

## U.S. MAY QUIT SALES POLICY OF STEEL FIRM

Act of Company in Denying  
Unions Material Stirrs  
Representative.

### BUILDING WORK HELD UP

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Representative Frank Murphy of Ohio said today he is considering introduction of a resolution to have the Federal Trade Commission investigate the policy of the Bethlehem Steel Company which refuses to sell fabricated steel to New York and Philadelphia contractors who use union labor. This policy was outlined by President Grace of the Bethlehem company testifying in the New York building investigation.

Grace said his concern favors the open shop and will sell steel only to contractors who use open shop methods.

TERMS POLICY.

"This policy is un-American," said Representative Murphy. "It seems like a violation of the anti-trust laws. It will delay building at a time when the nation is far behind in housing," he continued. "The Bethlehem Steel Company, with its millions of backing, should not be permitted to coerce contractors into employing only non-union labor; it is time that somebody took a hand."

Grace and other witnesses probably will be called before the Senate Committee on Construction and Production, which is planning to make a national investigation of the industrial trades similar to the one carried on in New York. Authority for the investigation was carried in a resolution passed by the Senate Thursday.

### UNION LEADER ACCEPTS CHALLENGE

Officials at the American Federation of Labor headquarters scored Grace and his company's policy. They hailed Grace's statement as proof of the charge recently made by President Samuel Gompers that some employers of the country are cooperating to destroy collective bargaining.

President John Donlin of the building trades department of the American Federation of Labor accepted Grace's challenge.

"If they want war the building trades will give it to them," he said. "Furthermore, we'll win. They can't put up buildings without our men and our men won't work under the nonunion shop system. We can afford to wait until they get ready to recognize this."

"The Bethlehem Steel Company has been working this policy since last spring. For many months it delayed building in New York. It is one reason why the housing shortage continues to exist in the United States."

### Employees to Give Christmas Party

Employees of the Meyer-Kiser Bank will give a Christmas party tonight in the clubhouse of the bank. The entertainment for the evening is in charge of the Meyer-Kiser Club. Holly, mistletoe and bells, together with an immense Christmas tree, will be used for decoration.

A Santa Claus will distribute gifts among the guests and a novelty program of "stunts" and music will be presented.

### \$4,000 SALARY SUIT.

Judgment of \$4,000 as salary is asked in a suit filed in the Marion County Circuit Court by Walter R. Denman against 80th R. Porter of the Glenmary Ranch, Inc., of Calgary, Canada, who operates a 37,000-acre cattle grazing estate. Denman claims he was engaged at a salary of \$10,000 to do certain work on the estate and after being paid \$1,000 was informed that his services were no longer needed.

## Wife of Erratic Earl



Courtesy of Wiltshire

The youthful Earl of Wiltshire, whose high flying exploits have kept him in the public eye, has been cited in an action which Col. Alexander Ross-Hulme of Dundee, Scotland, is bringing against his wife, according to a report from London. The Earl, who is 24, and is said to be one of the richest young men in England, is named as co-respondent in the action. The photograph shows the beautiful Countess of Wiltshire, wife of the youthful Earl. She formerly was Miss Brenda Peterson, daughter of William Peterson, a great shipping magnate, who recently attracted attention by his purchase of the Hebridean Island of Elig.

### Officers Elected by W. R. C. Post

Anna S. Batschelder has been chosen as president of the George H. Thomas Post No. 29 for the coming year.

Other officers named include: Emma B. Post, senior vice president; Effie E. Hill, junior vice president; Eva Raymond, treasurer; Caroline Whitsett, chairman; Mary Alexander, guard; and Mary Coleman, conductor.

Delegates and alternates to the department convention chosen are: Lillian Bell, Augusta Stratford, Olive Shute, Mary Coleman, Addie Detch Frank, Jennie Whitsett, Frances Hemigan and Maude Allman.

### Judge Pollard Dies

Special to The Times.  
KOKOMO, Ind., Dec. 17.—Judge Clark N. Pollard, 85, dean of the Howard County bar, is dead at his home here of the infirmities of age.

Judge Pollard was a pioneer of Indianapolis, had come to this county in 1845 and entered the practice of law. He was the first judge of the Thirty-sixth Judicial District, serving from 1870 to 1879 in this capacity.

Mr. Pollard is survived by a son, Otto Pollard, a local newspaper man, a sister, Mrs. Mary Brohard, and a brother, William Pollard, both of Indianapolis.

### BOWMAN GOES TO RICHMOND.

L. S. Bowman, deputy State auditor under Otto L. Klaus, whose term expired Nov. 24, has accepted a position as treasurer of the American Trust and Savings Bank of Richmond. Mr. Bowman served two years as deputy State auditor, was auditor of Wayne County for seven years, and was defeated in the last Republican State convention for the nomination for auditor of State by the present auditor, William G. Oliver.

## WAR MOTHERS TO SEE BATTLE ZONE

Arrangements Being Made for  
June Sailing.

A "Gold Star" ship is to sail from America for Europe next June, bearing hundreds of mothers of World War veterans, including Gold Star and other war mothers, to view the battlefields and cemeteries of France and Belgium, according to announcement here today by Alice M. French, war mother of the National War Mothers.

The officers of the national organization of mothers of America's fighting men have just completed arrangements with the Fletcher Savings and Trust Company, whereby a special ship will be chartered for the voyage and applications for reservations aboard the vessel already have been forwarded to members of the national board of directors of the War Mothers, for distribution among approximately 30,000 war mothers of the United States.

Mrs. French also pointed out that War Mothers expect many of the World War veterans, who did not get across the ocean during the war, to join in the trip.

## PANAMA MAY BECOME 'DESERT'

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COLON, Panama, Dec. 17.—John Battey, in Panama has visions of the spectre of death.

In this little republic where continues to occupy by far the most prominent places on the business streets, where one rarely sees an intoxicated person, and where intoxicants are considered a necessity, there is great fear that dry America is going to force a dry Panama.

The War and Navy Departments are anxious to increase the military forces in the Canal Zone. The War Department has tentative plans for a complete division in the Canal Zone. Yet the present head of the War Department is opposed to placing more troops in a district where intoxicants are legally and freely dealt in.

### PORRAS REPORTED FOR PROHIBITION.

Political gossip has it that President Porras of the Republic of Panama is pledged to prohibition, in exchange for the favor and the support of the Amer-

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tain," "German Beer Sold Here," "Old English Stout," "Via Roma," "Jamaica Rum Chop," "Cantina Mexicana." If these signs go the commerce of the world undoubtedly will pass quickly through Panama, and no longer will there be an interchange of international views over the tiny café tables along the Central Avenida.

Panama does not want prohibition. Yet

It is a fairly safe conjecture that Panama will have prohibition if the mysterious higher power wills it.

SOME MAP.  
A large relief map of the world, showing all known physical conditions of the globe is being prepared by the United States shipping board.

## Liberty Market

350-354 East Washington Street

POTATOES—Long Montanas or round white Michigans, peck ..... 29c  
2 1/2 bushel sack ..... \$2.85

PILLSBURY 4X FLOUR, 24-lb. sack ..... \$1.35

APPLES—Grimes Golden. Fine eating. Each apple nicely wrapped. Various sizes. 40-lb. bushel box ..... \$2.40

CREAMERY BUTTER—Hoosier Gold ..... 49c

NAVY BEANS—Californias ..... 6 lbs. 25c

BOILED HAM—Lean and Sweet. Pound ..... 49c

BREAKFAST BACON—Sugar cured. Nicely Streaked—Pound ..... 31c Three pounds ..... 90c

Monarch Cream Cheese, finest New York full cream. The larger cheese have the finest flavor. This monster weighed 504 pounds. Pound ..... 42c

Swiss Cheese, finest Wisconsin make, pound ..... 65c

Cream Cheese, mild, pound ..... 29c

Georgia Squares, sugar cured jowls, lb. .... 27c Lard, pure open kettle rendered, lb. .... 20c

Eggs, selected, strictly fresh, dozen in a carton ..... 79c Peanut Butter, fresh made, lb. .... 19c

Onions, red or yellow, nice size, 5 lbs. .... 11c Cabbage, Holland Seed, 100-lb. bag ..... \$1.50 big solid heads, each ..... 8c

New Spanish Onions, each 5c; 6 for ..... 25c

Florida Grape Fruit, large size, thin rind ..... 10c

Oranges, California Navels, extra large, each ..... 5c

Hothouse Lettuce, crisp and tender, pound ..... 26c

Virginia Sweet Pancake and Buckwheat flour ..... 12 1/2c

Taggart's York Butter Crackers ..... Lb. 17c

Liberty Ginger Snaps ..... Lb. 17c

Mixed Nuts, all good varieties, pound ..... 25c

English Walnuts, California's, large size, thin shell—Pound ..... 35c 3 pounds ..... \$1.00

English Walnuts, small size, thin shell, lb. .... 25c Brazil Nuts (Cream), large size, lb. .... 39c

California Almonds, paper shell, lb. .... 35c Pecans, medium size, lb. .... 25c Filberts, large size, lb. .... 24c

Hershey's Almond Bars, each ..... 5c Mixed Christmas Candles, a dozen varieties, lb. .... 39c

Chocolate Drops, cream centers, assorted flavors, lb. .... 39c Jelly Beans and Spiced Jelly Drops, lb. .... 25c

Chocolate Creams, extra nice, high grade, assorted cream filled—Pound ..... 59c 5-pound box ..... \$2.75

Heinz Plum and Fig Pudding—Medium size can ..... 56c Large size ..... \$1.03

Cider, Sweet Russet, in gallon tin ..... 65c

Sunmald Cluster Raisins, pound box ..... 39c Sun Malt Seeded Raisins, 15-oz. box ..... 29c

Pilgrim Rio Coffee, lb. .... 18c F. F. F. Coffee, lb. can, 45c; 3-lb. can ..... \$1.30

2 lbs., 35c Santos Old Crop, lb. 29c; 3 lbs. .... \$5c

Phoenix Coffee, 45c Lb. Premier Coffee Rorer's Coffee, Lipton's Coffee

Shredded Coconut, bulk, pound ..... 25c Shelled Blanched Almonds, lb. .... 65c

Jello and Jiffy Jell, any flavor ..... 11c

Monarch Mincemeat, in bulk, pound ..... 25c Persian Dates, in bulk, lb. .... 19c

Strawberries, new pack, in syrup, full No. 2 cans ..... 29c Pineapple, sliced in syrup, Telmo brand, large cans ..... 43c

Crisco—For Baking—Pound can ..... 22c 6-pound can ..... \$1.20

Crystal Domino Sugar, 5-lb. carton ..... 45c Domino 4X Powdered Sugar, lb. .... 12c

Scratch Feed, no grit—25 pounds ..... 75c 100-lb. sack ..... \$2.75

No. 2 cans Corn or Tomatoes, per can ..... 10c

Jiffy-Jell, all flavors, per package ..... 11c

Fresh Hams, skin and fat off, whole, per lb ..... 23c

Fresh Pork Shoulders, whole, per lb ..... 18c

Boiling Beef, per lb ..... 15c

Beef Roast, per lb ..... 18c and 20c

Pure Lard, kettle rendered, per lb ..... 19c

Rib and Loin Pork Chops ..... 24c

Per Pound ..... 24c

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## Crisco

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1 1/2-lb. Can ..... 38c  
3-lb. Can ..... 75c  
6-lb. Can ..... \$1.46

## Coffee

Maxwell House, per lb. .... 41c  
Old Reliable ..... 39c  
Arbuckle's ..... 30c  
Breakfast Blend ..... 28c

## Butter

Blue Valley, per lb. .... 57c  
Meadow Gold, per lb. .... 51c

## Oleo Margarine

Good Taste, per lb. .... 30c  
Good Luck, per lb. .... 34c  
2 lbs. Good Luck ..... 67c

## Kingan's Bacon

## Squares

1 1/2 to 2 lbs. Average, per lb. .... 21c

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Best grade, per lb. .... 19c

## French's Mustard

Per jar ..... 10c

## Jello

All flavors, per package ..... 10c

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24-lb. Sack ..... \$1.33  
10-lb. Sack ..... 57c  
5-lb. Sack ..... 31c

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