

DISASTER AND DEATH IN TRAIL OF NEWS FAKE

Premature Peace Celebrations Have Unfortunate Endings; Whole Nation is Disappointed by Hoax.

New York, Nov. 8.—Millions of Americans realized today that they had been hoaxed into celebrating the end of the war by publication of the United Press dispatches declaring the armistice signed and fighting ended.

Twenty-four hours have passed since the country was thrown into a delirium by these reports, which declared the armistice had been signed at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and that fighting had ceased at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Each hour brings added official evidence that the reports were false and that the American people were fooled. Not only have official communications from France to the State department at Washington denounced the reports as untrue, but the official statements of the French and British war offices show the fighting is still going on.

Far from signing an armistice at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, the German delegates did not cross the allied line until last night. This is recorded in Associated Press dispatches filed in Paris at 4:20 o'clock this morning. The German delegates were to be conducted early today to the meeting place, which is four hours' journey from La Capelle, the place where they crossed the allied lines.

The Associated Press did not receive or distribute any of the dispatches which misled the American people into celebrating the greatest hoax of recent years. On the other hand, by investigation through official channels, the Associated Press was able to deny it.

Big Fire Loss.

Marblehead, Mass., Nov. 8.—Plant No. 2 of the Burgess Aeroplane company, which was filled with government airplanes, and the plant of Stearne & McKay company, containing more than 40 yachts, were destroyed tonight with an estimated loss of \$300,000 by fire caused by spontaneous combustion in the paint shop of the Burgess company, whose plant had been shut down in order to permit workmen to celebrate what proved false reports of the signing of an armistice by Germany. Before the watchman could reach the scene the flames had gained great headway.

One Is Dead.

New Castle, Pa., Nov. 8.—An unidentified 14-year-old boy is dead and five other persons are in hospitals today suffering from serious injuries as a result of accidents which marred the premature peace celebration here last night. The dead boy and four injured men were the victims of a noise bomb explosion.

During the celebration Jack McDonald, foreman at a local tin plate factory, was beaten and shot by a crowd when he was mistaken for a foreigner who is said to have defiled an American flag.

Woman Is Killed.

Boise, Nov. 8.—The peace celebration was quieted at Twin Falls, Idaho, yesterday when Mrs. Amos A. Wright, aged 50, was killed while joining in the hilarities. A portion of the street had just been roped off for the dancers and paraders, when an automobile crashed into the taut rope and broke it. In the recoil the snapping rope hit Mrs. Wright and threw her against another automobile. Her skull was fractured, and she died within 15 minutes.

Death in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Celebration of the fake report that the Germans had signed the armistice agreement caused the death of the shooting of two and the maiming of several others of 14 other persons. The deaths, shooting and accidents occurred yesterday afternoon and last night. Joyous crowds, believing Germany had surrendered, revelled in the city's streets.

Nicola Francino, 15 years old, was killed by an unknown person while standing in front of his home watching a parade. He fell with a bullet in his neck.

George Wharton, a policeman, was shot in the leg by some unknown person in a crowd.

William G. Schoen, 47, was shot in the neck. A young girl reveler was arrested, charged with firing the shot.

A young man was pushed beneath a trolley car by a surging crowd. Both legs were crushed. His condition is critical. Thirteen others were hurt, mostly by being hit by motor cars in densely crowded streets.

Italians Pay Tribute to the United States for War Help

Rome, Nov. 8.—"The heroic Italian army, ably seconded by the navy, which played a greater part in obtaining victory than is generally supposed, have at last brought the Italian war to a successful and glorious conclusion," said Lieutenant Commander Rizzo to the Associated Press yesterday. Lieutenant Commander Rizzo directed the daring raid into the inner harbor at Trieste in December last, when two Austrian battleships were sunk by torpedoes.

"At this hour," he continued, "when hopes of many years are about to be realized, it is interesting to look back and see the immense debt the entente owes to America. Without its moral support the allies might have given up hope. Without its food the allies might have been starved. Without its supplies and materials it might have been an impossibility to carry on the war. Thus Italy might never have had the chance to obtain the splendid victory of today."

Destroyers Menace to All Craft on Seas in Dashes in Darkness

On Board an American Vessel in French Waters.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—An American vessel with her depth bombs ready to be discharged is indeed a dangerous craft to monkey with. She is a menace not only to the enemy, but to any other craft with which she might collide, and to herself as well, in the darkness running without lights. If one of her depth bombs loaded with its heavy charge of TNT should be accidentally exploded there would be little left of the destroyer.

The deadly depth charge, which is proving to be the conclusive answer to the submarine menace now, is being released from every quarter of the destroyer. Two of these big cylinders of high explosives can be dropped from the bridge by the pressure of a button, amidships Thorncroft throwers drop a charge from either side of the destroyer, forming a barrage.

"Y-guns" are stationed amidships with two barrels, each of which throws a depth charge one to port and the other to starboard. Finally astern, there are two long lines of depth charges running on miniature r-way tracks, ready to be dropped over the stern.

With all these depth bomb charges, ready to be let loose forward, aft and amidships a complete enveloping barrage can be put in operation any time. With the destroyers completely enveloping the transports the water barrage extends its protecting sweep entirely around the fleet.

Great care is taken against any collisions in the darkness which would release the depth charges. While the shock of a collision would not cause an explosion the depth bomb might destroy its own ship by exploding when it reached the depth fixed by the fuse. Such an explosion has actually occurred in one case, doing considerable damage but causing no fatalities. This incident has given warning of the extreme care needed to guard against night collisions when the fleet is going through the darkness with all the lights out.

Two Are Killed When New York Celebrates Fake News

New York, Nov. 8.—Mrs. Louise Thompson, widow of Howard N. Thompson, one time correspondent of the Associated Press at Paris and Petrograd, and her daughter, Margaret, 10 years old, were killed last night at the height of the celebration in Yonkers over the false armistice reports, when an automobile struck and hurled them under a trolley car. They were caught in a pocket in the crowd while crossing a street shortly before midnight. The driver of the motor car was arrested, charged with homicide.

The Wonderful Call When Baby Comes

Like the Blast of Heavenly Trumpet When Call of Motherhood Is Felt.



Of all the most vital times in a woman's life the coming of baby is fraught with the greatest meaning. Care should be exercised to insure that the crisis is passed in safety. Apprehension is avoided by the timely use of Mother's Friend, a preparation of penetrating oils and medicinal ingredients, which renders the muscles, cords, tendons and ligaments pliable, and thus tension is avoided. The usual nervousness, nausea, bearing-down and stretching pains are counteracted and the period is one of calm repose. The broad, flat abdominal muscles relax with ease, and when baby comes the time at the crisis is less and pain and danger is avoided. Thousands of women for half a century have used this penetrating external application, proving its special value to expectant mothers, and every woman awaiting the crisis should give nature a helping hand. Write the Bradford Book Co., Dept. F, Lamar Building, Atlanta, Georgia, for their Motherhood Book, of great value to all women. It contains a bottle of Mother's Friend from the druggist and begins its application regularly night and morning.—Adv.

RELIEVED FROM ITCHING BURNING ECZEMA

Gives Resinol the Whole Credit.

Aug. 15.—"For some time I suffered frightfully from eczema on my legs. From my knees down they were covered with scales, and itched and burned as though hot coals were resting on them. I would scratch until the blood came, and was unable to sleep at night. Nothing that I tried helped me, until a druggist recommended Resinol Ointment. After applying it once, I enjoyed the first good night's sleep I had had in weeks. Now I am sound and well after using a little over one jar of Resinol Ointment, to which I give the whole credit." (Signed) F. B. Price, 414 Downey St., Indianapolis, Ind.

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You are offered here values in Overcoats at prices less than we could get for them if we wanted to sell at wholesale on the present high market.

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Single and double-breasted coats, Russian Cossack styles, welt-waist styles, military models, ulsterettes, Chesterfields, box overcoats, motor coats; feather lined, fur lined, fur collared—

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The New Coat for Young Men

The young chaps are delighted with the new coat we are showing. It is fur-collared, three-quarter length, moleskin, cut trench style and full-belted, with sheep or mackinaw body lining; shawl or convertible collar—

\$25, \$30, \$35

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits, \$30, \$35, \$40 to \$60

Munsing Wear For Men—Our Great Semi-Annual Clearing Sale of Seconds

Every man in Omaha should take advantage of this semi-yearly offering of "Seconds" in Munsing Fall and Winter Weight Union Suits. They are good, warm and durable—just like the No. 1 garments, except for slight imperfections in weave or oil stains.

- All the seconds of \$2.50 and \$3.00 Munsing Union Suits, at.... **\$1.95**
- All the seconds of \$4.00 and \$5.00 Munsing Union Suits, at.... **\$2.98**
- All the Seconds of \$5.50 and \$6.00 Munsing Union Suits, at.... **\$3.98**

In conjunction with this we offer thousands of dollars' worth of Men's Winter Underwear, placed on sale at very low prices.

- Men's Extra Heavy Ribbed and Fleece Union Suits**, made of extra fine quality yarns, and perfectly fitting. Special at..... **\$1.95**
- Men's Wool Mixed Union Suits**, heavy and medium weight, made by some of the best underwear mills, in grey, ecru, and random mixtures, all sizes **\$2.98**
- Men's Extra Heavy Wool Mixed Union Suits**, in natural gray. Special..... **\$3.98**
- Men's Wool and Wool Mixed Shirts and Drawers**, in assorted colors, many of these garments are worth \$5.00 each. Sizes somewhat broken, but all sizes in the lot. Special at..... **\$2.50**
- Men's Wool and Wool Mixed Sweater Coats**, made in heavy rope stitch style, large ruff neck collar, in assorted colors. Oxford, tan, maroon and navy. Special at..... **\$6.50**
- Men's All Wool and Worsted Sweater Coats**, "Webber Make", made on hand machine, which insures wearing qualities, and perfect fitting, in plain and fancy trimmed styles, in both rope stitches and plain weaves. Special at..... **\$7.50 to \$15.00**
- Men's Heavy Outing Flannel Night Shirts**, cut extra long and full. These are special at..... **\$1.39 to \$2**
- Men's Fine Quality Wool and Worsted Hose**, in plain colors and fancy mixtures, in colors both for army or civilian wear. Special at..... **69¢ to \$1.25**
- Men's Wool and Leather Gloves and Mittens** for winter wear, heavy lined leather gloves and mittens, wool gloves, jersey knit gloves. Big assortment to choose from. Special at..... **69¢ to \$2.50**
- Men's Dress and Street Gloves**—Perrins', Updegraff, Daniel Hoys, and Danforth makes, unlined, silk lined, lambs wool lined, wool knit lined, in Mocha, Buckskin and Cope leathers, every pair guaranteed. Special at..... **\$2.00 to \$6.50**
- Men's Outing Flannel Pajamas**, made of the best quality outing flannel and Domet flannel. Plain and fancy trimmed. Special at **\$2.50 to \$3.00**
- Munsing Wear Union Suits** for men, in all weights and materials. As we are Omaha Exclusive Agents and the quality of this Underwear is limited, we advise you to buy early, while sizes are complete. Prices range from..... **\$1.75 to \$8.00**



Men's and Boys' Shoes

A Saturday sale of good-wearing, comfort-giving shoes for men and boys at lowest prices of the season.

\$4.95 a Pair

Shoes Regularly Sold at \$6.00 and \$6.50.

The lot includes dark brown and black kid, gun-metal, calf and box calf leathers; broad, medium and narrow toe shapes; lace and blucher; all sizes.

Billiken Shoes for Boys, \$3.95

Made of heavy black oil grain upper leather, with sturdy soles; broad toe shapes; sizes 1 to 5½, at..... **\$3.95**

Good Wearing Shoes for Boys, \$3.00

Good quality satin calf, with heavy soles; lace and blucher; medium and wide toe shapes sizes 1 to 5½, at..... **\$3.00**

When You Are Ready to Select Your NEW FALL HAT

Something mighty interesting here for the man who is alert to smart hat styles—and even more important—who knows sound values when he sees them.

Stetsons at..... **\$5, \$6, \$7, \$9** and up to **\$20**

Mayo Hats sold exclusively here, at..... **\$3.50**

J. Berg & Co., New York, nobby hats for young men, at..... **\$4 and \$5**

Borsalino Hats—Why pay \$7.00 and up to \$8 for a Borsalino hat when you can buy them here at..... **\$5**

Men's \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 Hats, at..... **\$2.50**

Another big hat sale Saturday including add lots and sample lines of men's high grade hats. Values up to \$4, Saturday up to..... **\$2.50**

BOYS' HEADWEAR.

Immense Assortment of boys' and children's fall and winter headwear, all colors and all styles—Golf caps and Rah-Rah hats, at..... **65¢ to \$3.50**

Boys' Cloth Hats, at..... **\$1.25 and \$1.50**

Boys' Hockey Knit Caps, at..... **65¢, 75¢ and \$1**

OVER SEA CAPS.

Boys' and Children's Over-Sea Caps, at..... **75¢, \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.75** and up to **\$2.50**

TOOLS A Great Saturday Sale TOOLS

For the Carpenter, for the Householder or for Anyone Who Needs TOOLS of Any Kind

- Razors Half Price**
We have been fortunate in securing a lot of very high grade razors in variety of styles, in ½, ¾ and 1-inch blades, medium and full hollow grinding; many of them with a very high crocus polish finish; values to \$3..... **\$1.49**
- Razor Straps**
We have a lot that was purchased some time ago. They cannot be purchased from manufacturers today for the sale price, choice..... **\$1**
- Shears**
One lot of very best steel laid shears, in all sizes, both straight and bent; values from \$1.25 to \$2..... **79¢ to \$1.29**
- One lot of good shears**, some slightly misforged, but every one a good, serviceable shear; assorted sizes and styles..... **49¢**
- Keen Kutter, nickel plated, finish hammers**..... **\$1.29**
- A very high grade forged hammer** but rather roughly finished; for only..... **59¢**
- High grade ball pen hammers**, fine for your auto repair kit; several sizes; choice..... **49¢**
- Lathing Hatchets**
Genuine Underhill Boston Star lathing hatchets; while the lot lasts..... **\$1.49**
- Hammers**
Genuine "David Maydole" carpenter's claw hammer; any size or style..... **98¢**
- Files**
One lot of 5-5 ½-6-in. slim blunt saw files, limit of 1 dozen to a customer; while they last, each..... **7¢**
Per dozen..... **75¢**
- Rules**
One-foot 4-fold rules, while they last..... **10¢**
- Buck Saws**
A buck saw with warranted quality blade and a good heavy frame..... **\$1.29**
¾ feet, one man cross saws for..... **\$2.98**
1-ft. one man cross cut saw, at..... **\$3.19**
- Oil Stones**
One lot of genuine India oil stones, in medium and combination, sizes 6x2x1 and 7x2x1..... **69¢**
- Washita oil stones**, in three sizes each..... **25¢**
- AXES**
Very high grade axes, Phantom, beveled and polished blade..... **\$1.98**
Boys' axes..... **98¢**
- Furnace Scoops**, fit any furnace door..... **98¢**
5-foot furnace pokes, ¾-inch thick, straight or bent..... **98¢**
- Saws**
A few 26-inch Keen Kutter saws, at..... **\$2.19**
A very good mechanic's grade saw, at..... **\$1.49**
Serviceable around the house saws, at..... **69¢**
- Chisels**
One lot of high grade warranted chisels, sizes ¼-inch to 1½-inch, any size..... **49¢**
- Pocket Knives**
A wide assortment in large and smaller patterns, stag and ebony handles; values to \$1; choice for..... **69¢**
- Saw Sets**
Morrill pattern saw sets..... **39¢**
Genuine Morrill saw sets..... **79¢**
- Screw Drivers**
One lot, ranging in size from 3-16x2 to 5-16x5, choice..... **10¢**
One lot of best quality screw drivers, ranging from the light cabinet screw drivers to the very heavy ones; length 5 to 8 inches; price..... **39¢**
- Pliers**
A nickel-plated, high grade 6-inch slip joint, combination plier..... **29¢**
- Brick Trowels**
Genuine "Rose" Philadelphia pattern, in a variety of sizes; while they last..... **98¢**