#### PERSHING ASKS FOR YOUNG MEN

Officers More Than Forty-five Unable to Stand Strain,

He Declares

Washington, Aug. 3. — Regimental, rigade and division commanders of the Pennsylvania National Guard who re more than forty-five years old.

Old men were replicated. duties on the firing lines.

Old men were replaced by youngmore than forty-five years old
bly will never see service with
commands in France.

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the War Department not to
to France any officer of these
who has passed his forty-fith
lay.

The British army had a similar expersence Most English officers in
command of large units in France
and division commander now
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accepts Pershing's suggeswhile the War Department

Pershing's request, it will necessitate an altogether new detail of oficers for the higher commands of the
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American army in France. It also
will shelve a great number of officers who had looked forward to active
service, particularly commanders of
National Guard regiments.

The French army, soon after the
battle of the Marne, began the policy
of retiring altogether, or detailing to
staff duty in Paris, brigade, division
and corps commanders who had
reached fifty.

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will bombard German cities. Aircraft will be built that will amaze the world. All this will happen if America lends her powers and resources to the allies.

A small man, soft spoken and calm. Major R. Pefetti, of the Italian Areonautical Mission to the United States, made this prediction yesterday. He was seated in the midst of piles of drawings and blue prints.

"Italy," he said "has made rapid strides in aviation. We want to give you the benefit of our lessons if you will give us your raw materials." He picked up a photograph from the bable.

"That is our latest machine," he said proudly. "You will notice it has a span of 110 feet. It carries three

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**Examinations Announced** 

The United States Civil Service Ocean, Is Prediction Commission announces the following examinations to be held in this city Subclerical. Department Service at Washington, D. C.

Plants, National Museum, Washing-ton, D. C. Court Plaster Peddlers

ton, D. C.

Applications for the following examinations will be received at any time by the Civil Service Commission. Competitors will not be required to report before a board of examiners but will be rated upon the evidence submitted in their applications which is subject to verification at all times. Inspector of Field Artillery Ammunition Steel and Assistant Inspector of Field Artillery Ammunition Steel.

DROP GERMAN NAMES

Washington, Aug. 3.— Because twe ficials of the monoidal service having German name changed them to complete the commerce committee yesterday. In oreconsider their nominations, The re Walter H. Schulz, of Oklahomi ho changed his name to Sholes, an aston Schmutz, of Louisiana, whos ame now is Smith. Both were reorted favorably.

Released From Custody

New Bloomfield, Pa., Aug. 3 .- Th three courtplaster salesmen, Daniel Sullivan, Thomas Jackson and Rob-ert Simpson, arrested at New Germantown last week, have been lib erated by Sheriff David L. Kistler

plaster.

JOHN C. SPONSLER DIES

Dauphin, Pa., Aug. 3.—John Calvin Sponsler, only son of the late William Sponsler, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his mother here. He was 42 years old and had been ill for but a short time. The funeral services will be held to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock at the house. The Rev. Robert Fulton Sterling, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Dauphin, will officiate. Burial will be made in the Dauphin Cemetery. Mr. Sponsler is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sarah Sponsler.

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Beefless Day" Planned by U. S. Hotelmen

or of Field Artillery Ammunition teel.

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It was at first believed, because of the queer actions of the men, that their courtplaster was innoculated the proprietors of many of the country's leading hotels and restaurants.

Those present piedged themselves and to be createry, shorely of their keep for two years, during which time each ealf would be country to be compounds. The hotel and restaurant interests as a whole, it was cathering the proprietors of many of the country's leading hotels and restaurants.

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put on rations and there is to be penalty if the orders are not obey W. J. Hanna, food controller bearing the controller bear and the controller bearing the con

#### Discolored or Spotty Skin Easily Peeled Off

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# THE SUPREME AUGUST



The government calls on every patriotic American to assist in eliminating waste, thereby helping win the war.

The curtailment of needless deliveries will nean a great saving; this and other economic measures enforced during these stirring times will go a long way toward holding down prices

> Further suggestions of the Council for National Defense:

-Do not order goods sent C. O. D. unless of extreme urgency.

-Make reasonably sure that your first choice of selection is final that exchanging will

-If you have to return goods for exchange it will be necessary to return same within five business days.

#### An Attractive Collection of New Velvet Hats For Present Wear

will be ready for choosing to-morrow. Hats for all occasions - sports, afternoon, street wear and becoming affairs for

summer evenings. No matter how many hats a woman has she will surely want one of these new velvet hats that are so fashionable right now.

The brims are soft and easily adjusted to any shape—the velvet is of beautiful fine quality-panne included. Small and large shapes in purple, taupe, navy, brown and black BOWMAN'S-Third Floor



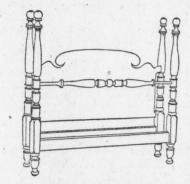
Furniture—typical of the very best that's manufactured in the very latest designs and period reproductions at prices below its real worth.

The furniture in this sale represents savings of from 10 to 50 per cent. —meaning so much more this year than ever before to those who appreciate beautiful, comfortable homes and who need furniture and desire to buy wisely. raise can be eas-Included are small odd pieces such as chairs and tables to large and more important articles - davenports, dining and bedroom suites, living room and library furniture, etc.

A deposit will hold any purchase at the reduced prices for a later delivery — same will be stored carefully in our warehouse without charge.

You have the privilege of buying this furniture on the liberal club plan which will be explained to you by any of them to evapo-

The following are examples of what you may expect in values all through the list — over 2,500 pieces making an assortment irresistible.



Twin Poster Beds -- size 3 ft. 3 ins. wide-finshed dull rubbed antique mahogany - neatly turned posts with cross rail in footend-Colonial August Sale Price, each ..... \$15.00 Cotton Combination Mattress - full size-one or two parts-striped ticking. August Sale Price ...... \$4.95



Overstuffed Davenport - full spring seat and spring back — covered in a high grade tapestry—length, 78 inches. August Sale Price, \$49.00 Overstuffed arm chair and arm 'rocker,

-two parts-covered in a beautiful art ticking. August Sale Price ..... \$10.75



William and Mary Dining Suite — finished Jacobean oak — made of genuine quartered oak — suite consists of buffet, china closet, extension table and serving table. August

—solid mahogany—equipped with spool holders and removable trays. August Sale Price, \$9.75
Platform Base Extension Table — genuine quartered oak — plank top, 45 inches, extends to  If you want to know the best methods for

#### Canning, Preserving and Drying

fruits and vegetables-visit our housefurnishing base

Scientific demonstration is in progress under the charge of Miss Kathryn Brooke, of the Drexell Institute.

Miss Brooke will show you in the most practical manner all the little knacks of how to preserve or dry my sort of fruit or vegetables to obtain the best results You are requested to visit this demonstration and if not convenient to come, call Miss Brooke on the one and any question in reference to this work will

Also—a demonstration of the wonderful

# "Granger" Evaporator Dry your own fruits and vegetables for next

ily dried for winno cost. economy.

even if you buy

Thousands of women are preparing a splendid supply of food and saving against next winter's prices by using this economical and practical "Granger" Evaporator. Use it on oil, gas or coal stoves; cannot burn or injure the product - merely takes out the moisture leaves all goodness in.

The simplest means of food saving and the most conomical for every housewife. Price, \$6.00.

### "McAlier Canner"



A cold packing method of canning fruits and vegetablesvegetables are preparner as for cooking the jars are filled, then placed in the "McAlier Canner" where they are kept until thoroughly cooked. Price, \$3.50.

BOWMAN'S-Basement

## Prices Are Broken On Couch Hammocks

These Are the New Figures—

\$12.50 \$17.50

A saving of about a These are the worthwhile kinds, made of striped art ticking, com-plete with adjustable



#### Green and White Black and White Green and Tan

The weeks to come is the period for the practical use of the couch hammock—and at these new lowered prices everybody should procure one and enjoy the comfort obtained from it.

BOWMAN'S-Fourth Floor,

## A Liberal Reduction in

**SWITCHES** 

Light weight summer switches made of naturally wavy hair in every wanted shade except gray will be sold to-morrow at \$1.45.

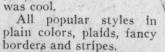
22-inch lengths, mounted on three separate items.

BOWMAN'S-Third Floor

# All Parasols Now at

HALF PRICE

An exceedingly good assortment to choose from this year at the new lessened prices on account of their slow selling the early



part of the summer which

The handles are this season's most attractive delons-all go on sale at half price.

BOWMAN'S-Main Floor.

# Women's

## Summer Dresses

## at Clearance Prices

For Saturday we announce a sale of high quality summer dresses - a delightful assortment reduced for quick disposal at

\$13.50 They are all exceptionally pretty styles that are so indispensable for party or afternoon wear or special summer occa-

sions. Materials include nets, voiles, crepe de chines, pongees and many other fashion-

able fabrics in white, gold, gray, green, rose, flesh and many combinations of various colorings,

These dresses come in a big variety of models and are richly trimmed with laces, braids, ribbons, buttons and novelty effects.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor



Not shoes that should get a low price because of their undesirability - but stylish footwear for wear right now - the kinds most in demand by smart

White plays a conspicuous part in the offerings and at the prices we expect a day of the most active shoe selling to-

Women's white sea island duck pumps with turned soles and covered heels, high or low, Pair .... \$1.75 Women's white sea island duck high cut laced shoes with medium and high French heels, Pair .... \$2.75 Women's fine kidskin colonials and pumps in white,

black, gray, champagne and two tone. Pair , \$2.40 Women's outing and tennis shoes of white duck, with white rubber soles and heels, Pair ......800 Children's white duck button shoes and Mary Jane

sizes at \$1.50

BOWMAN'S-Main Floor