

### CANNIBALISM IN ARMENIA IS HEINZ REPORT

#### Starvation Among Refugees Forces Thousands to Exhume Bodies and Eat Human Flesh.

Constantinople, May 22.—Starvation and misery prevail among Armenian refugees in the Caucasus region, according to a telegram sent to Herbert Hoover in Paris by Howard Heinz, American food commissioner for the near east, who is in this city.

Mr. Heinz says that food for 500,000 in that territory will have to be provided by outside sources for another year.

"Regarding reports of cannibalism which have come out of this district from Coa," said the telegram, "I have been forced against my will to believe these reports to be true. I saw with my own eyes mutilated remains of corpses which have been exhumed from newly made graves. I did not see anybody who had actually witnessed the eating of human flesh, but there is so much circumstantial evidence that I personally came to believe it true.

"Cholera is making its appearance and the outlook is threatening."

### Paper Mills to Reopen Monday After Strike

Glens Falls, N. Y., May 22.—According to present indications the mills of the International Paper company throughout the country, which have been shut down since May 11, as a result of a strike of employees, will reopen Monday morning, May 26, with all the strikers back at their jobs. Thereafter conferences between officers of the company and representatives of the union are expected to take place for a settlement of the men's wage demands.

### A REAL HAIR SAVER

This Man is Growing Bald. Parian Sage is Just the Thing for Such Cases.



#### This'll make it Grow Daddy

If your hair is thinning out, prematurely gray, brittle, lifeless, full of dandruff and your head itches like mad, quick action must be taken to save your hair.

Don't wait until the hair root is dead, for then nothing can prevent baldness.

Get from Sherman & McConnell's a good drug or toilet counter today a package of Parian Sage—it does not cost much and there's nothing else you could use that's so simple, safe and effective.

You will surely be delighted with the first application. Your hair will seem much more abundant and radiant with life and beauty—all itching ceases and your scalp feels cool and comfortable. Parian Sage is in great demand by discriminating women because it is delicate, perfumed, does not color or streak the hair, and keeps it lustrous, soft and fluffy.

Be sure you get the genuine Parian Sage (Groux's) for this is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or nothing to pay—adv.

### THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arm, neck and bust, and revealing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evildoers who are usually due to starved bodies need more phosphorus than is contained in modern food.

Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate among drugs as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by Sherman & McConnell in Omaha and most all districts under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food element, bitro-phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reporting her own experience, writes: "Bitro-Phosphate has brought about a magic transformation with me. I gained 15 pounds and never before felt so well."

CAUTION—Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh—adv.

### Report on Drug Traffic No Surprise to Physicians Familiar With Conditions

#### Dr. Manning Says He Made Report to Government on Local Situation, But Did Not Keep Copy; "It's Time People Were Waking Up," Declares Secretary of State Medical Society.

Reputable Omaha physicians yesterday morning were unanimous in their expressions of approval when commenting on the startling facts revealed in the official federal government report on the increase in the use of narcotic drugs throughout the country. They, however, were not surprised.

With one accord prominent members of the medical profession voiced the opinion that the situation demanded immediate and special attention on the part of city and state authorities.

No Record of Omaha.

The report of the special narcotic committee was based on figures furnished by nearly all of the cities in the United States with a population exceeding 10,000.

Dr. E. T. Manning, city health commissioner, who recently resigned but is still acting, declared he furnished the committee with a report on the situation in Omaha. The health commissioner asserted he failed to keep a copy of the report and would not attempt to say whether his figures showed an increase or decrease in the local traffic.

"They were simply an estimate," he said. "They were not accurate and therefore I did not regard them as important enough to retain a copy."

Conditions Alarming.

"What do you think of the report?" Dr. Manning was asked. "It reveals an alarming condition," was his reply.

"What are you going to do about it?" the health commissioner wanted to know.

In reply to the same question Dr. Manning declared he was at a loss to solve the problem.

The health commissioner of Omaha does not know what the situation is here with reference to the use of drugs, he says. He does not know whether it is on the increase or decrease, he admits.

"This federal report does not prove anything," he admits. "It is based on estimated figures. I do not see how any specific recommendations can be made on approximate figures."

Easy to Buy Dope.

"Dope can be bought almost at will in Omaha," declared Dr. C. R. Kennedy, a number of Omaha physicians are making their living by furnishing it. I know of one doctor in particular who paid an income tax above \$10,000 last year. He has no ethical practice. He has made extensive improvements about his home.

"Physicians know of this case and many others of a similar nature. It is very difficult for a physician to discuss these things. The physician who talks on such subjects is apt to be regarded as a jealous.

"I believe Omaha policemen know where dope is being bought. However, I am not in a position to prove this."

Needs Real Drug Hospital.

"What Omaha needs is a place to take care of addicts. They are filled full of dope at the Detention home. The private hospitals will not admit victims of the habit unless large sums of money are paid."

When told of the government report on the dope traffic Dr. J. M. Aiken, secretary and treasurer of the Nebraska State Medical association declared:

"It is undoubtedly true. The medical association is in possession of many facts that would startle even to a greater extent. It is most certainly time the public was waking up."

Dr. W. O. Bridges gave expression to the opinion that the traffic was growing more dangerous and threatening. "The sale of dope by a large wholesale drug house in New York City for the month of January was equal to the entire sale for the previous year," he said. "This means that retail druggists are stocking up with dope. It is safe to assume that Omaha is as

### Girl Leaves Court With 'King of Drug Peddlers'

Beatrice Wilhelm, alias Ruth Clark, spent Wednesday night in the city jail. She was arrested while walking the streets and charged with vagrancy and prostitution. She was released yesterday morning accompanied Curley Stinson, colored, known to the police as "King of Omaha Dope Peddlers," from the station.

The girl told the police she no longer lived with Stinson, who is under federal indictment charged with violating the Harrison drug act. She said she was living at the Havana hotel, Fifteenth and Chicago streets, and working in the hotel restaurant for \$10 a week.

Stinson and the Clark girl left the police station together.

Ruth Clark is the girl who made sensational charges several weeks ago against the police department, accusing members of the force of protecting the "higher-ups" in the Omaha dope ring. Later she declared that the police had threatened to run her out of the city if she did not stop talking.

A short while after Ruth Clark's charges were published in The Bee, Chief Eberstein called the girl into his office and prevailed on her to sign two affidavits repudiating her previous statements implicating members of the department.

Ruth Clark is the girl, whose cause was championed by Dr. Jenne Callias, secretary of the Public Welfare board. Dr. Callias' sympathy for the girl was solicited by Chief Eberstein.

Chief Eberstein has manifested no interest in the case since Ruth Clark was prevailed on to sign the two affidavits exonerating the police department.

### Wyming Dope Smugglers Are Given Term in Prison

Cheyenne, Wyo., May 22.—What federal officers declared was one of the biggest drug smuggling enterprises in the history of the north-west came to an end yesterday when David Baxter and his wife, Bessie Baxter of Butte, Mont., pleaded guilty in federal court here to illegal sales of morphine and were sentenced to serve one year and one day each in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan.

Letters found in the possession of the Baxters, federal agents told the court, indicated that they had been engaged in smuggling drugs from Canada into western states for 13 years. One transaction, it was said, involved \$3,000 worth of drugs.

More than 300 hypodermic needles were confiscated in concealed pockets, filled with the drug, found in coat sleeves, in the armpits, in clothes' linings and even in the underwear worn by the Baxters, the prosecutor said.

Baxter and his wife were arrested at Casper, Wyo., three weeks ago.

### Shoots Himself With Gun Bought at Police Sale

Handling a revolver he had just bought at the police auction sale, John Anderfelt, a pawnbroker, Thirteenth and Douglas streets, accidentally shot himself through the left hand yesterday. The accident occurred inside the police station, which Anderfelt was about to leave. The bullet passed through the pawnbroker's hand. He was attended by a police surgeon.

### Yield to the Lure of Totem Land

Know the joy of a thousand sheltered miles through a hundred picturesque islands from Vancouver to Skagway on a Canadian Pacific Steamer.

Feel the spell of the midnight sun—eat of the luscious Alaskan berries—pick brilliant wildflowers beside nature's sculpture in rock and ice—see the mystic totem poles, the wild animal life—come back here and rest for another year. Easy to reach through the Canadian Pacific Routes—500 miles of "Alpine Fairyland."

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### PROTEST ITALY LANDING ARMY IN ASIA MINOR

#### Greek Premier Leaves Council After Sharp Personal Incident With Italian Delegate.

Paris, May 22.—(By the Associated Press.)—It has been learned in trustworthy quarters that the United States, Great Britain and France have united in sending a note to Italy requesting explanation of the landing of Italian forces in Turkey. Premier Orlando is said to have made a reply to the council of four

after a sharp personal incident during which he objected to the presence of Premier Venizelos of Greece. The latter retired from the meeting.

Reply Unknown.

The Italians landed forces at Adalia, Budrum and Makri during the period when Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sottino had withdrawn from the peace conference, making the landings without notice to the allies.

The nature of the Italian reply and whether it was acceptable to the senders of the note was not known this forenoon.

The reported Italian incident apparently complicates the Turkish problem, already a vexed one, with which the peace conference heads have been struggling for some time.

Allies Land Army.

In evident anticipation of a Greek mandate to administer the Smyrna district, allied forces were landed at Smyrna last Thursday, meeting with considerable resistance from the Turks, but making themselves masters of the city. Italian troops were reported to have participated to some extent in this landing. According to a Paris dispatch of May 20, however, the Italians had previously landed forces at Adalia, on the southern coast of Asia Minor, and likewise disembarked troops at Budrum, 96 miles southeast of Smyrna, and at Makri, on the Gulf of Makri in the vilayet of Smyrna.

There had been nothing to indicate that these landings were not by agreement among the allies, and, indeed, some of the unofficial forecasts as to the probable division of Turkish territory under the league of nations mandatories had indicated the probability that Italy would be given the Adalia district to administer.

### Casuals Arrive in New York

New York, May 22.—The steamship Yale from Brest arrived today with 298 casualties—16 from Nebraska, and the others scattered, and nearly all discharged from service.

### Zionist Delegates Will Be Selected On June 29

New York, May 22.—Jewish communities in 352 cities in the United States on June 29 will choose delegates to the 22d annual convention of the Zionist organization of America. The convention will be held in Chicago, probably the first week in September, it was announced at Zionist headquarters here today.

O. of C. Luncheon

Forty members of the Chamber of Commerce attended the "Maytime Luncheon" in the Orchard & Wilhelm store at noon yesterday. Dr. A. P. Overgaard was chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Among the numerous worries of women a sallow or muddy complexion is by no means the least, and to try to cover it up with face powder only makes a bad matter worse. You must get at the root of the evil. It is caused by a sluggish liver, constipation and errors in diet. Take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets, adopt a diet of cereals, vegetables and fruit, and take plenty of outdoor exercise. Walk at least five miles a day and the trouble will gradually disappear. Try it.

## Announcing for Friday and Saturday A Two Day May Sale of White Apparel

A TIMELY offering and sale at very special reductions, of cool, refreshingly summer-like wearing apparel, typical of the Standards of our Individual Specialty Shops' Merchandise.

### Maytime Feature of 1,000 Pairs White Pumps White Oxfords \$6.85

DEVELOPED in finest grades of White Nile Cloth, and Sea Island Canvas; easily cleaned, featuring the long, slenderized vamp, high or low heels, assuring cool comfort, long wear, and service for hot days to come.

<b>Dress Oxfords.</b> Nile Cloth with turn or welt sole; full covered Louis heel; in sizes 2 1/4 to 8; width AAA to D.	<b>Street and Sport Oxford</b> With white ivory leather sole, and heels 1 1/2 inches high; sizes 2 1/4 to 8; width AAA to D.	<b>Plain Opera Pumps</b> With long vamp, 3/4 inch covered heel; a delight to the eye, a comfort to the foot.
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SHOE SHOP — MAIN FLOOR

### Hundreds of White Wash Blouses

Go in May White Sale Friday and Saturday at \$2.65

Blouses that were previously priced up to \$5.95.

SEVERAL tables given over to the display and sale of these blouses. Attractive voiles and organdy blouses, with embroidery, lace insertion, lace edges and tiny tucks as trimming features. Also a limited number of tailored madras shirts to wear with stock collars. Exceptional values.

### Another Group of White Wash Blouses Choice, \$1.95

SCORES of styles to select from. Fashioned of voile, linen and other popular lingerie materials, effectively trimmed with laces, insertions, tucks and embroidery. Some of these blouses are slightly soiled and mussed from display.

BLOUSE SHOP — SECOND FLOOR

### White Hose May Sale of 75c to \$2.50

Special shipments for the May Sale, famous makes Phoenix, Gotham, Wayne Knit and Victor, in regular and out sizes.

In Lisle, Silk Lisle and Fiber, a mixed lot of all sizes; good wearing Hose, and unusually good values.

HOSERY SHOP — MAIN FLOOR

### Lingerie Specials

THIS sale should be of special interest to the bride-to-be, for these dainty under things are incomparably attractive, and very unusual values at this noteworthy Maytime pricing.

\$3.95 Gowns for \$1.65

Of sheer nainsook and Pateese, in white and flesh; sleeveless style, trimmed in daintiest of laces and embroideries; also touches of embroideries in color.

\$3.95 Chemise at \$1.65

And Step-ins of fine soft nainsook and Pateese, flesh or white, beautifully embroidered, daintily tailored, ribbon straps, fancy backs.

\$1.50 Step-ins at 95c

In sheer materials, both flesh and white, dainty trimmings of fine laces and embroideries.

LINGERIE SHOP — SECOND FLOOR

### 50 WHITE DRESSES

Greatly Reduced For This Maytime White Sale \$5.95 and \$8.95

FASHIONED in sheer organdies and dainty voiles; ideal fabrics for "Frocks-for-every-occasion," in ruffled, tucked, the new short sleeve, the long, drapy over-skirt modes. These lovely frocks are slightly soiled from display, handling; hence the low pricings. Previously priced up to \$17.50.

DRESS SHOP — SECOND FLOOR

### 100 White Dresses For Girls

Previously Priced Up to \$5.95, at \$3.50. Previously Priced Up to \$13.50, at \$7.50.

For young girls from 8 to 16, developed in summery voiles, lawns and organdies, with trimmings of fine, dainty laces, some have pretty fancy sashes. These dresses are slightly soiled from display.

White Middies at \$1.15

And Middies with collars of rose or copenhagen, the always delightfully girlish and serviceable blouse for all out of doors and school wear; sizes, 8 to 20. Previously priced up to \$1.95.

GIRLS' SHOP — SECOND FLOOR

### Trimmed White Hats \$4.95

Previously Priced Up to \$10.00

SUITABLE for immediate and summer wear, in designs to meet all the occasions of the summer calendar.

In Milans, and Milan and Georgette combinations, with smart trims of wings, ribbons and flowers.

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