

**Murdock Seeks Broader Powers**

Washington, Sept. 9.—Broader powers for the Federal Trade Commission so it may "stand as a policeman," regulate business, reduce prices by maintaining competition and eliminate unfair practices, were asked of Congress by Commissioner Victor Murdock.

At the House Judiciary Committee's hearings on changes in anti-trust and other existing laws that might affect the cost of living, Commissioner Murdock declared voluntary combinations of business men tended toward eliminating competition and fixing prices. He intimated that he included the American Steel Institute.

"Wouldn't you like to investigate the famous Gargy dinners?" asked Representative Steele (Democrat), Pennsylvania.

"That's an example of what we want to inquire into."

**CONFERENCE CALL OVERLOOKED JUST PLAIN CITIZENS**

Most Interested Parties Not Mentioned as in on Wilson's Plan

Washington, Sept. 9.—The eleventh-hour announcement by President Wilson, on the eve of his departure for a second prolonged absence from the capital, that he would call together a conference of capital and labor "at as early a date as practicable," has been received generally as an attempt upon the part of the Administration to soften the nationwide criticism of the President for leaving Washington at this time. Following almost immediately upon the heels of the suggestion by a member of the President's official family—Secretary Lane—that such a conference should be called immediately, and the resolutions introduced in the House of Representatives Rodenberg, of Illinois, and Strong, of Kansas, urging the President to postpone his proposed tour of the country until the present economic crisis had passed it can scarcely be doubted that President Wilson saw the necessity for taking steps that would at least give the impression that he was doing something to meet the situation. Hence, the announcement from the White House that a conference would be called "at as early a date as practicable," an announcement which, except for political reasons, might just as well have been made at the conclusion of the President's tour.

**Idea Not New**

There is no difference of opinion in Washington, either among Re-

publicans or Democrats, as to the advisability of some such conference. Long before President Wilson's announcement, Senator Poindexter and other members of the Senate and House had introduced measures calling for the creation of such a conference, and the joint committee on labor is now at work, giving final form to a bill which will provide for the creation of a permanent economic commission to which all differences between capital and labor can be referred for adjustment.

This commission will be composed not only of representatives of capital and labor, but will also have in its membership representatives of the in-between class, the "plain citizens"—the clerk and professional man—those who get salaries instead of wages, and, in a way, the general public. This is a point, in the opinion of Chairman J. M. C. Smith, of the House Committee on Labor, which the President completely overlooked in his Labor Day announcement.

Mr. Smith said today:

"The President, apparently, has nothing to say about the interests of the general public, in calling together a conference of capital and labor. It is the general public that is most vitally interested in all adjustments between the employer and the laboring man, and he should be given a voice in such settlements. In the measures now being considered by my committee the citizen who is not directly concerned in the relations of capital and labor, but is indirectly affected very vitally, is given a place in these deliberations, which is the only proper way in which to arrange matters."

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**WILL WELCOME SOLDIERS**

Mount Wolf, Pa., Sept. 9.—The returned soldiers of Springettsbury township will be welcomed home with a reception at Pleasantville, near here, on Saturday. Among the features will be a parade and an ox roast.

**CHURCHMEN TO MEET**

New Cumberland, Sept. 9.—The Sunday school board will meet in Baughman Memorial Methodist church Wednesday night at the close of prayer service.

**Central Pa. News**

**Personal and Social News of Towns on West Shore**

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Straubach, of Sparrows Point, are visiting friends at New Cumberland. Mrs. Meegler and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Mahan, of Penbrook, were guests of Mrs. M. L. Baker at New Cumberland.

Mrs. H. C. Oren, of Elverson, spent several days at New Cumberland. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Marjorie Oren, a nurse at the hospital, who was badly injured by falling from the merry-go-round at Paxtang Park, a few weeks ago. Miss Oren is walking with the aid of crutches.

G. F. Bobb, of Sebring, Fla., is the guest of Mrs. Eisenberger at New Cumberland.

Henry Moser, of Pittsburgh, attended the home coming celebration at New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. George Kaufman, of New Cumberland, attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Storch, at Mechanicsburg.

Mrs. Mary Prowell, of Steelton, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Harriet Wickersham, at New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams, of Steelton, are visiting relatives at New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Oren, Sr., of New Cumberland, went to Detroit, Mich., to visit their son, Paul Oren, and family.

Mrs. N. J. Powell and Miss Grace Yinger, of New Cumberland, left today for Cleveland, O., where they will visit relatives.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. Hughes, of Philadelphia, yesterday. They will spend several days at Atlantic City and return to New Cumberland on Saturday. The Rev. Hughes will occupy the pulpit in the Church of God on Sunday.

Mrs. William Fleischer and daughters, Ethel and Sara, of Philadelphia, are visiting friends at New Cumberland.

Miss Florence Garver, who has been spending several weeks at her home in Third street, New Cumberland, has returned to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Snell and family, of Steelton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Eichelberger in Fourth street, New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eichelberger, of New Cumberland, announced the birth of a son, Le Roy, on Sunday, September 7.

**FUNERAL SERVICES HELD**

Lyles, Pa., Sept. 9.—Funeral services were held yesterday morning for Mrs. Gertrude J. Yergo, who died at the Harrisburg Hospital. Services were held in the Catholic Church. Mrs. Yergo was 23 years old and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mary Koster. She was married to John Yergo about six years ago. Besides her husband she leaves two children, a son, Raymond, aged 18 months, and a baby, Dorothy. Her mother and three brothers also survive.

**WED IN MARYLAND**

Hagerstown, Md., Sept. 9.—The following Pennsylvania couples were granted marriage licenses in this city: William Piker, Harrisburg, and Minnie Davis, West Fairview; George E. Lohr, Harrisburg, and Irene Kaugaman, both of Carlisle; Walter S. Bomberger and Ella Wagaman, both of Waynesboro; Clarence Weisman, Hagerstown, and Beulah Weisman, Harrisburg; Harry C. Smetzer, Mont Alto, and Eva C. Wade, Waynesboro.

**TO FIGHT IN POLAND**

Carlisle, Pa., Sept. 9.—A Carlisle boy is soon to fight in Poland. Friends here have learned that Lieut. Samuel Harris has enlisted in the Polish Legion at Paris. He is a graduate of the Carlisle High School, attended Dickinson College, and served on the border with Company G, Eighth Pennsylvania, and later was commissioned and served in France as a lieutenant of infantry.

**JOSEPH UPDEGRAFF BURIED**

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Sept. 9.—Funeral services were held this afternoon for Joseph Updegraff, a prominent resident of Bolling Springs, who died at his home in that place on Saturday evening. He was aged 67 years and is survived by his widow and two daughters, Miss Mabel and Miss Mary, at home, and one son, Norman, of Camp Hill.

**REEDSVILLE PASTOR RESIGNS**

Lewistown, Pa., Sept. 9.—The Rev. W. C. Thompson, pastor of the Reedsville Presbyterian church, the past year has announced his resignation, to accept the pastorate of the Danville Presbyterian church. During his term of service here, the Rev. Mr. Thompson has made many friends, who will feel sorry to hear of his departure to another field.

**CLASS REORGANIZES**

New Cumberland, Sept. 9.—The senior class of the high school reorganized last night and elected the following officers: President, Clark Bair; vice president, Catherine Good; secretary, Luetta Kaufman; treasurer, Dorothy Heffeman. The school will hold a sale of homemade candy in the school house on Friday afternoon.

**GOES TO PINE GROVE**

Pine Grove, Pa., Sept. 9.—Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Hanch have closed their house in West Main street, Mechanicsburg, for the season and have their home at the Barbour house in Pine Grove. Professor Hanch has charge of the children of the State Foresters in Pine Grove Furnace.

**TWO PROPERTIES SOLD**

Dillsburg, Pa., Sept. 9.—The two properties of the Mrs. J. T. Baker estate were sold at public sale here, the 100-acre farm on the outskirts being purchased by Peter Burgard for \$2,300. The farm dwelling on Baltimore street was sold to Prof. D. B. Baker for \$2,500.

**CHILD KILLED BY AUTO**

Altoona, Sept. 9.—Struck by an automobile at Sixth avenue and Third street, driven by Harry Penny, of Juniata, James Robert Westney, aged 3, son of Charles R. Chestney, Juniata, received injuries which resulted in his death at 11:22 o'clock at the Altoona hospital. The child's skull was fractured.

**ARE AT CAMP DIX**

Marysville, Pa., Sept. 9.—Sergt. Niles Dice and Pfc. Elmer Palmer, who served overseas many months with the Fifth Field Artillery, have landed on this side and are at Camp Dix, N. J. They expect to be discharged within a short time.

**WOMAN CUTS THROAT**

Sunbury, Sept. 9.—Clark Fenstermacher, 59 years old, a well known Catawissa woman, committed suicide in the bathroom of her home by cutting her throat with a razor. She was alone in her home at the time she took her life. She had been ill all summer.

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**THOUSANDS INSPECT THE BRITISH MYSTERY SHIP, P-31**

London, Sept. 9.—Thousands of persons waited in line for hours to get a close-up peep at the P-31, a British anti-submarine "mystery" ship which was moored off Queen Victoria Embankment for a two days' public inspection at the close of the official Peace celebrations. The P-31 was the first of the "hush" craft the public was permitted to see at close range.

It was only ten yards from the embankment to the quaint looking U-boat fighter, but the intervening distance had to be made in small boats. These each carried eight passengers. It required but a few strokes of the oars to make the "trip"—and the fare was one shilling, so the waterman's pockets soon were bulging but there was no complaint about "profligating."

Among the thousands of curious who swarmed over the vessel were a number of American soldiers. Some of them took a peculiar interest in the guides' explanations and comment on the boat's "trick" fittings—her geared turbines, gaskets, depth-charge throwers and paravanes. It recalled to them a night of peril through which they passed from Southampton or Winchester across the submarine, or mine-infested English channel, en route to Le Havre or some other French port—and the war. That night of fearful expectancy passed safely, they had marvelled at the efficiency of the convoying craft, which they knew had been off in the darkness somewhere, ploughing through rolling breakers, eager for an encounter—with its frequent aftermath of "oil and bubbles" from a vanquished undersea boat.

But as these doughboy spectators heard a number of the crew of the "hush" ship say: "She does everything but loop-the-loop," and saw others demonstrate parts of the ship's fighting equipment hitherto kept secret, they understood why they had been so secure.

The "P-31" is 244 feet long, with narrow beam, seven-foot draught and equipped with independent engines, fore and aft, that can speed her through heavy seas at twenty-three knots an hour. Built high forward and low at the stern, the vessel has somewhat the appearance of a submarine—an effect that her designers intended.

"Fritz sometimes would think she was a 'sub' and would open fire on her—but when she slewed around in her own length and got into action, Heinle was sorry he had spoken," said a sailor who had been through eight engagements on the fighter. There had been other brushes with enemy craft, he explained, adding, "but unless you can bring home a bit of the corpse, the Admiralty say, 'Not Proven.' It's no use to tell them about the 'oil and bubbles' they're no proof because Fritz used to release oil and bubbles to make us waste ammunition."

**MOUNT JOY WOMAN DIES OF APOPLETIC STROKE**

Mount Joy, Sept. 9.—Two hours after she was stricken with apoplexy Mrs. Elizabeth V. Miller, widow of Reuben Miller, died at her home, a mile and a half east of Mount Joy. Mrs. Miller was 76 years of age. She was a member of the Mennonite church.

**CONGRESSMAN RETURNS**

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 9.—Congressman W. W. Grist has returned to Lancaster from San Francisco. He had accompanied his daughter, Miss Rebecca, who sailed from San Francisco for China, where she will engage in teaching.

**Removes Pimples**

Pimples and facial blemishes are the tell-tales of the blood's condition. Purify the blood by using

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Then again that frequent desire to empty the bladder, cold, clammy feet and just a little puffiness under the eyes.

Occasionally the hands or feet swell slightly and the palms of the hands are moist.

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**WILL HOLD RALLY**

New Cumberland, Sept. 9.—On Sunday evening at 6.30 the annual Sunday school rally will be held in the social room of Baughman Memorial Methodist church. The rally will be in charge of the president, I. R. Kohr. An interesting program will be given.

**HAY FEVER**

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Girls! Make beauty lotion for a few cents—Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quart of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and rosy-white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless and never irritates.

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