

PEACE PROBLEMS HELD ALMOST AS GRAVE AS WAR'S

Exploitation of Economically Weaker Also Terrible, Says President of Czecho-Slovakia.

By Professor T. G. Masaryk (President of Czecho-Slovakia)
 Prague, Nov. 18.—The most important thing at the Washington conference is the spirit of negotiations. While I am partisan for the idea of permanent peace opposed to militarism and imperialism, I am for that very reason opposed also to the peculiar sentimental pacifism so often met with in America and England, the supporters of which become the protectors of the most militaristic and aggressive states. It is necessary that the conference master the realities in order to approach the ideal aim. The solution of the Central European problem, meaning the consolidation of Central Europe, is most urgent.

RUSSIA IN NEW PHASE
 The Russian problem is soon to enter a new phase, with Russia reviving the work of her own consolidation. A special problem which must be considered is the relations of France and Germany. In common with others, I wish and hope that France and Germany may agree to cooperate in the future and in arranging this England could, by her mediation, be an important factor. The three great absolute powers of Germany, Austro-Hungary and Russia have been abolished, and no power can assume the ruling position of pre-war Germany.

Europe can and must become one entire of great and small nations. This is democratic sense. Talking of friendly understanding between France and Germany, it is also sense to hope that the prospect that Russia will again become an influential member in Europe. But for this hope we must have American collaboration.

SELF DEFENSE ONLY
 Regarding disarmament, the true opinion must be impressed upon all nations that aggression must cease and that the moral sense of mankind will tolerate self-defense only. It is necessary to pursue a genuinely civilizing policy of promoting interdependence and true internationality of states and nations. At the same time it should be remembered that while the slaughter of war is a horrible thing, the systematic starvation and exploitation of the economically weaker by the stronger is also a horrible thing. Therefore, it is necessary for the conference to take up the financial and economic aspect of peace as well as the physical possibilities of war in the Pacific. Solid business is preferable to sentimentalism.

Bandit Suspect Is Taken to Jail to Await His Hearing

To face a grand jury indictment returned the day before he was captured by the police, George Clifford, alleged to be one of the holdup men who participated in a series of highway robberies on Portland streets last week, was removed to the county jail Saturday night. Clifford is alleged to be a partner of William Crosby, alias Cooper, who was caught at Broadway and Washington streets Monday, after Mrs. H. Y. Freedman had recognized him and called for help. Information placed in the hands of the district attorney's office brought about the indictment of Crosby and his partner, who escaped at the time Crosby was caught.

Police detectives arrested the second man at a downtown hotel Friday night. He was identified at police headquarters Saturday morning by H. Y. Freedman, who was held up Sunday night while returning home with his wife, and by M. Wasserman, who was robbed Saturday night. Clifford denied he was the robber and said he knew nothing about Crosby. Clifford was arrested in 1920 on a charge of vagrancy by Inspector Tom Swensen. He was convicted and sentenced to serve 90 days in the county jail.

\$2,000,000 Booze Ring Offers a Big Bribe to Dry Boss

Chicago, Nov. 19.—(U. P.)—A \$2,000,000 whiskey ring was exposed here tonight by revelations of John K. Jellander, Illinois prohibition director, who stated he had been offered \$60,000 in bribes to aid in law violations. A beautiful girl made the bribe offer to Jellander, he stated. His answer was the arrest of William McCutley and Nathan Epstein, for whom the girl is said to have acted as emissaire. Jellander said that arrest of the ring-leaders—said to be prominent Chicagoans and New Yorkers—was imminent. According to the director, the gang forged liquor permits and attempted wholesale bribery of prohibition agents.

Deeper Channel at Golden Gate Urged

Washington, Nov. 19.—(I. N. S.)—General Lansing Beach, chief of engineers, U. S. A., today recommended to congress that a channel 40 feet deep and 2000 feet long be dredged through the sand bar five miles out of the Golden Gate, California. The work would call for an appropriation of \$530,000 and an annual maintenance appropriation of \$100,000.

Grays Harbor Mills Ship Much Lumber

Aberdeen, Wash., Nov. 19.—Between 15,000,000 and 20,000,000 feet of lumber have been shipped to Japan from Grays Harbor mills and camps since the demand from the Orient took a sudden upward sweep two months ago, according to conservative estimates today of harbor mill men and shippers.

CHICAGO SHIPPER KILLED
 Chicago, Nov. 19.—(U. P.)—One was killed and two fatally injured tonight when a Soo line passenger train struck an automobile at Des Plaines, Iowa. Attorney Harry L. Brodsky, Chicago Motor club, 25, was instantly killed. O. W. Catton and Nicholas Morbitz were injured.

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Thanksgiving Sale of Dinnerware, Etc.

enters on the last three days with values equally as wonderful as those featured last week. Many special offerings in

32-Piece Dinner Sets 60-Piece Dinner Sets
 100-Piece Dinner Sets
 Libbey Cut Glass Other American Cut Glass
 Carving Sets, Etc.

ALSO

Roasters Aluminumware
 Food Choppers

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Filbert Glace 34c

Finest imported Spanish filberts glazed in honey, sugar and pure corn syrup. Regularly 60c pound. 2000 pounds at 34c pound box while any remain. No deliveries.
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Kerr's Patent Flour \$1.85

High grade flour for particular home bakers. Sack \$1.85

Pastry Flour, No. 9 sacks	45c	New Raisins, unbleached, 3 lbs.	78c, lb.
New Currants, cleaned, 3 lbs.	65c	Bleached Raisins, Sultan, 3 lbs.	85c, lb.
65c, No. 1 cartons	25c	Cut Peel, new varieties, No. 1 cartons	50c
New Peels, candied orange or lemon, lb.	40c	Cake Spices, ginger or nutmeg, 3 tins	25c
Seeded Raisins, 2 cartons 45c, each	25c	Cooking Figs, fancy black, 2 lbs.	45c, choice black, 2 lbs.
Seedless Raisins, unbleached, No. 1 cartons, 3 for 80c, each	28c		28c

Big 500-Pound Tillamook Cheese Will Be Cut Tomorrow

This is the big Tillamook cheese that was on exhibition at the Pacific International Livestock Show—richer than ordinary cheese inasmuch as from 12 to 15 per cent more butter fat was used in the making. Pound 40c.

The Bakery Is Ready for Thanksgiving

with a large assortment of plum puddings, fruit cakes, etc. We suggest that orders be placed early.
 —Meier & Frank's, Ninth Floor.



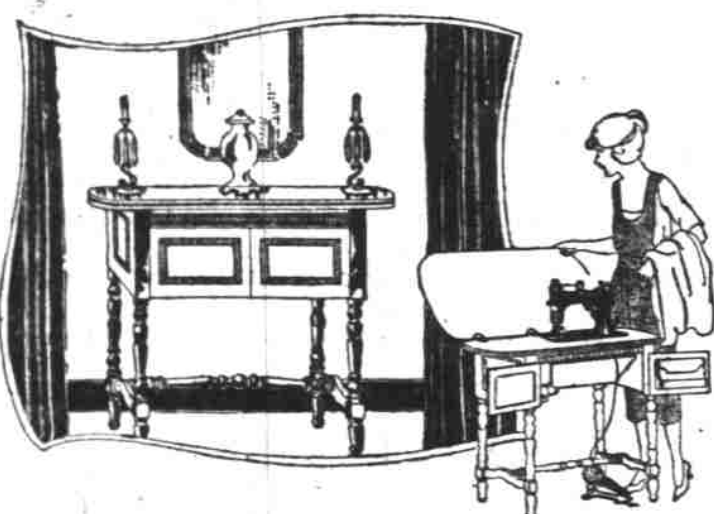
A Sharp Reminder

These chilly days are but a reminder of colder days ahead. Prepare now to keep warm this winter. Let us install a

Universal Pipeless Furnace

in your home and you will be ready for any kind of weather—cold, windy, rainy. The Universal's generous, cheery, healthful heat will afford real comfort and at the same time cut down the fuel bill to a surprising extent. Hundreds of Portland householders will certify to the merits of this splendid heating device. The Universal Pipeless Furnace is made of highest grade material to meet local fuel and climatic conditions.

Make Your Own Terms in Reason
 —Meier & Frank's, Sixth Floor. (Mail Orders Filled.)



Eldredge Sewing Machines

THE CONSOLE MODEL COMBINES BEAUTY WITH UTILITY

The Eldredge sewing machine in the console model is really a beautiful piece of living-room furniture. The electrically operated machine is concealed in the table. The top, when opened, adjusts the machine and provides an unusually large working surface for the material.

Any Speed Desired Is Obtained By Slight Pressure on the Pedal

The Eldredge, alone, has the two-spool feature, eliminating bobbin winding. A full set of attachments goes with each machine. The Eldredge will be demonstrated gladly, and a convenient payment plan arranged, if desired.

—Meier & Frank's, Second Floor. (Mail Orders Filled.)



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Some Quantities Limited



Better Shop Early

Introducing a Week of Remarkable Values With These Monday Offerings From

Meier & Frank's Downstairs Store

"It Always Pays to Buy at Meier & Frank's"—proved anew in this wonderful series of value-giving events in our Downstairs Store. Watch our ads every day this week.

5000 Silk Petticoats Reduced

New all silk petticoats at prices close to present wholesale. The assortment divided into two lots as follows:

Women's all-silk jersey petticoats with elastic waistline. Plain and two-tone accordion pleated flounces. Regular sizes. Navy, copen, jade, henna, taupe, brown, wistaria, other colors and black.	\$1.98	Better quality jersey silk petticoats, also plain and changeable taffetas. Full cut garments with deep flounces, pleated and embroidered. Every desirable color in the lot. All regular sizes.	\$3.98
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Women's Beacon Flannel Bathrobes \$3.98

Less than cost of material alone. Women's genuine Beacon flannel bath or lounging robes in several pleasing styles. Round and square collars. Some are satin trimmed. Attractive conventional designs in navy, brown, gray, lavender, copen, green, etc. Regular sizes.

DOMESTICS Are Greatly Reduced

Meier & Frank standard quality blankets, sheets, pillows, towels, etc., are substantially lowered for this sale.

Cretonnes 49c

Yard wide cretonnes, terry cloths, tapestries and ratine. Printed on both sides in pleasing designs. Slightly imperfect qualities of the \$1 to \$1.50 grades.

Towels 15c

Large size heavy huck towels in plain white and white with blue or red borders. Some are subject to very slight imperfections.

Pillows 95c

17x24-inch pillows filled with clean chicken feathers and covered with fancy art ticking. Made in Portland. The 21x27-inch pillows, special at \$1.65.

All-Wool Blankets \$6.95

Five-pound 100 per cent virgin wool Hudson Bay double blankets in white with black borders. Also five-pound 100 per cent virgin wool silver gray bed blankets in full size.

\$8.95

Six-pound 100 per cent virgin wool blankets in white with colored borders. Soft and fluffy. Extra large size.

\$3.98

Large size wool finish blankets in plain gray and tan, also heavy cotton plaid blankets.

\$1.98

Heavy quality cotton fleeced blankets in gray with fancy borders. Full bed size.

\$1.69

Heavy cotton fleeced blankets in white, tan and gray. Three-quarter and twin bed sizes.

Sheets \$1.19

Special at \$13.50 dozen. Sturdy quality seamless muslin sheets with wide hems. Size 81x90 inches. Especially good for hotels, rooming houses, etc.

Outing 19c

Heavy firm weave, plain white and fancy striped outing flannel suitable for pajamas, children's wear, etc. 36 inches wide.

Outing 13c

Regularly priced at 19c yard. Excellent quality white and fancy striped outing flannel in a heavy weight. Mostly mill lengths of 10 to 20 yards. 27 inches wide.

Men's, Women's and Children's Hosiery and Underwear Reduced

22 special lots of men's, women's and children's winter hosiery and underwear reduced for this sale.

Union Suits \$1.49

Women's medium weight cotton union suits in low neck, sleeveless, tubular top, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length styles. Nicely tailored, flat back seams. Regular and extra sizes.

Union Suits \$1.29

Women's heavy weight ribbed cotton fleeced lined union suits in high neck, long sleeves, low neck, sleeveless, tubular top, ankle length styles. Regular and extra sizes.

Vests 25c

Regularly 35c. Women's light weight white cotton vests in tubular and bodice top styles. Regular and extra sizes.

Union Suits \$1

Regularly \$1.29. Women's medium heavy weight white fleeced cotton union suits. Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, high neck, long sleeves and low neck, sleeveless, ankle length styles. Regular and extra sizes.

Union Suits 79c

Women's slightly fleeced white cotton union suits in low neck, sleeveless, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length styles. Regular and extra sizes.

Undergarments 79c

Regularly \$1 garment. Women's heavy weight fleeced ribbed cotton vests and pants. The vests are high neck, long sleeves and Dutch neck, elbow sleeves style. The pants have band and draw-string tops and are ankle length. Regular and extra sizes.

Vests, Pants 59c

Regularly 78c each. Women's medium heavy ribbed cotton vests and pants. High neck, long sleeves, Dutch neck, elbow sleeves and low neck, sleeveless vests. Drawstring and band top pants. Regular and extra sizes. Garment 59c.

Hose, Pair 25c

Seconds of our regular 35c pair grade. Women's fleeced lined black hose with ribbed tops.

Hose, Pair 25c

Women's mercerized cotton hose with double soles, heels, toes and ribbed top. Black, white and cordovan. Seconds.

Hose, Pair 25c

Seconds of children's mercerized cotton hose in black, cordovan and white.

"Bear" Waists 39c

Regularly 48c. Children's "Bear" waists, button taped and garter loops. Sizes 2 to 10 years.

Bloomers 25c

Regularly 48c. Children's well made cotton knit bloomers with elastic at knee. Black. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Men's Union Suits \$1

Regularly \$1.49. Men's medium heavy weight part wool union suits in natural color. Long sleeves, ankle length style.

Men's Union Suits \$1.29

Regularly \$1.49. Men's heavy weight ribbed cotton fleeced union suits in ecru and silver colors.

Union Suits \$1.69

Regularly \$1.98. Men's heavy weight part wool union suits in long sleeves, ankle length style. Natural color.

Undergarments \$1

Regularly priced at \$1.29 garment. Men's part wool separate under-shirts and drawers. Natural color.

Shirts, Drawers 69c

Men's mercerized cotton hose shirts and drawers in ecru and silver color.

Sox, Pair 49c

Regularly 59c. Men's heavy weight pure wool sox in natural and light silver color. Fully ribbed tops. For wear with heavy shoes, boots, fine for outdoor workers.

Sox, Pair 39c

Regularly 50c. Men's serviceable fiber silk plated sox in black and cordovan.

Sox, Pair 19c

Seconds of men's mercerized silk sox in black, cordovan and colors.

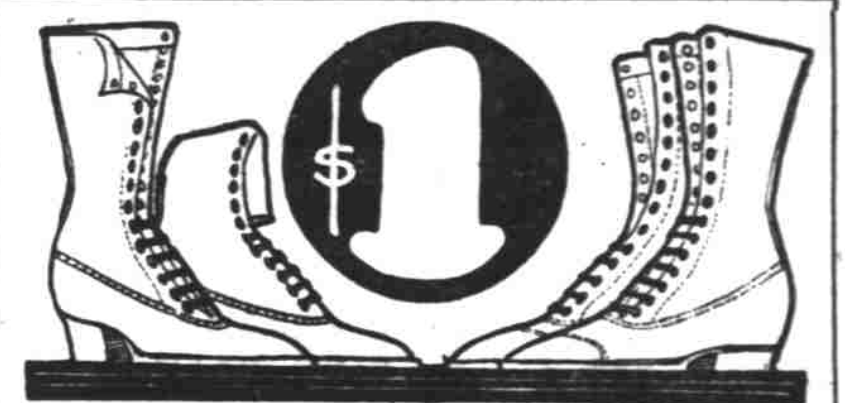
Sox, Pair 10c

Regularly 15c. Men's good cotton sox in black and cordovan.

Sox, Pair 25c

Seconds of boys' heavy ribbed black cotton hose for school wear.

—Meier & Frank's, Basement Balcony.



EXTRAORDINARY!

Women's High Shoes \$1

A clearaway of small lots of women's shoes at \$1 pair while any remain. Black kid finish leather shoes in sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Nearly all have military heels. Come early for best selection.

\$4.95

1000 pairs of women's brown calf oxfords, black calf brogue oxfords and calf strap slippers. All new patterns. All sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

\$3.39

Women's black and brown shoes in many styles and lasts. Low and high heels. All sizes.

\$1.69

Women's leather slippers in one and two-strap styles. Leather soles, rubber heels. Sizes 2 to 8.

\$2.69

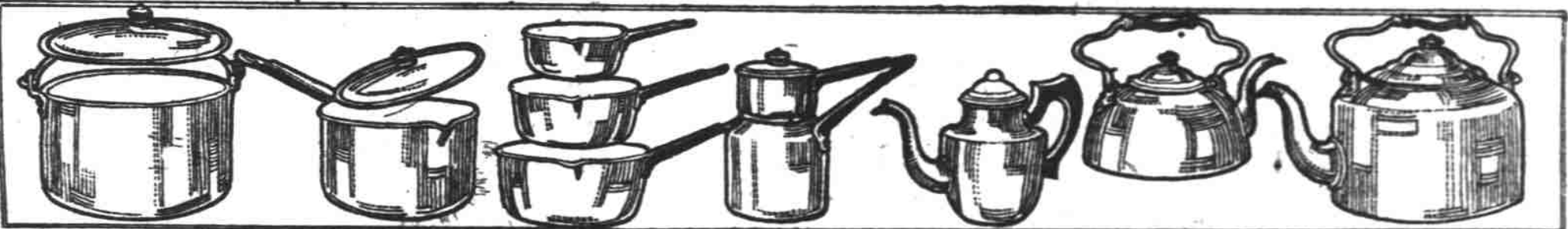
All small lots of men's shoes left from much higher priced lines. Black and brown street shoes, also heavy work shoes. Sizes 6 to 11.

\$1.98

Sizes 9 to 13 1/2. Sizes 4 to 6, pair \$2.69. Boys' dull calf school shoes with leather soles.

\$1.49

Slightly imperfect qualities of children's \$2.50 leather shoes with hand-turned soles. Sizes 3 to 8.



3000 Pieces of Pure Aluminumware

\$1.29

Just received. 3000 pieces of medium weight first quality aluminum cooking utensils which we will sell at \$1.29 piece while any remain. Regular values range from \$1.65 to \$2.50. In the lot are:

Tea Kettles
 Percolators

Covered Preserving Kettles
 Sets of 3 Steep Pans

Rice Boilers
 Tea Pots

\$1.29

Covered Handled Preserving Kettles, Etc.
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