

PEOPLE THROG BROADWAY TO HEAR SPEAKERS

Bulletin Boards Erected to Give War News First Attracted Crowds—Street Meetings Enjoy Boom.

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Men of All Nationalities and Religious Creeds Pro-pound Views Nightly on Street Corners.

BY KNICKERBOCKER.
NEW YORK, July 30.—A strange outgrowth of the great world war raging three thousand odd miles from Manhattan's shores is the nightly forum-like appearance of Broadway. Especially on Sunday nights does the Great White Way present the appearance of an elongated, serpentine debating society.

Of course Broadway always has been and always will be the scene of street meetings, political rallies in campaign time, the Salvation Army gatherings, and the soap-box efforts of the suffragists, but now-days on Sunday nights every available corner is the gathering place of a knot of people listening to some speaker or other and pointing in the discussion. They talk about everything under the sun, from religion and politics down to advertising methods and the single tax.

Grows Out of War.
How is this an outgrowth of the war? When the great conflagration started, the newspapers along Broadway erected large bulletin boards. These attracted great crowds, as all New York was interested in the combat. Daily and nightly, without ceasing, the bulletin boards displayed the latest developments of the titanic struggle. Crowds that blocked the sidewalk could be seen in front of the boards all night long.

As men got the habit of spending their evenings around the bulletin boards, they looked around and saw other men nightly in the crowd. Naturally these regular visitors drifted together, became acquainted and just naturally they discussed the war.

Among these were Englishmen, Germans, Frenchmen, Italians, Russians, Americans and men of nearly all other races and nationalities. They differed about the war, so debates arose. It was remarkable though, that the debates with very few exceptions always were amicable. There were no altercations, no fights and no riots, as might have been expected in such a cosmopolitan atmosphere.

Interest Dies Down.
But gradually interest in the war became less acute. It almost died but, as New York's interest in anything dies out after a time. The men no longer waited breathlessly for each new bulletin, and they had talked the war threadbare. But they had congenial acquaintances and had formed the habit of debating something. So, rather than give up their nightly meetings they turned to other topics. The transition was gradual, but soon the war was almost entirely lost sight of and the men were discussing every form of religion, politics, metaphysics, the fourth dimension and whatnot. Women joined the crowds, some to talk religion and some the suffrage. The space in front of every newspaper became a people's forum and animated debate was the order of the day.

Curious persons who came down town just to see the groups were surprised at the deep knowledge displayed by some of the men, notably the foreign born. They had the history of Europe at their finger tips and

SALTS IF BACKACHE AND KIDNEYS HURT

Drink lots of water and stop eating meat for a day or two. Bladder troubles for you.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sore, of paralyzed and logy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure, and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink. (Advertisement.)



REFLOOR SPAN ACROSS RIVER AT CAMBRIDGE

CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., July 30.—Meredith Matthews of Detroit, is spending his summer vacation at the Norborough farm, the guest of his sister and Mrs. Virginia C. Meredith.

John E. Gray left on Wednesday for Columbus, Ohio, to spend a few days with relatives and boyhood friends. Mrs. Merriman Strawn has returned from an extended visit with relatives at Falmouth, Kentucky. She was accompanied by her niece Miss Anna Sweetman of Falmouth, who will spend several days visiting friends in this vicinity.

The bridge across West River on Main street, is to be improved by the addition of a new floor. Ten thousand feet of oak lumber is required for the purpose.

The Standard Manufacturing company of this place, has secured the

contract for furnishing the Carnegie library at Liberty with folding chairs. Miss Esther Bowden is a visitor this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weed, at Franklin, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. James Winters are spending the week in Muncie, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Walter Stobaugh.

Attends Convention.
Maxwell Feemster left today for San Francisco, to attend the National convention of the Sigma Chi fraternity, as a representative from Wabash college. During his stay in the west, he will visit the more important places of interest, and attend the Panama Exposition.

Mrs. Daniel Kimmel and son Arthur, are spending the week with relatives in this place. Claude S. Kitterman of the First National bank, is in northern Minnesota this week, where he has extensive farming interests near the town of Stephen.

Mrs. Will Ballenger of Flint, Mich., is here for a fortnight visiting her numerous friends and relatives.

The following teachers have been selected by Trustee Ehle for the schools of Jackson township: Germantown, Aldo Cain and Grace Kirby; Pennville, Mabel Hartman; Creitz,

Evelyn Hayes; Hines, Samuel Lamar; Kisers, Margaret Quigley.

Social Union Meets.
The Third Section of the Social Union of the M. E. church will entertain the members of the other sections the first Tuesday in August, at the home of Mrs. L. A. Ogborn. Each member is requested to present a conundrum at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Judkins left today for a two weeks' stay at Martinsville.

Miss Blanche Boyd of this place, who within the last two years has acquired considerable prominence as a vocalist, will sing at the Roberts Park M. E. church, on next Sunday, August 1.

The following ladies from Cambridge City, were present at a dinner given by Mrs. Thomas Henby, near Dublin, in honor of her sister Mrs. Will Ballenger of Flint, Mich., on Wednesday: Mesdames J. C. Dodson, Frank Marson and Clarence Ingeman, and the Misses Elizabeth Whelan and Bertie Lafever.

CUPID'S BUSINESS REGISTERS SLUMP

July has been an unpopular month for marriages in this county. Only twenty-three licenses have been issued by the county clerk, while last month 52 were issued by this time. County Clerk Kelly thinks that the weather may have something to do with the slump in Cupid's business. The average for the year, however, is about the same as last year and the clerk has no fear but that by the end of the year the number will reach the usual mark. There have been 200 licenses issued this year.

Remember

It is wise to get rid quickly of ailments of the organs of digestion—of headache, languor, depression of spirits—the troubles for which the best corrective is

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GRAND LEADER'S SELLING OUT SALE

Has Taken the Town By Storm--Greatest Sale Richmond Has Ever Witnessed This Immense \$40,000 Stock Must Be Sold Within Thirty Days

People for miles around are flocking here to share in the wonderful distribution of high grade merchandise at prices almost beyond belief. Come early and often for never again will you be able to buy at such ridiculously low prices. Come tomorrow and share in the countless WONDERFUL MONEY SAVING OPPORTUNITIES now offered.

If You Haven't Attended This Sale, COME EARLY and OFTEN

5c Roll Toilet Paper—3 Rolls	5c	Best 50c Kimono Aprons	25c	50c Blue Work Shirts	33c	Women's 75c Muslin, Crepe, Gowns	38c
Women's \$1 Sample Waists	33c	Child's 15c Muslin Drawers	8c	Women's 50c Gingham Petticoats	19c	35c Muslin Corset Covers	12c

INFANTS' 50c DRESSES	WOMEN'S 50c UNION SUITS	35c SILK BOOT HOSE	\$1 America ALARM CLOCKS	CHILD'S 50c MUSLIN GOWNS	\$1.00 SILK GLOVES	BOYS' OR GIRLS' 50c ROMPERS	WOMEN'S 65c Dressing SACQUES	NEW \$2.00 LACE CURTAINS	BOYS' 50c KNICKER PANTS	CHILD'S 35c UNION SUITS	50c SHORT SILK GLOVES	BEST 75c SUMMER CORSETS
In dainty white, in nainsook, lace and embroidery, trimmed styles.	Fine, light, finished, yoke, lace knee, closing out sale.	for women; in black, white, colors, double heel.	Made by makers of Big Ben; going out of business price.	—Cut full, neat, embroidery yoke; closing out price.	Black or white, double finger tipped; closing out price.	—All kinds, all styles in new materials; closing out price.	Fine percales in blue, gray and stripes, closing out sale price.	Nottingham or Scrim patterns, new narrow-border effects.	Fancy wool mixtures, tan, khaki blue serge, all sizes.	for boys or girls, porous knit, athletic or with panty waist.	—Double finger tipped, black or white; closing sale price.	Six new models, coutil or Summer Nets, closing out at—
38c	33c	21c	49c	25c	48c	31c	32c	87c	32c	17c	32c	41c

Great Going Out of Business Sale of Women's & Summer Wearables

\$10 White Dresses \$4.49 Exquisite All Over Embroidered Voles, Nets, Crepes, Mulls, Organ-dies, etc., closing out at \$4.49.	\$2.00 White SKIRTS 87c Gabardines, French Repps, wide and narrow Wale P K, etc., pearl button and pocket trimmed; closing out at 87c.	\$5.00 White Dresses \$1.55 Striped and figured lawns, organdies, volles, etc.; beautiful summer models, closing price \$1.55.	\$20.00 to \$25.00 Suits \$4.50 For women and misses, black and colors, sizes from 16 to 44; closing out at \$4.50.	\$2.00 AUTO COATS 85c Women's full length tan linen Auto Coats, all sizes.
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Boys' 50c Union Suits, All Styles	29c
Girls' 75c Gingham DRESSES	34c
Boys' 35c BLOUSE WAISTS	18c
65c LIVE FEATHER PILLOWS	34c
Kleinert's 25c Baby PANTS	16c
INFANTS' 25c RUBENS WAISTS	17c
GIRLS' \$2 WHITE DRESSES	87c

GOING OUT OF Business Sale MEN'S NEEDS

\$1.00 Summer Dress Shirts 58c

Closing out all Men's Shirts, fine quality madras and pongee, coat cut, cuffs attached, beautiful new patterns; closing out price.....

MEN'S 35c SILK HOSE	18c
REGULAR 25c PARIS GARTERS	16c
MEN'S 50c UNDERWEAR	32c
75c HEAVY OVERALLS	48c
MEN'S \$2.00 WORK TROUSERS	94c
59c SATEEN WORK SHIRTS	37c
MEN'S 10c HANDKERCHIEFS	2 1/2c
MEN'S 10c HOSIERY	5 1/2c
50c SILK FOUR-IN-HAND TIES	33c
75c ATHLETIC UNION SUITS	38c

\$1 SUMMER UNION SUITS

Porous mesh or elastic ribbed; all sizes for men; Closing Our price **58c**

\$2 LONG CREPE KIMONOS	88c	Boys \$3.50 All Wool SUITS	\$1.87	Boys' 50c Summer HATS	32c	\$2 House or Street DRESSES	87c	19c Large Turkish TOWELS	11c	75c Embd. Muslin Petticoats	41c	Finest \$1 Princess SLIPS	48c
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Going Out of Business Sale OF CLEAN CRISP UNDERMUSLINS

\$2.00 Muslin Petticoats.....	} Choice For 87c		
\$2.00 Muslin Gowns			
\$2.00 Muslin Princess Slips.....			
\$2.00 Muslin Combinations.....			
75c Emb. Muslin Drawers.....	33c	\$1 Muslin, Crepe GOWNS.....	58c
		\$1.00 MUSLIN PETTICOATS... 44c	
		BEST 50c BRASSIERES... 34c	
		50c CORSET COVERS at... 33c	

BARGAINS!

Women's \$1 Sport Outing Hats	35c
\$1 Emb. Trimmed Princess Slips	48c
Infants' \$2 White Cashmere Coats	89c
Child's 75c Princess Slips	38c
\$1 Sample Boudoir Caps	33c
\$1 House Dress Aprons at	58c
Boys' 50c Straw Hats at	24c
50c President Suspenders	33c
35c Scarfs and Squares at	14c
Men's, Women's \$1.50 Umbrellas	94c
10c Canvas Gloves, knit wrist	5c
Child's 35c Gingham Rompers	21c

Going Out of Business Sale of \$2 Genuine Panamas 79c

12 new models, small or medium shapes of genuine Panama to close at 79c.	
CHOICE OF TO \$1.50 HAT SHAPES	
Small, medium and large shapes, also turbans, in colors only, at	10c
Genuine \$3.50 PANAMAS	\$1.88
Think of this—large sail or styles, genuine Panamas; closing out at \$1.88	
\$3 New Fall Style Velvet and Satin Hats	\$1.98

BARGAINS!

Boys' \$1.50 Wash Suits	87c
\$3 Silk and Crepe Kimonos	\$1.88
\$1.50 Bed Spreads	87c
Women's 59c Kimono Aprons	32c
Finest \$1.50 Scrim Curtains	87c
Child's 10c Fine Garters	6c
75c Envelope Chemise	39c
Finest \$1 Corsets at	58c
Women's 39c Union Suits	19c
89c Bleached Bed Sheets	48c
Boys' 35c Blouse Waists	18c
Girls' 35c Kimono Aprons	19c

Going Out of Business Sale of KNITWEAR

Child's 15c Pantie Waists	9c	Women's 25c Vests and Pants	17c
Women's 75c Union Suits	33c	Women's 12 1/2c Hosiery	6c
Child's 12 1/2c Hosiery	6c	Misses' 39c Union Suits	21c
19c Summer Vests	11c	35c Silk Boot Hose	21c
35c Silk Lisle Hose	17c	19c Black, White Hosiery	11c
Child's 19c Fancy Top Sox	10 1/2c	Men's 10c Hosiery	5 1/2c

\$1 Oil Mops With Bottle	34c	Men's \$1.50 Khaki PANTS	87c	\$1.50 Chiffon AUTO VEILS	89c	Infants' 50c Summer BONNETS	32c
\$2.00 China Silk WAISTS	94c	\$1.50 Newest Style MIDDIES	88c	Women's 50c Numodel CORSETS	29c	\$1.50 damask TABLE COVERS	87c

Women's 50c Pure Silk HOSE at	33c	Beautiful \$3.50 Crepe WAISTS	\$1.88	\$1.50 Couch COVERS, Fringed	87c	35c TEA APRONS, Embroidered	14c
\$1.00 Fitted POCKET BOOKS	42c	BOYS' \$1.00 WASH SUITS	49c	BOYS' 35c BROWNIE OVERALLS	21c	BOYS' 50c STRAW HATS	15c

Going Out of Business Sale of DOMESTICS

7c 15x15 Table Napkins	4c	7c Standard Calicoes	3 1/2c
15c Bleached Pillow Cases	7 1/2c	Best 10c Huck Towels	5 1/2c
5c Twilled Cotton Toweling	2 1/2c	7c Unbleached Muslin	4 1/2c
12 1/2c Heavy Linen Crash	7 1/2c	5c Bordered Barber Towels	2 1/2c
Best 7c Apron Gingham	5c	5c Cheese Cloth, yard	2c
10c Dress Percales	6 1/2c	7c Bleached Muslin	4 1/2c