

## ECONOMIC BLOCKADE BEST WEAPON SAYS BALFOUR OF LEAGUE

(By Associated Press)  
SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, July 30.—"We must have an economic blockade," declared Arthur J. Balfour, the British representative on the League of Nations council, in a talk with newspaper correspondents on the program of the council which opens its eighth meeting here tomorrow. He considered the meeting an important one because, among other things, the blockade question was comprised in its agenda.

If an economic blockade was applied to a nation which defied the league, Mr. Balfour said he could not believe that nation would be able to resist for long.

"No nation would destroy itself in these civilized times by inviting such a penalty," he added. "It is not likely it will often be used since it is not probable the league will often be defied."

### Extremists Are Enemies.

Mr. Balfour gave it as his opinion that the league was suffering from two dangers; on the one hand, from those people who said it was a useless creation, and on the other hand from those who believed that in the league had been found a remedy for all international difficulties.

If all the nations threw all their problems on it in these early days, before its objects had been ingrained in the people's minds, he asserted, the league could not function properly; it must be given time to develop.

Turning to the Aland Islands question, over which he said a clash had been averted by Finland and Sweden referring the case to the league, Mr. Balfour cited it as an instance of the real effectiveness of the league for peace. But he declared, behind discussions in such a case there must be stronger sanctions and these were contemplated by the league.

The significance of holding the council meeting in a neutral country, was dwelt upon by the speaker. He expressed satisfaction also that Count Quiñones de Leon, Spanish ambassador to France, was to preside, "because the services rendered the league by this neutral member are well known."

Addressing the Spanish press representatives especially, Mr. Balfour stated he was glad the meeting was being held in Spain, since it emphasized the universal character of the league.

### City Lodges

#### Ben Hur

Three candidates were obliged by the local tribe of Ben Hur, Thursday evening. They will be given from the initiatory work two weeks from last night, Thursday, August 12. Dr. Munsell, supreme officer from the home lodge at Crawfordsville, was present at last night's meeting.

The obligation was followed by an old-fashioned entertainment in which a program of old-fashioned songs, recitations, and games furnished fun. The entertainment was followed by dancing and refreshments.

Ben Hur has arranged a special dance for next Thursday night, Aug. 5.

#### Lady Macabees

Candidates will be given degrees and the teams will have work at the meeting of the Lady Macabees, Friday night.

#### K. of C.

The Knights of Columbus will meet next Tuesday night, August 3. All members are urged to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

#### Richmond Council

Richmond Council, 2356, S. B. B., gave a dance Thursday evening in Vaughn hall, which was well attended. Refreshments were served following the dance.

#### K. of P.

Delegates to the national encampment of the Knights of Pythias lodge at Cleveland, O., which was in session from July 25 to 28, were expected to return to Richmond, Friday. A number of representatives and their families attended.

#### O. U. A. M.

The official program of the O. U. A. M. convention to be held in Richmond, August 27 and 28, has been announced to be as follows: Thursday morning, welcome address by Frank Strayer; response for Junior O. U. A. M. by State Councillor David Johnson, for D. of A. State Councillor Miriam Housmyer. At 10:30 a. m. Councils adjourn.

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### COUNTY CHRISTIANS TO PICNIC SUNDAY

Every Christian church in Wayne county will be represented at the annual meeting of Christian churches at Jackson Park, Sunday, Aug. 1. Members of the First Christian church of this city are planning to meet at the church at 9 a. m. Sunday, where transportation will be furnished to the park.

Following is the official program as announced Friday: Morning—Bible school at 10 a. m., A. A. Lindley, Jacksonburg, Sup't; Orchestra; Song by school; Prayer; Song by school; Study of lesson; Missionary exercise, directed by Miss Windsor; Report of secretary; Report of churches; Chorus; Prayer, F. C. McCormick, Milton; Vocal solo, Mrs. Anna Horrell Miller, Connerville; Communion song; Communion in charge of Milton church; Solo, Prayer, Rev. Liverpool, Fountain City; Noon, Musical dinner.

Afternoon, 1:30 to 3 p. m.—Musical numbers by the orchestra of the First Christian church, Richmond; Choir of First Christian church, Richmond; Milton church, special numbers; Special solo by Mrs. Anna Horrell Miller, Connerville; Ralph Little, Richmond; The Brocks, Greensfork; cornet duet, Robert Wilson and Everett Harlan; Address, George P. Rutledge, Editor of Christian Standard, Cincinnati, Ohio; Song by audience; Benediction. Music in charge of Mrs. W. G. McVay; Orchestra under direction Robert Wilson, Miss Meta Richards, pianist.

### Farm Federation

Announcement was made at the headquarters of the Indiana Federation of Farmers' association Wednesday that a meeting of the board of directors of the organization will be held on Aug. 5 and 6. The directors of the ten districts of the Federation will meet with the officers to formulate plans for the establishment of a bureau of markets as a new department of the state body.

Three districts of the federation have reported the election of a member of the permanent grain committee recently installed by the state organization as follows: Sixth district, Ward F. Parnell of Greenfield; Eighth district, James K. Mason, Fayette county, and Tenth district, O. H. Pate, of Aurora.

**GRAIN CARS UNFIT, IS REPORT OF CAR SERVICE**  
According to a report just issued by the National Crop Improvement service, the car shortage is not the only menace to proper distribution of grain.

Grain cars furnished elevator operators and farmers are leaky and it is only with the utmost care that these cars are made fit for shipment, it is charged. After being used for hauling lime, salt, brick, manure and various other cargoes, they are sent uncleared for grain transportation.

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Ladies will be admitted to the Eagle baseball games the remainder of the season without charge other than the payment of five cents war tax.

to separate halls for official business.

Thursday evening, Junior O. U. A. M. and Daughters of America will meet at corner of Ninth and North A streets and march to the high school auditorium for a public meeting. The meeting will be addressed by Major Edward Jackson, of Indianapolis, and others. There will be special music.

#### Eagles

Three candidates were given initiatory work by the local aerie of Eagles Wednesday night. The money of the 12 candidates who failed to report for initiation was ordered refunded.

Elmer Hawkins, delegate from the local aerie to the national convention at New Haven, Conn., will leave Richmond week after next to attend the conclave.

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#### FORMER COMMANDER OF

**G. A. R. IS DEAD AT HOME**  
CINCINNATI, July 30.—Funeral services for Captain Elias R. Monfort, 78 years old, former postmaster of Cincinnati and past commander in chief of the grand army of the republic, who died suddenly yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Burris, Oak Corners, New York, will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. B. Simrall, 918 Foraker avenue, Walnut Hills, tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. William McKibben, President of Lane Seminary, of which institution Captain Monfort had been a trustee many years, will officiate. Captain Monfort's body will be conveyed to Cincinnati today from New York in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Burris.

**MILO NYE RESIGNS AS CO. AGENT AT UNION**

Milo A. Nye will leave Union county, Sunday, having handed in his resignation some time ago, effective Aug. 1, according to word from Liberty. He is leaving now for a short vacation before entering Wisconsin university in the fall, where he will take a post-graduate course, majoring in economics, for the master's degree.

The meeting to be held Saturday will discuss a successor to Mr. Nye. A Rush county man was talked of, but he is unavailable now, it is stated.

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### STARBUCK GETS \$135 FOR LARGE POLANDS

The first registered hog sale of the 1920 summer season in this vicinity was held by Caleb Starbuck, at the Westwood Stock Farm, seven miles southwest of Winchester, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Starbuck is a breeder of Big Type Polands. The sale was advertised as a "Fashion Master and Importer" offering and 45 head were put up. The attendance of folks from the country side was not large, owing to farmers being so busy threshing and harvesting oats. There was a number of breeders present, however, and all things considered prices realized were satisfactory.

Gilt Brings \$500.

The top of the sale was brought by a gilt and John Rumpel of Vernon, Ind., ran her up to \$500, and the next high bid after that price, Col. Joe Fisher of Dunkirk and O. E. Ross, of Winchester, cried the sale. Forty-five head were sold at an average price of \$135.

Several sales of Spotted Polands were held in Indiana in July, two occurring at Bluffton on the 15th and 17th, and one at Hillsboro on the 29th. The Wilcoxen Duroc sale is set for Tuesday, Aug. 3, the first sale of that breed in Wayne this season.

### Farm Sale Calendar

William Wilcoxen, Route A, Greensburg; Duroc hogs; Tuesday, August 3, at noon.

Thursday, Aug. 12.  
Jones and Pike, Centerville; Big Type Polands.

Friday, Aug. 13.  
Frank A. Williams, Williamsburg; Big Type Polands.

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The cloud cover of the earth is most attenuated; it may be compared to a film, for it is supposed to be less than one eight-hundredth of the earth's diameter in vehicle thickness.

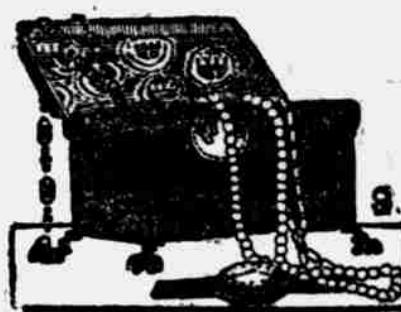
The thinness of the earth's atmosphere may be more clearly comprehended if we realize that the relative thickness of the cloud layer on an 8-inch terrestrial globe would be about one-hundredth of an inch. Yet it is in this belt that clouds form, so that it is seen our weather is produced within limited confines.

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