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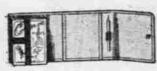
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SIBERIAN SPECULATORS TAKE 100 TO 1000 PER CENT PROFIT.

Traders, Many of Them Smugglers, Obtaining Foreign-Made Products, Reap Rich Harvest.

tomers, according to stories coming in here.

These traders, many of them smugglers, who, taking advantage of the shortage of everything except the products of the country, the unstable value of the ruble and the difficulties of transportation, contrive to get through with a few pairs of shees, particularly ladies' shoes, a few bolts of silk or dress goods, a few cases of tinned fruits, or, in fact, any foreignmade product whatsoever, reap rich harvests.

Before a regular express service was inaugurated the many special trains coming up from Viladivostok and Harbin were the targets of the speculators. By connivance with the porters and unknown to the other occupants, nearly every special brought in its complement of merchandise stowed away under berths and in obscure corners, to be handed over upon arrival at some designated point.

The Red Cross has had its difficulties side-stepping the designs of this gentry from time to time. On one occasion, it is related, a Red Cross reports and unknown to the model of the cause. In due time they arrived, from Dairem, but in place of one hundred pairs of shoes as a slift for the good of the cause. In due time they arrived, from Dairem, but in place of one hundred pairs there were one thousand. They had passed the customs free of charge, being consigned to the Rei Cross, and it was the owner's expectation that the extra 900 would be delivered to him. They were all bundled off to Dairen.

The speculators' day will have gone.

him. They were an anti-part of the speculators' day will have gone, however, it is said, as soon as the traffic is readjusted under the inter-aliled committee management and legitimate commerce is resumed. Many of the abuses have already been corrected abuses have already been corrected through closer government inspection through closer government inspection through closer government inspection through closer government inspection in the frontiers, but in spite of all accessities, the North Pacific Service at the frontiers, but in spite of all efforts to check it, the speculation evil still persists.

CAMPANILE TO COME DOWN

Stones to Be Removed One by One Ready for Restoration.

CAMBRAI, France, Aug. 12.—The beautiful campanile of the Cambrai cathedral, with one of its corner col-umns tadly breached by shells, conumns hadly breached by shells, condemned to destruction by the engineering corps of the army as a menace
to public safety, was to have been
brought down yesterday by dynamite.
It was saved from immediate destruction by an eleventh hour intervention
on the part of friends of art.
The campanile will be taken down
stone by stone, the material being
classified and laid aside to be put in
place arain when the cathedral is re-

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GERMANS TO PAY LOSSES

National Assembly Proposes to Reimburse for Revolution.

WEIMAR, Aug. 17.-The national as sembly has received a bill covering re-imbursement for personal injury or property losses, incurred since the revo-lution. It provides that those who have suffered losses, injury and death have a right to recover from the government. Money claims are limited in the measure to amounts necessary to replace damaged property to actual ex-penses in case of personal injury and to grants for loss of labor and for death. The national government, the state and the community are each to bear one-third of the costs.

GEGMAN PRICES STAY HIGH

Conditions Adjust Themselves as Re-

sult of Lifting of Blockade. COBLENZ, Aug. 23 .- (Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Living con-citions in the interior of Germany are rapidly adjusting themselves as a re-sult of the lifting of the blockade. However, according to the German newspapers, it may be years before food prices become normal or virtually the same as before the war. Some Ger man editorial writers, complaining of

"Profiteering trade prices plainly "Frofiteering trade prices plainly show a failing off, since the lifting of the blockade. The overcharges on pork have long since been removed and the fat shortage has ceased. To be sure the demand for fresh ment is as great now as before in consequence of the cessation of domestic slaughtering. the cessation of domestic slaughtering. OMSK, Siberia, July 10.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—
Profiteering has reached its apex as "a fine art" throughout central and western Siberia, where no speculator is satisfied with less than 100 per cent.

This need, however, is covered in the main by the restoration. Everywhere one finds, in the eating places, beef, veal and pork meat without limit and at reasonable prices. One can once more eat at noon in Cologne for 4.50 marks and in a wine restaurant for 5.50 marks and in a wine restaurant for 5.50 profit and often gouges as much as marks; therefore, it appears as if con-1800 per cent out of his hapless cus-tomers, according to stories coming in able."

Announcement and the contract of the contract high prices at the present time and during the war, contend with bitterness that the low cost of living enjoyed by Germany for so many years is gone forever.

As an indication of improvement in the food situation in one German city the Kolonialwaren Zeitung of Leipzig says:

"Profiteering trade prices plainly"



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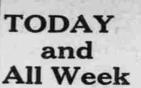
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