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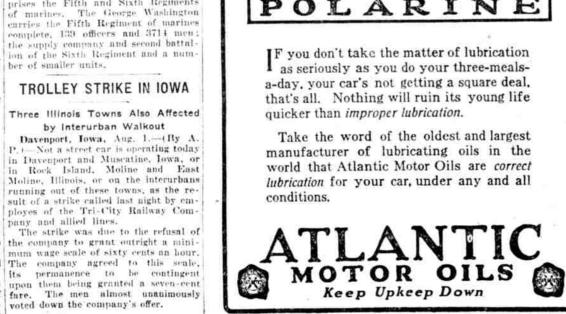
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Three Illinois Towns Also Affected Financial Aid to New by Interurban Walkout Jersey Guard

Camp Edge, Sea Girt, Aug. 1.-Vig-ous protest against the treatment Moline, Illinois, or on the interurbans which has been meted out to the New running out of these towns, as the re-National Guard troops by the sult of a strike called last night by em-War Department is embodied in a letwhich United States Senator Edge pany and allied lines. sent to General J. McI. Carter,

of the bureau of militia affairs the company to grant outright a mini-**Washington**. The senator recently mum wage scale of sixty cents an hour, **sled upon General Carter and asked** The company agreed to this scale, him to reconsider his decision to with-hold federal financial support from this upon them being granted a seven-cent state's new Sixth Infantry because of fare. the fact that they had not been recogtwo months upon the date on which they had been ordered to take up a fifteen days' course of training. The senator met with a flat refusal from the War Department. He then wrote the chief of the militia bureau, em asizing his protest and sharply prod

t it for what he designated the de nt's unjust attitude. After General Gilkyson had ordered encampment of the Sixth Infantry opening last Monday he was ad-General Carter that n ral funds would be forthcoming to the transportation, pay, sub ce and other costs of the encamp Protests to Washington were iling, the chief of the Bureau of tia Affairs insisting that the regula must be obeyed. The point upon he withheld federal aid is that regimental units had not been or-zed for a sufficient length of time. eral Gilkyson argued that during the years of their state militia service en had been sworn to federal duty ere within the state if needed, that this service should win for required recognition.



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hen his renewed pleas were turned he appealed to Senator Edge to de, but the latter met with a blun and and the fifteen-day camp had called off and five-day periods of ction at state expense substi-

#### SAW PLANES BURNED

nfires Made of Parts in France. Returned Soldier Says

Denver, Aug. 1.-(By A. P. i-C. H. in, recently returned private in the air service overseas, declares air plane parts were burned daily at Ro arantin, France. Johnson showed ighty-five pictures he said he had taken what were known among the soldiers s "Liberty Bond fires." "The burning of airplanes was a

ally occurrence in Romorantin," John-on said. "I helped heap airplane parts on the piles which would oftentimes twenty feet high. Then the piles ould be burned. All parts except the otors were burned."

#### Engine Injures Six in Auto

Williamsport, Pa., Aug. 1.-A light gine on the Pennsylvania Railroad truck an automobile at Hepburnville ight, demolishing the car and inng six occupants, one fatally. Elsie nes is internally injured and not ex-ted to live. William Stugart is in-ed internally and one leg broken: se W. Kole sustained a broken arm; Truman Ruckel is severely about the head; Bertha Wil jured about the head, and Myr-ker, suffering from shock.



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into the grocery business. What they do ask is: are the packers profiteering; are they keeping up the price of meat and other products they handle; are they one of the props of the High Cost of Living? While the packers have their defenders among the newspapers, there is a widespread belief that the "Big Five" cannot be held guiltless of all blame for the continuance of high food-prices, as is shown in the leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST for August 2d.

the packing industry would tend to show that the people do not seem to be worrying over

the precise percentage of profits made by Mr. Armour and Mr. Swift and Mr. Wilson

and the rest, nor are they so deeply concerned lest these gentlemen branch out too widely

Why You Are Paying

High Prices for Meat

The comment of the American press on the Federal Trade Commission's report on

Other features of more than ordinary interest in this number of "The Digest" are:

#### Peace Can Only Come When Everybody Goes to Work Again

and when "the healing processes of trade" have a chance to make themselves felt. So we hear on every hand. Here's a common-sense prediction of the future of America and the rest of the world, and a discussion of "the great volume of reconstruction business which Europe is expected to send here."

# Austria Paying the Fiddler

She writhes and kicks against the terrible punishment but will submit. While the American dollar quoted before the war at five crowns, is now worth thirty-two, "the future is not so black, even for Austria." A map accompanying this article shows proud Austria before the war and the shred of territory that now remains.

#### Japan Rattles the Saber in Korea

Japanese journals are publishing articles in which the failure of that country's authorities to administer affairs in Korea is pointed out in harsh terms. Korea through the Korean National Association appeals to the world for freedom and makes charges against Japan that are startling, to say the least. Be sure to read this "close-up" account, which includes translations direct from the Japanese press.

#### A Race Riot at President Wilson's Door

strikes some observers as a touch of irony, inasmuch as he had just returned from looking after the needs of supprest nationalities and subject races in Europe. In this article the opinions of various editors, including representatives of the colored race, are given as to the causes and tendencies of the race riots in Washington.

#### Does Germany Consider the Treaty A "Scrap of Paper"?

The Brussels Nation remarks cynically that the Germans have signed the Treaty, but they "will never execute it" as they consider it "a peace of dupes." Read this series of translations from the German, Austrian and Italian press, and you will get an answer to a question that affects the future safety of the world.

## "Dry" America As An Example to England

The Manchester Guardian says American prohibition is the "biggest blow at the use of alcohol that has been struck since Mohammed banned liquor among his followers," but other English papers are not so sure. It may be all right for America, but for England-perish the thought!

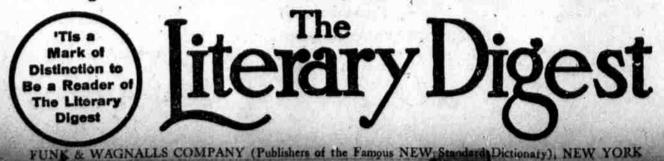
# The Uproar Over Shantung

"The blackest page in all our history," cries Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, "was written when our name was signed to the Treaty delivering Shantung to Japan." Many newspapers agree and run such headlines as "Japan the Possessor of Stolen Goods," "Far Eastern Alsace-Lorraine." Others defend the Shantung Treaty. This article will give you the basic facts of the dispute and the leading opinions on both sides.

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