

Anxious Mothers Await News of Sons Lost in War

Many Mysterious Disappearances in Great Conflict Remain Unsolved; Relatives Seek Word of Soldiers.

(By International News Service.)
New York, Nov. 20.—When the 26th infantry, as a part of the First division, suffered heavy casualties on July 18, 1918, the first day of the allied counter-offensive, Urban Bergeron, a private in Company E, was wounded. He was evacuated to a field hospital, where he was reported doing nicely. Since that time his parents have heard nothing. Anyone who knows anything of the fate of this soldier should address R. T. Hill, Menasha, Wis.

In spite of all the work done by the War department and relief societies there still remain a large number of unsolved war mysteries and the American Legion Weekly is co-operating with the International News Service to solve them. Someone, reading this column, may have information that will lighten the burden of a mother's heart. Other cases of missing men follow:

Mortally Wounded.
Maurice L. Leasure, machine gun company, 101st infantry, reported mortally wounded near Verdun October 10, 1918. Anyone with information should address Frank Leasure, 101 Sheridan avenue, Mansfield, O.

Oscar W. Olson, private, Company G, 59th infantry, reported wounded on morning of November 11 in Argonne forest. Address his brother, C. F. Olson, Princeton, N. J.

Harland G. Plantz, private, Company D, 102d infantry, reported missing in action October 26, 1918. Address the adjutant of Harland G. Plantz post No. 122, American Legion, State Center, Ia.

Fought With Hun.
Alfred C. Fitch, private, Company A, 139th infantry, reported severely wounded September 29, 1918; later reported as having died; cause and date of death undetermined. His cousin, Mrs. Jessie Highley, 510 East Second street, Coffeyville, Kan., is eager to get in touch with men who fought with him.

Leon Burr, private, Three Hundred and Eighty infantry band, reported dead October, 1918; later seen alive by comrades. Will someone who knows what became of him write to his mother, Mrs. Etta Burr, 108 Oakwood avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

Reported Gassed.
Elmer E. Charlson, private, Co. G, Three Hundred and Sixty-second infantry, reported gassed September 29, 1918. Notice received in February, 1919, that he was killed in action October 18, 1918. His wife, Mrs. Elmer E. Charlson, Ada, Minn., would appreciate further details.

Ernest C. Lindop, Co. G, Three Hundred and Sixty-fourth infantry, simply reported killed. When did he die and in what battle? These are some of the particulars that his cousin, Miss Petra Hausen, 222 North First street, Tacoma, Wash., wishes.

John Robert Galligan, U. S. S. Finland, reported lost overboard from his ship, February 3, 1919. His father, John B. Galligan, R. F. D. 1, Homer City, Pa., desires to hear from his son's shipmates.

Nurse Is Missing.
Ruth G. Morgan, Fifty-fifth Nurses unit, was last heard from on her way to France in August, 1918. E. B. Bauman, L. B. 304, Flemingsburg, Ky., wishes information of his whereabouts.

Frank Orris Pierce, sergeant, M. G. Co., One Hundred and Thirty-ninth infantry, last heard from September 19, 1918. He was wounded near Cheppy, September 28, 1918; taken to first aid station near there and all trace of him lost. His buddies are requested to write to Mrs. W. J. Pierce, R. 3, Bronson, Kan.

Swantine H. E. Olsen, private, Co. B, Three Hundred and Sixty-second infantry, was reported to be missing in action September 29, 1918. He was known to be in hospital March 14, 1919. His last letter was dated June, 1918. Can anyone inform Mrs. Sophie Olsen, Box 97, Elk, Medocino Co., Cal., of his fate or whereabouts?

Killed In Action.
Edgar H. English, M. G. Replacement Battalion, Sixth Marines; reported killed in action November 1, 1918; later reported seen unwounded November 10, 1918. What became of this man? His sister, Mrs. Frederick Ryan, 17 1/2 West Church street, Newark, Ohio, would like to know.

John J. Murphy, Co. F, One Hundred and First Infantry, admitted to Base Hospital No. 6 November 9, 1918. Returned to duty December 7, 1918. Nothing further heard from him. Write to Leo A. Spillane, State House, Boston.

Oilers for Grease Cups
Modern constructional practice is tending toward the elimination of grease cups and the substitution therefore of oil wells and oil cups. There are many car owners whose vehicles are equipped with grease cups in great profusion who can at slight expense do away with the trouble due to this equipment. For example, the grease cup is generally located at the clutch for its lubricating the thrust bearing or throw-out collar. This may be removed and a large oil cup may be substituted. The owner who is mechanically competent may install a large oil reservoir with flexible leads running from it to various parts of the mechanism requiring lubrication which is now supplied by grease cups. Such a system may be constructed, after the pattern of a mechanical oiler with control for each lead.

Use for Oil Tins
The tin cans that commonly contain the better brands of oil may be cut up into a variety of useful things. By cutting the tin diagonally across a small shelf and drip pan may be made. A wall tray is also easily made, likewise a dust pan, to which a handle may be attached. An oil can holder is easily devised with a drip pan, made by the use of a sheet of perforated tin, is an extremely useful accessory and saves much dirt around the garage.

It is estimated that no less than 124,000 motor cars from other states will tour in California during 1920.

Mid-City Men Are Promoted to Sales Jobs



W. R. Huntington.

In connection with the recent announcement to the effect that the Omaha Sales company had taken over the distribution of Chalmers and Maxwell automobiles, comes the announcement of a promotion for W. R. Huntington and Walter W. Short of the Mid-City Motor and Supply company.

W. R. Huntington, former assistant manager of the Mid-City Motor and Supply company, has been appointed manager of the Omaha Auto Sales company and will have general charge of the sale of Max-



W. W. Short.

well and Chalmers automobiles in this territory.
Walter W. Short, formerly in charge of the wholesale department of the Mid-City Motor and Supply, distributors of the Stephens Salient Six, has been selected to take Mr. Huntington's place as assistant manager of that company.

Walter S. Johnson, general manager of the Mid-City Motor and Supply company, feels that these promotions have been well earned and he feels confident that he has selected two competent men, he says.

Woman Elected Judge to Take Important Post

Will Be One of Eight Judges to Administer Civil and Criminal Law in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

Cleveland, Nov. 20.—With the election returns counted, it has been decided that Cuyahoga county will have, after January 1, a woman as one of the judges of the court of common pleas, and to the metropolis of Ohio goes the distinction of having been the first community in the United States to elect a woman to a judicial position of this importance.

The new judge—Judge Florence L. Allen, if you please, when the new year begins—will be one of eight judges to administer civil and criminal law in this county. Whether or not she will be assigned special duties is as yet undetermined, but men who have tested her ability in the trial courts and in counsel say that she is as well qualified to perform the duties that fall to a judge as the average male citizen chosen for that work.

She is now serving as assistant to the county prosecuting attorney, and it was the record made there that caused her candidacy to appeal to men and women alike.

Endorsed by Demos.
Endorsed by the democratic primaries as one of the party candidates, the federation of women's clubs here made her fight their own, and worked unceasingly to bring about her election. Prominent members of the bar added their endorsement, and it was not surprising that she led the list of nine candidates at the voting November 2, being more than 11,000 votes ahead of the next highest candidate, and polling a clear majority of all the votes cast in Cuyahoga county.

Now that she has been elected, the club women of the county have begun agitation for the establishment of a court of domestic relations within the common pleas court with Judge Allen as the presiding judge.

"Men do not understand these

matters," said a prominent Cleveland club woman in discussing the proposal. The laws governing domestic relations have been written and interpreted by men since the beginning of time. Legislatures, with the growing power of women in industry have given some response to women's demands, but the courts have remained the last refuge of the male sex—the holy of holies into which a woman could not enter.

"Now that we have a woman on the bench she should be assigned to try the matters in which women have an especial interest. I believe that under this plan we will have more happy homes, less divorces and a more intelligent application of the laws that most vitally affect the lives and happiness of people.

"A woman judge will not be concerned with precedent so much as with right."

Towels, Sheets, Pillow Cases

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Frosting Bulbs

In these days of drastic headlight laws, state and municipal, motorists will naturally be interested in a cheap method of frosting bulbs and lenses, a method of eliminating the glare from lights complying with all statutes of this kind. The following formula is used for making the frost-

ing solution and into this the bulb or lens is dipped. To a mixture of 24 ounces of ether and 18 ounces of benzine and two and a quarter ounces of sandarach and one-half ounce of mastic. Any good drug store will furnish the needed ingredients. If it is desired to produce colored light coloring matter may be added to the solution. If the sur-

Spring Seat Lubrication

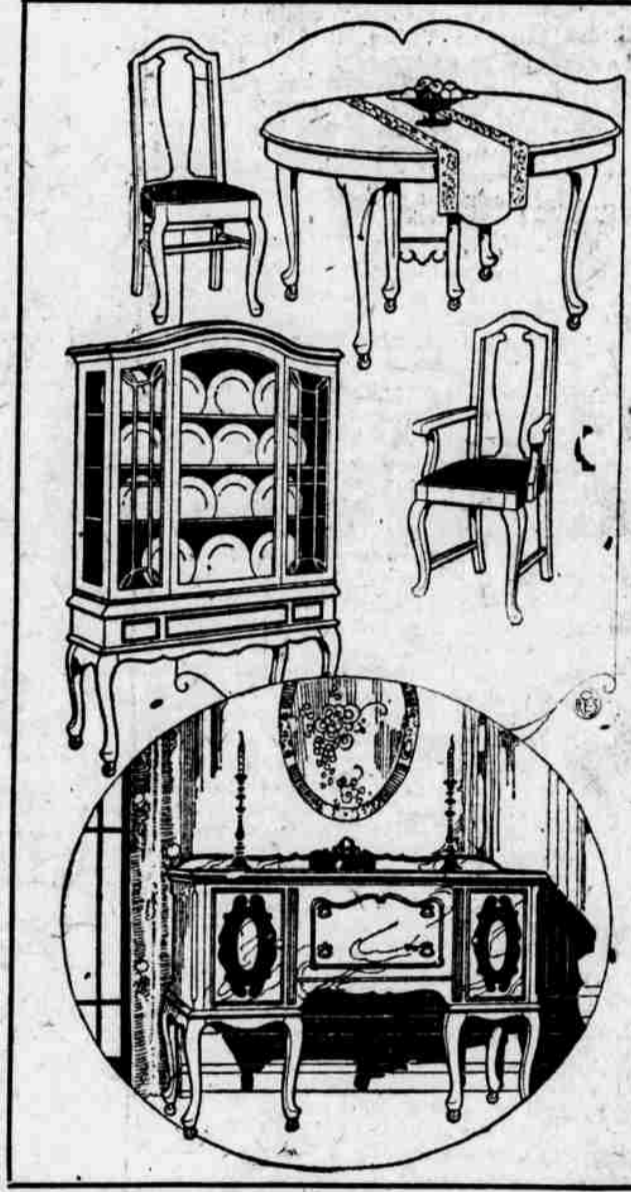
face to be frosted is large and flat the solution may be applied with a brush, but this usually produces a streaked surface. It is best to immerse the object to be coated if possible. The uncolored solution produces much the same effect as ground glass, but the frosting wears off with service and has to be re-

newed. Some attention to this most important part. In cantilever suspensions the center bearing of the spring should be well oiled. Usually the bearing operates on a small steel shaft extending out from the frame. In some cases a tube running transversely of the frame is used. If no grease cup is provided an oil hole is used.

You Need Wait No Longer for Lower Prices They're Here—Right Now—at Bowens

Dining Furniture for Thanksgiving

The public has expected and wanted lower prices. We have anticipated, and are meeting public will. You will no longer find the old high prices on our tags, but the Reduced Low Ebb prices are now in effect in every department of this store.



For the Dining Room

Note Price Reductions

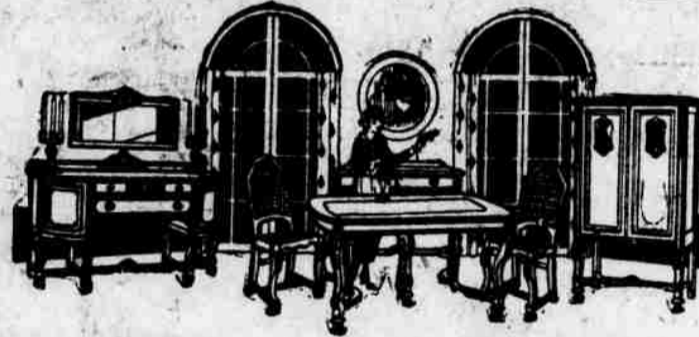
	Former Price	Today's Price
Solid Oak Buffet.....	\$57.50	\$24.50
Large Sturdy Oak Buffet.....	72.50	37.50
Solid Oak Ex. Table.....	50.00	21.50
48-inch Solid Oak Ex. Table.....	95.00	33.50
Quarter Oak China Cabinet.....	55.00	31.50
Solid Oak Dining Chairs.....	7.50	4.00
Leather Seat Dining Chairs.....	12.50	7.50

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Genuine Mahogany Queen Anne Period

Note Price Reductions

	Former Price	Today's Price
66-inch Buffet.....	\$195.00	\$99.75
45x54 Oblong Table....	137.50	75.00
China Cabinet.....	112.50	69.50
Blue Leather Chairs.....	27.50	14.25

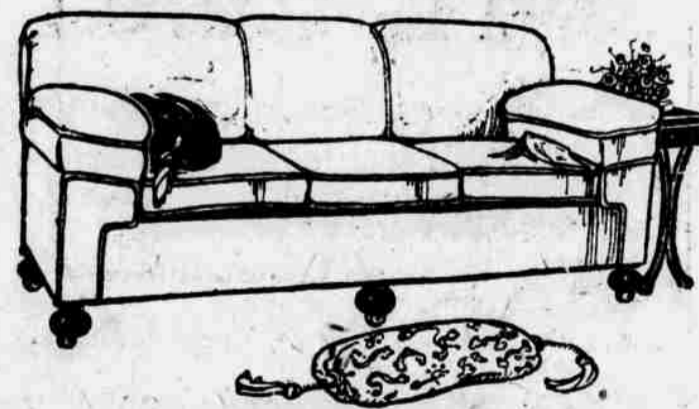


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Overstuffed Velour Davenport.....	240.00	148.00
Large Overstuffed Tapestry Davenport.....	350.00	195.00
Two-Piece Taupe Velour Suite.....	315.00	195.00

And Many Others at Greatly Reduced Prices

Rugs

Note Price Reductions

	Former Price	Today's Price
\$45.00 Brussels; now.....	240.00	\$23.50
72.50 9x12 Velvet.....	127.50	43.95
127.50 9x12 Wilton.....	147.50	77.95
147.50 9x12 French Wilton.....		89.50

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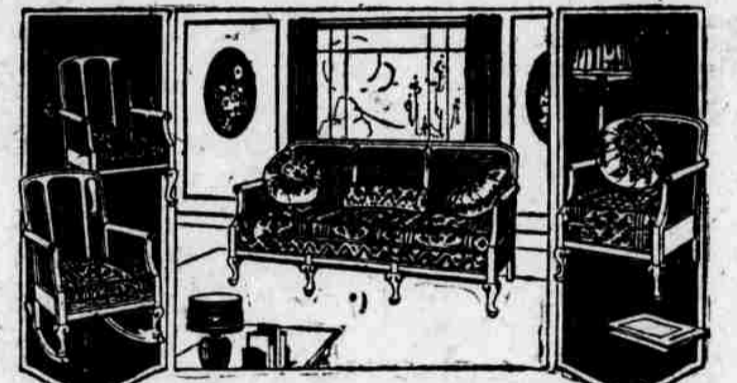
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For Living Room

Note Price Reductions

	Former Price	Today's Price
3-Pc. Cane Mahogany Parlor Suite.....	\$219.50	\$157.50
3-Pc. Cane Tapestry Suite.....	333.00	217.50

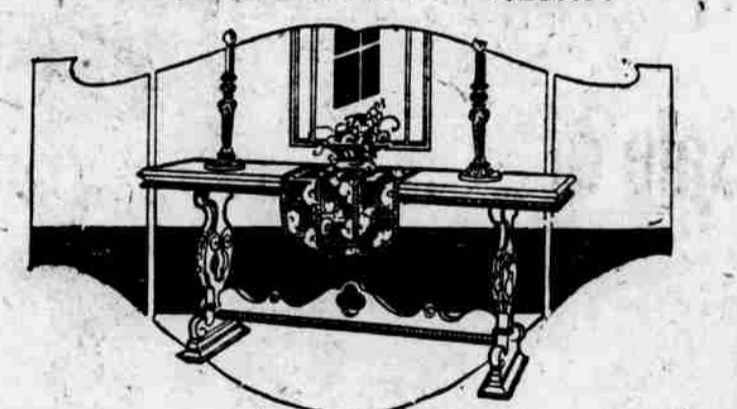
And Many Others to Choose From



Davenport Suite

Three-Piece Mahogany Cane Davenport Suite covered in rich velour.

Former price.....\$448.00
Today's price.....\$287.50

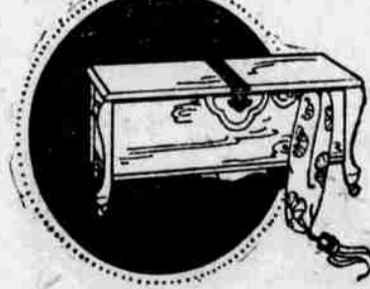


Library Tables

Note Price Reductions

	Former Price	Today's Price
Quarter Oak, 26x45.....	\$37.50	\$19.50
Quarter Oak, 28x45.....	45.00	28.50
Quarter Oak, 28x48.....	55.00	32.50

Many Others to Choose From



Cedar Chests

Note Price Reductions

	Former Price	Today's Price
47.50.....	NOW	\$29.50
48.00.....	NOW	30.00
51.00.....	NOW	31.00

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Mahogany Library and Davenport Table

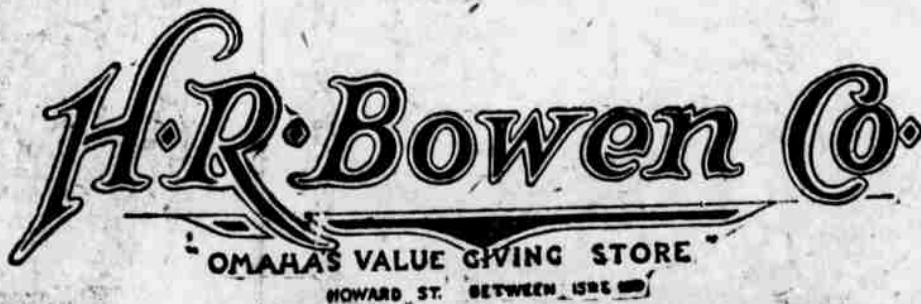
Genuine Mahogany 22x66 Davenport Table, either Queen Ann or William and Mary design.

Former price.....\$75.00
Today's price.....\$42.50

Blankets and Comforts

Note Price Reductions

	Former Price	Today's Price
\$ 5.75 Blankets.....	NOW	\$2.95
6.50 Blankets.....	NOW	3.95
8.25 Blankets.....	NOW	4.45
9.75 Blankets.....	NOW	4.95
11.00 Blankets.....	NOW	5.75
8.00 Comforts.....	NOW	3.95
8.50 Comforts.....	NOW	4.25
9.75 Comforts.....	NOW	5.75



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