

WAR ZONE ACTUAL CHARNEL FIELD

Thousands of Bodies of Men Killed in Battle Strewn Through the Marshes of the Saint Gond.

COMING OF PESTILENCE FEARED

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) PARIS, April 22.—Seven months after the beginning of the retreat of the Germans, says Dr. Doisy, deputy for the Department of the Ardennes, "unburied dead are being found on the battlefield of the Marne, in the center of a village on the banks of the Marne, where the sanitary department was clearing away the debris it brought to light a body that was beyond identification, either as German or French."

"Hundreds, if not thousands, of bodies are supposed to be lying more or less submerged in the St. Gond marshes, where the Prussian guard was thrown back, it having had neither the time nor the means to save those who fell there."

In order to avoid the pestilential effects of warm weather on the unburied corpses, Dr. Doisy thinks it will be necessary to explore the entire swampy region with the aid of dogs.

Bodies in Wells and Springs. Bodies are also being found constantly under high in ditches and abandoned trenches. They are found not only in ditches, trenches and excavations made by shells, but in wells, springs and all the little streams of the region. In many places where it was possible to bury their dead, bodies were insufficiently covered with earth and were frequently buried in too close proximity to sources of water supply.

These conditions exist over a zone 250 miles long and from ten to forty miles wide, with a total of from 600 to 800 square miles of territory, a considerable part of which required thorough disinfection to prevent the outbreak of epidemic. Besides the bodies of men, there were in this zone thousands of bodies of animals, part of them killed by shell fire and many of them dead from starvation, having been abandoned by the fleeing population.

This vast work of disinfection is well under way. All the debris from bombarded buildings is being cleared away and the ground saturated with a solution of lime. The floors of every building that has been occupied by troops, whether German or French, are being scraped, then washed in a solution of hot water and carbonate of soda, while the walls are all newly whitewashed. Whenever any odor remains after these precautions have been taken more drastic measures are resorted to; in some cases the building is burned.

All yards and gardens around buildings that have sheltered troops are sprinkled with chlorine of lime. All wells and springs are thoroughly cleaned and the use of the water prohibited until analysis shows it to be absolutely unpoluted.

The authorities have also to solve the serious problem of sheltering the population that is gradually returning to the devastated regions. At Maurant, a town of 700 inhabitants, that was almost completely destroyed, 200 have already returned and are living mostly in the cellars of demolished houses, and under conditions that constitute a menace to health almost as serious as the presence of unburied, or insufficiently buried dead bodies.

Wives of the Men At the Front Are Organizing Army

LIVERPOOL, May 10.—An army of women, 1,800 strong, is quietly drilling at Liverpool. It is composed of soldiers' and sailors' wives who are tired of sitting idly at home, thinking of their absent husbands.

Princess Juliana Starts to School

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) THE HAGUE, Netherlands, May 10.—Princess Juliana, only child of Queen Wilhelmina and Prince Henry, her consort, began her schooling on her sixth birthday, April 30. The queen has decided to have a regular school class composed of children of the same age belonging to aristocratic Dutch families, and during the studies no difference is to be made between the princess and the other children.

German Helmets Rare Trophies

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, British Army, France, May 10.—German helmets, notwithstanding the thousands of Germans who have been killed, wounded and captured, are still rare trophies at the British front. There are two chief reasons for this. The first is that the Germans of late have been wearing caps; the second that the dead and wounded between the lines, on whom most of the helmets are to be found, are in no man's land, where it is almost sure death to venture.

Germany Buys Much Cotton

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) AMSTERDAM, April 15.—Telegram from Gothenburg, Sweden, to the British flag-ship states that the harbor of Gothenburg is overcrowded with cotton steamers or their way from America to Germany. Over 20,000 bales of cotton have passed through Gothenburg for Germany since the beginning of the war.

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BURGESS NASH STORE NEWS FOR MONDAY

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS FOR THE CROCKERY PLAINS

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Organdie or Batis'e Flouncings at 50c

The proper thing for graduating or wedding dresses, 27 to 40 inches wide, very fine quality. Several very pretty new designs from which to select. The values range to \$1.00 the yd.

18 to 27-Inch Lace Flouncings, 25c

Also all-overs, net top, shadow and silk chantilly, beautiful new patterns, specially priced.

18 to 36-Inch Lace Flouncings, 50c

Including all-overs in white, cream and black, also two-toned effects, consisting of embroidered nets, silk chantilly and shadow.

Laces Formerly to 25c, at 9c

Including net top edges, Venice edges and bands, silk laces, point Paris and Normandy vals, real linen cluny, etc.

Embroidery Flouncings Monday at 25c

Voile flouncings, all-over embroidery, dainty baby flouncings and fine corset cover embroidery flouncings, 18 to 36 inches wide. Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

Thousands of Yards of the Season's Most Desirable Wash Goods From the Hargadine-McKittrick Stock of St. Louis in the Basement Monday at Way Below the Regular Price

The stock of Hargadine-McKittrick Company, doing a wholesale business in St. Louis, was sold through the Ely & Walker Company of the same city. We were fortunate in securing a generous portion of this splendid stock of wash goods, and offer to you this remarkable buying advantage.

12 1/2c and 15c Batis'e-Dimity-Mulls, 7 1/2c A great variety of patterns, light medium and dark colored grounds with figures, dots, stripes, floral and conventional designs. Plenty of the desirable black and white effects. The widths are 27 to 28 ins. Price 7 1/2c

20c Woven Part Silk Tissues, 15c Woven from silk and the finest Egyptian cotton. The colorings are beautiful, every wanted stripe, check and small plaids are to be found. The lengths are just right for waists and dresses. A very desirable half silk wash fabric, at, yard 15c

Fast Color Blue Apron Gingham at 3 1/2c Even and broken checks, one grade under Amoskeag. Sale price from the bolt, yd. 3 1/2c

35c Silk Chiffons at 10c Yard Pretty floral and black and white effects that are bright, fresh and new. The same fabric would sell elsewhere at 35c yard. Sale price Monday, yard 10c

10c Nainsook, 12-Yard Bolt, 70c

English nainsook, 36 ins. wide, specially soft finish, 12-yard pieces; usually 10c yard; by the bolt, only 70c

15c White Persian Lawns, 7 1/2c

White Persian lawn, sheer and crisp, 45 ins. wide, 150 yd. value, Monday, yd. 7 1/2c

10c White Flaxon Monday at 10c yard

White flaxon corded crepe novelties, 27 ins. wide, usually 19c, Monday, the 10c

\$1.75 Bolt Nainsook, 10 Yards, \$1.10 40-inch Knickerbocker Nainsook, 10-yard bolts, right weight and finish for warm weather wear. \$1.75 values. On sale, at, bolt 1.10

15c White Poplin Monday at 7 1/2c White poplin, 27 inches wide, for separate skirts or suits, usually 15c. Mon. yd. 7 1/2c

50c Silk and Cotton Shirtings, 35c Beautiful selection of new stripes in a wide range of colorings, 32 ins. wide. Usual 50c quality, at, yard 35c

25c Washable Tissue Monday, 15c Splendid selection of new stripes and checks, good range of colors, 27 ins. wide; usually 25c, at, yard 15c

25c White Novelty Goods, 12 1/2c White novelties, fancy weaves; also plain sheer materials for waists or dresses, 36 inches wide; usually 25c yard. Monday, the 12 1/2c

Long Cloth, 10-Yard Bolt, at 55c

Old Glory long cloth, soft finish, no dressing, 10-yard pieces the bolt, each, at 55c

50c Fancy Ratine at 24c

Fancy ratine in mixtures and assorted shades, the usual 50c kind. Monday, at, yard 24c

Dennison's Crepe Paper Demonstration Continues

FREE instructions by Miss Burns, an expert in this. Come, it's free to you. Burgess-Nash Co., Main Floor, Balcony.

What Is Your Favorite Summer COAT?



\$16.50, \$19.50, \$25.00 to \$45.00 THE modish styles that women of discrimination desire, for social afternoon and informal evening wear, woolly white coats, exquisitely lined for instance, or the gaily lined or smartly practical types for the beach or in-town.

In an assemblage such as this, you'll find choosing a pleasingly difficult problem. An extensive collection of youthful belted and flared models deserve especial mention.

Distinctive Silk Coats in Taffeta and Faille at \$25.00 and up

May Sale of NEW BLOUSES Are Prettier Than We've Ever Before Displayed

ONE will find here, in profusion, dozens and dozens of new novelties and odd originations in blouses of a bewitching quaintness in design, and in a riot of gay colorings different from the usual.

Blouses for street--for calling--for the teardansant and many "day dress" affairs-- \$2.50, \$3.95, \$5.95 to \$25.00 Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

Dull Mat Green Jardinieres, 49c to 89c



JARDINIERS like illustration, in dull mat green finish, sizes 8, 9 and 10-in. openings, usually 75c to \$1.50, special Monday at 49c, 69c and 89c. Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor.

Silk Crepe de Chines Monday \$1.29 Usually \$1.50 and \$1.89 a Yard

YOU'LL appreciate this very special value when you realize that the material is not the light weight quality, but a good heavy grade, 42 inches wide, pure all-silk in black, cream, flesh, pink, lavender, old rose, Nile, gray, light blue, brown, tan, gold, yellow, pigeon blue, copen, reseda, etc.

\$1.50 Dress and Suit Silks, 90c Including high-grade chiffon taffeta and messaline silks in plain colors, new stripes, checks, figures and plaids. Latest colors and designs, 36 inches wide.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Wash Silks Monday, 80c Neat colored stripes, also satin stripes, all on white grounds, excellent for waists and skirts, guaranteed to wear and wash perfectly, 32 to 36 inches wide.

Plain and Fancy Silks at 40c For summer dresses, such as foulards in a large assortment of neat figures and dots, plain messaline, fancy taffeta, pretty new shades.

80c Silk Poppins in Basement, 30c Plain colors, both light and dark, also cream and black, 24-inch.

Black Silks in Basement, 60c Including taffeta and messaline, 36 inches wide, very special. Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

Lace, Voile and Net Summer DRESSES

COOL, crisp frocks, dainty in fabric and exquisitely trimmed with delicate laces and embroideries.

at \$12.00

—sheer voile summer dresses in plain white, in striped patterns or polka dot effects.

at \$19.50

—a chic model produced through extremely artistic combinations of net and voile, lace and embroidery trimming.

at \$25.00

—frocks for dancing and evening wear—made of shadow lace over net and with girde of silk.

at \$29.50

—new summer dresses of embroidered net over plain net in pastel shades; skirt with corded flounce and medallions. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.



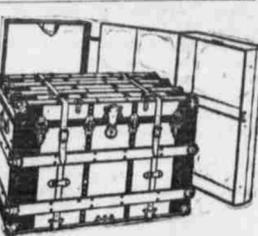
A Sale of Sample Trunks on the Fourth Floor Monday at About One-Fourth Under the Usual Selling Price

AN opportune offering—just at a time when most everyone is planning their vacation trip.

The trunks are samples from one of the largest manufacturers. Everyone a good one, heavy canvas covered with weather proof oil finish painting. Some fitted with heavy leather straps and extra tray, brass locks, heavy brass corners, linen and fancy pattern linings. Three groups:

- Sample Trunks, All Sizes for \$4.95
Sample Trunks, All Sizes for \$6.95
Sample Trunks, All Sizes for \$8.95

Sample wardrobe trunks, high grade, at \$6.50 to \$10.00 under the regular price. Burgess-Nash Co.—Fourth Floor.



Sale of SEWING MACHINES List Price \$35 to \$40 at \$23.75

AN opportunity such as this doesn't come your way very often. Monday morning we are going to place on sale a limited number of high-grade Sewing Machines, including such makes as:

WHITE PARAGON NEW HOME SINGER STANDARD

These are new machines, sample machines and slightly used machines. They are all drophead styles, all in perfect condition and are complete with all attachments—every one guaranteed for ten years. Terms—\$2.00 Down and \$1.00 a Week. Free Lessons. No Mail or Phone Orders. Burgess-Nash Sewing Machine Section—Third Floor.

Many Every Day Housefurnishing Needs Underpriced

ELECTRIC FANS! 8-in. Carenton Fans, at \$7.45 8-in. Oscillating Diehl Fans, \$13.50

Old English floor wax, pint can, only 25c Climax wall paper cleaner, 25c Ready mixed house and floor paint, A-1 quality, gallon, \$1.50 5-lb. package of Kalkomo, any color, at 35c

Patent egg boiler with egg timer attached. Special 25c Liquid vapor, 50c bottle 37c 4-qt. Peerless ice cream freezers, \$2.35 value; special \$1.75 Gas hot plates, drilled burner, 2 hole size, \$1.75; 3-hole size \$2.75 Gasoline stoves, 2 burners, \$3.75; 3 burners \$4.98 Burnasco oil cooking stoves, 2 burners, \$7.00; 3 burners \$9.00 Caloric fireless cookers, regular price \$22.25. Special \$18.50 Thermax electric irons, guaranteed, at \$3.99 Tall, all brass cuspidors, regular \$2.85 values \$1.50 Burgess-Nash Co.—Basement.

2-qt. aluminum rice boilers, regular \$2 value; special \$1.00 2 quart round shaped aluminum percolators, long spout, \$2.50 value, for \$1.50 Set of sensible sad irons, 5-pieces, for \$1.25 50 ft. garden hose, coupled \$3.98 Brass lawn sprays, at 90c Good grass hooks and grass shears, 19c value 10c

OVER THE COFFEE CUPS

—THE JUNE BRIDE who wishes to keep her dining room table as polished and perfect as it is now will welcome the asbestos dish mats. (Main Floor.)

—IT WILL BE A LAY MAN'S JOB if you get the right lawn mower—your lawn will need only the once over. (Basement.)

—WEAR A QUESTION MARK IN YOUR HAIR! Stone set question marks are the latest for women's hair. They are very popular, too. (Main Floor.)

—"COL BOGEY" seems to be quite at home among the new soft clubs, balls and accessories in the Sporting Goods Store. (Fourth Floor.)

—Modern battles are being won with the spade. It is the same with gardening campaigns, the winning spades are here. (Basement.)

—There's peace in the air, perhaps. There's fire in the air, unquestionably; all the munitions for fly war are ready. (Basement.)

Madame Dougherty Will Explain the Merits of Anita and W. B. Corsets

MADAME Dougherty, who is conceded to be one of the greatest authorities in America on the little secret arts of beautifying the form feminine, will give a series of demonstrations of the famous Anita and W. B. Corsets in our Corset Section, Second floor, beginning on Monday morning. We invite all our friends and visitors to the store to come and share these beauty secrets and consult Madame Dougherty as to their corsets or other fashion needs. The

"Anita" and "W. B."

models are the daintiest examples of corset craft we have ever seen and we are sure that our friends will be delighted with their dainty, shapely beauty. Their slender classic lines work wonders in perfecting figures that require improvement. Exquisite Anita and W. B. models will be shown which are positively the daintiest examples of the corset maker's art, which have yet been revealed to the feminine eye. Come and enjoy the benefits of this special demonstration which has been arranged especially for your benefit. Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.



Many a Porch Will Be a Summer Resort This Season

IT'S time to furnish the porch and lawn for "Old summer-time" is here to stay. Our display of summer furniture for porch, lawn or living room is very comprehensive in display and most attractive. These special for Monday:



THIS \$4.50 FIBRE ROCKER LIKE PICTURE, \$2.95 Either green or brown finish, reinforced arms and back with reinforced seat. heavy braces on the seat. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor.



THIS \$4.50 PORCH SWING LIKE PICTURE, \$2.25 Four foot wood porch swing with sixteen slats in back bolted construction, complete heavy chains for hanging. \$6.50 Porch Swing, \$6.00 Four foot wood porch swing, mortised and bolted construction, complete with chains for hanging. \$9.00 Porch Swing, \$6.25 Five foot wood porch swing, mortised and bolted construction, complete with chains for hanging. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor.



THIS \$4.50 SEWED ROCKER LIKE PICTURE, \$2.95 Fibre construction with six supports, cretonne cushion and back, brown finish, an extreme value. \$4.50 Wood Rocker, \$3.25 Heavy wood rocker bolted construction, mission finish. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor.

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