 1917.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—An agreement on the bill extending the selective draft law to youths 21 years of age since June 1, 1917, was reached today by the Senate and House conferees.

MOTHER SUES HER SON

Board and Lodging Amounting to \$168 Alleged to Be Due.

Mother was pitted against son in District Judge Bell's court yesterday, when Mrs. John A. White appeared as plaintiff against her son, C. L. Coffman, in an effort to secure judgment for \$168, which she alleged to be due for board and room furnished her offspring.

FRATERNITY RAISES FLAG

Beta Phi Sigma Honors 32 Members Now in Service.

Members of Lambda Alpha Chapter of Beta Phi Sigma Fraternity and their friends are invited to a social given at the home of Mrs. J. W. White, 418 West 6th St., New York City, Adv.

Would it surprise and please you to awake some morning and find that your torturing Eczema, your disgusting and embarrassing skin affection, had wholly disappeared?

BELLANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

friends met at the fraternity rooms in the Mohawk building last night and dedicated a service flag in honor of the members of the Portland chapter who are in the National service.

106 ENEMY PLANES DROP

BRITISH SQUADRON MAKES GREAT RECORD ON AMIENS FRONT.

Germans Reluctant to Fight—Most of Machines Brought Down Are Two-Seaters.

LONDON, May 6.—A wounded British airman back from France reports that the squadron operating in an important sector on the Amiens front has probably established a record by bringing down 106 enemy machines in six weeks, including 21 in one day.

ALLEGED SLACKERS TAKEN

Two Clatsop County Men in Hands of Authorities.

ASTORIA, Or., May 6.—(Special.)—Telegrams were received by the local command here today telling of the arrest of two alleged slackers from Clatsop County. One was Roy F. Ford, who was arrested in Los Angeles on a forged draft card.

MOTORCYCLISTS ARE FINED

George Beuter and John Logan Caught Riding Cycles on Walk.

Riding motorcycles on the sidewalks may be an exhilarating pastime—but not for dodging pedestrians. So two youths, George Beuter and John Logan, were fined today for riding on the sidewalks.

BIG WHEAT STORES BURN

Hundreds of Thousands of Bushels Lost in North St. Louis Fire.

ST. LOUIS, May 6.—Fire which started this afternoon in a warehouse of the Independent Packing Company in North St. Louis destroyed five storage houses of the packing company, the Rogers grain elevator, with several hundred thousand bushels of wheat, the four-story building of the Union Packing Company and a number of storage sheds.

LUSITANIA IS REMEMBERED

English Churches to Observe Third Anniversary of Sinking.

LONDON, May 6.—Tuesday, the third anniversary of the sinking of the Lusitania, will be observed by special prayers in many English churches and services at the Lusitania Cemetery in Queenstown.

AIRCRAFT PROBE ORDERED

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signed to him, his work was systematically blocked, to the extent even of threatening witnesses. He named in this connection Stanley King, assigned as an aide to his work, and asserted that Major General Sailer, chief of the Signal Corps, "acted in like manner."

SOCIALISTS' FUND FOR W. W. ALLEGED

National Organization Said to Be Raising Fund for Defense at Chicago Trial.

TWO DEFEATS SUSTAINED

Court Rules Against Accused Men on Important Points—Seditious Rallies at San Francisco Are Exposed.

BILL SHUTS OUT STATE

OREGON FACES LOSS OF SHARE IN LAND SALES RECEIPTS.

Reclamation Service Discriminated Against Also in Coos Bay Wagon Road Measure.

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of \$50,000,000 given to men who had neither rhyme nor reason for the remotest connection with the emergency of airplane production, but who had a pull with Deeds, entrusted are still floundering in their ignorance and incompetence, unable and incapable of fulfilling their contracts, still drawing under the cost-plus system on the Treasury of the Nation.

COLOSSAL FUNDS DEALT OUT

"I have said that aeronautic men have been snubbed and ignored, and that factor of that knew the art of airplane building are even at this writing without the slightest consideration by the group who dealt out the colossal funds for their own purpose.

SEDITION MEASURE ADOPTED

Measure Passed in Senate Frankly Aimed at I. W. W.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The bill declared frankly to be aimed against the Industrial Workers of the World, outlawing organizations which use or advocate violence to bring about "any governmental, social, industrial or economic change" during the war, was passed today by the Senate after brief debate, and went to the House.

RECLAMATION SERVICE DISCRIMINATED

Against Also in Coos Bay Wagon Road Measure.

HUN NAMES FROWNED ON

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PERMANENT SALARY POSITION

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"THE STORE THAT UNDERSELLS BECAUSE IT SELLS FOR CASH"

Following Special Offerings Have Been Arranged

In Order to Assist Our Patrons to Participate by Investing the Savings That Accrue to Them in Thrift Stamps

EDITORIAL "That Extra Quarter Now and Then Will Do a Lot to Help Our Men."

BUY A THRIFT STAMP

Even if you cannot subscribe large amounts to Liberty Loans or War Savings Stamps, you can set aside a certain amount—as little as a dollar a week—to invest in 25-cent Thrift Stamps.

Women's Union Suits

Sleeveless styles in knee length at... 59c

Seasonable weight garments in sleeveless styles, with shell or lace-trimmed knee. Sizes 34 to 38 only.

Men's Shirts, This Sale at \$1.25

Fine Soisette Shirts, made coat-style with regular turn-down collar and one pocket. All sizes 14 to 17-inch. Plain white—soisette label.

Women's White Pumps Priced at \$2.25

Fashionable White Pumps, in one-strap style, with either high or low heel. They are finished with neat bow on vamp—a decided bargain.

Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons

In Unlimited Variety—and most wonderfully underpriced at... 15c a Yard

Included are imitation Filet and Cluny Laces, Net Top Edges, Narrow Venise, Beading Top Points, Shadow Allover, Flouncing Laces, etc.; also 27-inch Embroideries, 17-inch Flouncings, Skirting, Baby Sets, Ribbon Gallons, Swiss Edges, etc., as well as plain Satin Ribbons, Taffetas and Warp Print Fancies. Four to five-inch widths in all colors and patterns and all on sale at 15c a yard.

200 Guaranteed Alarm Clocks priced at, each, \$1.00 Silk-Stripe Waistings and Shirtings, fast colors, at yard 75c New Fancy Dress Voiles, 38 inches wide, the yard 40c

Store Opens at 8:30 A. M. Saturdays at 9 A. M. Store Closes at 5:30 P. M. Saturdays at 6 P. M.

LOWER RATE SOUGHT

Chrome Ore Miners Complain of Unfair Competition.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Cities, towns, or hamlets bearing the name "Berthel" or "Germany" or cities or towns having streets so named would be required to change them to "Liberty," "Victory" or other names, under a bill introduced in the House today by Representative Smith of Michigan.

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Imperial Hotel Phil Matcham Jr. Manager

Baker to put them on a competitive basis. In view of the urgent demand on the part of the Government for chrome ore now so essential in the manufacture of armor plate, projectiles and high-speed tools, it is not consistent to urge that the transcontinental lines absorb haul charges, thus placing the rate more nearly on a parity with California points.

"We should be pleased to be advised if this request will be granted, or if a more formal protest on the part of miners and the Public Service Commission of Oregon is necessary to bring about the desired result."

Mendota Still Willing to Give. CENTRALIA, Wash., May 6.—(Special.)—Thursday night at Mendota a meeting was held in the interests of

A Pleasing Way of Meeting Your Appropriation for Something Good to Eat Is Found in Our Table D'Hotel Meals.

SAVE YOUR EYES THOMPSON OPTICAL INSTITUTE PORTLAND'S LARGEST, MOST MODERN, BEST EQUIPPED EXCLUSIVE OPTICAL ESTABLISHMENT. 209-10-11 CORBETT BUILDING FIFTH AND MORRISON SINCE 1908

Tobacco Habit Easily Overcome

A New Yorker, of wide experience, has written a book telling how the tobacco or snuff habit may be easily and quickly banished with dollars' worth of the author's "Tobacco Habit" book. The author, Edward J. Woods, 1821 A. Station E, New York City, will mail his book free on request.

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