

# Unity of Command Lauded By President in Address At Manchester Luncheon

Co-operation of Allied Commanders Secret of Success in War; When Peace Is Conducted on the Same Basis As War We Will Have No War, Wilson Tells Hosts at Municipal Dinner.

Manchester, Dec. 30.—The luncheon by the municipality of Manchester today to President Wilson was held in the ball room of the Midland hotel. The room was decorated simply with palms standing against the white and gold walls. The tables were arranged in the form of a gridiron. The president sat in the center of a long table on the right of the lord mayor. American and British flags were draped on the walls behind them.

In his address at the luncheon at the Midland hotel, President Wilson referred to unity of command on the battlefield in the recent hostilities.

"I not only, he said, 'had the pleasure of meeting Marshal Foch, who confirmed my admiration by the direct and simple manner in which he dealt with every subject we talked about, but I had the pleasure of meeting your own commander and I understand how they co-operated, because I saw they were real men.'"

**Need Unity of Purpose.**  
It would be necessary in the years to come, he said, to submit to unity of command, but the powers must plan a unity of purpose in which they would find a great recompense and a strengthening of spirit.

The text of President Wilson's speech at the Midland hotel luncheon is as follows:

"You have again made me feel the cordiality of you, friendship, and I want to tell you how much I appreciate it, not only on my own behalf, but on behalf of my partner. It is very interesting that the lord mayor should have referred in his address to every vital circumstance in our friendship. He referred to the fact that our men and your men have fought side by side in the great battles.

**One Commander.**  
"But there was more than that in it. For the first time upon such a scale as any rate, they have fought under a common commander. That is an advance which we have made upon the previous days and what I have been particularly interested in has been the generosity of spirit with which that unity of command has been assented to.

"I not only had the pleasure of meeting Marshal Foch, who confirmed my admiration of him by the direct and simple manner with which he dealt with every subject we talked about, but I had the pleasure of meeting your own commander, and I understand how they co-operated, because I saw they were real men.

"It takes a real man to subordinate himself and it takes a real soldier to know that unity of command is the secret of success. That unity of command did swing the power of the Allies into a mighty force. I think we all must have felt how the momentum which got into all of the armies was concentrated into the single army and we felt we had overcome all the obstacles.

"With our unity of command there arose a unity of spirit. The

minute we consented to co-operate our hearts were drawn closer together into co-operation, and so, from the military side, we had given ourselves an example for the years to come. Not that in the years to come we must submit to a unity of command, but it does seem to me that in the years to come we must plan a unity of purpose, and in that unity of purpose we shall find a great recompense, as strengthening of our spirit in everything that we do.

"There is nothing so hampering and nothing so demeaning as jealousy. It is a cancer. It is a cancer in the heart; not only that, but in the counting room; it is a cancer throughout all the processes of civilization, and having row seen, we will continue to advance shoulder to shoulder, and I think you will find that the people of the United States are not the least eager for the purpose.

**Common Enemy Overcome.**  
"I remember hearing the story of a warning that one of your Australian soldiers gave to one of ours. Our soldiers were considered by the old men to be a bit rash when they were in the field. I understand that one friendly Australian said that our men were rather rough.

"On one occasion an Australian said to one of our men: 'Man, a barrage is not a thing to lean up against.' They were a little bit inclined to lean up against the barrage, and yet I must confide to you that I was a bit proud of them for it. They had come over to get at the enemy and they didn't know who they should defy.

"But now that there is no common enemy except distrust and marionettes, we can all feel the same eagerness in the new combat and feel that there is a common enterprise before us.

**Hopes for No More War.**  
"We are not men because we have skill of hand, but we are men because we have elevation of spirit. It is in this spirit that we live and not in the task of the day. If it is not that, why is it that you hang your musket or sword up above the mantelpiece, but never hang the yardstick up? There is nothing discreditable in the yardstick. It is altogether honorable, but he is using it for his own sake. But when he is giving everything and it is getting nothing. It is honorable not as an instrument, but as a symbol of sacrifice.

"A friend of mine said very truly: 'When peace is conducted in the spirit of war there will be no war.' When business is done with the point of view of the soldier who is serving his country, then business will be as historic as war. I believe that from generation to generation steps of that sort are gaining more and more and men are beginning to see, not perhaps, the golden age, but an age which is conducting them from victory to victory and may lead us to an elevation from which we can see the things for which the heart of mankind has longed."

## Brief City News

**Have Root Print It**—Beacon Press. Carey Cleaning Co.—Web, 392.  
**25 Per Cent Discount** on electric table lamps.—Burgess, Granden Co.  
**Joe Calley III**—Lt. Joe Calley, who was recently released from service, is confined to his room at the Loyal hotel with the la grippe.

**Stowell Is Recovering**—B. T. Stowell, who has been ill with influenza three weeks, is rapidly convalescing and will be out this week.  
**George Brandels in Kansas City**—Mr. and Mrs. George L. Brandels went to Kansas City Sunday for a few days' visit and business trip combined.

**Women Meeting**—Omaha Home-stead No. 1404, of the Yeomen, will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday, January 1, 8 p. m., Lyric building. Class adoption. New regalia.  
**Leave for Lexington**—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Castle, accompanied their son, Frederick A. Castle, Jr., Sunday evening to Lexington, Mo., where he will enter the Wentworth Military school.

**Open Dental Parlors**—Dr. E. L. Meyers and H. A. Merchant have opened dental parlors on the fourth floor of the Bee building. Both doctors have been practicing dentistry in the McCague building for several years.

**Install Officers**—The Independent Order of B'Nal Brith, No. 354, will hold a smoker and installation of officers in the club rooms in the Lyric building Thursday night. Prominent speakers have been secured.

**Married This Year; Want Divorce**—Lynn Ireland charges his wife, Cleoria, with extreme cruelty and abandonment. In a petition which has been filed in district court he asks for a decree. The Irelands were married on June 15 of this year.

**Two Years for Beating Squaw**—Louis Bigbear, Indian from the Winnebago reservation who was recently found guilty of attacking an aged squaw by a jury in federal court, was sentenced to two years in the Leavenworth prison Monday by Judge Woodrugh.

**Trustees' Meeting**—A trustees' meeting of the Nebraska Humane society will be held at the Chamber of Commerce at 12:30 today. The program for the annual meeting to be held January 14 will be taken up at this meeting. The new office of the society has been established in room 403 of the city hall.

**Useless Envelopes**—More than 13,000 envelopes have been received at the United States marshal's office. The envelopes are intended for use to mail permits to German aliens who wished to change their place of residence, but now that the armistice has been signed the permits are no longer required and federal officials do not know what disposition will be made of them.

**Talk Proposed Laws**—The municipal affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce met Monday noon and entered into a lengthy discussion of proposed legislation to be presented before the Nebraska legislature respecting public improvements in Omaha, but which is dependent upon the passage of additional laws. A committee was named to draft the necessary bills.

**Fine fireplace goods** at Sunderland's.  
**Sends Her Christmas Money to Brother Who is in Navy**  
Winifred Estelle, 6 years old on Sunday, believed that the best use she could make of \$5 given to her for Christmas was to send the money to her brother, Arthur Murray, who is in the naval service on the Pacific coast.

There were many things this little miss wanted to buy for herself, but she was firm in her decision that the money should go to her brother. Miss Estelle is a daughter of Judge and Mrs. Lee S. Estelle.

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STORE NEWS FOR TUESDAY

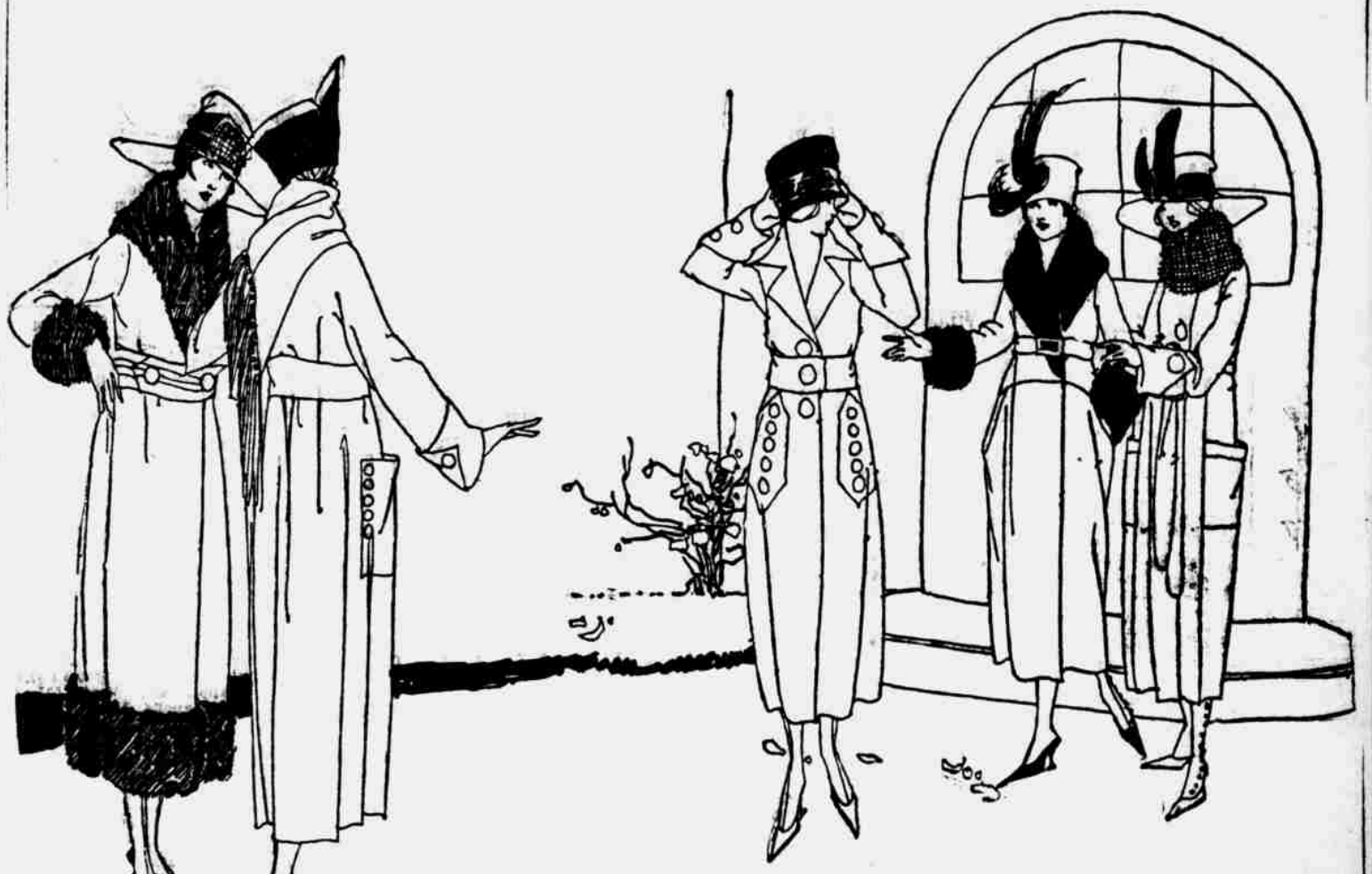
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## TUESDAY in the DOWNSTAIRS STORE

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**Ginghams, 39c**  
32-inch zephyr ginghams, dark plaids, for women's or children's dresses, at 39c yard.

**Poplins, at 29c**  
Mercerized poplins, in good range of colors. Special for Tuesday, at 29c a yard.

**Boys' Union Suits**  
Natural or balbriggan cotton, fleece lined. Priced according to size, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

**Fancy Goods, 9c**  
Including:  
Slipper cotton.....  
Embroidery box  
floss.....  
Knitting needles...  
D. M. C. cotton...  
Ball cotton for embroidery.....  
Crochet books.....  
**Choice  
9c**

**Ribbons, 1/2 Price**  
Short lengths of plain and flowered ribbons in a variety of shades and patterns, at 1/2 price.

**Men's Shirts, 98c**  
Roadmen's samples of percale of fine quality, poplins, madras, neckband or negligee styles; choice, Tuesday, at 98c.

### What \$1 Will Buy Here Tuesday

A GROUP of items in the Housefurnishing section offered at prices that mean greatly increasing the purchasing power of a dollar.

**Mop Outfit for \$1.00**  
Consisting of cedar oil mop, triangle shape, chemically treated, dustless mop. Pint can cedar oil polish and 2 handles. The outfit, \$1.00.

**16 Rolls Toilet Paper, \$1.00**  
Crepe tissue toilet paper, large size rolls. 16 for \$1.00.

**Clothes Hampers, at \$1.00**  
Splint clothes hamper with hinged cover. Good size, \$1.00.

**Bread Raisers, at \$1.00**  
Enameled bread raisers, turquoise enameled outside, white enamel lined, with heavy retinned cover. 14-quart size for \$1.00.

**Enameled Roasters, \$1.00**  
Enameled covered roasters, seamless, first quality, round shape, \$1.00.

**Enameled Dish Pans, \$1.00**  
Gray enameled seamless dish pans, 14-quart size, first quality, \$1.00.

**Enameled Stock Pots, \$1.00**  
Gray enameled stock pots, seamless, with two side handles. 12-quart size, \$1.00.

**Clothes Baskets, at \$1.00**  
Elm splint clothes baskets, wood bottom, medium size, \$1.00.

**Dish Drainers, at \$1.00**  
Sherwood dish drainer, consists of oblong shape galvanized pan and rack for holding dishes, \$1.00.

**Waste Paper Baskets, \$1.00**  
Metal waste paper baskets. Special for Tuesday, at \$1.00.

YOUR  
CHOICE  
**\$1.00**

**Child's Mittens, 35c**  
Double wool mittens, also fleece lined mittens with Astrachan back, gray and brown, 35c a pair.

**Trimmed Hats, at 1/2**  
Our entire stock of women's trimmed hats offered for Tuesday, at exactly half price.

**Infants' Wear, at 1/2**  
Infants' and children's knit wear, including sweater sets, toques, capes, booties and mittens, at 1/2 price.

**Handkerchiefs, 7 1/2c**  
Men's, women's and children's handkerchiefs, plain white and colors. Special, at 7 1/2c each.

**Veiling Remnants, 25c**  
Wide variety of patterns, 1/2 to 1 yard lengths. Special, Tuesday, at 25c each.

**Men's O'Als, \$1.98**  
Made of blue denim, medium weight, double stitched throughout and reinforced. Tuesday, at \$1.98.

**Men's Hose, 39c**  
Men's wool mixed hose, natural and oxford colors. Special for Tuesday, at 39c.

**Men's Gloves, 29c**  
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