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## THE SALVATION ARMY HAS ARMY READY FOR WAR WORK

It Has Tendered to President Wilson All of Its Facilities.—Colonel Parker.

The Salvation Army announces that it has available, in Europe and the United States, no fewer than 60,000 men and women trained for war relief and Christian work for enlisted men. It says it can command more than half that number, 30,000, in this country, while it has 30,000 on the fields and in the hospitals and training camps of Europe. It has tendered to President Wilson all of its facilities, including its naval and military league, at the head of which is the veteran army officer, Colonel Parker. It is doing work at the front in all of the war countries, Germany and the Balkans included, and the work has been accumulating since 1914. At present the army is appealing for \$50,000 at the first of its American projects.

A distinctive feature of Army work is in huts, costing \$3000 each and seating 300 men. In each is a reading room restaurant and entertainment facilities. The Army commands twenty-five hospitals, with doctors, nurses and equipment, together with ambulance units on automobiles, which can be sent to France at once. The Army has also a Boy Scout service ready to go to France that is modeled after the regular Boy Scouts, but offers special Army features. All of the Army resources are ready without a moment's delay to serve American training camps, and they are to be operated as units in each State, as fast as troops are mobilized.

### Foreign Shipments Show Increase.

Despite the German submarine campaign American exports in March reached a value of \$551,278,000, which has exceeded only once, last January, the best month in the country's history. Imports of \$270,484,000 also set a new American record.

Foreign and Domestic Commerce Bureau statistics show the country's foreign trade increased in March \$156,000,000 over February totals.

Exports for the nine months ended with March were valued at \$4,634,900,000, against \$2,995,500,000 for the corresponding period in 1916 and \$1,931,100,000 in 1915. Imports for nine months ended with March were valued at \$1,818,320,000; at \$1,504,663,000 in 1916 and at \$1,213,614,000 in 1915. The net balance of gold imports for the nine month period was \$651,108,000.

### Pennsylvanians Leave College.

Nearly one hundred students in the Agricultural School at the Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa., have dropped their textbooks and withdrew from college to work on farms. A majority of them were seniors who had almost completed their four-year course in scientific agriculture. Their diplomas will be awarded them at the regular June Commencement.

Special action by the faculty permits all Pennsylvania State students to petition for withdrawal provided they intend to go on farms or enter the military service. Twenty students already have left college and entered the navy and several hundred others will apply for appointment to the Government camps to be established May 8 for training officers' reserve corps' applicants.

### Soldier Guarding Railroad, Shot.

Shot from ambush while guarding a railroad bridge at Yardville on the outskirts of Trenton, New Jersey, Robert Price, 38 years old, a private in the Second New Jersey Regiment, is in a critical condition at St. Francis Hospital, Trenton. His right eye is destroyed, the sight of the left probably impaired and the lower part of the jaw shot away. It is believed it was intention of his assailant to blow up the bridge after shooting the sentry. Powder trains from South Jersey plants cross the structure enroute to New York harbor.

Although other soldiers rushed to the spot at the report of the gun, no trace of the assailant could be found.

### Amazon Explorers Return.

Alexander Hamilton Rice, Amazon explorer, and his party have returned from South America on the steam yacht Alberta, on which they left New York last November for the upper reaches of the river. The vessel once belonged to the late King Leopold of Belgium.

The party included William T. Councilman, professor of pathology at Harvard; Ernest Howe, geologist, of Newport, R. I.; and Earl F. Church of the United States coast and geodetic survey.

San Francisco last year spent \$18,837,173 for new buildings.

## FROM THE COUNTY.

In the window of The Bank of Brunswick is displayed a big collection of old money, including Confederate States currency of Civil War days. The collection is the property of Joseph S. House, of Taylorstown, Va., who is one of the vice presidents of the bank. Included in the collection are notes ranging in face value from 5 cents to 100 dollars. One that is particularly rare is a two-thirds of a dollar note, issued by the Continental Congress under an act of February 24, 1776. On its face it contains this trite admonition: "Mind Your Business."

Miss Sabina Beckley, youngest daughter of Captain Gabriel and Elizabeth Haller Beckley deceased, died at her home, South Market street, Frederick, Friday morning. For many years she conducted the candy business started by her father before the great flood of 1868. The funeral was held Monday morning at 9 o'clock with Mass in St. John's church.

Mr. Clark Worthington, brother of Judge Glenn H. Worthington, of Frederick was married last Wednesday evening at Staunton, Va., to Miss Rose Beverly Harrison, daughter of Judge George Harrison of the Supreme Court of Appeals, of Virginia. Mr. Worthington is a member of the firm of the Worthington Hardware Co., Inc., of Staunton.

Fifteen young men, students of the Boy's High School, Frederick, taking the agricultural course substituted practical work on the farm for studies last Friday. This move was planned several weeks ago by Superintendent G. Lloyd Palmer and its object is to relieve to some extent, a very trying situation that confronts farmers owing to the scarcity of labor. All students from the seventh grade up whose parents desire their assistance on the farm, are at liberty to go. The boys will be continued on the rolls at school and they will be marked in studies in accordance with their work on the farm.

William M. Kishbaugh, the agricultural teacher will make weekly visits during the next six weeks to the farms where the young men reside to see that they are giving proper time and attention to their work. County Commissioner, George C. Huffer, died at his home in Middletown, Friday afternoon after a long illness. He was 68 years old. He was a son of the late John Huffer and has spent his entire life in the vicinity of Middletown.

A meeting was held in the court house Saturday afternoon in the interest of agriculture, at which time County Farm Demonstrator P. A. Hauer consulted with his advisory committee, composed of one or more citizens from each of the election districts of Frederick county. The men discussed the line of work to be followed for the remainder of the year. Announcement has been made that seeds, which are so much in demand can be obtained through the farm agent. Mr. Hauer is also anxious to help Frederick countians in any other way possible in the cultivation of the soil and is ready to make investigations and answer queries concerning various puzzling phases of farm life.

Frederick county gave seven men for the United States Navy during the period of intensive recruiting. There was a total of twenty applications only seven were admitted. The seven county men accepted: R. H. Grahe, Claude Klein, H. J. Eyley, George Haller, Henry E. Smith, Clarence Yinger, and Alfred J. Underwood.

Keeping their contract with the State at the time the Buckeystown pike was purchased, the county commissioners decided to make repairs to the road, which are intended to keep it in good condition until the rebuilding work is undertaken by the Roads Commission. The action of the county commissioners was taken following a personal appeal made by a large number of residents of Buckeystown and vicinity and business men of Frederick.

W. A. Riddell has made an offer to the receivers of the Morris Iron and Steel Company for the plant of the company, which the receivers have accepted, subject to ratification by the Court. The price which Mr. Riddell agrees to pay, including the amount to be paid to the bondholders, is between \$130,000 and \$135,000. It is understood that Mr. Riddell will organize a company to operate and further develop the plant.

Both for acreage and production sugar beets broke records in the United States this year, about 918,800 tons being grown on 680,900 acres of land.

There is a demand in Hawaii for American shoes. Footwear is coming into use among the Japanese, Chinese and Korean inhabitants.



Synchronizing with America Day in London, the British Embassy, Washington, flew the Stars and Stripes, Friday, the first time a foreign flag ever flew from the embassy.

Holland formally notified the State Department that it will maintain a strict neutrality in the war between Germany and the United States.

The Stars and Stripes were flung to the breeze from Eiffel Tower at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and saluted by 21 guns. This marked the opening of the ceremonies of "United States Day" in Paris.

The French tricolor and the Star Spangled Banner were at the same hour unfurled together from the residence of William G. Sharp, the American Ambassador in the Avenue D'Eylan, from the American Embassy, from the City Hall and from other municipal government buildings.

The vital fact that the Allies want from the United States food, more than anything else, emerged above all others, at the initial reception, in Washington, of Foreign Secretary Arthur J. Balfour.

The First Infantry of the New Mexico National Guard and Battery A of the New Mexico field artillery were Monday ordered into the federal service for "police purposes of protection," by the War Department.

Turkey has broken relations with the United States the state department was officially advised Monday by Minister Stobal at Berne.

Encouraging reports from Russia came Monday in a dispatch to the State Department, telling of the effect of President Wilson's war address, and declaring that Russia, under the new provisional Government was no more likely to abandon the war without achieving her object than was the United States.

The \$7,000,000,000 war loan bill was perfected in both houses of Congress Monday and sent to the White House for President Wilson's signature.

President Wilson created the biggest war chest in history shortly before noon Tuesday when he attached his signature to the bill which authorizes the raising of \$7,000,000,000 to defray America's expenses in entering the world war. No formality attended the President's action.

York river, Virginia, was added to the "defensive sea areas," recently proclaimed by President Wilson, Tuesday.

William Graves Sharp, the American Ambassador in Paris, Tuesday received a delegation of Slavs, including President Trumbitch, of the Dalmatian Diet; M. Hinkovitch, a member of the Croatian parliament, and M. Gregorin, a member of the Austrian Parliament. They expressed thanks for the attitude of the United States toward small nations.

Food conditions in several of the nations of the Entente Alliance have been

## The War From Day to Day IN Paragraph Form

reported to the American Government as critical, and as a result President Wilson and his advisers at Tuesday's Cabinet meeting concentrated their attention upon what is being done to increase the food supply of the United States and provide additional ships to carry produce to Europe.

The State Department issued the following announcement:

"The State Department is advised of the safe arrival of the French mission."

The mission is headed by former Premier Viviani and Marshal Joffre.

Third Assistant Secretary of State Long, Colonel Cosby, Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt and Admiral Huse greeted the French mission.

Secretary McAdoo handed the British Ambassador a Treasury warrant for \$200,000,000, the first loan made to any Entente Government by the United States under the \$7,000,000,000 war finance measure.

The United States has not entered into any alliance with England, Lord Robert Cecil declared in the House of Commons Wednesday. His statement was evoked by a query from the Irish Nationalist member Ginnell. Lord Cecil is acting Foreign Secretary in the absence of America of A. J. Balfour.

The military and provincial governors of China Wednesday held their first meeting with the cabinet on the question of whether China shall enter the world war. The consensus of opinion seems to be that the governors will side with the Premier, who has advocated joining the Entente.

The French War Mission to the United States, headed by Rene Viviani, Minister of Justice and Vice-Premier, and Marshall Joseph Joffre, hero of the Marne and popular idol of the people of France, was welcomed to Washington with heartfelt enthusiasm Wednesday.

Complete understanding of America's attitude in the war—unreserved cooperation in the fight of democracy against the German military menace without entangling political alliances—was expressed by Foreign Minister Balfour, head of the British war commission, in a statement Wednesday to newspaper correspondents.

Captain Rice, of the American steamship Mongolia, which has arrived at a British port, told the Associated Press Wednesday that the Mongolia had fired the first gun of the war for the United States and sunk a German submarine.

The submarine, Captain Rice said, was about to attack the great liner in British waters on April 19. He declared there was absolutely no doubt that the U-boat was hit and that there was every reason to believe it was destroyed.

Accompanied by a guard of five British soldiers, six additional members of the Balfour party arrived in America on a British steamer Wednesday.

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Friday.

One hundred and thirty-nine cadets graduated from the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y., and took their places as lieutenants in the new army being formed to fight Germany. They are the members of the class of 1917, which expected to be graduated in June next with all the pleasant features incident to a West Point "June week" ceremony.

The United States Bureau of Education today sent to all school boards of the nation an appeal for production during the war.

The final statement today of the affairs of the Allied Bazar, held in Chicago recently, shows net receipts of \$535,293 and this sum has been assigned to various relief funds for the allied nations. Allied war relief societies were given \$25,628.26 and other societies for relief the remainder.

## STATE CONDENSED.

With the election of officers for the ensuing year and the selection of Cumberland for the next convention, the forty eighth annual convention of the State Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics, which was held at Annapolis, closed Friday.

Two hundred men started Friday in the 10 days campaign to raise \$150,000 for a Young Men's Christian Association building for Hagerstown. At a luncheon announcement was made that M. P. Moller had contributed \$5,000, and that the sons of the late W. D. Byron would give \$10,000 for a swimming pool and gymnasium as a memorial to their father.

The large lumber yard of Henry E. Bartleson and office building and stables and the large general merchandise store of Lentz & Duncan, at Cocksylville were destroyed by fire Friday causing a loss of about \$40,000, partially covered by insurance.

St. John's College, at Annapolis, graduated Friday, four members of the senior class who had received appointments as second lieutenants in the United States Marine Corps. They are: W. H. Harrison, Middle river; S. W. Freeny, Hebron; W. H. Price, Snow Hill, and A. H. Noble, Federalsburg.

The tax rate for Garrett county took a jump of nine cents this year, from \$1.19 last year's rate to \$1.28. Sixty thousand dollars was appropriated for schools, of which \$20,000 will go toward the erection of a high-school building in Oakland.

Four cases of smallpox were discovered in a camp of men employed on the new Western Maryland double track at Big Pool, near Hagerstown. Upon order of the local health authorities, Sheriff Long deputized 20 men to guard the camp and see that no one is allowed to leave. The cases, which are about a week old, were discovered by the railroad physician, who immediately notified the health officer here. Dr. C. R. Sheller, county health officer and Dr. D. B. Normant, Jr., deputy state health and sheriff Long went to the scene. Realizing that the four men ill with the disease had been working with the others for nearly a week, an order was issued to have the camp immediately quarantined.

John B. Sneckenberger, aged 77, a retired farmer, died in his home at Beards Church, near Chewsville, Sunday from general debility.

Red Cross nurses are to supplant the male hospital apprentices and women also are to be employed in clerical positions in the several departments at the Naval Academy, at Annapolis, incident to the war situation.

Two people were killed and five others injured when a westbound Baltimore and Ohio Railroad express train struck an automobile, near Hyattsville, on Sunday.

The Industrial department of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has purchased four important tracts of the east side of Marley Neck aggregating probably 1300 acres, and involving a price computed at over \$600,000. The railroad has recently planned the extension of its line from Curtis Bay across the Curtis Creek into Marley Neck to reach the Davidson Chemical Company at Sled's Point and tracks will be carried around to reach the east side of the neck and open the waterfront to rail as well as water transportation.

The six clubs making up the Blue Ridge League will not stand in the way of its players who would enlist in the United States Army or Navy in order that they might "do their bit" for the country. President J. V. Jamison, Jr., has sent out a letter to the six clubs advising them to co-operate with those players who would enlist.

Seven university president, civilian members of the board of visitors to the Naval Academy, were presented to President Wilson, Monday before they left for Annapolis to spend several days at the academy.

Eleven cars loaded with coal and merchandise were wrecked at 7:30 o'clock Monday morning, when extra freight train No. 618 of the Western Maryland Railway was derailed on the Green Spring Valley Branch, near Rockland Station. No one was injured. A loose wheel is said to be responsible for the wreck.

Sergt. William H. Hill, of Company M. Fourth Regiment, who was killed by a train while guarding the railroad tunnel at Blomington, Garrett County last Saturday night was given a military funeral on Wednesday. He was the second man of the Fourth to die within two weeks.

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Don't be ashamed of Old Glory. Let the greatest flag on earth catch the breezes, now.

## THE MOST EXPENSIVE HALF ACRE FARM IN ENTIRE WORLD

"White House Garden," Opposite Treasury Adjoining Riggs Bank, Washington.

The half acre at the corner of Madison place and Pennsylvania avenue, when President Wilson's "White House Farm" has been started there, will be, in all probability, the most expensive bit of agricultural land in the entire world, comments the Boston Transcript. It is one of the most valuable parcels of real estate in Washington, being directly opposite the United States Treasury, and adjoining the Riggs Bank; while it must also be awarded the distinction of being the most mysterious building lot at the capital. It was purchased by the Federal Government nearly fifteen years ago, as a site for the proposed new Department of Justice, but that building has never been built there, and the lot in all likelihood will never be used for that purpose. All these years it has been an idle unproductive piece of property, and being owned by the Government, has brought no tax revenue into the District treasury. It has been a dead loss all around, and it might not be a bad thing if Congress, now that it is in the public eye for the first time in years, would try to see what can be done about it. As a typical piece of Federal extravagance it is an object lesson. This corner is rich in American tradition. The property was once owned, according to ancient Washington lore, by Henry Clay, who traded it for a pair of mules, and then lost the mules over the poker table. At this corner Dan Sikes shot and killed Philip Barton Key, and in the immediate neighborhood formerly lived the brilliant group of men who made our history a hundred years ago.

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**Safe Medicine for Children.**

"Is it safe?" is the first question to be considered when buying cough medicine for children. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has long been a favorite with mothers of young children as it contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. It is pleasant to take, too, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. This remedy is most effectual in relieving coughs, colds and croup. Obtainable everywhere.

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**OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.**

**List of Those Who Hold Office in City and County, Elective and Appointive.**

**FREDERICK COUNTY.**

Circuit Court—Chief Judge, Hammond Urner. Associate Judges, Glenn H. Worthington and Edward C. Peter. Court meets at Frederick City, first Monday in February and September, for Grand Jury Terms, December, petit jury term; May, non-jury term.

Clerk of the Circuit Court—Eli G. Haugh. Deputies, I. N. Loy, M. N. Nusz, John H. Martz, E. N. Norris, Melvin F. Shepley.

Register of Wills—Albert M. Patterson. Deputies, Edward A. Firor, John Horner, Reno S. Crum.

Orphans' Court—Charles H. Butts, Chief Judge, George Ed. Smith, John L. S. Aldridge. Orphans' Court meets every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

County Treasurer—Roger G. Harley. Deputy County Treasurer—Charles R. Harper.

County Commissioners—Frank M. Stevens, President; John W. Humm, T. N. Mohler, Harry B. Witter, George C. Huffer, H. L. Gaver, Clerk. D. Princeton Buckley.

Tax Assessor and Assistant—J. Harry Allnut, Spencer E. Stup.

School Commissioners—Cyrus Flook, president; A. W. Nicodemus, William P. Morsell, Dr. C. L. Wichter, Oscar B. Coblenz, James M. Gambrell, Jr.; Charles McC. Mathias, attorney.

Secretary, Treasurer and Superintendent—G. Lloyd Palmer, Assistant Superintendent, Franklin Harshman. Clerk to Board, E. R. Stockman.

State's Attorney—Aaron R. Anders. Sheriff—William C. Roderick. Office deputy, William O. Wertenbaker; riding deputy, Chas. H. Klipp; turkeys, Chas. Sponseller.

Supervisors of Elections—Garrett S. DeGrange, President; William B. James Republican and Joseph F. Eisenhauer, Democrat; Clerk, Claggett E. Remsburg.

Surveyor—Emory C. Crum.

County Health Officer—Dr. Ralph Browning, Myersville.

Superintendent and Clerk at Montevue—Olin W. Rice, Superintendent J. D. English, Clerk.

**EMMITSBURG.**

Burgess—John Stewart Annan. Commissioners—J. C. Rosensteel, William Morrison H. C. Harnier. Clerk of Commissioners—E. C. Moser. Chief of Police—Isaac Hahn. Tax Collector—Albert Adelsberger. Justices of the Peace—M. F. Shuff, J. Henry Stokes.

**THE ADVANTAGES OF SELECTIVE DRAFT**

It Is The Only Democratic Way, The Only Just Way, The Only Safe Way.—Has Unanimous Recommendation Of Army, Navy, Professions, Writers And Others.

Every Citizen A Soldier.

I think the truth must now be obvious that our people are too happy at home to enter in the regular military service and that we cannot be defended but by making every citizen a soldier, as the Greeks and Romans, who had no standing armies; and that in doing this all must be marshalled, classed by their ages, and every service ascribed to its competent class.—THOMAS JEFFERSON.

"Let Us Begin Right."

We must face the issue without faltering. There is no reason in the world why the democratic obligation of defense should not be universally shared. It is a vital part of the theory of our Government that every citizen is subject to call if his country needs him. Let us begin right.—CHARLES E. HUGHES.

Mr. Hughes' declaration in favor of conscription may rightly be regarded as representing the opinion of the rank and file of his party. Less than 3,000 votes separated him last November from the responsibility that rests upon Mr. Wilson today. From coast to coast he pleaded for a fearless foreign policy and for an army and navy able to enforce our rights in every land and on every sea. Since his defeat he has set an example to his fellow countrymen by the fervor and fidelity with which he supports at every step the leadership of his late opponent and present commander-in-chief. His appeal for the adoption of the President's programme for raising an army from the ranks of the rich and poor alike belies the ignoble utterances of the Republican recalcitrants in Congress who have dared to take advantage of a grave emergency to play "peanut" politics with the war plans of the Government.—Boston Transcript.

**Advantage Of Selective Draft.**

National service, which we call conscription, means calling upon every young man to give a year or two years to training in the army. It means that when war comes we shall not only have trained men, but that we shall not follow the unfortunate example of the English and sacrifice our best and bravest in the early period of learning. There is no tragedy in all the English story, splendid as are many of its pages, greater than the tragedy of the untold thousands of the best, the bravest and the most promising of the English young men who were sacrificed to national inexperience in all the battles that lie between Ypres and the early stages of the Somme.

It is a fact well recognized that a call for volunteers brings instant response from all that is best in the manhood of a nation, and finds its noblest response from those who are least fitted to survive and whose survival is of least value to the nation. Conscription takes everyone. It does not make a hecatomb of the best. Volunteering takes the best and leaves it for conscription, which always comes afterward, to bring up the least desirable.—New York Tribune.

**Quick Action Is Necessary.**

Even at the best and quickest, it will be months before an adequate army can begin to materialize. The most expeditious machinery we can put in operation cannot manufacture this military product in a day. There must be weeks and weeks of preliminary work even to collect and systematize the general data necessary to scientific selection and organization, and many more weeks of training before the raw material collected in the various camps will begin to assume a finished appearance and be ready for military purposes. This would be true if the selective draft bill were passed tomorrow. But if we are to wait for a volunteer army, or do nothing while the House listens to the orators from Bedlam, it will be 1918 at least before we begin to put on our war clothes.—Baltimore Sun.

**No Hiring Of Substitutes.**

There can be no genuine universal service in war if the wealthy young man can "buy off" and hire a substitute. Hence the amendment proposed to the bill pending in Congress should go through. Compulsory service only for the poor worked badly in 1861, and through the Great Rebellion.—Brooklyn Eagle.

**The Man In The Street.**

The "man in the street" is confronted with a problem vital to him and to every one of his fellow Americans. The United States or Germany, one or the other, must win in this war. A patriotism of words is not going to make the United States the victor; victory can come only through the patriotism that reveals itself in its deeds. This means that every American must do his full part for his country—and for himself. At bottom his interest is selfish, for should Germany win, this land no longer will be the home of free men.—New York Herald.

**It Makes Better Men Of Them.**

Everybody knows of cases in which

boys who were scapegraces staided up in the war, and became good men. Fellows who were regarded as simpletons turned out to be geniuses—not merely military geniuses, but civil, professional, business geniuses, when the war was over. War, as has been before remarked, tries men's souls. Tries them out—tries some of them up and some of them down. When a man goes to war he risks more than his body; he risks his soul. He meets his great test; and who does not want to do that? It washes the dirt out of one's soul; if there is gold there, it washes that clean and bright. If there is no gold, and war washes away all the dirt—not much may be left.

—Boston Transcript.

**Respond For The Country's Defense.**

The hour calls to the great and luxurious clubs; it appeals to the social circles of the rich; it asks the scholar away from the exclusion of his fireside; it speaks to our fellow-countrymen everywhere to come to a common level of high-born service and therefrom sound it in the world's ear that this republic is forever against tyrannical government and seeks only the protection and redemption of all people from the infamous heel of despotism. All men in a republic owe duty to the flag. A minister is a man and a patriot first, and a minister next, or any other calling which he may select as his vocation. Every woman's club and every woman's society of our churches should at least in part put aside their accustomed work and be turned into sewing circles and knitting bees to sustain life and promote comfort in hospital and in camp.

—REV. DR. MONTGOMERY.

**Is This The Only Just Way.**

The reason is that the thinking patriotic men of this country are convinced that the only way to raise our army is by the rule of universal service—a selective draft that will bear only on those that can best afford the loss of time, the unmarried youth of the country, both rich and poor. It is the only democratic way, the only just way, the only sane way. It comes recommended unanimously by the army, by the navy, by the National Guard, by the medical profession, by the great patriotic societies, by the great writers on military subjects; by the British Cabinet, the French Cabinet, the American Cabinet, and yet willful Congressmen for some inexplicable reason—let us hope it is sincere—dare to hold it up, despite the heroic appeals of our President in this titanic crisis.—DR. HUGH H. YOUNG.

**Patriotism Short And Simple.**

I have one son and three daughters. They will be part of the America that will exist when I am dead. They are what I have given to that America of the near future.

I have three brothers and four sisters and a wife and four children. Not one of our four brothers has had military training. I have never fired a gun larger than a 22-caliber target rifle. In case of war—sudden war—we would be about as able to do our share in protecting our sisters and wives and children and property and rights as a pink eyed white rabbit would be able to protect its brood against a fox. As we approach war today I feel as helpless as a jelly-fish. I am ashamed.

I want to save my son that shame. I want him to be trained to do his part in protecting his sisters and himself, so that when any nation thinks again of insulting and abusing America it will see an America with every able-bodied man an able soldier. Then that insulting and abusive nation will think again and go and insult and abuse Lapland or Patagonia and not the land of my three daughters.—ELLIS PARKER BUTLER.

**West Solid Behind President.**

"In one small town in Idaho said former Senator Dubois of that State, four sons of a farmer ranging in age from 18 to 26 enlisted in the army and navy, leaving the father to manage the irrigated ranch. At least two of these boys should have been left on the ranch. I venture the prediction that Congress will realize before very long that the people are for universal service on the selective plan. They have full confidence in the President and intend to sustain him. There is no politics in their support, and they will not tolerate any politics in this great crisis."

The great-grandfather of Senator Dubois came over with Lafayette as an officer on his personal staff, and after the Revolution returned to France. About the year 1800 his younger son, the grandfather of Senator Dubois, returned to the United States and located in Vincennes, Ind., where he rendered signal service to his adopted country in the Indian wars and against Great Britain in the war of 1812. He was captain of scouts under William Henry Harrison at the battle of Tippecanoe, Dubois county, Ind., is named after his grandfather, Toussaint Dubois. It is no wonder the former senator from Idaho deeply sympathizes with France in her present heroic struggle.

**THE WAR FROM DAY TO DAY.**  
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Reports to the State Department Thursday through official channels tell of a strike of 250,000 laborers in Berlin. It was reported also that bread rations have been reduced from 1900 to 1600 grams per week.

The destruction without warning by submarine gunfire of the American schooner Perry Birdsall of New York was reported Thursday to the State Department. Time and place were not announced.

The Birdsall was of 1127 tons gross; built in Wilmington, Del., in 1890, and was owned by Edward L. Holmes.

Announcement was made Thursday that British Foreign Minister Balfour and Secretary McAdoo have arrived at a complete understanding on questions affecting finance, trade, shipping, banking exchange and kindred problems.

**STATE CONDENSED.**  
*(Continued from page 1.)*

Three persons were injured Tuesday night in an automobile accident near Rouzerville. The injured were John Miller, Sabillasville, Md., Mrs. Annie Tracey, Charmian, Pa., and Mr. Miller's father. The car driven by Mr. Miller collided head-on with an automobile containing a party from Hagerstown.

Allen Nadeau, superintendent of the Cecil Paper Mills, near Rolandville, who disappeared about three months

ago, leaving his accounts over \$3,000 short, was arrested in Cleveland, Ohio. Sheriff Barnes, of Elkton, procured requisition papers and went after the prisoner.

At a dinner of the Pocomoke Board of Trade, which was attended by 100 Pocomoke business men, A. S. Goldsborough, chief of the civic and industrial bureau of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association of Baltimore, startled Pocomoke when he said that this city of 4,000 people could have been as big a metropolis to day as Baltimore if its business men, during the last quarter of a century, had learned the meaning of cooperation.

Fire broke out in the central part of Salisbury, Tuesday morning at 4.20 o'clock, and in a few minutes the entire block, bounded by Main street extended, the Wicomico River and Lake street was in flames. Several times the large watch houses on lower Main street were ablaze on their roofs, and many times were put out by the firemen and bucket brigades. The loss is estimated at \$20,000.

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**Valuable Real Estate.**

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust executed on the 31st day of January in the year A. D. 1917, by Chas. J. Shuff and Sarah J. Shuff, trading as C. J. Shuff and Company, and Chas. J. Shuff and Sarah J. Shuff, his wife, individually, recorded in Liber No. 320, folio 153, one of the land records of Frederick county the undersigned Trustees named therein, will sell at public sale on the premises of the village of Emmitsburg, Frederick county, Maryland, on

Saturday, May 12, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

All that lot or parcel of land fronting twenty-two feet more or less on the South side of Main street, and running back with uniform width 165 feet, in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland, and being the same property conveyed in a deed dated March 4th, 1914, from Catherine Hyder to Chas. J. Shuff and Sarah J. Shuff, his wife, recorded in Liber, H. W. B. No. 308, folio 191, one of the land records of Frederick County.

The above property is improved with a two-story brick dwelling house, containing six rooms, with storage house and workshop at end of lot.

Terms of Sale—One half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the Court, the residue in six months from the date of sale, the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes with approved security and bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

A deposit of \$200.00 will be required of the purchaser of this property at the time of sale. Conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

EDGAR L. ANNAN, ANDREW A. HORNER, Trustees.

**ORDER NISI ON SALES**

No. 9601 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting in Equity.

MARCH TERM, 1917.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales, Filed the 18th day of April, 1917, William F. Fisher, mortgagee of Margaret A. Shank as an individual and as Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Joseph N. Lohr deceased on Petition.

Ordered, That on the 12th day of May, 1917, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by William F. Fisher, Mortgagee in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County for three successive weeks prior to said day.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$2,000.00 Dated this 18th day of April, 1917.

ELI G. HAUGH, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

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**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE CORPORATION OF EMMITSBURG FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL, 1917.**

**RECEIPTS.**

Amount in Bank, May 1, 1916.....	\$ 6 66
Eli G. Haugh.....	356 25
John A. W. Matthews, fines.....	2 00
J. Stewart Annan, fines.....	119 10
Jos. L. Myers, Back Taxes, 1915.....	264 62
Albert Adelsberger, Taxes, 1916.....	1 136 33
Subscriptions from Citizens for Oil.....	412 57
Bishop John G. Murray, for Oil.....	45 00
Oscar Frailey, for Old Lamps.....	2 00
John H. Baumgardner, for Old Oil Barrels.....	2 00
Total.....	\$2 346 53

**EXPENDITURES.**

Emmitsburg Electric Light Co.....	\$ 416 00
Chas. M. Rider, work on street, old account.....	19 85
John A. W. Matthews, trip to Baltimore.....	8 05
Isaac Hahn, Policeman.....	287 50
Emmitsburg Water Co. rent for room, Mrs. John S. Agnew 1915.....	6 00
Emmitsburg Water Co. rent for room, Mrs. John S. Agnew 1916.....	6 00
E. L. Annan, Insurance.....	2 40
Urner and Sebald, Counsel fees, Erhart case, old account.....	40 00
Emmitsburg Railroad Company, old account.....	100 00
Francis E. Kreitz, repairing hall.....	3 90
E. L. Frizell, hauling garbage.....	62 00
Harry Gelwicks, opening ditch.....	1 50
Miss Motter, error in Taxes.....	90
William Stewart, work on street.....	1 40
John H. Rosensteel, Agent, freight on stone.....	31 46
J. Henry Rowe, work on street.....	5 18
Boyle Bros., crushed stone, coal and cement.....	69 65
Asphalt Company, oil for street.....	396 70
Lewis Rhodes, Judge of Election.....	1 00
Clarence Curry, work on street.....	4 13
Eli Haugh, Clerk of the Court, Erhart case, old account.....	53 25
John H. Rosensteel, Agent, Demurrage.....	2 00
Seeger & Company, License tags for dogs.....	3 70
E. C. Moser, Clerk, stamps and stationery.....	1 15
Charles R. Motter, extra Policeman and work.....	2 90
Isaac Ohler, work on street.....	2 02
Bernard Peters, cement work on street.....	5 13
John Hospelhorn, work on street.....	2 10
John Mentzer, work on street.....	7 84
William T. Eyler, work on street.....	5 40
Joseph E. J. Eyler, extra Policeman, and work on street.....	5 40
T. E. Zimmerman, Drugs.....	3 00
J. Stewart Annan, expenses.....	50
New Slagle Hotel, Automobile to Frederick.....	41
William Agnew, extra Policeman.....	5 00
Harry E. Eyler, extra Policeman.....	1 50
Albert Adelsberger, extra Policeman and etc.....	4 69
Robert Eyler, extra Policeman.....	1 50
J. T. Hayes & Son, old account, 1910.....	40 81
Hotel Mondorff, meals for prisoner.....	1 30
Weekly Chronicle, printing.....	27 58
Patterson Bros., gravel, old account.....	82 00
B. P. Ogle, hauling.....	26 00
Emmitsburg Water Company, Water rent, 1915 and 1916.....	300 00
H. M. Ashbaugh, Merchandise, old account.....	16 43
Annan Horner & Company, Interest.....	107 70
John S. Agnew, Register and Judge.....	7 00
Daniel F. Roddy, crushed stone.....	11 62
C. T. Zacharias, Clerk of Election.....	1 00
Dr. E. I. Jamison, Medical Attendance, tramps.....	8 00
J. Stewart Annan, Burgess.....	25 00
William Morrison, Commissioner and Treasurer.....	25 00
H. C. Harnier, Commissioner.....	15 00
J. C. Rosensteel, Commissioner.....	15 00
Edgar C. Moser, Clerk.....	15 00
Albert Adelsberger, Tax Collector.....	25 00
Total.....	\$2 323 05
Balance in Bank.....	23 48
Total.....	\$2 346 53

**LIABILITIES.**

Amount Borrowed from Annan Horner & Co.....	\$1 795 00
Amount due Emmitsburg Railroad Company for rails.....	172 41
Uncollected Taxes.....	133 23
Emmitsburg Electric Light Company.....	76 00
Total.....	\$ 2176 64

Audited and found correct:  
J. STEWART ANNAN, Burgess.  
H. C. HARNIER, Commissioner.  
J. C. ROSENSTEELE, Commissioner.

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**Mount St. Mary's Loses To Lebanon Valley.**

Poor fielding by the Mt. St. Mary's baseball team in the second inning and inability to hit at opportune times was the cause of its downfall before the Lebanon Valley College nine, 4 to 0. Gleason held the visitors to two safeties, one of which was of the scratch variety but his infield crumbled under him. The summary: Sacrifice hits Royer.

Stolen bases, Haynes, 2; E. Ziegler, 2; Kerman. Bases on balls, Gleason, 3; E. Ziegler, 2. Double play, Royster to Euker. Left on bases, Mt. St. Mary's 7; Lebanon Valley, 5. Wild pitch, Gleason. Umpire, Doyle, of the Blue Ridge League. Time of game, 1.45.

Upon the initiative of Mayor Le Hoc a committee of citizens has been appointed for the erection of a statue of President Wilson at Deauville, France.

**VALLEY ECHOES.**

Sr. Juliana Chatard died suddenly Thursday morning. An account of her life will appear in the following copy of the Chronicle.

Misses Mary and Rosa Rogers, '16, of Buckeystown, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. F. Offert in Woodstock, Md.

St. Joseph's day was celebrated in the Valley on Wednesday April twenty-fifth. The students enjoyed the usual holiday and devised means to make the day a great success.

The Freshman and Sophomore French Plays were presented Wednesday evening. The delicately comic vein characteristic of the Gauls was perceptible in both renditions.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude McManus, '16, will be pleased to learn that she is continuing her vocal music under the direction of a celebrated professor in Philadelphia.

The proclamation of the President relative to gardening is being diligently observed by the members of the botany class and the Tau Sigma Sigma Sorority. Beans, radishes and seasonable vegetables are being planted and cultivated by many of the patriotic students.

A delightful motor trip to Frederick was planned by the friends of Miss Mary Cofer in honor of her eighteenth birthday, the party including Misses Mary Cofer, Rosalie Cofer, Anna Hall, Marion Flanagan and Margaret Mahoney. Miss M. Stella McBride, Secretary of the Alumnae, acted as chaperon.

The Junior Play entitled "The Scarlet Bonnet" a comedy fraught with human nature, humor, ludicrous situations and an altogether realistic picture, of school girls life, restricted by their teachers in the persons of two severe maiden women, was given to an appreciative audience Thursday evening.

Spring with its traditional germs of inertia has not infected St. Joseph's. That the spirit of vim and activity impregnates the Valley is readily discerned in the fascinating spectacle of lithe-armed rowers on Tom's Creek, the agile figures on the tennis court and ball field, and the sturdy energy exhibited in the mountain hikes. Here, indeed, are vacy glimpses of the typical American girl.

Last Thursday evening "Little Women," the immortal work of Louise M. Alcott, was successfully enacted by the promising enthusiasts of the First Academic Class. The play consisted of three acts, marking the prime epochs in the lives of the "Misses March." The contrast of the second scene when Beth is fatally ill, Jo depressed, Amy fretful and Meg distressed at the doleful appearance of affairs during "Marmee's absence," with the joyful climax when the little family is happily reunited in the third act, was well depicted.

The scenery was a marked feature in the entire performance, but especially during the first act "Vanity Fair," which portrayed Meg's visit to her friend, Anna Moffat, and imparted a general atmosphere of excitement and gaiety.

Among those worthy of special mention in the portrayal of parts were: Miss Bernadette Bresnahan, who played the winsome role of Jo with pleasing spontaneity and Miss Cecilia Allen whose splendid dignity in the characterization of Meg evoked great applause. The sweetness of Beth and the vivacity of Amy were prominent in the acting of Miss Dorothy Westenhaver and Miss Evelyn Brennan.

Miss May Driscoll delightfully interpreted the amusing but difficult roll of Aunt March. The enacting of the male parts assigned to Misses Roberta Martin, Gertrude Brown, Marian Hungerford and Beatrice Otis formed an attractive feature of the unique sketch.

The humorous impersonation of "Hannah" by Miss Clare Kelly was an abundant source of amusement to the thoroughly responsive audience. A few more plays with similar results will do much towards the establishment of the reputation of our rising stars.

Program: The Little Woman Play, Act I, Meg Goes to Vanity Fair, The Moffats Home; Act II, The P. C. Secrets, Sitting Room at the March's; Act III, Pleasant Meadows. The People in the Play, Mr. March, R. Martin; Mrs. March, A. King; Aunt March, M. Driscoll; Meg, C. Allen; Jo, B. Bresnahan; Beth, D. Westenhaver; Amy, E. Brennan; Hannah, C. Kelly; Laurie, B. Otis; Mr. Laurence, G. Brown; Mr. Brooke, M. Hungerford; Mrs. Moffat, M. Martin; Anna Moffat, B. Otis; Ned Moffat, W. Martin.

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**MOUNT ST. MARY'S JUNIORS DEFEAT THURMONT HIGH SCHOOL**

Mt. St. Mary's Juniors outclassed Thurmont High School and easily defeated them 19-5. The High School boys played well in the field but their pitchers were easy for the local sluggers who collected eighteen solid hits, two of which were home runs by Captain Slattery. Cain started the scoring in the first inning doubling to left with two men on. From then on it was merely a case of "how many."

On the other hand Joe Hartl held the visitors helpless for the first six innings he presided on the mound. They were unable to even scratch a hit off his delivery. Alfred who finished was found for five hits, one a homer by Freeze his opponent.

Slattery got four hits, while Cain, Sullivan and Silling each scored three. The chief fielding feature was the splendid work of Miller the Juniors' first sacker. Line-up:

JUNIORS		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bowling, rf.	5	3	2	0	0	0	0
Kinchley, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hartl, p, cf.	5	3	2	0	4	0	0
Slattery, ss.	5	4	4	1	1	2	0
Sullivan, 3b.	5	3	3	1	2	0	0
Cain, lf.	4	0	3	1	0	0	0
Fisher, if.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Fesenmeier, 2b.	2	0	0	1	0	1	0
Hollern, 2b.	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Miller, lb.	3	2	0	8	0	0	0
Silling, c.	4	1	3	10	0	0	0
Boyle, c.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sours, cf.	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
Alfred, p.	1	0	1	1	2	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>

**THURMONT HIGH SCHOOL**

THURMONT HIGH SCHOOL		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gillelan, ss.	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Adams, lf.	5	0	1	1	0	0	0
Kelbaugh, 2b.	5	0	0	2	3	0	0
Freeze, 3b, p.	5	2	1	1	4	0	0
Weddle, cf.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Miller, c.	3	0	1	9	0	0	0
Joy, lb.	4	1	1	10	0	0	0
Duble, rf.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
Creager, p.	4	1	0	0	4	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

Home runs, Slattery, 2; Freeze, Duble, Cain, Struck out, Hartl, 8, Alfred-1, Creager 6, Freeze 1; Base on balls, Hartl 3, Alfred 1, Creager 6, Freeze 2. Passed ball, Silling, Miller 2.

**RECOGNITION.**

When first I saw her eye, I thought 'Twas but a mountain flower;  
A flower in whose depths were caught  
The pearl drops from a shower;  
I thought 'twas but some wilding blossom blue,  
When, lo! her eyes looked into mine—and then I knew.  
When first I saw her lips I thought 'Twas but an opening rose—  
A rose of rarest beauty wrought,  
Such as the south land knows;  
I thought 'twas but some rose of crimson hue,  
When lo! her lips were parted into a smile—and then I knew.  
When first I heard her voice I thought 'Twas but a song of dreams—  
A song that Spring's sweet music brought,  
The murmur of the streams,  
I thought 'twas but a song of dreams untrue  
When lo! I heard her speak my name—and then I knew. M. L. P.

**NOW OR NEVER.**

By Oliver Wendell Holmes

LISTEN, young heroes! Your country is calling!  
Time strikes the hour for the brave and the true;  
Now, while the foremost are fighting and falling,  
Fill up the ranks that have opened for you!

You whom the fathers made free and defended,  
Stain not the scroll that emblazons their fame!  
You whose fair heritage spotless descended,  
Leave not your children a birthright of shame!

Stay not for questions while Freedom stands gasping!  
Wait not till Honor lies wrapped in his pall!  
Brief the lips' meeting be, swift the hands' clasping,—  
"Off to the wars" is enough for them all!

Break from the arms that fondly caress you!  
Hark! 'tis the bugle's blast! sabres are drawn!  
Mothers shall pray for you, fathers shall bless you,  
Maidens shall weep for you when you are gone!

Never or now! cries the blood of a nation  
Poured on the turf where the red rose should bloom;  
Now is the day and the hour of salvation;  
Never or now, peals the trumpet of doom!

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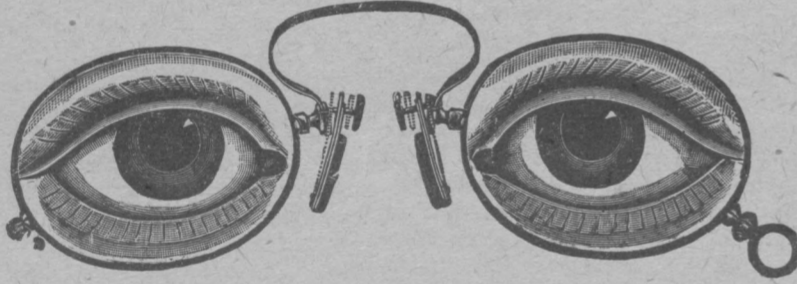
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FREDERICK COUNTY.

Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county. In the fertility and productiveness of its lands it ranks among the first in the Union, and especially in the production of wheat. The area of this great county is 633 square miles. The great body of the people are of German, English and Scotch-Irish descent, the progeny mostly of the early settlers. The land is mostly of fine limestone quality, and the greater part of the county is a valley of rolling lands lying between the Lingoore Hills and the Catocoin Mountain. This splendid valley is drained by the Monocacy river, and is one of the best farmed and most highly improved and productive areas of the Union. The great crops are wheat and corn.—Maryland Manual issued by Board of Public Works.

EMMITSBURG.

In all Western Maryland—the beauty spot and the garden spot of the State—there is no town more attractive than Emmitsburg. No people are more wide-awake, more knowable, more courteous to strangers than Emmitsburgians. The location of Emmitsburg is ideal; the surrounding scenery is unmatched; the climate is notably healthful; its water—pure mountain spring water—cannot be surpassed. It is within easy access of Baltimore, Hagerstown, Frederick; eight miles from the National Battlefield at Gettysburg, near to the Mountain Resorts, and is surrounded by fertile farms and productive orchards. Mount Saint Mary's College and Ecclesiastical Seminary—with an enviable reputation extending over 106 years—is located here; St. Joseph's College and Academy for young ladies—equally as noted during its 107 years of splendid achievement—is also here. There are excellent Schools—Public and Parochial—in Emmitsburg; two sound Banks, five Churches, a live Newspaper, modern Hotel accommodations, adequate Fire Department, progressive merchants, splendid physicians, good liverys, auto garages, many fraternal organizations, good railroad accommodations. There are four or five mails a day, telegraph, express and telephone service connecting all points; electric light and power, oiled streets. There is business to be had in Emmitsburg; there are Factory Sites available. If you contemplate changing your place of residence—come to Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Md.

HERE'S TO OLD GLORY, GOD BLESS HER!

If anyone attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot.—John A. Dix.



O folds of white and scarlet! O blue field with your silver stars! May fond eyes welcome you, willing feet follow you, strong hands defend you, warm hearts cherish you, and dying lips give you their blessing! Ours by inheritance, ours by allegiance, ours by affection—long may you float on the free winds of heaven, the emblem of liberty, the hope of the world!—Anon.

THE SELECTIVE DRAFT.

"The President knows that if this country needed a million men, and needed them in a day, the call would go out at sunrise and the sun would go down on a million men in arms."

"Our nation is unique in an important respect. Its individuals are the best armed in the world. . . . Most Americans can afford to and do own guns with which to shoot, and furthermore, most Americans, when they shoot, can hit the thing at which they shoot."

The foregoing were utterances of non-armament advocates—Messrs. William Jennings Bryan and Andrew Carnegie. And all this at the time of the Mexican trouble. We know how much of a myth that "Minute-Men" prognostication turned out to be. Many a sunrise and sundown came and went, but we looked in vain for the "million men in arms" and for all those guns and the rest of it.

What would be the result if there were a call for and firm reliance placed upon volunteers in the present and greater crisis? It is too obvious for discussion. There would be the same on-the-surface enthusiasm, red fire, flag waving, patriotic speech making and the like, but very little enduring and even that little on the part of those whose greater service to the Government would be at home.

The nation needs men. They must be gotten, and the only just plan in a democracy like ours, is the selective draft, which means universal obligation, universal service—placing the burden (in this instance a privilege) alike upon rich and poor, high and low, learned and illiterate.

The opponents of the measure rely, not on sound argument but on appeals to habit, prejudice and self interest. To them we call attention to this:

"We do not apply the voluntary principle to our schools. The right of a person to grow up ignorant is not yet acknowledged. We do not apply the voluntary principle when recruiting jurors. When disagreeable duty is to be done the selfish and the anti-social are not permitted to throw the burden on their betters, Even stronger is the case for military conscription. When we rely on the volunteer system we not only encourage selfishness, but contribute to a biological lowering by sacrificing a good breed and by saving as the fathers of the future a poorer one."

"In a republic of equals there should be equality of burden. What is the business of all must be the duty of all, or else a privileged class is created. Against

this solid rock the opponents of conscription beat in vain.

"The fundamentals of democracy should not be abandoned. An opportunity is offered to instruct the country concerning what citizenship means, and it should not be neglected. If we are to have an army it should not be a class army, with its members unresponsive to the general currents of national life. We should not hesitate to imitate the one good thing there is about the German military establishment."

"The spirit of caste should be expelled from the new army. The officers should not be gentlemen and the privates merely men. But one level of manhood should exist. And the control of the new military machine should be democratic."

RECLAMATION.

In keeping with the programme of general conservation and increased food production now being advocated, it would seem that reclamation of enormous fever breeding swamp lands of the country could play an important part. By draining, thousands of acres of unutilized lands could be rendered productive and crops could be raised to the value of \$2,000,000,000.

The improvement of the west by means of irrigation speaks for itself; yet the western States were neither so unhealthy as the swamp districts of the southern and middle States; nor did they offer such rich soil to cultivators.

It is estimated that there are more than 75,000,000 acres of swamp lands in the United States, which if turned to use would increase the wealth of the country by \$5,000,000,000 and if these lands were subdivided into 40 acre farms they would be capable of establishing 3,000,000 families in respectable homes.

The great Dismal Swamp in southeastern Virginia, extending from Norfolk to North Carolina, about thirty miles long and ten miles wide, offers 150,000 acres for cultivation; but until several years ago it was entirely neglected. Adjacent to this famous swamp lies Little Swamp and a chain of lesser acres of the same character which extend over 2,000,000,000 acres, pregnant with fertility, but absolutely useless.

California by the reclamation of Sacramento and San Jacquin valleys increased its wealth by 3,000,000 acres of rich farming land. Florida has made initial projects of reclamation, but the bulk of her swamps including the Everglades of 4,000,000 acres are still undrained.

Individual measures are good, but the most effective movement is a universal one. The United States must determine on a uniform course of action for the States requiring drainage. There must be a system. Of course this movement would require a huge outlay, but the benefit derived in health and wealth would be incalculable.

THE PAPER SITUATION.

The paper trade has many and sundry interests; fiscal, industrial, historic, chemical and military. Paper is used in the making of shells as well as in the manufacture of street car wheels and other compressed productions. The scarcity and expensiveness of paper is therefore open to serious consideration. It is an indisputable fact, as laid down by Mr. Phillips in his "Paper Supplies as Affected by

the War," that the markets are again short on raw materials, wood pulp, esparto, rags, chemicals and dyes.

America now ranks first of the paper producing nations of the world. (It is an extremely difficult task for her to supply all outside demands and at the same time furnish her own towns and cities.

In 1912 the world's production in paper and boards was nearly nine and a half million tons, of which about 37 per cent. was produced by the United States. Canada also furnishes a large portion of the world's paper and the situation in England is from all accounts improving.

Why then, this extreme shortage and unusual price? The answer lies to a certain extent in the antics and capers of the paper trusts. This is particularly so in respect of paper used in daily and weekly press editions. The price of this commodity had soared to almost prohibitive heights, but happily ways and means for bringing about approximately normal conditions have been under consideration by the government, and already a number of men responsible for these conditions have been indicted.

The Department of Agriculture, Bulletin 309, states that in the United States wood is being consumed three times as fast as it grows; hence the necessity for increase in the price of raw material. To offset this waste in some degree State Boards of Education have issued circulars asking the cooperation of teachers and pupils in economizing paper and saving old rags. As never before it behooves each member of the community to keep strict supervision over every available bit of raw material coming to hand.

UNIVERSAL SERVICE B. C.

That the universal service idea is not a modern one may be gleaned from the following in the Defense News:

"About 1500 B. C. Moses organized a military power of his people on the foundation of Universal Service. The Scriptures relate that 'on the first day of the second month, in the year after they were come out of the land of Egypt' God commanded Moses: 'Take ye the sum of the congregation of the Children of Israel . . . with the number of their names, every male by their polls from twenty years old and upward, all that are able to go forth to the war in Israel . . .'"

RE-ELECT THEM.

For their own best interest the people of Emmitsburg should re-elect the present Burgess and the Commissioner whose term is just about to expire. The Board as now constituted has the welfare of the town at heart. Its administration has been characterized by fairness and good judgment and the voters should show their appreciation by keeping it in office.

NOT the German people, but the Kaiser and his Kaiserized minions may well be said to constitute "a mad-dog Government which has infected the whole of civilization with its rabies. Which emulates Attila and charges the account to God."

AN eligible man who will not fight for his country ought not to be allowed to claim that country as his own. He should be marked as a "man without a

country"—and who would want to be that?

HATS off to Maryland!—the first State in the Union to furnish its quota to the U. S. Navy—800 volunteers.

"How To Select Foods."—That's easy. The difficult thing is how to pay for them.

"DECLINE of Nightcaps."—Due, no doubt, to the prohibition propaganda.

FROM ALL PARTS OF COMPASS

(Continued from page 1.) death was due to a complication of ailments superinduced by heart trouble. He had been in poor health about two years.

Saturday. Sir Francis Cowley Burnand, of London; Eng., formerly editor of Punch died, at Ramsgate, his home.

Twelve hundred Jackies left Chicago for the seaboard to be assigned to warships of the Atlantic Fleet.

Great Britain's high commissioners to the International War Council, to begin in Washington next week, set foot on American soil.

America's meat supply is 100,000,000 pounds short, according to an announcement at the Department of Agriculture.

Will H. Parry, of Seattle, vice chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, died at a hospital from the effects of an operation performed a week ago.

Anthracite coal operators of Pennsylvania, Western New York and parts of Ohio granted the principal demand made by the United Mine Workers of America and announced they would consent to 20 per cent. increase in wages. About 173,000 miners are affected.

Sunday.

Senators Martin and Swanson, of Virginia, authorized the announcement that they would support the Administration's Emergency Army bill, containing a provision for a selective draft system. The announcement of the Virginians was made as a result of unfounded reports in their State to the effect that they were antagonistic to the measure.

The General Medical Board, an advisory body to the Council of National Defense, met to discuss war problems.

Premier Lloyd George returned to London after a series of conferences with the French and Italian Government, it is officially announced.

President Wilson visited the State, War and Navy Building and conferred with Secretary Baker.

Harry Brown, of Jersey City, was killed and property damage estimated at \$100,000 was caused when a fire of undetermined origin, followed by two explosions that shook the surrounding country for many miles, occurred in a new plant in course of construction for the Seaboard Bi-Products Coke Company, on the banks of the Hackensack River, near Kearny, New Jersey.

Washington extended a simple-but-heart-felt welcome to the British minister for Foreign Affairs, Arthur J. Balfour, and the other members of the British Commission. A special train brought the distinguished visitors with their official escorts from the North. Everywhere bunting flew, mainly the National colors. The British Union Jack and the French Tri-color were in evidence in many places.

Monday.

Charles M. Schwab offered to the Government the services of the Bethlehem plant in any way during the war. The offer was made to Secretary Daniels, to whom Mr. Schwab expressed a desire to co-operate with the Government in every way.

British Foreign Minister Balfour and members of the High Commission to discuss conduct of the war began their first official day in Washington with a round of calls, the first of which was at the State Department.

Before one of the smallest crowds that ever witnessed the launching of a battleship in the New York Navy Yard the super-dreadnought New Mexico slid from the ways at 9:58 o'clock today while the Marine Band played Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean.

The new Belgian Minister, Baron de Cartier Marchienne, was received by President Wilson.

Lieut. Louis Clephane and his staff detailed from the United States ship Fish Hawk inspected the State steamer Governor Thomas, with the view of using her as a patrol boat to scout for German submarines or raiders.

Judge John William Mason, 75 years old, one of the best known jurists in West Virginia, died at his home in Fairmont of heart trouble.

Councillor Ernst E. von Ihne, who was the architect of the modern German official buildings, died in Berlin.

Col. Gen. Baron von Falkenhausein has been appointed Military Governor of Belgium by the Kaiser, according to advices from Hannover.

Congress took up the food problem

in public hearings by the Senate Agricultural Committee, at which Secretary Houston set forth the Administration's food control program.

John Grier Hibben, president of Princeton University, announced definitively tonight that the college session would not be cut short this year because of the existing state of war and that the commencement exercises will be held on June 19 as originally planned.

Tuesday.

Newspaper publishers from all parts of the country assembled in New York for the annual meeting of the Associated Press, passed a resolution pledging their "heartly support of the effort of the executives of the Government to carry out effectively the mandate of the nation," expressed in the war resolution passed by Congress on April 6.

The resignation of Howard Elliott as president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad was accepted. His retirement becomes effective on May 1.

William H. Gregory, former president of the Independent Oil Company of Indiana, Pa., committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

Plans for supplying 2,000,000 workers for the country's farms this summer were announced by Secretary of Labor Wilson. Working with the Agricultural Department, the Labor Department's employment service will comb the country for men to till the soil. A preliminary census has disclosed that some two million men will be needed.

More than 1,300 filed applications to attend the military training camp at Plattsburg, and the enrollment office was kept open until near midnight to clear up the opening day's rush. During the first two hours 500 men were enrolled.

Sir Thomas White, Financial Minister, declared in the Canadian House of Commons that Canada's national debt may reach \$1,300,000,000 by the end of the current year owing to war expenditures occasioned by the increased military efforts of the Dominion.

The New York Daylight Saving Committee adopted a resolution requesting President Wilson and the Council of National Defense to urge Congress to adopt the proposed daylight saving plan as a war measure.

Wednesday.

The annual convention of the American Nurses Association opened in Philadelphia. More than two thousand delegates were expected to attend the meetings, which will continue for one week.

Official announcement of the appointment of a committee of women to be known as the Committee of Women's Defense Work, was created by the Council of National Defense, to co-operate in bringing about the full assistance of American women in the prosecution of the war.

Resolutions requesting Congress to eliminate the press censorship clause in the espionage bill because it "strikes at the fundamental rights of the people" and "is full of peril to free institutions," were adopted unanimously by the American Newspaper Publishers' Association at its annual convention in New York.

After an inspection of available sites in the vicinity of Charleston, W. Va., for the Government's armor plate and projectile factories, Secretary Daniels today accepted from the Charleston city government the cessation of 205.65 acres of land located in South Charleston. The reservation lies between the great Kanawha river and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway. Natural gas, electric light facilities of three railroads and city water supply are available there.

The Interstate Commerce Commission prescribed the method of procedure in the 15 per cent. rate advance cases by permitting the railroads to file supplemental tariffs covering the increase.

An agreement was reached today between the government and oil producers to supply the Navy "at a reasonable cost" with an adequate and uninterrupted store of gasoline and other petroleum products. The arrangement is regarded by Navy officials as one of great military importance.

TO ARMS!

You've taken your fun where you've found it,   
 You've played and you've dreamed in your time,   
 You've picked your pleasures at random   
 What mattered? to drift was your line.   
 But the day of the drifter has passed you,   
 Every man has a post to defend;   
 Be prepared like the rest, and stand true to the test,   
 To arms! for the country needs men.   
 You're not "fit" to enlist? then get busy,   
 The time to prepare is today,   
 Your orders are—work and be ready;   
 To arms! Be prepared for the fray   
 Is your heart in the business? Then, forward!   
 For you have a post to defend.   
 Be prepared like the rest. That's the stuff! Stand your test!   
 To arms! for your country needs men!   
 —Sara Haardt.

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PRODUCES ABUNDANT HEAT

Austin, Tex., Has Found a Way to Turn Garbage into Fuel and Make It Give Off Almost as Much Heat as the Best Bituminous Lump Coal.

The city of Austin, Tex., has found a way to turn its garbage into fuel—a fuel which burns as long and gives off almost as much heat as the best bituminous lump coal—and, what is equally important, it is said to have solved the problem of a sanitary system of garbage collection and disposal. While all this may sound like a fairy tale, it is perfectly true, and all doubters are invited to visit the Texas city, where they may witness any day the remarkable spectacle of old shoes, hats, paper, rags, straw, manure, house garbage and a variety of other waste products being thrown into one machine and emerging from another in the shape of a fuel brick without odor and bearing no resemblance whatever to the original materials. Austin, in fact, has taken the lead in a movement which seems likely to work a new epoch in solving the garbage problems of the country.

The inventor of this novel fuel is E. L. Culver of Chicago. Five years ago Mr. Culver began investigating the possibilities and practicability of commercializing municipal garbage, being moved to do so by the belief that the high cost of disposing of such refuse was a serious obstacle to the betterment of a city's health conditions. As a result of a long series of experiments he proved the practicability of a method of making fuel bricks out of garbage, and an experimental plant was erected at Austin. This proved so successful that a plant capable of taking care of the entire waste of the city was ordered built, and it is now running to full capacity each day, turning out fuel bricks which sell on the Austin market at \$6.50 a ton. Austin, therefore, instead of paying a big price to have its garbage destroyed, as was the case in the past, is actually making money from it, to say nothing of being cleaner and healthier. Commercializing a city's waste is, of course, a more substantial reason than those generally existing for the collection of the last bit of it. There is no reason, either, why the method should not be turned to advantage in lessening the taxpayer's burden.

Three main ingredients form the new fuel—municipal garbage, a carbonaceous material and a material for disinfecting and waterproofing. All of the combustible matter of municipal waste or any part of it can be used in the manufacture of the fuel—garbage, trash, rubbish, offal, sewage, street debris, trade wastes and manure. It is this organic or decaying matter that is such a danger to the public health and the riddance of which has been such a problem to the cities. The second ingredient may be coke, lignite, or coal dust, the latter being best adapted to the purpose. The function of this part is to retard the otherwise too rapid combustion of the raw refuse in cases where the fuel is made for domestic purposes. For steam purposes, where rapid combustion is required, it does not need the addition of these materials.

The coal dust waste from mines that produce noncoking coal has been found to be an ideal substance for this purpose. It has a higher heat value than the coal from the same mine, and this heat value is further increased by its mixture with city refuse. It is now a total waste, as efforts to find a binder or devise a grate to utilize it are said to have failed, and its disposal is a problem to the mine owner. The fuel bricks utilize a portion of this waste substance.

The third ingredient used in the manufacture of the bricks, an agent for deodorizing and waterproofing, is furnished by liquids having an asphaltic base. Tar, water tar (the residue from gas manufacturing plants), the residue from oil refineries and asphalt are used in this way. Thus every ingredient of the new fuel is now considered a waste and one which for reasons of health has been a serious question, owing in part to the expense connected with its disposal. The combustible nature of each is well known, as is also its heat value, but until the fuel bricks were introduced nothing was done to utilize these wastes in the practical way of converting them into a commercial fuel.

It may be that Austin's success in converting its garbage into fuel will be followed by other cities, perhaps even by some that now dispose of their waste by incineration. While incineration possesses many advantages, it totally destroys a valuable product. By the new process, however, a municipal plant for manufacturing the fuel bricks may not only be made self supporting, but in Austin, at least, a source of considerable revenue.

**Municipal Rinks.**  
 In Rochester and Mankato, Minn., the commercial clubs are advocating the establishment of municipal skating rinks.

**PLOW THE GARDEN.**

Loosening the Soil Has a Beneficial Effect on Future Crops.

Winter plowing of the garden is of extreme importance in Oklahoma, for it offers a practical method of helping solve the drought problem. The loosened soil is in an ideal condition to absorb water. The winter snows melt and are absorbed, scarcely any of the water that falls as rain is lost, and as a result a vast store of moisture is available later in the year when rains are scarce and the plants need water.

Likewise winter plowing is beneficial in other ways. The alternate freezes and thaws break up the soil particles, liberate plant food and put the ground in an ideal physical condition. Insects in large numbers are killed by the cold winter weather, and the trash which lies upon the ground rots and becomes available for plant use. Moreover, ground which is winter plowed warms up early in the spring and in rainy seasons can frequently be planted before it is possible to do spring plowing.—C. W. Rapp, Department of Horticulture, Oklahoma Agricultural College.

**DASHEEN A TUBER MUCH LIKE POTATO**

The dasheen, a root crop introduced into this country from Trinidad within recent years by the United States department of agriculture, is now grown by a considerable number of farmers and truckers in the south and promises to become a valuable member of the group of domestic vegetables, such as the potato, which furnish starchy foods. The dasheen is itself primarily a tropical plant. It can be grown successfully, however, not only in the warmer portions of Florida, but in other sections of the south as far north as South Carolina. The edible portion of the plant includes a large central corm and a number of tubers, of much smaller size, attached to and around the corm.

In food value the dasheen is comparable to the potato, though it contains a small proportion of water and a greater proportion of protein, starch and sugar than the latter. The new vegetable may be prepared for the table as potatoes usually are or may be made into flour and used in baking.

The dasheen is grown from whole tubers weighing a few ounces. They require a frostless season of at least seven months with plenty of moisture. A moist but well drained, rich, sandy



CLUMP OF DASHEEN TUBERS.

loam has been found to be satisfactory soil for dasheen culture. A large proportion of either clay or muck in the soil produces strong flavored, tough corms which are often unfit for table use. Large crops are produced under such conditions, however, and make excellent stock feed.

The crop is planted in February in southern Florida and as late as the early part of April in South Carolina. The plants are spaced about 3 1/2 by 3 1/2 feet. Dasheens may be dug for home use by the middle of September, and the main crop can be harvested at any time after the last of October.

**Silage Keeps Two Years.**

Referring to silage carried over from one year to another, M. N. Nathaniel of Henderson county, Ill., reports in the Farmers' Telegram that he had silage left in the spring of 1914 which he fed out in the early months of 1916. The only waste was a thin crust on top. "The silage was just as good as though it had been put in a few months previously," he said. "This is one of the great advantages of this feed."

**AROUND THE DAIRY.**

o Fear, cold, any kind of discomfort, is expensive in a dairy herd. Comfort always means profit. It is up to you if your cows do not turn you a profit.  
 o Never mix warm and cold cream or sweet and slightly tainted cream.  
 o Wooden pails should not be used for milking, as they easily become sour and cannot be thoroughly cleansed.  
 o No loud talking should be permitted in the stable, and it is best that the cows be milked by the same persons in the same order at each milking.  
 o Regularity in milking aids in developing a tendency to prolong the period of lactation.

**The KITCHEN CUPBOARD**

WEEK END MENU.

SATURDAY—BREAKFAST.  
 Stewed Prunes With Lemon Slices.  
 Creamed Chipped Beef.  
 Waffles, Maple Sirup. Coffee.

LUNCHEON.  
 Oysters a la Newburg (In the Chafin Dish).  
 Cabbage Salad. Dinner Rolls.  
 Fruit Ginger Cookies.

DINNER.  
 Grapefruit Cocktails.  
 Spanish Steak.  
 Hashed Browned Potatoes.  
 Cottage Pudding. Egg Salad.  
 Raisin Pie.

**Snappy Pastry.**

**FRUIT ROLLS.**—Two cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two-thirds of a cupful of milk, one-third of a cupful of stoned raisins, chopped fine; two tablespoonfuls of citron, chopped fine; two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-third of a spoonful of cinnamon. Mix the flour, baking powder and salt; sift twice; work in the butter with the tips of the fingers. Add gradually the liquid, mixing with a knife to the consistency of soft dough. Toss on a floured board, roll to one-quarter inch in thickness. Brush over with melted butter, sprinkle with the fruit, sugar and cinnamon and roll up like jelly roll. Cut into slices three-quarters of an inch in thickness and bake in a quick oven fifteen minutes.

**Graham Puffs.**—For one dozen puffs use three eggs, one pint of milk, one pint of graham flour, one teaspoonful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of salt. Mix the graham flour, sugar and salt, beat the eggs till very light, add the milk, then pour it upon the dry ingredients and beat well for three minutes. Turn the batter into hot greased muffin-pans and bake in a rather hot oven one-half hour.

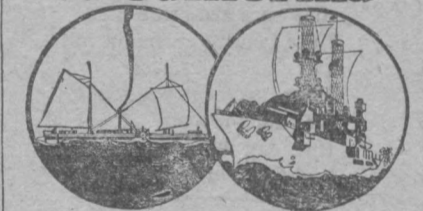
**Bran Gems.**—One egg, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, a little salt, one cupful of sweet milk or sour milk, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one cupful of bran, one cupful of entire wheat flour. If sweet milk is used add one heaping teaspoonful of baking powder; if sour milk one level teaspoonful of soda. Bake in hot iron gem pans.

**Jam Puffs.**—Put one cupful of hot water in a saucepan and add two tablespoonfuls of butter, one tablespoonful of sugar and one-eighth of a tea spoonful of salt. When boiling add one and one-half of a cupful of sifted pastry flour and cook and stir until the mixture leaves the sides of the pan. Cool a little; add, one at a time, four unbeaten eggs and beat thoroughly. Drop on buttered baking sheets, flatten the tops, brush with beaten egg diluted with one tablespoonful of milk and bake in a moderate oven. When cold make an incision in the side of each and fill with one-half pint of heavy cream, beaten until stiff and mixed with one-half cupful of raspberry jam. Frost the tops with plain icing.

*Anna Thompson*

He who loathes war, and will do everything in his power to avert it, but who will, in the last extremity, encounter its perils, from love of country and of home—who is willing to sacrifice himself, and all that is dear to him in life, to promote the well-being of his fellowman, will ever receive a worthy homage.—Abbott.

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PERSONALS.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Swisher, Misses Julia Topper, and Mary Burdner, motored to Gettysburg, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Starner and son, Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. George Swisher, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Amy Shoemaker is spending sometime in Thurmont, visiting her brother, Mr. John Munshower.

Mr. Meade Patterson spent several days in Lancaster, this week.

Misses Marie Krise and Gertrude Heckrote, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Misses Mary Eckenrode and Rose Hopp, spent Wednesday evening in Thurmont.

Mrs. Mae Slagle spent Saturday in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rotering and daughter Catharine, Mrs. J. M. Kerrigan and daughter Alice, motored to Hagerstown, on Sunday.

Misses Helen J. Rowe, Principle of Samuel Ready School and S. Minnie Yeakle, both of Baltimore are the guests of Mrs. William Sellers.

Mr. Walter Grubine, of Westminster, and Mr. Cable, of Baltimore, made a business trip to Emmitsburg, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jessie Downie and Miss Hammond, of New Market, Md., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dougherty and two children, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Dougherty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Long.

Mr. Robert Sellers, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sellers.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr, of Massardis, Maine, are spending several weeks with their son, Dr. H. D. Orr.

Mr. A. M. Patterson motored to Baltimore on Sunday. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Patterson who spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Walter B. Peppler, of Forest Park.

Miss Ethel Grace Patterson is spending a week in Baltimore, the guest of Mrs. Walter B. Peppler.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Musselman, of Gettysburg, spent the week-end with the Misses Hoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sanders, Misses Nan and Louise Dukehart of Rouzer-ville, Pa., and Mr. Stoner, of Waynesboro, Pa., visited relatives in Emmitsburg on Sunday.

Miss Florence Miller of Hagerstown, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jane Miller. Mr. Dutrow, of Highfield, spent Sunday in Emmitsburg.

Miss Annabelle Hartman has returned to Baltimore, after spending sometime with her aunt, Miss Belle Rowe.

Miss Madeline Frizell of Gettysburg, spent the week-end with her father, Mr. E. L. Frizell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Annan and Mr. J. C. Annan motored to Chambersburg last Monday.

Rev. Charles Reinwald spent Sunday in Sabillasville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson, of York, Pa., and Miss Irene Seboure, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson.

Mr. Wade Stonesifer, of Gettysburg College was among the visitors in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Easley and family, motored to York, Pa., Sunday.

W. Harry Haller, of Frederick, spent Monday in town.

Misses Annie Reid and Esther Wachter and Mr. Herbert Reid, motored from Harrisburg and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Wachter.

Miss Ethel Enners, Mrs. Henry Hess, Mr. Samuel Hess, Mr. H. T. Fuller, of York and Mrs. Annie Whitmore and Miss Ora Whitmore, of Rocky Ridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brown.

Mrs. Edna M. Lilly and daughter Helen, of Hanover, Pa., spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. H. W. Eyster.

135 New Spring Coats now on show, hardly two alike. Price starts at \$7.75 for a splendid Tweed Coat which is nice enough for dress wear and exceptionally good for the auto—a full \$10 value at \$7.75.

G. W. WEAVER & SON, Gettysburg, Pa.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Bernard Welty is building a fine new fence in the rear of his residence, on W. Main street.

Mr. C. E. Keilholtz, is building an addition to his barn, on the rear of his property on East Main street.

During the severe thunder storm, of Saturday hail fell in abundance in the vicinity of Emmitsburg.

Among the real estate transfers this week were: William I. Renner and wife, to George M. Oyster, Jr., real estate in county \$10.

The maximum temperature for this week was seventy-eight degrees and the minimum temperature was fifty degrees.

Through some inadvertence the name of M. Roy Sharrer, of Motters' Station, was omitted in the list of enumerators for the military enrollment in the Emmitsburg district.

On Saturday, Mrs. A. A. Annan, chairman of the Local Unit Red Cross Auxiliary, attended a meeting in Frederick of the chairmen of the various districts in Frederick county.

Flax in twists, just as our grandmothers and great-grandmothers prepared it, is not often seen these days. Through the courtesy of Mrs. W. Holland Weant the CHRONICLE Museum is the possessor of two very old exhibits, in perfect shape. Mrs. Weant also gave the Museum an old blue "Delaware" pitcher in the base of which is imbedded a bullet.

Lingerie goods in white or printed in a wonderful variety. If you cannot visit this store write or phone for samples. Kindly be explicit however, as our assortment is so immense.

G. W. WEAVER & SON, apr 27 2t Gettysburg, Pa.

Calhoun to Help Feed Nation

One of the first institutions of the South to announce a readiness to respond to President Wilson's appeal for the planting of abundant food stuffs as well as cotton in the South, and thus help feed the nation, is the Calhoun Colored School of Calhoun, Ala. This school will use its entire student body in the cultivation of 300 acres of land, all of which will be planted in vegetables. It must have Northern help, however, to do that work. Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham, minister of the Arlington Street Church, who is vice president of the Calhoun trustees, and Charlotte R. Thorn, principal of the school, have issued an appeal for at least \$2500 to make this great garden venture successful.

Wanted: Able-bodied men to defend the United States. Apply to Recruiting officers.

Four Score And One.

Mr. David Rhodes, one of Emmitsburg's most estimable citizens, was tendered a birthday dinner at his home on Gettysburg Street yesterday, having reached his eighty-first mile stone. Mr. Rhodes was born in 1836 at Rhodes Mill, near Emmitsburg, where he lived until about two years ago when he removed to town. Mr. Rhodes even at his advanced age is a man of physical vigor and keen intellect and is to be congratulated by the community on his rounding out another year.

Flag Raising At Taneytown.

James D. Haines, a patriotic farmer of Carroll county, assisted by a number of his no less patriotic neighbors, under the direction of F. E. Dillard, of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, last week erected a pole 80 feet high on the summit of a hill on his farm, near Taneytown, and from it floated a large United States flag. An address was made by State's Attorney Seabrook, former state president of the Patriotic Order Sons of America.

Uncle Sam needs more men. Enlist now, if you are in a position to serve.

"Dutch" Rowe Gets Try-Out.

Francis E. ("Dutch") Rowe left for Frederick yesterday in response to a call from the Manager of the Frederick Blue Ridge Leaguers. Rowe's phenomenal playing on Mount Saint Mary's College nine this Spring attracted the attention of Frederick scouts, and he soon was asked to report at the county seat. He will probably work in some games this week, and his Emmitsburg fan friends wish him success.

Citizens Meeting Held Thursday.

At a citizens meeting held in Firemen's Hall last night at 7.30 o'clock, the following nominations were made: For Burgess to serve one year, J. Stewart Annan; For Commissioner to serve three years, William Morrison.

Let it never be said that Frederick county lagged behind in a time of national peril.

Uncle Sam Averts Famine.

The first instance of invoking the authority of the proclamation of the President with the movements of foodstuffs took place in New York last week when a complete famine of fresh vegetables and fruit was threatened. A large quantity of the produce was destined for the Navy yard and garisons and camps of the Army.

CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

CATHOLIC

Mass, Sunday 7 and 10 a. m. Vespers, Sunday 7.30 p. m. Mass, week day, 6 and 7 A. M. Services, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 p. m.

ST. ANTHONY'S

Mass, Sunday at 7 and 10 a. m. Week day Masses 6 and 7 a. m. Catechism, 9 a. m. Vespers, 4 p. m.

REFORMED

Sunday, 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School, 9.30 a. m. Service Wednesday evening at 7.30.

PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School, 9.30 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7.00 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7.30 p. m.

LUTHERAN

Sunday, 10 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School, 9.00 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor, 1.45 p. m. Senior " " 6:45 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 7.30 p. m. Saturday, Catechetical instruction 2 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Sunday School, 1.30 p. m. Service, 2.30 p. m. Epworth League, 6.30 p. m. Vesper Service, Thursday, 7.30 p. m.

TOM'S CREEK M. E. CHURCH Sunday School, 9 a. m. Preaching, 10.30 a. m.

Rev. B. F. Clarkson, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday, April 29, at 2.30 o'clock.

OBITUARY

JOSEPH F. MEEHAN

Joseph F. Meehan, who resided near Emmitsburg, was found dead Friday morning, April 20, 1917, on the front porch of the residence of Mr. Norman King, of Waynesboro. Dr. Kiuter, corner held an investigation and decided that death was due to heart trouble.

He is survived by one brother, William J. Meehan and one sister, Mrs. Isaac Kelly both of Waynesboro, Pa.

The body of Mr. Meehan was removed to Thurmont. Services were held at St. Anthony's Catholic church, Sunday afternoon, Rev. Geo. Tragesser officiating. Interment in the Mountain cemetery.

See the Ad of G. W. Weaver & Son, Gettysburg, on Ladies' Tailored Suits in this issue, apr. 27-2t.

Enjoyable Surprise Party.

A delightful surprise was given Mr. Maurice Topper at his home on Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday. Those present were: Mr. J. Lewis Topper and family, Mr. William Topper and family, Mr. William Troxell and family, Mr. Henry Cool and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Guise, Messrs. Hillary Sanders, William Breichner, Charles Topper, Charles Goulden, Jacob Baker, Roy Baker and Bernard Boyle; Mesdames James Boyle and Edward Baker; Misses Agnes Goulden, Addie Rosensteel, Carrie Baker, Ivy Topper, Sarah Boyle. At eleven o'clock delicious refreshments were served. At a late hour all departed for their homes wishing Mr. Topper many more happy birthdays.

Attention! Red Cross Sock Sewers.

The story goes that a year or more ago an American girl knitted a pair of socks and sent them to a soldier, "Some where in France." She put her name in them, and this was the reply: "The socks are received and they sure are some fit, I used one for a hammock and one for a mitt; I hope to meet you when I've done my bit, But, say where in the h— did you learn to knit?"

Spring.

Spring is looked upon by many as the most delightful season of the year, but this cannot be said of the rheumatic. The cold and damp weather brings on rheumatic pains which are anything but pleasant. They can be relieved, however, by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Obtainable everywhere. \*\*Advertisement. a 6-1mo.

What Our Flag Means.

I wonder if many people know what the red, white and blue of our flag mean. Red, the blood shed by our people to preserve liberty. White, our honor always to fight for the right. Blue, the nations fidelity, confidence in its own people and also those of other nations. When we think of this it seems to me as a nation we should stand by our colors.

Insomnia.

Indigestion nearly always disturbs the sleep more or less, and is often the cause of insomnia. Eat a light supper with little if any meat, and no milk; also take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper, and see if you do not rest much better. Obtainable everywhere. \*\*Advertisement. a. 6-1mo.

FREDERICK COUNTY WAR CENSUS ABOUT COMPLETED

All Returns in.—A Total Of 16,000 Names.—Emmitsburg Has Large Enrollment.

With the returns in from every district but one in the County, the census taking has been about completed. Within a few days one set of the returns will be shipped to census headquarters, Baltimore; another set will be turned over to the clerk of the court and a third set will be left with James H. Gambrill, Jr., chairman of the census committee for Frederick county.

While the exact enrollment cannot be ascertained until every blank has been returned, a careful count of what is already in hand and an estimate of what is to come placed the total enrollment for the county at 16,060 names. This number may be increased or decreased a few, making it safe to say that the enrollment will be at least 16,000. The total registered vote of the country is 13,900, and the enrollment is just about one sixth more.

Frederick county will not only be among the first counties in the State to send in returns, but will likely be the very first. In some of the counties the work is but little more than half finished and it will be a month or more before the result of the State canvass is known.

The following is the result of the census taking in the districts that have been prepared for shipment:

Buckeystown, 916; Mechanicstown, 791; Jackson, 478; Woodville, 422; Emmitsburg, 853; Liberty, 405; Havers, 632; Woodboro, 639; Balleger, 168; Walkersville, 441; Mt. Pleasant, 334; Burkittsville, 367; Linganore, 281; Lewistown, 342; Tuscarora, 340; Braddock, 203; Catactin, 363; Creagerstown, 283; Middletown, 645.

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Sorrel horse; 6 yrs. old; weighs 1000 or 1100 pounds; safe, gentle and will work anywhere hitched.

C. E. KEILHOLTZ, Emmitsburg, Md. apr. 27-tf.

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A pair of glasses, found in the Post Office. Owner can have same by paying for this Ad. Inquire at CHRONICLE OFFICE.

GOOD WAGON FOR SALE.

I will sell cheap, for cash, a two-horse, top wagon, in splendid condition.

FRANCIS MATTHEWS, Emmitsburg, Md. apr. 27-tf.

PUBLIC SALE.

Saturday, May 19, 1917, at one o'clock J. R. Longenecker, at Zora, Pa., along the Waynesboro Pike, Machinery consisting of Cider Press, Gasoline etc.

Are you helping to make this country prepared?

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The property on south Frederick St., containing 38,400 sq. feet, and known as the Emmitsburg Generator Company's lot is for sale on private terms, for cash.

This lot, having a street frontage of 160 feet and extending back 240 feet, is particularly suitable for factory, warehouse or business purposes.

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Two closed carriages, for two passengers each; one closed carriage for four passengers; one surrey for four passengers; one one-horse open wagon; two sleighs in good condition, each will seat four persons; one good, strong covered Carry-all for twelve passengers.

Apply to ap 6-1m St. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY.

ATTENTION FARMERS.

The Belgian stallion Caesar DeCaster will be at the stable of Geo. P. Beam, Emmitsburg, every Saturday during the season. This is an imported horse and weighs 1950 lbs.

WM. H. ECKENRODE, apr 14-tf. Keeper.

BOX SOCIAL AND SPELLING BEE.

A Box Social, Spelling Bee and Candy Sale will be held at the Public School Auditorium, Tuesday evening, May 1, at 8 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

FOR SALE—Some very fine pigs.

Apply to G. S. FRANKLIN, "Thornbrook" Farm, near Mt. St. Mary's.

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Suit Department showing unusual values for high prices of Cloth today.

Men's Suits, Cashmeres, Worsteds & Serges at \$7.50, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$12.00 and up

Money saving values. Take time to look these suits over.

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Boy's work trousers, worsted and khaki Dutchess dress and solid wear trousers are guaranteed.

\$2.00 to \$5.00 per pair

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Showing newest designs in exceptionally beautiful patterns.

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Have you seen them? 25c. to \$1.00

UPDEGRAFF'S GLOVES \$1.50 UP

"Regal Shoes" Latest Shade, Russet & Black Hat and Cap Dept.

Largest Assortment of caps at 50c. we have ever shown. Latest shape and pattern.

New hats in Spring styles, Light Gray, Tan and Green.

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—when the thoughts of the housekeeper turn to interior improvements. Spring cleaning, then new wall paper, or a new rug to brighten the living room;

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FROM ALL POINTS OF COMPASS.

Thursday. With the arrest of five men, one of whom had two bombs, Federal agents believe they have uncovered a plot to blow up a munitions plant near Philadelphia, Pa.

Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of Blockade, told the House of Commons that there would be introduced shortly a bill dealing with the enlistment of friendly aliens of military age.

The Civil Service Commission announced that, owing to the unusual demands made upon it by the Government for stenographers and typewriters incident to the international situation, examinations for both men and women would, for the present, be held every Tuesday in 400 of the principal cities of the country.

Part of the \$125,000,000 deposited in postal savings Banks will be made available for farm loans by a decision of trustees of the Postal Savings Bank System, announced today, to accept at par farm loan bonds which will be issued soon to secure savings deposits.

The New Bedford Cordage Company announced an increase in wages of 10 per cent. effective at once.

CANDIDATE'S CARDS.

For County Commissioner. At the earnest solicitation of innumerable friends I announce my candidacy as nominee for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic Primary.

Attention Movie Lovers Mary Pickford IN THE POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL AT THE Gem Theatre Thurmont Monday Evening, April 30

FREDERICK CITY. Richard F. Harrison, of South Market street, who is a coxswain, of the U. S. S. Wyoming is home on a furlough.

Gem Theatre Thurmont Monday Evening, April 30 AT 8.30 SHARP Admission Adults 15c. Children 10c.

WHEN HER BACK ACHES. Miss Hazel Zentz, visited Miss Belva Colliflower on Saturday.

Exide Starting and Lighting Battery MOTOR UNDER THIS FLAG IF YOU WANT good service from your self-starter be sure your battery is in good shape.

ACROSS THE LINE

Mayor E. S. Meals, of Harrisburg, died at a hospital. He was sixty-five years old. He had been ill for several months.

An automobile loaded with 100 pounds of dynamite and occupied by Edward Conway, of Sioux City, Ia., and Harry A. Wallace, of York, was captured on the Columbia bridge by guards attached to the First regiment, of Philadelphia.

Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh announced the appointment of seventy more men from thirty four counties to be added to the list of those formerly chosen on the Public Safety Committee of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Bravery of her fifteen-year-old daughter, Anna saved Mrs. Benjamin Hummel from being gored to death by a bull at her home, at Mt. Pleasant Mills.

For years a pile of waste from irridium, a material used in making diamond-pointed fountain pens, was thought worthless by the Paul E. Wirt Fountain Pen Company, with factories at Bloomsburg, Pa.

Charles Still, a lawyer; Wade McClune, a prominent local politician; Mrs. McClune and a young daughter of the McClunes were all badly burned Monday morning when an infernal machine addressed to Still and left for him on the porch of the McClune home, York, Pa., exploded when it was opened while the family was seated around the breakfast table.

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LOYS AND VICINITY.

Mr. Harvey M. Pittenger, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Elmer J. Pittenger and family, of Rocky Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Fox, entertained the following guests last week: Mrs. Wilhide, of Thurmont, Mrs. William G. Kolb. Mrs. Mary Ramsburg and daughter, of Creagerstown and Mrs. Bolner.

Miss Ada B. Pittenger visited Mrs. Catharine Martin, last week. Mr. George W. Pittenger spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ruth Weddle, of near Creagerstown.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and George W. Pittenger were: Mrs. William Martin and son, Lee, Mrs. Herbert S. Martin and daughter, Messrs. Edgar Long, Luther Robinson Charles and Elmer Martin John Martin, of Loys Jessie Fox, Jr., of Creagerstown and Charles Guliber, of Pleasant Hill.

ST. ANTHONY'S.

Mr. Louis Butt is critically ill. Mrs. James Seltzer, is visiting at the home of Miss Mary Barry.

Last week many more flags were set to the breeze in this locality. Still there are some more to go up. Read the following and get yours out: "Did you ever stop to think that "Old Glory" is the oldest flag in the world? Well it is!

The stone-work on the new building at the College, is rapidly nearing completion.

Eyler's Valley Happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Miller, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Deihl, of Blue Mountain.

Master Vane Eyler spent Sunday evening with Master Roy McKissick. Messrs. Englar and Guy Kipe, visited Sunday afternoon, at the home of Mr. William T. Miller.

There will be preaching Service in the Eyler's Valley U. B. church, Sunday evening, April 29, 1917, at 7.30, Rev. H. G. Harner officiating.

GRACEHAM

Misses Sallie Kelly and Nellie Hobbs, of near Emmitsburg, visited Mrs. John Pittenger and Mrs. Adam Zentz on Sunday.

Misses Bertie and Beulah Troxell entertained a number of guests in honor of their sister, Mrs. Ada Angell, of Philadelphia.

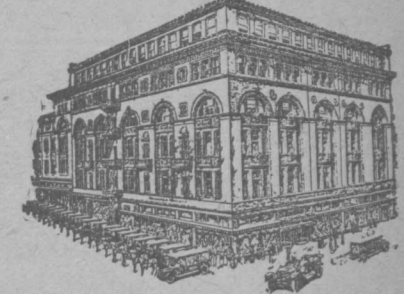
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To sell dependable merchandise at fair prices, permitting no misrepresentation of quality or value, either in the public prints or behind our counters;

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CAREFUL FEEDING AND MANAGEMENT URGED BY COUNTY DEMONSTRATION AGENTS.

**FARM BOYS INTERESTED**

Agricultural Club Members Learn How To Properly Feed the Sow and Her Litter.

College Park, Md., April 19.—The importance of pork production is being urged by county demonstration agents. Particularly, in the boys' agricultural clubs great interest is being aroused and a large number of members are enrolling in profitable pig growing contests. These youngsters are busy discussing the instructions furnished their county agents by Dr. S. S. Buckley, specialist in livestock work for the Maryland Agricultural Extension Service. Dr. Buckley says, regarding the feeding of young pigs:

"If the sow has had proper feed and care she will have plenty of milk for her pigs, and the pigs will take just about all she can supply. But the pigs are getting older and larger day by day, and require more feed. Finally the pigs will notice that the feed which is given to the sow tastes good, and they will begin to eat a little from the trough. You should prepare ahead for this time, by making a partition in the pen with the bottom raised high enough from the floor to let the pigs get under, and strong enough to keep the sow on her side of the pen. In the part prepared for the pigs place a small trough. You then are ready to feed the pigs some special feed—a side-dish. Skim milk or thin soup made with middlings or bran, a soup made by boiling corn, peas or beans and thinned down with water, or in fact, any grains that contain no hard hulls or indigestible portions will satisfy and benefit the pigs. Never feed it sour.

"Keep the trough and pen clean, and always have enough straw or other litter for a warm bed. As the pigs get older and require more feed, give it to them. Never give them more than they will clean up. If you do—remove it at once—wash the trough and feed a little less next feeding time. Don't get them fat, sleepy and lazy—but feed them to make growth—aim to make them longer and broader and in good condition, but not fat. When the pigs look thin both front and rear, but fat around the middle, you know your method of feeding is wrong. Such pigs need more peas, beans, alfalfa, clover and less corn, whether this corn is actually fed to them or whether they find it. Give them a chance to graze and get exercise, and see to it that they take it.

**WHY QUARANTINE?**

College Park, April 19.—In purchasing livestock from outside his community the Maryland farmer is urged to prevent any possibility of disease contagion by quarantining his stock. In a statement issued by the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station the following suggestions are made:

"In this age when there is so much danger of carrying disease to healthy livestock through new purchases we would suggest that importers of livestock establish their own quarantine. This can be done with very little expense and be very effective without making a great deal of extra labor. A yard with an open shed, Southern exposure, being all that is necessary, as here new livestock can be confined for a period of time. Twenty or thirty days is sufficient to satisfy the owner that they are carrying no disease.

"This we believe is the season for the largest importations of the various species of livestock, and while this stock may come from good sanitary quarters and arrive in an excellent condition, still with the amount of shipping there is being done we can not be certain that the animals have not come in contact with infected quarters en route.

"To guard against this spreading of disease and infection of local stock we would advise every importer, whether the distance be short or great, to prepare his quarantine quarters, where new stock may be kept isolated from stock already on the place for three to four weeks, thus giving any infection they may be carrying an opportunity to develop without danger to acclimated stock.

"If one man must care for both the stock on the place and that quarantined, he should care for the stock belonging to the place first and afterward the quarantined lot and thus avoid going directly from the quarantined lot to the cattle already on the place. This gives nature's sunlight with her strong disinfection power an opportunity to lessen the danger of carrying infection and by thus aiding nature in the prevention of the spread of disease you will also be reducing your own troubles along that line to a minimum.

"Specific suggestions for individual needs will gladly be made by calling at the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station, or an inquiry by letter will receive prompt attention."

**The Star-Spangled Banner** ★ ★ ★

SOLO OR QUARTET. Francis Scott Key. 1814.

1. Oh, say can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proud - ly we  
 2. On the shore dim - ly seen thro' the mists of the deep, Where the foe's haugh - ty  
 3. And where is that band who so vaunt - ing - ly swore That the hav - oc of  
 4. Oh, thus be it ev - er when free - man shall stand Be - tween their loved

hailed at the twi - light's last gleaming, Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the  
 host in dread si - lence re - pos - es, What is that which the breeze, o'er the  
 war - and the bat - tle's con - fu - sion A home and a coun - try should  
 home and wild war's des - o - la - tion; Blest with vic - t'ry and peace, may the

per - il - ous fight, O'er the ram - parts we watched were so gal - lant - ly  
 tow - er - ing steep, As it fit - ful - ly blows, half con - ceals, half dis -  
 leave us no more? Their blood has washed out their foul foot - steps' pol -  
 heav'n - re - s - cued land Praise the Pow'r that hath made and pre - served us a

stream - ing? And the rock - ets' red glare, the bombs burst - ing in air, Gave  
 clos - es? Now it catch - es the gleam of the morn - ing's first beam, In full  
 lu - tion. No ret - uge could save the hire - ling and slave From the  
 na - tion! Then con - quer we must, when our cause it is just, And

CHORUS.  
 proof thro' the night that our flag was still there, Oh, say, does that star - span - gled  
 glo - ry re - flect - ed now shines on the stream? 'Tis the star - span - gled ban - ner: oh  
 ter -ror of flight or the gloom of the grave: And the star - span - gled ban - ner in  
 this be our mot - to: "In God is our trust!" And the star - span - gled ban - ner in

ban - ner yet wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?  
 long may it wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!  
 tri - umph doth wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.  
 tri - umph shall wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

Written by Francis Scott Key, on the night of September 14, 1814, while compelled to watch under the guns of a British ship the bombardment of Fort Mifflin. He watched the flag at the fort through the whole day with an anxiety that can be better felt than described, until darkness prevented him from seeing it. During the night he watched the bombshells, and at early dawn his eye was again greeted by the proudly waving flag of his country.



**CATHOLIC WOMEN MEET IN CORPUS CHRISTI HALL TO AID WORK**

Maryland Chapter Of International Alumnae Co-operating With Red Cross

On Thursday, April 12th, a meeting of the Chapter was held at Corpus Christi Hall to consider ways and means of participating, most effectively, in the work now being done by the Maryland Division of the American Red Cross Society.

The audience was addressed by Miss Mary L. R. Willis, Chairman of the Organization Committee of the State Chapter of the Red Cross, whose talk was most interesting and informative, dealing first with the respective functions and scope of the military field hospitals, and later with details of the course of study that may be pursued by those desiring to be of practical service to their country in the terrible war crisis which we now face.

The courses outlined were:—Surgical Dressing, Sewing, etc., (Eight lessons) \$3.80 for course; First Aid, \$3.80 for course; Dietetics, \$7.00 for course; Elementary Hygiene and Home Treatment of Sick, \$4.00 for course.

The speaker emphasized the fact that three of the basic principles of the Red Cross Society are conservation of energy, economy of time, and economy of materials.

Mrs. Hiram L. Spicer was unanimously elected Chairman, and it was agreed that meetings would be held in the same place on the Mondays of each week from ten until five o'clock.

Accordingly, on Monday, April 16th, there was another enthusiastic gathering of earnest workers, who came provided with linens and necessary sewing accessories, and, for several hours, plied their needles zealously.

Mrs. Frank Philip Scrivener, Governor for Maryland and the District of Columbia, has advised Mrs. C. Baker Clotworthy, of the Woman's Preparedness and Survey Commission, that thirty members of the Maryland Chapter I. F. C. A. have volunteered to cooperate

in the work of the Military Census Bureau, and these ladies have been assigned to duty, in shifts of fifteen, to work during the second two and a half days of the week.

This new phase of activity will be one of the leading questions to be considered at the meeting of the Advisory Council, which, as previously announced is to take place on Saturday, May 5th, at three o'clock P. M., at Mercy Hospital.

Enthusiasm of Nation Oozed Away  
 Inside information from Germany points out that the enthusiasm of that nation has oozed away. The optimistic, military-inspired press has been discounted by wounded soldiers returning to their homes on furlough. German officers are disheartened and the belief is that as Germany has broken down internally the war will end within a few months.

China imports great quantities of old newspapers from the United States to manufacture into a thin paper for the inner wrapping of rolls of silk.

**THE PRICE OF PEACE.**

I HAVE never advocated war except as a means of peace.—Grant.

Peace won by compromise is usually a short-lived achievement.—Winfield Scott.

Peace, above all things is to be desired; but blood must be spilled to obtain it on equitable and lasting terms.—Andrew Jackson.

This nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.—Lincoln.

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