

WARNER NAMES THOS. G. BECKETT ASSISTANT P. M.

The new regime at the postoffice was inaugurated this morning when William J. Warner, who has been acting postmaster since the death of Col. Geo. P. Mims, and who was recently appointed and confirmed as postmaster for the next four years, took over the position this morning under his commission.

Postmaster Warner at once announced the promotion of Thos. G. Beckett, who has been money order clerk for years, to be assistant postmaster; the advancement of Roland G. Beach, who has been in the general delivery and directory department for years to succeed Beckett in the money order division, and the appointment of Lee M. Hall, senior substitute clerk, as a regular clerk. These changes went into effect today.

Assistant Postmaster Beckett has been in the local postoffice service for the past 11 1/2 years, starting as a letter carrier, and for the past nine years has been money order clerk. While passing out cigars to himself in the shape of chewing tobacco this morning to celebrate his promotion, he declined to give out any statement beyond the fact that the greatest thing to him in his elevation is the fact that he doesn't have "to punch that darn time clock any longer."

This in spite of the fact that his salary jumps from \$1800 to \$2100. Roland Beach, who will from now on paste his chewing gum under the sill of the money order window, has been in the local postoffice service since 1909, when he was transferred from Lincoln, Neb., as a city letter carrier, and later was changed to the clerical force. His salary remains the same.

Pershing Elevated to Chief of Staff Relieving Gen. March



WASHINGTON, July 1.—General John J. Pershing today became chief of staff of the United States army, relieving Major General Peyton C. March, who was given leave of absence effective until his retirement from active service in November. It was the first assignment to definite duty given the general since he relinquished command of the American expeditionary forces in France.

Major General James G. Harbord, who was his principal staff assistant in France, is his assistant in the new office.

SPARKS FROM TODAY'S WIRE

GRASS VALLEY, Cal., July 2.—Virtually every mine in the Grass Valley district is closed today because of the failure of a group of the larger operators and the miners league to reach a wage agreement for the new fiscal year. About 600 men are idle.

BISMARCK, N. D., June 1.—It will be illegal after today to smoke in a cafe, hotel dining room or a dining car in North Dakota in which women are present under a law passed by the last legislature. Both the smoker and the proprietor of the place are made liable for any violation.

MONTERE, Cal., July 1.—A seaplane attached to the air squadron accompanying the Pacific fleet battleship squadron to San Francisco from here, fell at the mouth of the Salinas river today but the crew escaped uninjured.

Harding Takes Vacation. WASHINGTON, July 1.—President Harding accompanied by Mrs. Harding and a party of friends left here today for a vacation outing at the home of Senator Frelinghuysen at Baritan, N. J.

NAVY OPERATING NOW WITHOUT A PENNY IN CHEST

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The nation's naval forces were being operated today technically without funds and the indications were that such a situation would continue at least until the middle of next week.

Senate leaders appeared today in no wise inclined to accept the big naval bill.

Acting Chairman Poindexter of the naval committee announced that there was no plan to call the matter up in the senate before the recess beginning tonight and ending next Tuesday. Moreover, it was said that it was not planned to rush through a resolution continuing the appropriations of the past year.

The lapse in funds, it was explained, was wholly technical and no hardships would be experienced by the naval forces unless the deadlock were prolonged.

ANOTHER BANDIT IS MENTALLY UNBALANCED

BELLSPOUT, N. Y., July 1.—Mrs. Charles E. Bedford, wife of the vice president of the Vacuum Oil company, said today the family would seek to obtain custody, on medical grounds, of her son, Charles, sentenced yesterday in Michigan City to the Indiana state prison for stealing an automobile.

She explained that young Bedford had become mentally unbalanced after a serious illness and had spent almost a year at Bloomingdale asylum.

Latest Arrivals at Auto Camp Grounds

Arrivals at the city auto camp Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Tout and daughter of Rouse, Calif., touring north; T. W. Parrish and friend of Port Orford, Texas, en route to Montana; W. J. Smiley of Grants Pass, may locate here; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wilson of Vallejo, Calif., en route to Roseburg; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williamson and child of Seattle, touring to California; Mr. Whitmore and friend of Tipton, Calif., touring north; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stark and son of Chico, Calif., may locate here; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Essex and another couple of Seattle, en route to Crater Lake; Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hess and eight children of Salmon, Ida., here to locate; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodward and son of Sacramento, en route to Vancouver, B. C.; W. G. Jenkins and friend, bound for Crater Lake.

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which his associates have lost. Final preparations for the departure to Jersey City were completed soon after breakfast today, and the keys of the two houses, which have been Dempsey's camp, were turned over to their owners.

Dempsey's three Belgian police dogs, which have been with him during the training grind, already are in Jersey City. They were taken there by the champion's limousine by his brother, Bernard Dempsey, yesterday. "Don't forget to let them out once in a while for a brief run," was the champion's final instructions as the big car rolled away, with the dogs poking their heads out of the windows.

Music for Georges. MANHASSET, N. Y., July 1.—Only light exercise was on the work program of Georges Carpentier today, and to keep his mind off tomorrow's battle, Trainer Wilson prescribed phonograph music, a walk through the woods and a long automobile ride. The camp was besieged by an army of hot minute well-wishers, but they met stout resistance at the gate in a squad of county policemen and camp attaches and were turned away.

This, of all days, Trainer Wilson said, was to be a day of peace for the challenger and he was not to be bothered even by personal friends. All members of the camp were busy getting things in order for the morrow with only a slight display of nervousness in the entire camp. This was on the part of Manager Desamps, who appeared to be "up in the air" because of a number of telephone calls. He said there had been no less than seventy-five up to noon and that he had been asked all the foolish questions imaginable.

Calls Desamps Rude. Some fellow who said he was going to bet on Carpentier wanted to talk to the challenger himself and ask his advice. A woman thought Desamps rude because he refused an invitation for the challenger to attend an ice cream social tonight.

Although he declined to say what plans had been made for after the fight, Desamps intimated that the camp here would be retained. Trainer Wilson will be placed in charge and will condition Charles Ledoux, the French bantamweight champion, and Paul Journee, the big French heavyweight. It is probable that Marcel Denis, the French lightweight, will train here under the supervision of Wilson.

Should Georges win his fight with Dempsey, it is almost certain that he will come to this country later to make Manhasset his headquarters if only temporarily.

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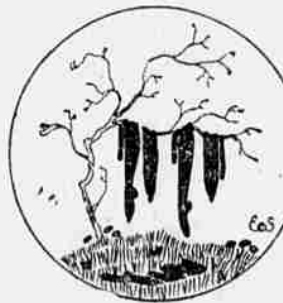
In black and colors, all sizes. sold at 85c. On sale Saturday, pair..... **63c**

Women's Silk Hose, fine quality, values up to \$1.50. On sale Saturday, pair **90c**

Children's Half Hose, 50c value. On sale Saturday **39c**

Women's 25c Summer Vests, each **19c**

Women's 50c Summer Vests, each **29c**



W's fine grade Knit Union Suits, up 1.50 values. This sale, suit **98c**

W's Bloomers, \$2.00 values, pair— **\$1.79**

Chi's Waist Union Suits, all sizes, \$1.49 values. Sale price, suit **\$1.00**

W's fine grade Knit Union Suits. Chea \$1.75. This Big Sale, suit— **\$1.48**

Wos \$2.25 Union Suits. This sale, suit **\$1.79**

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Warner's Rust Proof Satin Corsets, sold at \$5. This sale **\$3.39**

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Women's Corsets hold at \$3.00. Now, pair **\$1.39**

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Women's Brasseres, sold at 75c, now..... **48c**

SILK AND FABRIC GLOVES FOR LESS

Kayser's Two-Button Silk Gloves, all colors, Saturday, pair..... **90c**

Kayser's Two Button Chamoisette Gloves, pair **79c**

Kayser's Long Silk Gloves, Special **\$1.80**

Kayser's Long Chamoisette Gloves, pair— **\$1.59**



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M'MAHON RECOVERS STOLEN AUTOMOBILE

Another stolen auto has been recovered by State Motor Cop McMahon, and will be returned to its owner, John Jacobs of Gervais, Ore. It was stolen early this week. Last Wednesday noon a man who gave his name as Edmund Gerber appeared with the Ford car at Rogue River and tried to sell it at a bargain to Chas. Hatch, the blacksmith, who agreed to take it providing Gerber would give him a bill of sale. The man evidently became frightened and walked away, leaving the car and has not been seen since.

Motor Cop McMahon passed through Rogue River Wednesday afternoon en route to Grants Pass, and to him Hatch told about the auto deal. McMahon examined the car and found that the license number and motor number didn't check up. He wired the state auto traffic department at Salem which wired back that the car had been stolen from John Jacobs at Gervais.

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