

Hoover Makes First Defense of World Court

League of Women Voters Hears Administration Reply to Attacks—Judge Allen Also Speaks.

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able to show in its present mood of distrust, or else because harsh suffering has made them more fearful of the menace of war.

"But the adhesion which President Harding proposes to the international court is strictly limited by carefully drawn stipulations which will no doubt be fully considered by the senate. All we do if we ratify President Harding's proposal—all the promises we make—the only obligation we take are these and only these:

Terms of Entrance.
"I promise to pay a share of the running expenses of the court, a matter of less than \$40,000 a year, and we promise to take part with 46 other nations in the choosing of the judges. The judges are not international reputation, who sit nine years and are freed of all prejudices except to maintain principle and law.

"There is another section of opponents of President Harding's proposal who do not agree to its primary purpose and method but solely because it was erected under the auspices of the league of nations. But we are not by this act entering the league in any sense. The connection of the court with the league is indeed remote. Its sole relationship is that the judges are selected as provided in its own statute, not by the league, but by the representatives of the nations to the league acting as an elective body for this purpose. It is this elective body that we join, not the league.

"To some people, the league is such anathema that even its many good acts are bad. Let us admit frankly that there are among our people many thousands perhaps hundreds of thousands who, as regards the phrase 'league of nations' are still under the tyranny of emotions associated with that phrase during the political controversy of the last four years. It is unhappily true that in such controversies a phrase is given an odium which distorts the orderly march of entirely dissociated ideas. What they would willingly assent to as a thing standing by itself they shrink from merely because it has association with a phrase.

Court American Idea.

"There are many people who apparently maintain an open mind on international co-operation by rearrangement of their prejudices. The court is already in existence. It is largely the handiwork of American thought and American ideas. For us to insist upon its being torn down and recreated just because it was created by a conference called by the league in which Americans took part, is one of the most unseemly suggestions of national selfishness that can be conceived.

"Another section of the opponents of President Harding's proposal condemn it because it does not go far enough; because it has no teeth in it. This is the basis of Senator Borah's objection. I admit the enlightenment and the courage of his position. He would have an international court of such strength that it would try war itself and would have us join it in such a manner that we would be obligated to its jurisdiction. Senator Borah's international court in its relation to the nations, would be somewhat an analogy to the supreme court of the United States in its relation to our states.

"Now, by all means, let us have no quarrel—on the contrary, let us have admiration and respect—for those who show the vision and the courage to go this whole distance. But, let us admit that as a practical matter, for reasons familiar to all of you, America is not ready to go this far.

Judge Allen Speaks.

The abolition of war as a legal system was advocated and the method in which that may be accomplished outlined by Judge Florence E. Allen of the Ohio supreme court speaking before the league.

The steps proposed by Judge Allen to accomplish this are:

"That war be outlawed and declared a crime, under the law of nations, and that its use as a means of settlement of disputes be abolished.

"That a conference of civilized nations be held for the creation and codification of international law on the basis of equity and right.

"That a court be established with jurisdiction over all purely international disputes as defined by the international code.

Make War Crime.
"It is not possible nor necessary to abolish the causes of war before we make war illegal," Judge Allen declared. "We did not abolish jealousy, hatred, greed, nor the other human emotions which give rise to killings before we made murder a crime.

"We have certain laws about war but none against war. There are laws as to how wars shall be made, but they do not forbid war.

The spirit which holds that killing is right, kills women, as well as men, the old with the young, the little children, the sick as well as the sound, fails to regard hospitals and uses of poison gases. There are atrocities of war, but they pale into insignificance beside war which is the supreme atrocity.

"We should declare that war is a crime against civilization and outlaw it as such.

Cannot Use Force.

"The court's decrees must not be enforced by physical power. You cannot eliminate force between nations by using force. The seeds of hatred sown in using force to repress war are just as evil as those sown in the war which the force was employed to repress.

"Laws are not enforced through physical force only. They are also enforced through public opinion. The better part of law enforcement is done through public conscience. That is because real laws, which give a moral basis, are the expression of the moral feeling of the community. This desire not to war will finally be the most potent force toward peace and hence we should express the law if for no other purpose than to release this force."

Mathilde McCormick and Max Osler Married



Mathilde McCormick.

By Universal Service.

Paris, April 11.—Mathilde McCormick and Max Osler, her Swiss riding-master sweetheart, were married secretly several months ago and have since been traveling about Europe on their honeymoon, according to a report reaching Universal Service from a reliable source.

Intimate friends of both credit the report, asserting that Mathilde and Osler have not officially announced their marriage owing to a fear that either her father or mother might demand that the marriage be annulled, due to the fact that Mathilde was underage.

For the same reason none of Mathilde's intimates, not even her father, have been acquainted with Mathilde's address since January, when the ceremony is believed to have taken place in a small Italian village on the border of Switzerland.

To be married in Italy, Switzerland or France, Mathilde either overstated her age or obtained the consent of her parents.

Douglas County Boys' Corn Club Offered Cash Prizes

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Waterloo, Neb., April 11.—At a meeting at the home of W. J. Appleby, northwest of Waterloo, the Douglas County Boys' Corn club was reorganized with the following officers: Norman Appleby, president; Edward Noyes, vice president; Theo Grau, secretary-treasurer. Fred Grau is acting as local leader and is anxious to have any boy not over 21 January 1, 1923, who is interested, get in communication with him at once.

Besides the \$75 Union Pacific scholarship and free trips to club week, there are good cash prizes offered. The County Fair association offers \$25 in cash prizes for 19-corn exhibits of corn by the members. Walter W. Head of the Omaha National bank offers \$40 in cash prizes for corn exhibited by club members at a club exhibit for his bank this fall.

Seven Children at Golden Wedding of Their Parents

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Humboldt, Neb., April 11.—Mr. George Clift, 72, and his wife, 69 had all of their seven children with them yesterday when they celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage in England in 1873. They came to America six weeks later.

In 1873 they came to Humboldt and settled on the farm whereon they live now two miles from town. Mr. Clift has been a brick and stone mason and served a term as county commissioner. The children are Ernest Clift, postmaster here; Will of Casper, Wyo.; Mrs. Albert Adams of Salem, Neb.; Mrs. Guy Williamson of Elwood, Ed, Charles and Mae of this city.

Omahan Escapes Death as Train Strikes Auto

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Fremont, Neb., April 10.—Anson Shephard, Omaha, representative of the Norse Oil company, narrowly escaped fatal injuries when his car was struck by a Burlington locomotive on the Main street crossing in Fremont.

The engine struck the rear wheel of Shephard's car, the impact throwing the auto clear off the tracks.

Shephard was approaching the crossing when he heard the warning gong and saw the watchman guarding the tracks. He believed that the warning was meant for the Burlington train that had just pulled in and failed to see another passenger train coming from the opposite direction. The fact that the train was coming to a stop at the time of the accident, averted a serious mishap.

The king of Siam has translated three of the plays of Shakespeare into Siamese for production on the stage at Bangkok.

Meet Arnold Johnson in Person Will Autograph His Brunswick Records

For you every day this week between the hours of 2:30 and 4:30 p. m.

In Our Phonograph Department—Main Floor—West

Arnold Johnson and His Orchestra Now Playing in The Brandeis Restaurants, Tenth Floor

The next time you serve **Smelts** try them split and broiled. Remove the head and tail and back bone. Sprinkle with **coarser salt and serve with dressing and well seasoned with**

LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE
THE ORIGINAL WORCESTERSHIRE

THE BRANDEIS STORE

Thursday—Women's and Misses' New Spring Dresses



In Three Unusual Groups at **18⁰⁰ 33⁰⁰ 44⁰⁰**

A special purchase made under conditions especially favorable to us and to you, and involving price concessions which assure the best possible value at each price.

Frocks for Street, Sport, Afternoon, Dinner and Evening dresses which emphasize the straight-line silhouette and perky frocks which flaunt bouffant skirts and pretty basque effect waists. Sleeves show the new ideas in flowing lines or fitted cuffs. Hemlines, too varied and individual to be closely described, every model an expression of a 1923 idea. Materials:

Crepe Romaine, Crepe Renee, Flat Crepes, Georgette, Satin Back Canton, Egyptian Prints and Novelty Silks, featuring every color and new shade approved for spring.

New Spring Capes at 39.00

For Women and Misses

With or without fur collars; made of fine, high luster pile fabrics, in the best colorings for spring. To be smartly dressed, wear a cape.

Second Floor—West

500 New Radium and Jersey Silk Petticoats 3.98

Choose one of these radium or silk jersey petticoats for spring and you have just the right garment to wear with the new spring suit or frock. They are trimmed with tucks, pleats, scallops or frills; some with Paisley trimmed flounces. Colors are black, navy, Chinese blue, bitter sweet, Lavin green, mountain haze, muffin, toast and other high shades suitable for spring and summer wear.

Second Floor—South

Thursday—200 New Distinctive Hats

Specially Priced at **10.00**



Flower adorned or ribbon trimmed hats—the last word of Paris in hats. This assortment includes charming hats of either nature in a variety of attractive shapes and colors.

Every hat is up to the high standard of our Millinery Department.

Second Floor—East

Willa Wilcox Krum Representing Home Pattern Co. will give lectures at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. every day this week on Home Sewing.

Drapery Department—Sixth Floor.

Fine Plain Linens

- Art linens, dress linens, waist linens and handkerchief linens. From Thomas Young, Inc., a firm which is known all over the country for fine, plain weave linens. Purchase your summer's supply in this sale.
- 18-inch Natural Art Linen—Specially priced at per yard. **39c**
- 18-inch White Art Linen—Heavy quality, specially priced at per yard. **98c**
- 36-inch Sheer Linen Lawn—For handkerchiefs and dress trimmings; per yard. **1.15**
- 45-inch Extra Finish Fine Linen—Snowy white; specially priced at per yard. **2.49**
- 60-inch Linen Sheeting—For cloths, napkins and other uses. Per yard. **3.59**
- 90-inch Linen Sheeting—For tablecloths, etc. Per yard. **3.98**

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Thursday—A Shirt Buying Opportunity

9,600 Men's Ace Shirts

In Three Low Priced Groups **98c 1.48 and 1.98**

Ace shirts are made by the makers of Van Heusen collars. They are carefully designed, cut and finished of the finest fabrics. In neckband style with soft cuffs, turn-back style. These shirts are made from salesmen's sample pieces of cloth, which accounts for these low prices. Take advantage of these low prices to buy your summer's supply.

- 4,800 shirts of very fine corded and jacquard printed madras, some woven madras in attractive patterns and colorings. None of these shirts are worth less than 1.50. **At 98c**
- 2,400 shirts of very fine woven madras, Baxter's reps, silk poplins and many more wanted shirtings. Shirts worth 2.50 and more. **At 1.48**
- 2,400 silk striped shirts. Lustrous silky fabrics that wash and wear well. In a variety of good-looking patterns and colorings. **At 1.98**

Early Shopping Is Best—Extra Salespeople Extra Space
Main Floor—South

Thursday—12,000 Pieces of FINE DINNERWARE

Four Patterns Are Illustrated. Discontinued Open Stock Patterns

French, Bavarian, English, Theo. Haviland, Nippon and American Ware.

On Sale at Substantial Reductions

- Covered Dishes—Regularly 1.50 to 8.00; at **49c to 1.98**
- Cups and Saucers—Regularly 25c to 42c; at **10c to 59c**
- 8-inch Plates—Regularly 25c to 2.00; at **10c to 59c**
- 7-inch Plates—Regularly 20c to 1.75; at **10c to 49c**
- Soup Plates—Regularly 25c to 2.00; at **10c to 59c**
- Fruit Saucers—Regularly 15c to 1.00; at **5c to 39c**
- Sauce Boats—Regularly 1.00 to 8.00; at **39c to 1.98**
- In some patterns one may select a complete dinner set. There are many patterns; spray, border and light and heavy bands. Many pieces are of real china, others of semi-porcelain.
- 14-inch Platters—Regularly \$1 to \$3; at **39c to 1.98**
- Sugar Bowls—Regularly 1.00 to 8.00; at **39c to 1.98**
- Cream Pitchers—Regularly 50c to 4.00; at **19c to 1.49**
- Vegetable Dishes—Regularly 15c to 3.00; at **19c to 1.50**

Fifth Floor—East

Brandeis' Candies

Are Fresh, Wholesome, Delicious

When you buy Brandeis' candy you buy a product that not only is Made-in-Omaha, but is made right here in our own modern candy factory. The pure ingredients that are used, the skilled makers that are employed, and the great amount of candy sold, insure rich, fresh and wholesome confections for those who demand the best in sweets.

Thursday—Friday—Saturday Fifteen Special Offerings in Assorted Confections

- Klondike—Maple nut, vanilla nut, pineapple fruit and black walnut; all assorted in box. Regularly 50c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 59c**
- Angel Food Taffy—Chocolate, vanilla, molasses and strawberry. Regularly 25c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 29c**
- Pure Sugar Stick Candy—Assorted flavors; regularly 40c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 49c**
- Peanut Brittle—Regularly 25c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 38c**
- Chocolate Dipped Caramels—Regularly 40c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 59c**
- Chocolate Peanut Clusters—Fresh 8 1/2 inch peanuts, dipped in high grade chocolate; regularly 40c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 49c**
- Chocolate Covered Peanuts—Regularly 60c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 69c**
- Satin Finish Filled Confections—Each piece stuffed with exquisitely flavored fruit marmalade. Regularly 40c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 59c**
- Full Cream Caramels—Nut and plain flavors; regularly 60c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 69c**
- Mint Chocolate—All assorted in a box. Regularly 80c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 71c**
- Peanuts—Fresh salted peanuts; regularly 25c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 43c**
- Wafers—Assorted tea wafers; regularly 40c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 45c**
- Willow Wafers—Are wrapped in tinfoil; regularly 1.00 per pound. **TWO POUNDS 1.49**
- Hot Brittle—Peanut, Brazil, almond and black walnut; regularly 60c per pound. **TWO POUNDS 69c**

Allegretti Chocolates—"World's Famous;" hand rolled creams; put up in three-pound boxes only. Regularly 2.00 per three-pound box; in this sale, per three-pound box, **1.25**

Main Floor—West

Thursday—900 Pairs Famous Perrin's Gloves

French and American Make **1.00** Formerly Priced at 2.50, 3.50 and 4.00

One and Two-clasp In All Popular Shades

In spite of the fact that these gloves are so-called "menders," for all purposes of wear they will give the same service as the "firsts." In all the popular shades, in one and two-clasp styles; in real kid, cape, mocha and suede.

Included in this sale are 600 pairs of Long White Silk Gloves, standards of better qualities, and 500 pairs of discontinued numbers in Kayser Novelty Chamisette Gauntlets; priced at, per pair, **1.00**

Main Floor—North

Spring Weather Calls for Boys' Tub Suits

Sizes 3 to 8 Years at **1.68 2.48 3.48**

The suits come in middy, French and one-piece styles. All new color combinations, all new clever styles, neatly trimmed with braid and embroidered emblems. In every way these suits are markedly superior and offer an opportunity to provide the boys' season's needs with dependable garments.

Every Suit Guaranteed Fade-proof
Fourth Floor

Hair Goods Sale

- Human Hair Switches—Of natural wavy hair; 1 1/2 ounces, 20 inches long; \$3 value. **1.48**
- First Quality Natural Wavy Hair Switches—Triple strand, 18 inches long. \$50 value, at **4.98**
- All Around Transformations—2 ounces, heavy, made of natural wavy first quality hair; \$12 value, **8.98**
- Ear Puffs—Made of first quality natural wavy hair, special for this sale at **3.48**

Visit Our Beauty Parlors—Third Floor—West