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# MABEL

## MICKEY

# NORMAND



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Cold Cream, Pink Powder, and the World Was His

"Smiling Bill Parsons"  
As "GO-GET-EM POTTS" in  
"THE MIDNIGHT ALARM"

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Musical Accompaniment

By "NINA WADSWORTH KAHLE"

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Starts Today for Three Days Only

# LIBERTY

WATCH OUT FOR "RAFFLES"

### PACIFIC FLEET

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dreadnaughts, led by the flagship New Mexico, the only electrically propelled dreadnaught in the world.

Shortly before 8 a. m. Secretary Daniels, accompanied by his official party, went aboard the destroyer Canby, which steamed out of the harbor, and



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## IMPERIALES

MOUTHPIECE

CIGARETTES

have added much to life, for they are pleasing thousands of discriminating smokers who appreciate the art of good tobacco well blended. They will please you, too.

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### \$200 REWARD

offered for return of an engagement ring. No questions asked. Stolen from the hand of

LAURA WHITE

in her sleeping room last night. The gem was last seen by

GEORGE WALSH

in

"LUCK AND PLUCK"

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Bligh Theatre

(Signed)

LAURA WHITE

## PRUNE PRICES DOUBLE

### IN LAST FOUR MONTHS

Contracts Filed Show 100 Per Cent Increase In Short Period.

The contract price for prunes advanced 100 per cent between April 28 and July 29, according to contracts recently filed for record in the county recorder's office.

On April 28 Henry Lynch of Polk county contracted for the 1919 crop of prunes now growing on his 15-acre tract estimated at 40 tons. The contract price was \$50 a ton. Mr. Lynch also contracted for the prune on his Marion county tract of 13 acres, estimated at 6 tons. The contract was signed April 28 and the price was \$50 a ton.

On the same day for \$30 a ton, J. P. Best of Turner, route 1, sold the 1919 crop of his 11-acre prune tract, estimated at 20 tons. On April 29, C. G. Nichols of Salem rural route 6, contracted for the prunes on his 9 acres in crop, estimated at 20 tons. The figures were \$50 a ton.

By May 3 the price had advanced to \$66.66 a ton and on this basis C. H. Taylor as agent for Mrs. F. E. Ballard, on route 2, Turner, contracted for an estimate of 27 tons on 9 acres. C. H. Taylor himself also contracted for the prune crop on his 40 acres, estimated at 100 tons.

May 5, E. L. McCleary of Salem, route 4, contracted for the 1919 prunes on his two-acre tract, estimated at four tons, at \$66.66. For the same figure, L. B. Hafterson of rural route 4, Salem, sold the crop of his five acres, estimated at three tons.

G. W. Hoffman of Salem, rural route 3, contracted on May 12 and the price still remained at \$66.66 a ton. He has but one acre in prune and estimated his crop at half a ton.

M. B. Blinston of Salem, route 3, figured his crop at 4 tons on his 4 1/2-acre tract and contracted at \$66.66. E. W. Lester on May 12, contracted his crop of prunes on a two-acre tract, estimated at five tons, for the same figure. On May 13, Paul Winslow of rural route 3, Salem, figured he would get 16 tons on his 10 acres of prunes and contracted at \$66.66.

By June 11, the price had advanced to \$83.33 a ton. On this basis, O. L. Martin of Macleay contracted for his crop of 1 acre, estimated at 9 tons. J. E. Moorman of Salem also got in on the \$83.33 a ton price for his 1919 crop on four acres, which he estimated at three tons. George P. H. White of Salem signed June 23 and agreed to deliver his five-ton crop from 11 acres at \$83.33 a ton.

By June 17, there was another radical advance, and prunes were \$100 a ton. Frank Calaba of rural route 3, Salem, contracted at this even figure for the 1919 prune on his seven-acre tract, estimated at 10 tons. On July 17, L. Emmans of rural route 5, Salem, signed to deliver his crop from his seven-acre crop, estimated at 10 tons. His figure was also \$100 a ton.

On July 18 the price per ton was still \$100, and at this figure Mrs. Saurin MacKammer agreed to deliver her 1919 crop of prunes. She has six acres in prunes, with an estimated crop of 12 tons. Lee M. Larue of Macleay was also one of the fortunate ones in not contracting too early, as he is to receive \$100 a ton for his prune crop from three acres, estimated at four tons.

The two chief vantage points, the long stretch of Coronado beach and the heights to Point Loma. Everything that would float was pressed into service by those desiring to witness the show from the water.

Shortly before 9 o'clock, Mrs. Joseph Daniels, accompanied by a local committee of San Diego women, was taken by automobile to Point Loma, from which place she witnessed the review.

A high fog which prevailed during the morning hid the sun, but did in no way dampen the enthusiasm of the throngs whose only interest was the fleet itself.

While Secretary Daniels has been most ardent in side-stepping commitments, the impression has been gained that there is a recognition in Washington that sending the fleet itself was but half the job. Adequate bases, dry-docking facilities, shops, yards, and all the incidentals that constitute the second line of defense of a grand fleet must now follow, as well as a tremendous amount of harbor improvements.

From such remarks as have been dropped by Secretary Daniels, it is evident that the government is fully prepared to meet this expense, and that one of the immediate problems of the secretary and of Admiral Rodman is the determining of how this money can be best spent.

It would be difficult for easterners to realize the momentous importance of this event to the Pacific coast. One hundred and 25 newspapermen representing the papers of the coast cities are in San Diego today. The telephone offices are swamped with dispatches covering the most minute details of the arrival of the fleet.

In a characteristic statement to the United Press, Admiral Rodman said yesterday:

"The fleet is here for business—not joy riding."

This crisp comment from the admiral recalled to many the famous statement of Admiral Bob Evans when he started around the world that his fleet was "ready for a fight or a frolic."

### Liberty Bond Quotations

New York, Aug. 7.—Liberty bond quotations: 2 1/2's, 99.98; first 4's, 91.81; second 4's, 93.26; second 4 1/2's, 93.26; third 4 1/2's, 95.00; fourth 4 1/2's, 93.44; victory 3 1/2's, 99.98; 4 1/2's, 95.93.

## PALMER SAYS PACKERS VIOLATE TRUST LAWS

Attorney General Declares Action Will Be Taken By Government.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Findings of the federal trade commission in its investigation of the packers indicate that anti-trust laws have been violated, Attorney General Palmer announced today in a statement. He promised quick action.

"I am satisfied that the evidence advanced indicates a clear violation of the anti-trust laws and prompt action will be taken accordingly," said Palmer.

He also announced that he today had telegraphed all federal district attorneys to halt other business and hunt for violation of that clause of the food control act which prohibits hoarding.

Palmer's statement of justice has made a careful review of the evidence developed by investigations into the combination of packers, both by the federal trade commission and the hearings before the committee of investigation. This review has been made by lawyers especially retained for the purpose and their report is now at hand.

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Further proceedings, while under the immediate direction of the department of justice, will be in charge of J. J. Kneel of the law firm of Jerome, Rand and Kneel of New York, who will be given such assistance as the case seems to warrant.

Palmer's telegram directing district attorneys to prosecute food hoarders reads:

"The food control act, which is still in force, in section six, makes hoarding of necessities, as therein defined, a crime, and section seven provides that whenever necessities shall be hoarded they may be proceeded against by a process of libel or condemnation."

"There is much complaint in the country about the extensive hoarding of food products, which in many instances amounts to violation of the law. You are directed to immediately employ all the facilities at your command and make use of all available sources of information to seek out all dealers guilty of hoarding within the meaning of the act and to ascertain if, in any other respects, these provisions of the food control act have been violated in your districts."

### Mullen At Helm Of Seattle Coast League Club Today

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 7.—Charles Mullen, formerly with the New York Yankees and the Toledo American association club, will direct the field play of the Seattle club today for the first time. He succeeds Bill Clymer, who resigned his post as pilot of the local coast league club here yesterday.

Mullen played his first baseball at the University of Washington and had a trial with the Chicago White Sox. Jack Knight led the club yesterday.

### 'ROUND COAST LEAGUE BASES

(By United Press.)

Yesterday's winners: Seattle, San Francisco, Oakland, Salt Lake.

Home run: Cochran, Seals.

Charlie Mullen led the Rainiers to victory on his first day as manager of the club. They downed the Beavers 3 to 1.

The Seals got their runs in the early innings and defeated the Tigers, 5 to 2.

Five runs in the seventh inning picked the game for the Oaks, the Angels losing 6 to 4.

The Bees won the second game from the Solons 7 to 5.

### ROLL OF HONOR

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces.

Killed in Action 4

Died from Wounds 23

Died in Aeroplane Accident 1

Died of Accident and Other Causes 8

Died of Disease 8

Wounded Severely 13

Wounded (degree undetermined) 12

Wounded Slightly 21

Total 91

Total number of casualties to date, including those reported above:

Killed in Action (including 333 lost at sea) 34,370

Died of Wounds 15,777

Died of Disease 25,491

Died from Accident and Other Causes 5,131

Wounded in Action (over 85 per cent returned) 213,628

Missing in Action (not including prisoners released and returned) 1,610

Total to date 262,907

Killed in Action.

Henry Ellibert, Leominster, Mass.

Houston Anderson, Montalba, Texas.

Charles E. Shaffer, Hunt W. Va.

BITES-STINGS

Wash the affected surface with household ammonia or warm salt water then apply

VICK'S VAPORUB

"YOUR BODYGUARD"—30c, 60c, 1.20



## MISS ELSIE FERGUSON

in  
"HIS PARASIAN WIFE"

Lloyd Comedy

"RING UP THE CURTAIN"



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NEWS PICTORIAL

### Died from Accident and Other Causes.

Lewis F. Springer, Cleveland Ohio.  
Moore Biley, Alto Ky.  
Angelo Samperio, Pittsburgh Pa.  
Claid D. Tunnell, King City Mo.  
Fred Billick, Ridgeway Pa.

### Died of Wounds.

John F. Bamber, St. Louis Mo.  
Albert J. Bochinsky, Simpson La.  
Francis Q. Carr, Washington D. C.  
Roy Fournight, Burlington Kan.  
John E. Dillavon, Glidden Iowa.  
John Duglinsky, Shelton Conn.  
Francis Xavier Lynch, Yonkers N. Y.  
Robert M. Williams, Hartley Tex.  
Mat Adamowicz, Chicago Ill.  
Haskell M. Amundson, Hallandale Fla.  
George Frank Board, Buffalo N. Y.  
William H. Dammron, Dunlop W. Va.  
Joan Glarcoe, Rome N. Y.  
Charles E. Huffman, Host Mo.  
Edward Largent, Fort Henry Tenn.  
Herbert John Lenhard, White Cloud Mich.

### Died from Accident and Other Causes.

Gerald D. Scott, Cape May City N. J.  
William Johnston, Jersey City N. J.  
Charles Jones, Memphis Tenn.

### Died of Disease.

Burgess S. Hamm, Hudson N. Y.  
John H. Drane, Kirk Ky.  
Clarke Holloway, Monteville Ala.  
William H. Mather, West Haven Conn.  
Raymond J. Murray, Forest City Pa.  
Fred Brown Oliver, Paris Tex.  
Clinton Dickinson, Brandywine W. Va.  
Peter A. Knutson, Belgrade Minn.

### UNITED STATES FACES

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soundness of the principles upon which their plan is built, imbued with the crusader's spirit to support the principles upon which their faith is founded.

### Irwin J. Landstrom, Waverly Wash., ed.

Raymond J. McGinnis, Fairbanc, Pa.  
Thomas Tolison, Netland, Calaveras Wis.

### John Wolf, Ewing Va.

William J. Wood, Brooklyn N. Y.  
Loran M. Woodcock, Westmorland Kan.

### CURRENT CASUALTIES

Killed in Action.

Peter F. Bernal, Monterey Cal.

### Died of Wounds.

William M. Johns, Chicago Ill.

Alphon Schurter, Lamont Kan.

Jack Myland, Portland Me.

### Died from Aeroplane Accident.

Lieut. Linus Ely Russell, Weisfield Ohio.

### Died from Accident and Other Causes.

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### PLANS COMPLETE

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Under the regulations the rate on parcels is five cents for the first pound and one half to one cent on each additional pound for each parcel. However, under Barleson's temporary arrangement it was stated, an order may be given for various articles up to the limit of 125 pounds with but one initial charge of five cents the additional weight accumulating the charge at the rate of from one-half to one cent a pound. This means that if a purchaser orders ten different articles aggregating 125 pounds he will be charged only five cents for the first 125 pounds whereas, under regular laws there would be a five cent initial charge on each of the packages.

## FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA IS BOUND INSEPARABLY BY TIES OF BLOOD



The closeness of social and commercial relations between Canada and the United States is indicated by the ever-increasing number of Americans who are seeking homes in the great farming districts of the prairie provinces of the Dominion.

In the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba alone there are 680,212 Americans. This is more than the total population of Alberta, which is 679,000. In Alberta, nearly half the population, 375,000 to be exact, are of American birth, the British born residents being about a third of this number. In Saskatchewan there are 226,330 Americans, and in Manitoba 78,789.

Last year about 10,000 Americans came to Alberta, which was the lowest number in thirteen years, except in 1915, when the number was 6,255. With the war over, it is expected that the influx will resume its former proportions, which averaged about 25,000 a year, the top figure being reached in 1909, when a record of 34,563 was established.

The number of resident immigrants either from British or American birth is about 40,000 and practically no more are coming over.

Americans like the Canadian West. They find in it the same aggressive, enterprising spirit which characterizes the United States. They find democratic laws and institutions, fair play, reform movements of the best type and innumerable opportunities for bettering their material circumstances. Then the fact that there are many Americans already in Canada brings more, for they are especially gregarious when their own people are concerned.

Canadians and Americans stood shoulder to shoulder in war and mingled their best blood on Flanders fields. Now, in peace, they still stand shoulder to shoulder and mingle their blood in ties of kinship.