

ENGLAND READY TO MAKE PROTEST

Will Act Unless Courts Enjoin U. S. on Prohibition Ruling

CONFIDENT OF AN INJUNCTION

Two Test Cases Started at New York—Temporary Restraining Order Granted American Ships

LONDON, Oct. 13. (Associated Press)—Unless an injunction is granted the Cunard line the British government probably will protest formally through the foreign office against the ruling prohibiting liquors on foreign ships in American waters.

ACTIONS COMMENCED

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—On the eve of the date set for enforcement of the federal prohibition ruling prohibiting passenger vessels, both American and foreign, from bringing liquor under seal into American ports, enforcement authorities yesterday were faced with two important test cases which may check proposed seizures.

FEARS ELECTION IN ENGLAND

Chamberlain Declares it Criminal to Break up Present Coalition

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Oct. 13. (Associated Press).—Austin Chamberlain, the government leader, addressing the Midland Conservative club here today declared it would be criminal to break up the present coalition in view of the labor menace.

BANKER SHOTS HIMSELF

Herman Epple of New York Discouraged Over Poor Health

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Using a small mirror to direct his aim, Herman Epple, a retired banker, today fired a bullet into his brain while his family waited for him to appear at breakfast.

FOOTBALL Tomorrow VT. ACADEMY VS BRATTLEBORO HIGH SCHOOL PRATTS FIELD 3 p. m.

LATCHIS THEATRE TODAY

Regimental Headquarters Co., Presents CHARLES RAY —IN—"The Barnstormer" Extra—Official Motion Pictures of the 1st Vermont National Guard Regiment ALSO THE LATEST NEWS Admission 40c—Tax Paid TOMORROW PRESENTS The Vitagraph Special Northwest Photoplay Full of Thrills, Excitement and Stirling Action "The Silent Vow" With William Duncan and Edith Johnson Topics of the Lay Western Aesop Fables MONDAY and TUESDAY DON'T MISS THE REX INGRAM LATEST MASTERPIECE "The Prisoner of Zenda" Matinee 28c. Evening 39c; few 28c

LEGION CAR OFF FOR NEW ORLEANS

Went Through Brattleboro Last Evening Instead of This Morning as Previously Scheduled

The delegation of the American Legion from the state of Vermont which is going to New Orleans, La., to attend the national convention in that city, passed through Brattleboro last night in its special baggage car. The car was attached to train No. 728, which left here at 6.08, and at Brattleboro the delegation was joined by Herman V. Brooks of this town and George A. Mathers of Bennington. The car was originally scheduled to pass through Brattleboro early this morning, but an eleventh hour change was made by the officials and the southern Vermont men left last night. They probably will reach New Orleans Sunday afternoon or evening.

M. A. C. WINS FIFTH PLACE

Allen Heath of Newfane Member of Expert Cattle Judging Team

AMHERST, Mass., Oct. 13.—A telegram was received yesterday afternoon by Prof. Victor A. Rice, of the animal husbandry department at Massachusetts Agricultural college from Prof. S. M. Salesbury, head of the department, which stated that the Massachusetts agricultural dairy cattle judging team at the St. Paul national dairy show was awarded fifth place in the contest. Twenty college teams from all parts of the United States competed in this contest, and the "Aggie" team ranked ahead of all other New England colleges. The dairy products judging team, second place in judging Jerseys, and fourth place in judging Holsteins. In the individual contest Gardner H. Brewer, '23, of Upton, won second place, topping all the New Englanders, Vernon D. Mudgett, '23, of Brookline came sixth in the individual scoring on Jerseys. The dairy cattle judging team of the college also included Allen Heath, '23 of Newfane, Vt.

FIND MISSING SCHOONER

The Bluebona Being Conveyed to Cape Sable—Should Arrive Today

TO SEND RED CROSS MISSION

United States to Handle Greek Refugees Situation at Athens

ATHENS, Oct. 13. (Associated Press).—The United States government, through its charge d'affaires here, Jefferson Caffery, has taken steps for the despatch to Greece of an American Red Cross mission to handle the refugees situation here.

The most expensive guns are a pair made by a celebrated firm of English gunsmiths for presentation to an Indian prince. The stocks are cut in ivory, the inscription plates are of solid gold; the barrels are heavily gilt, and the cleaning instruments of ivory and gold.

St. Michael's Church (Episcopal.)

Friday, Oct. 13, at 3.30 p. m.—Regular meeting of the Woman's Guild. Hostesses, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Call and Miss Cain. Friday, Oct. 13, at 7.30 p. m.—Evening Prayer.

Centre Congregational Church

Friday, Oct. 13, 7.30 p. m.—Church night meeting. Continuing the study of the Bible. Leviticus will be the topic.

FREIGHTER TO TOW IN BURNED HULK

Will Deliver City of Honolulu to Tugs in Pacific Ocean

ALL PASSENGERS ABOARD THE SHIP

To Be Transferred to Transport Thomas—Total of 217 Persons Taken Off Burning Ship—Position Now Approximately 850 Miles Off Los Angeles

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The freighter West Farolan, which rescued the passengers and crew of the steamer City of Honolulu, notified the shipping board today that after transferring the passengers to the transport Thomas she would tow the hulk of the burned vessel toward Los Angeles until met by tugs. The West Farolan gave her position as approximately 850 miles off Los Angeles.

All Passengers Safe

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—All the passengers, officers and crew of the burning steamship City of Honolulu, which was abandoned at 10 o'clock yesterday morning are safe, according to wireless advices received by the Federal Telegraph Co., from the freight steamer West Farolan.

CLEMENCEAU SAILS NOV. 1

To Deliver First Lecture in New York—To Speak Elsewhere

PARIS, Oct. 13. (Associated Press).—Former Premier Clemenceau will sail for the United States Nov. 1, and deliver his first lecture at the Metropolitan opera house, New York, Nov. 23, after which he will talk in Boston and other cities.

THE WEATHER.

More Frost Tonight—Increasing Cloudiness and Warmer Saturday. WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The weather forecast: Fair tonight. Cooler in extreme southern New Hampshire. Frost tonight. Saturday increasing cloudiness. Warmer, diminishing west and northwest winds, becoming southerly Saturday.

Variety in Diamonds.

Each of the five mines owned and worked by the Great Beers Company in the Kimberly district produces diamonds with well marked characteristics. The Kimberly mine yields a good percentage of white and many yellow stones. Dubois mine is famed for its large yellow diamonds. At Bullfountain small white and spotted stones are common. From the Wessington mine come many beautiful deep orange-colored diamonds, while the De Beers mine shows a good percentage of tinted yellow and brown stones. The Premier mine (Transvaal) yields a large number of "off-colored" stones. The Cullinan diamond was of exceptional purity. From the Jagersfontein mine in the Orange Free State the famous bluish-white stones are derived. The diamonds found in German Southwest Africa are small and yellowish in color.

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Methodist Episcopal Church

Thursday, Oct. 12, at 7.30 p. m.—Choir rehearsal at the church. Friday, Oct. 13, at 7.30 p. m.—Regular midweek prayer meeting.

Odd Fellows Temple

Dance at the Odd Fellows temple Friday, Oct. 13. Everybody is invited to come and have a good time. All Patriarchs going to North Adams Saturday, Oct. 14, please leave their names with George D. Reed at the temple. Monday, Oct. 16—Our district meeting will be held in South Londonderry. All brothers who will attend one or both of these meetings are asked to sign the papers which are in the hands of Mr. Reed, at the temple, and the committee, Harold Webster, A. L. Maynard and O. D. Stowell. Please sign up before Monday night, Oct. 9.

Public Dance I. O. O. F. TEMPLE

Brattleboro, Vt. October 13, 1922 Round Dances Putnam's Orchestra Come and have a good time at the home of clean dances Admission: Gentlemen 55c, Ladies 30c

Masonic Temple

Friday, Oct. 13.—Masonic dance and social. All Masons, their families, invited guests and members of the Eastern Star are welcome. Brattleboro lodge are requested to meet at the temple tomorrow at 1.15 o'clock to attend the funeral of Edward C. Crouch.

MISS HARMON BRIDE OF EDWARD COLBY

Wedding at Sunnyside Farm, Home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon— Couple to Live on Spruce Street

A pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Harmon of Sunnyside farm, when their oldest daughter, Miss Eleanor Dorothy Harmon, and Edward Everett Colby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett N. Colby of Keene, N. H., were married by Rev. Clark T. Brewster, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, who performed the ceremony in the presence of about 50 relatives and invited guests. A double ring service was used. The decorations were of autumn leaves, evergreens and hollyhocks. Miss Beatrice Graves of Greenfield, a cousin of the bride, sang Oh Promise Me, and the evening, and daughter. The bride wore a handsome gown of white crepe de chine and she carried pink roses. The bridegroom was attired in John Peterson of Keene and Forrest Harmon of Boston, brother of the bride, following the ceremony a reception was held, during which time refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Colby left yesterday afternoon by automobile for a week's wedding trip. They will be at home at 16 Spruce street after Dec. 1.

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Judge Chase Orders Jury in County Court to Find for Power Co., Defendant

MISS POTTER GIVES ADDRESS ON FOODS

Playgrounds Subject of Talk by F. K. Brown at Better Homes Exhibit— Gratifying Attendance.

Gratifying attendance was noted both yesterday afternoon and last evening at the Better Homes demonstration in Festival hall and the interest that the exposition is exciting was evidenced by the large number of people who were continually coming in and going out of the hall from the time it opened yesterday afternoon until the closing for the day last night.

The interest in the afternoon centered in the address on Foods, delivered by Miss Lydia Potter, state home demonstration leader, of Burlington. Miss Potter told of the relative value of the various foods used by the housewife and dispelled some of the ideas erroneously held concerning certain food products. Her talk was instructive throughout and those who heard the talk were well prepared for attending.

In the evening the Brattleboro band gave a short concert on the steps of Festival hall and served as an attraction which drew many to the demonstration. The evening program in the hall began with a piano solo by Miss Ruth Reed, which was followed by a talk on Playgrounds by F. K. Brown.

HOLSTEIN SALE AND EXHIBITION

Prize Judging at Vernon Street Pavilion Next Monday—Auction Sale Tuesday and Wednesday.

The 30th prize exhibition and sale of the Purched Live Stock Sales Co. will be held next week at the sales pavilion on Vernon street, opening Monday for the award of prizes and continuing through Tuesday and Wednesday, with an entertainment and dancing Monday evening.

The district nurse reported 255 patients under care, which was an increase of 37 over last year; 1,734 visits were made.

The child welfare nurse reported 339 babies under care; 1,121 visits made.

A financial report was given by the treasurer, indicating that there was a balance of \$1.80 on hand Oct. 1, 1921; receipts totaled \$24,005.89; expenditures \$24,001.04, leaving a balance on hand Oct. 1, 1922, of \$8.75. The financial report of the previous year was: On hand Oct. 1, 1920, \$58.21; receipts, \$22,552.86; expenditures, \$22,609.37.

Following the reports, which were of unusual interest because of the increases shown, the old board of officers was re-elected as follows: President, Miss Henry R. Brown; secretary-treasurer, Miss Faith L. Tyler.

In 1840 the record time for crossing the Atlantic was fourteen days and eight hours. This year the steamship Mauretania holds the record, her time being four days eight hours.

Drop Gasoline a Cent

Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey Announces Price Reduction.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey today announced a reduction of one cent a gallon in the price of gasoline throughout its territory.

Red Men's Hall

Friday, Oct. 13, at 8 p. m.—Special meeting of Quonekneut Tribe, No. 2. Rehearsal of the Warrior degree. The degree team will trail to the hunting grounds of Montpelier on the sleep of the 29th of October to work the Warrior degree. Brothers wishing to go please leave names with the sachem or chief of records.

Saturday, Oct. 14.—The first of the series of dances to be held by Pocahontas Council, No. 4, Woodward's four-piece orchestra will furnish music. A good time is assured. The public is invited.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Sunday, Oct. 15, 5 p. m.—There will be a rehearsal of the degree team. Not only members of the degree team but any who are willing to help on the team are urged to come, that a full team may be assured. Any who would like to go to West Swazey Monday night, Oct. 16, are asked to be present at this time or telephone before to 821-M or 776-M that arrangements may be made for transportation.

Monday, Oct. 16.—Members of the Moose and Ladies Legion are asked to meet at a special effort to be present this evening for a social gathering and rehearsal for the Brattleboro night at the Greenfield bazaar.

Railroad Company to Take Case to Supreme Court

TO BE TRIED AGAIN COUNSEL DECLARE

Power Co. Offer to Town of Brattleboro Is Withdrawn

In the suit of the Vermont Valley Railroad Co., which is leased to the Boston & Maine railroad, against the Connecticut River Power Co., in which damages of \$90,000 were asked for damage to the railroad property by high water and ice in March, 1920, the proceedings in Windham county court at Newfane came to an abrupt termination yesterday afternoon when Judge Harrie B. Chase directed a verdict for the defendant. The verdict was directed on motion of counsel for the defense, on the ground, among others, that no liability had been shown to the Vermont Valley Railroad company.

The Vermont Valley Railroad Co. years ago entered into an operating contract with the Connecticut River Railroad Co., whereby the latter company operated the Vermont Valley road. Later a lease of the Connecticut River road and lines which it was operating was taken by the Boston & Maine railroad. Under the court's interpretation of the contract and lease the damage falls on the Boston & Maine railroad instead of the plaintiff in this case, which in effect was that the Vermont Valley railroad was not the proper plaintiff in the case. The ruling of the court that no liability was shown to the Vermont Valley road was not a ruling that the Power Co. was not liable to anybody. So the case simmers down to a question of whether the Vermont Valley or the Boston & Maine should have brought the suit, and this question will be decided by the supreme court.

Counsel for the Vermont Valley railroad claim that the loss falls on the Vermont Valley road and not on the Boston & Maine, notwithstanding that the Boston & Maine paid the bill, and that the developments of yesterday and the court's ruling do not affect the merits of the case; in other words that if the supreme court rules that the Vermont Valley is the proper plaintiff the suit will be tried over again, and if it rules that the Vermont Valley is not the proper plaintiff suit will be brought with the Boston & Maine as the plaintiff.

The plaintiff then took exceptions on which to take the case to the supreme court. The case had been on trial since the first of last week, but no witnesses had been called by the Power Co. Nearly 60 witnesses were called by the plaintiff the Vermont Valley or the Boston & Maine and were examined and cross-examined. An interesting fact in connection with the case is that when it was seen how things were headed yesterday the offer of Henry L. Harriman of Boston, president of the Power Co., to pay the town of Brattleboro \$60,000 of its claim of \$90,000 for the loss of the Connecticut river bridge and damage to the highways by the same frost that damaged the railroad property was withdrawn.

In his letter to the selectmen withdrawing the Power Co.'s offer President Henry L. Harriman of Boston, president of the Power Co., said that he was confident that a settlement could be arrived at, but both Mr. Stellman and counsel for the town asserted that the developments in the

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Three Specials for Saturday

\$3 and \$3.50 Heavy Sweaters For \$1.95 Colors—Gray, brown, green \$4 and \$4.50 Sweet-Orr Trousers For \$2.95

SPECIAL VALUES in Suits and Overcoats FOR SATURDAY

Styleplus Shuman Fashion Park One and two of a kind Choice, Saturday, \$24.75

Fenton's Men's Shop