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WASHINGTON, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1918.

ORDER ISSUED BY PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL ANNULS DRAFT CALLS FOR ARMY; ENTRAINMENTS STOPPED

NAVY AND THE MARINE CORPS NOT AFFECTED

All Registrants whose Induction Orders Are Canceled Revert to Status Existing at the Time of Issuing Original Order—Liable for Immediate Call in Usual Manner at Any Time.

The War Department authorizes the following from the office of the Provost Marshal General:

Pending developments in the situation which arises because of the fact that Germany has signed an armistice providing for the cessation of hostilities, the President directs that all general and voluntary special calls now outstanding for the induction and mobilization of registrants of whatever color or physical qualifications for the Army, be, and the same are, hereby canceled. Pending further in-structions, no more inductions shall be made into the Army, nor entrainment per-mitted or undertaken, under such calls, Local boards will immediately cancel and recall all induction orders-namely, Form 1028-which have been issued for induction into the Army under such calls, and shall cancel all entries made in column 24 of the classification list in connection with such calls by drawing a red-ink line through such entry except where the order issued or entry was made as to registrants already entrained, or who have become deserters when this order reaches the local board, as to all of whom the record shall remain as it stands; they shall make record of such cancellations by appropriate entry in column 29 of the classification list; they shall notify such cancellation and recall to every registrant to whom such order has been issued or opposite whose name in column 24 of the classification list has been entered the day and hour from and after which he shall be in the military service; and they shall give such notice to each such registrant by letter, telegram, or orally, or by two or all of such means, as circumstances require, that his induction order has been

ALL SUNDAY AND OVERTIME WORK IN WAR PLANTS ORDERED HALTED

The following is authorized by the Secretary of War:

At a meeting this morning, attended by the Secretary of the Navy, the chairman of the Shipping Board, and the Secretary of War, it was decided, in view of the signature of the armistice, to issue immediate directions to cut out all Sunday work and overtime in Government construction and in Government-owned or controlled plants and plants producing war supplies.

The readjustment of the labor and industry of the country which has been occupled in war work will be undertaken in conference with the Department of Labor and the War Industries Board, with a view to bringing about the readjustment with the least dislocation of labor and the greatest facility possible to be afforded for the reestablishment of industry. It is clear that there is work enough in the United States for all the labor in the country. Many Government activities, like the shipbuilding industry, will continue uninterruptedly; others will be gradually readjusted. Meantime, those who are employed by the Government or working on the production of Government supplies should continue at their occupations.

DIRECTOR GENERAL M'ADOO URGES RAIL TELEGRAPHERS NOT TO GO OUT ON STRIKE

CONSIDERING WAGE QUESTION

Impossible to Reach a Decision by November 14, He Says, and Advises All Patriotic Men to Stick to Their Posts—Will Act Soon.

Director General of Railroads McAdoo has issued the following statement to the railroad telegraphers:

"I regret to learn that efforts are being made by some persons to induce telegraphers in the railroad service of the United States in certain sections of the country to strike on November 14, unless the Director General makes a decision before that date on the request of the telegraphers for increased wages.

"I can not believe that genuinely patriotic men will listen for a moment to advice from anyone to strike against the Government of the United States. All employees of the railroads are now in the service of the Government, and never in

PROVISIONS FOR CANCELING WAR CONTRACTS OUTLINED IN A MEMORANDUM ISSUED BY GENERAL G. W. GOETHALS

No. 461

HOW CONTRACTORS WILL BE PROTECTED

War Industries Board Calls Attention to the Arrangements Set Forth in Supply Circulars — Worked Out with Considerable Care. Termination of Contracts in the Public Interest.

B. M. Baruch, chairman of the War Industries Board, authorizes the following:

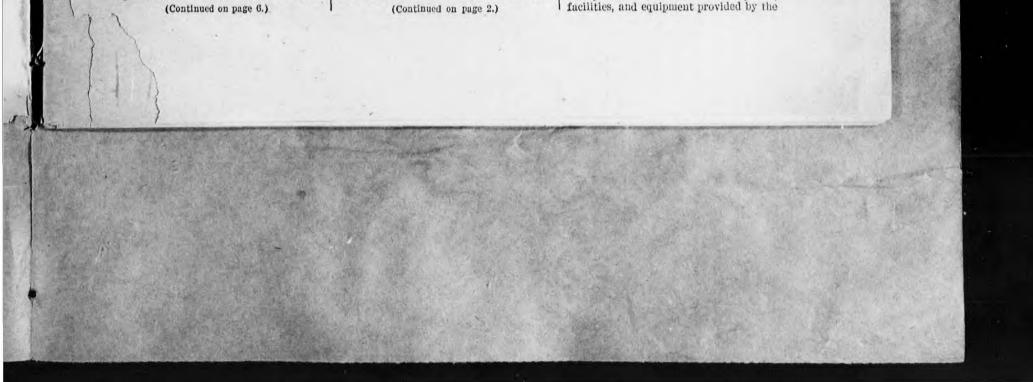
ing: The War Industries Board desires to call attention to the following memorandum issued by Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals, Assistant Chief of Staff and director of purchase, storage, and traffic, regarding arrangements that have been devised for the termination of war contracts in the public interest where such termination is found necessary:

1. Standard contracts provisions on "Cancellation and Termination before Completion."

After very careful consideration, the superior board of contract review approved, and the director of purchase, storage, and traffic issued, Supply Circular No. 88, dated September 7, 1918, containing standard contract provisions, including provisions on "cancellation and termination before completion."

These provisions cover cancellation for contractor's default, termination in the public interest, assignment of subcontracts, and taking possession of contractor's plant.

Referring particularly to termination in the public interest, Supply Circular No. 88 establishes definitely the payments to be made by the United States in the event of such termination, for articles completely manufactured at the time, and for raw materials, articles in process of manufacture, and the contractor's outstanding obligations incurred in good faith in connection with the performance of the contract. Provision is also made for payment by the United States to the contractors of a fair amount on account of depreciation or amortization of plants,



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contractor for the performance of his contract.

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In return, the United States is released from its obligation to take the remaining articles, not manufactured, specified in the contract and to pay anticipated profits to the contractor on the unfinished portions of the contract.

The contract provisions have been worked out with considerable care to meet the situations presented both by fixed-price contracts and cost-plus contracts. The provisions applicable to fixedprice contracts are found on pages 5 to 8, inclusive, of Supply Circular No. 88, and the provisions applicable to cost-plus contracts are found on pages 17 and 18 of this supply circular.

2. Contracts not providing for termination in public interest.

A large number of contracts now outstanding do not specifically provide for termination in the public interest. If it becomes necessary to terminate such contracts in the public interest, it is assumed that the parties will generally desire to adjust their rights on the basis of the equitable principles established by the contract provisions contained in Supply Circular No. 88 referred to above.

3. Contracts providing for continuing deliveries.

Supply Circular No. 97 sets forth contract provisions applicable to contracts providing for continuing deliveries, including provisions for termination of the contract in the public interest. These provisions apply directly to contracts executed under the provisions of Supply Circular No. 97, and it is assumed that the parties will desire to use them in connection with the termination of analogous contracts providing for continuing deliveries even though they do not contain specific provision on the subject of termination in the public interest.

4. Board of Contract Adjustment.

In order that questions arising under the contract may be promptly and fairly settled there has been created a board of contract adjustment.

- Supply Circular No. 88 contains on page 12 provisions on "Adjustment of claims and disputes," providing, in effect, that any claims, doubts, or disputes which may arise under the contract and which are not disposed of by mutual agreement may be determined by petition of the contractor to the Secretary of War or his duly authorized representative or representatives.

In order to adjust such claims, doubts, or disputes as may be thus referred to the Secretary of War, and also other claims, doubts, or disputes which the contractor may desire to refer directly to the board, a general order has been issued creating the board of contract adjustments and defining its powers and duties. This board will consist of three members having the rank of lieutenant colonel, and will conduct hearings, appoint examiners, and reach docisions promptly and on principles of equity without the delays and technicalities which

frequently attend litigation in the courts. If a contractor is dissatisfied with the decision of this board, he may appeal to the Secretary of War.

It is assumed that in most instances contractors will be satisfied with the decisions thus rendered and will not find it necessary to avail themselves of their

PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL ISSUES ORDER STOPPING CLASSIFICATION OF DRAFT MEN WHO ARE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 37 AND 46

The War Department authorizes the following from the office of the Provost Marshal General: Congratulating them personally upon

their "truly great achievements" of the past year and a half, and bespeaking of them "the same interest and tireless energy" which has characterized their work in the past, Provost Marshal General Crowder Monday afternoon transmitted to the members of the Selective Service System throughout the country an order from the Secretary of War directing discontinuance of all work connected with the classification of registrants of September 12, 1918, who had at that time attained their thirty-seventh birthday and had not attained their forty-sixth birthday. The order trans-mitted by Gen. Crowder to the local boards and others of the Selective S vice System, which, under his direction, has raised the victorious American Army, further directed the continuation in as expeditious a manner as possible of classification of September 12 registrants between 19 and 36 inclusive, and issuance at the earliest appropriate moment of questionnaires to the registrants between 18 and 19 years of age. Classification of these youthful registrants was also directed to proceed.

The Order and Message.

The order and message to the members of the Selective Service System issued by General Crowder was as follows:

"The Secretary of War has today issued the following order to the Provost Marshal General;

"'You will at once instruct State headquarters and local and district boards immediately to discontinue all work connected with the classification of men who on September 12, 1918, had attained their thirtyseventh and had not attained their forty-sixth birthday. You will further instruct said boards to continue to completion as expeditiously as possible the classification of all registrants who on September 12, 1918,

APPEALS TO TELEGRAPHERS.

(Continued from page 1.)

the history of the United States have its employees struck against their Govern-It is impossible for the Director ment. General to render a decision on the telegraphers' claims on or before November 14. The case is under consideration and will be decided at the earliest possible mo-A grave mistake will be made if ment. any body of employees should quit their posts. It is just as essential now to keep a continuous flow of sur lies to our soldiers and sailors in Fra as it was while the way was actually i. . . ig.

Asks All to Stay at Posts.

"I earnestly request each patriotic employee to renember his duty to his Government and to remain at his post and had obtained their nineteenth and had not attained their thirty-seventh birthday. You will, finally, at the earliest appropriate moment, direct all local and district boards to issue questionnaires to all registrants who on September 12, 1918, had attained their eighteenth and had not attained their nineteenth birthday, and to proceed with and complete as early as possible the classification of such registrants.

Further Orders Later.

"Further orders will be issued later covering the matter of sending questionnaires to and classifying 18-year old registrants.

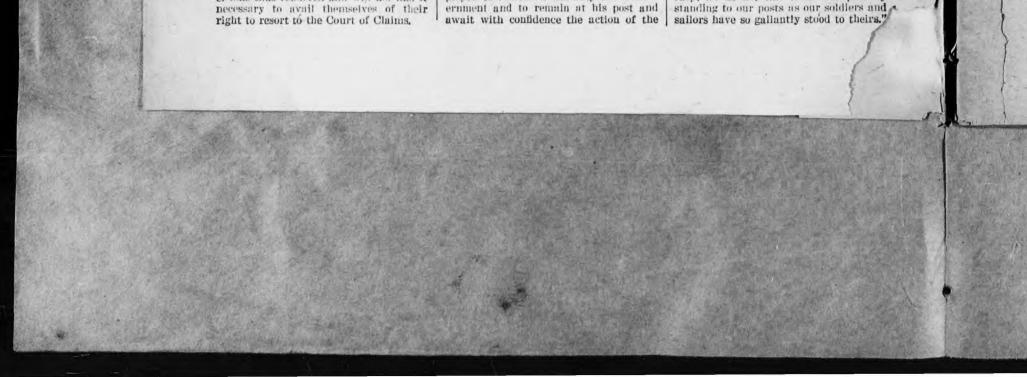
" In entering, pursuant to the foregoing instructions, upon what seems, in view of the mighty events of the day, to be the final work of this character to be done by the selective service system, I extend to the members of that system my personal congratulations upon their truly great achievements of the past year and a half-achievements that have taxed to the utmost the time, the ability, and the endurance of all those en-gaged in the work, and that have furnished the Army to which in large measure must be given the credit for saving to the world both civilization and government by the people. To you, members of that system, must come a sense of duty well done which a loyalty, patriotism, and devotion such as yours can bring. The country and the world knows that it owes to you a debt of thanks and gratitude which can not be measured by words but only by the affection, the respect, and the esteem, now yours, of those among whom you live and from whom you have taken that which was beyoud price.

"In undertaking the completion of your work under the orders above given. I bespeak of you the same interest and tireless energy which has characterized your work in the past."

Extension of Licenses For the S. S. "Ysseldyk"

The War Trade Board announces, in a new ruling (W. T. B. R. 316), that import licenses heretofore issued, covering importations from the Dutch East Indies on the Dutch steamship Ysseldyk, may be extended, notwithstanding the fact that such licenses cover commodities which have been restricted since the issuance of the licenses. No new licenses will be issued.

Director General, which will be taken at the earliest possible moment. In this hour of glorious triumph for world democracy, let us not fail to do our part by standing to our posts as our soldiers and callers have an endbutth stord to theirs "



Food Administration to Continue Functions Under New Economic Era. Says Mr. Hoover, Reviewing the Past

STILL MUST HELP WORLD

No Decrease Probable in Volume of Commodities U. S. Must Furnish, But a Change in Articles Expected --- Immediate Effect on Prices Is Difficut to Anticipate. Maintenance of Embargo to Prevent Depletion of U. S. Stocks.

The following statement was made to the newspaper men by Food Administrator Hoover at their regular weekly conference with him Monday afternoon, November 11:

With the war effectually over we enter a new economic era and its immediate effect on prices is difficult to anticipate. The maintenance of the embargo will prevent depletion of our stocks by hungry Europe to any point below our necessities and anyone who contemplates speculation in food against the needs of these people can well be warned of the prompt action of the Government. The prices of some food commodities may increase, but others will decrease because, with liberated shipping, accumulated stocks in the southern hemisphere and the Far East will be available. The demands upon the United States will change in character, but not in volume.

Course of Food Prices.

The course of food prices in the United States during the last 15 months is of interest. In general, for the first 12 months of the Food Administration the prices to the farmer increased, but decreased to the consumer by the elimination of profiteering and speculation. Due to increases in wages, transportation, etc., the prices have been increasing during the last 4 months.

The currents which affect food prices in the United States are much less controlled than in the other countries at war. The powers of the Food Administration in these matters extend:

First, to the control of profits by manufacturers, wholesalers, and dealers, and the control of speculation in foodstuffs. They do not extend to the control of the great majority of retailers, to public eating places or the farmer, except so far as this can be accomplished on a voluntary basis.

Controlled Buying for Allies.

Second, the controlled buying for the allied civil populations and armies, the Navy, dominates the market in certain commodities at all times, and in other commodities part of the time. In these cases it is possible to effect in cooperation with producers and manufacturers, a certain amount of stability in price. I have never favored attempts to fix maximum prices by law; the universal his-tory of these devices in Europe has been that they worked against the true in-terests of both producer and consumer. History of these devices in Europe has been that they worked against the true in-terests of both producer and consumer. History of these devices in Europe has been that they worked against the true in-terests of both producer and consumer. History of the Department of La-bor indexes. Since the spring quarter, ending July 1, 1918, there has been a rise in prices—the

The course of prices during the first year of the Food Administration—that is, practically the period ending July 1, 1918, is clearly shown by the price indexes of the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Labor. Taking 1913 prices as the basis, the average prices of farm produce for the three months ending July 1, 1917, were, according to the Department of Agriculture's price index, 115 per cent more than the average of 1913 prices, and, ac-cording to the Department of Labor index, it was 91 per cent over 1913 prices. The two departments use somewhat different bases of calculation.

Average of Farmers' Prices.

The average of farmers' prices one year later-that is, the three months ending July 1, 1918, was, according to the De partment of Agriculture indexes, 127 per cent over the 1913 basis and, according to the Department of Labor index was 114 per cent over the 1913 average. Thus farm prices increased 12 per cent on the Department of Agriculture calculations and 23 per cent upon the Department of Labor basis.

An examination of wholesale pricesthat is, o. prepared foods-shows a different story.

The Department of Agriculture does not maintain an index of wholesale prices, but the Department of Labor does, and this index shows a decrease in wholesale prices from 87 per cent over 1913 basis to 79 per cent over the 1913 basis for the three months ending July 1, 1917, and July 1, 1918, respectively. The Food Ad-ministration price index of wholesale prices calculated upon still another basis shows a decrease of from S4 per cent to 80 per cent between these periods one year apart.

Thus all indexes show an increase in farmers' prices and a decrease in wholesale prices of food during the year ending July 1, 1918. In other words, a great reduction took place in middlemen's charges, amounting to between 15 and 30 per cent, depending upon the basis of cal-culation adopted. These decreases have come out of the elimination of speculation and profiteering.

Course of Retail Prices.

The course of retail prices corroborate these results also. Since October, 1917, the Food Administration has had the services of 2,500 weekly, voluntary retailprice reporters throughout the United States. These combined reports show that the combined prices per unit of 24 most important foodstuffs were \$6.62 in October, 1917. The same quantities and commodities could be bought for \$6.55 average for the spring quarter, 1918— that is, a small drop had taken place. During this same period of quarters end-ing July 1, 1917, to July 1, 1918, the prices of clothing rose from 74 to 136 per cent over 1913, or a rise of about 62 per cent, according to the Department of La-

Department of Agriculture index for September showing that farm price averages were 138 per cent over the 1913 basis, and the Department of Labor index showing 136 per cent, or a rise from the average of the spring quarter this year of 11 and 22 per cent, respectively, to the farmer. The wholesale price index of the Department of Labor shows a rise from 79 per cent average of the spring quarter, 1918, to 99 per cent for September, or a rise of 20 per cent. The Food Administration wholesale index shows an increase from 80 to 100 per cent, or 20 per cent for the same period.

In October, 1918, the Food Administration retail price reports show that the retail cost of the same quantity of the 24 principal foodstuffs was \$7.58, against an average of \$6.55 for the spring quarter, 1918, or a rise of about 18 per cent.

It is obvious enough that prices have risen during the last three months both to the farmer and to the wholesaler and retailer. On the other hand, these rising prices, have only kept pace with the farmers' prices.

Adverse to the Consumer.

Since the 1st of July this year many economic forces have caused a situation adverse to the consumer. There has been a steady increase in wages, a steady increase in cost of the materials which go into food production and manufacture, and in containers and supplies of all kinds. There has been an increase of 25 per cent in freight rates. The rents of the country are increasing, and therefore costs of manufacturing, distribution, and transportation are steadily increasin., and should inevitably affect prices, The public should distinguish between a rise in prices and profiteering, for with increasing prices to the farmer-who is himself paying higher wages and costand with higher wages and transport, what this may come to can be shown in the matter of flour. The increased cost of transportation from the wheat-producing regions to New York City amounts to about 40 cents per barrel. The increased cost of cotton bags during the last 14 months amounts to 30 cents per barrel of flour. The increase in wholesalers' costs of drayage, rents, etc., amounts to 10 cents, or a total of 80 cents, without including the increased costs of the miller or retailer.

Not Classed as " Profiteering."

Such changes do not come under the category of profiteering. They are the necessary changes involved by the economic differences in the situation. We can not "have our cake and eat it." In other words we can not raise wages, railway rates, expand our credits and cur-rency, and hope to maintain the same level of prices of foods. All that the Food Administration can do is to see, as far as is humanly possible, that these alterations take place without speculation or profiteering and that such readjustments are conducted in an orderly manner. Even though it were in the manner. Even though it were in the power of the Food Administration to repress prices, the effect of maintaining the same price level in the face of such increases in costs of manufacture, trans-

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EXECUTIVE ORDER,

I hereby create a Committee on Public Information, to be composed of the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, and a civilian who shall be charged with the executive direction of the committee. As civilian chairman of the commit-

tee I appoint Mr. George Creel. The Secretary of State, the Secretary

of War, and the Secretary of the Navy are authorized each to detail an officer or officers to the work of the committee. WOODROW WILSON.

April 14, 1917.

PRUSSIAN MILITARISM ENDED, DECLARES SECRETARY LANSING

Secretary of State Lausing yesterday issued the following:

The American people can rejoice that their patriotism, their loyalty, and their splendid spirit of service and sacrifice have been rewarded. Prussian militarism is ended; it no longer menaces liberty and justice. But before as lie new tasks and new burdens which we must assume with the same unity of purpose, the same devotion and zeal as have characterized the Republic during this great war. Let us, while we celebrate this day of victory, look forward to the future conscious of our supreme duty to humanity and confident in the united will of the Nation.

ASK ENEMY PATENT LICENSES.

Two new applications for enemy patent licenses have been filed with the Federal Trade Commission.

The Rector Chemical Co., New York City, has applied for use of a patent granted in 1905 to a German assignor to the firm of E. Merck, of Darmstadt, Germany, on "C-C-Dialkyl-barbituric acid and processes for making same."

The Ault & Wiborg Co., Cincinnati, has asked for a license to use a patent granted in 1903 to German assignors to the firm of Actien-Gesellschaft Für Anilin Fabrikation, of Berlin, Germany, on "Red Azo Lake" (dyes).

The commission is investigating the merits of both applications.

ORDER TURNS BACK DRAFT MEN WHO WERE EN ROUTE TO CAMPS

Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder Supplements Instructions to Stop All Army Inductions.

The War Department authorizes the following from the office of the Provost Marshal General:

Supplementing his order of Monday morning canceling all the general and voluntary special calls outstanding for the induction and mobilization of registrants of whatever color or physical qualification, Provost Marshal General Crowder issued an order to include all individual inductions for the Army. It was specifically stated that the cancellation does not affect any inductions into the Navy or Marine Corps. These inductions and entrainments will proceed as ordered.

Entrained Men Turned Back.

The supplemental order of the Provost Marshal General announced that the United States Railroad Administration has been directed to stop en route all inducted men already entrained who have not been delivered to an Army mobilization camp under the calls included in his cancellation order of Monday morning. The men included in the original and supplemental order are to be at once returned to the point of entrainment, and will immediately upon arrival at the original point of entrainment be discharged from the Army. Issuance of formal papers of discharge will be determined later, at which time claims for adjustment of pay and allowances will be passed upon.

Return to Original Status.

Registrants whose induction orders are canceled or who are discharged by the supplemental order will revert to the status existing at the time the original induction order was issued, this to include resumption of their order and serial number.

It is specifically announced that nothing in the cancellation of the calls shall operate to relieve from the consequences of his acts any registrant who has heretofore become delinquent or deserter.

Special Entrance for Use Of Public to Navy Bureau Of Supplies and Accounts

A special entrance for the use of the public is maintained by the NAVY (Bureau of Supplies and Accounts) in the new building at 17th and B Streets, N.W. This entrance is located on 17th Street near the southern end of the first wing. All persons are free to go and come without passes, and every facility is afforded those seeking information.

CARGO SHIPMENTS TO FRANCE TO CONTINUE, SAYS MR. BAKER

Troops Now Loading for Europe Largely Medical Personnel—

Work on War Plants.

Press interview by the Secretary of War, November 11, 1918.

"Cargo shipments will, of course, continue. Our Army being in France, it is of course necessary for us to maintain it, and cargo shipments will go on without cessation of any sort.

"Troops which are now loading to be sent to Europe are largely medical personnel and troops of that sort."

Work on War Plants.

With reference to the continuance ot work on large plants producing war supplies, etc., Secretary Baker replied, in answer to a query:

"Some of the projects are for permanent use and some are only temporary; the permanent ones will go on, and the temporary ones will be gradually stopped."

The Secretary read a telegram received from the employees of the Philadelphia Navy Yard, as follows:

"The employees of the Philadelphia Navy Yard extend congratulations for the world-wide victory for democracy."

Status of Army After War.

In answer to a question as to the status of the Army after the war, the Secretary said:

"Undoubtedly comprehensive legislation will be necessary, in view of the fact that the legislation as it now stands terminates all terms of enlistment at a fixed period after the declaration of peace, and it will be necessary to have congressional legislation to determine the permanent Military Establishment, The department has at present, however, no intention to present its views on that subject."

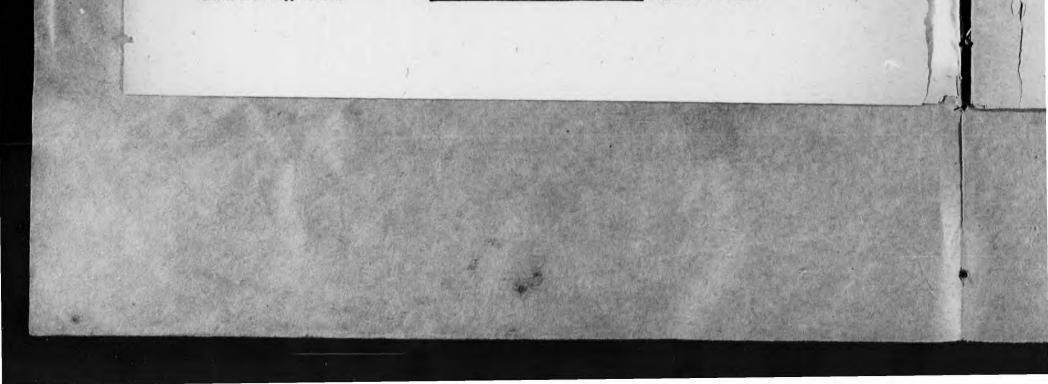
URGES NO LET-UP IN SUPPLY OF NUT HUSKS FOR GAS MASKS

The Food Administration issues the following:

The Army says there must be no letup in the collection of fruit pits and nut shells for conversion into carbon for gas masks. Regardless of the date that an armistice may be signed, according to information received from hendquarters of the Chemical Warfare Service, United States Army, the need for this carbon will continue. A large number of masks must be manufactured regardless of when peace is signed, and orders have been received to collect large reserve stocks of carbon materials.

It is urged that all materials which have been collected be assembled and shipped at the earliest possible date, and officials urge that collections continue indefinitely. Collection centers have been notified of this fact.

According to present plans a Gas Mask Day will be observed in every State of the Union.



WORK OF CONGRESS BRIEFLY TOLD

The House adjourned immediately yesterday after the joint session with the Senate, at which the President read the armistice terms accepted by Germany, and notified the country that the war was at an end. The Senate reconvened and indulged in a brief discussion of the subject of economy in future appropriations, in which Senators Borah and Smoot participated. They urged the curtail-ment of the war program as far as possi-

ble in view of the events of the past week. The Finance Committee resumed its consideration of the war revenue bill, and was advised by Treasury experts, to whom the previous action of the committee had been submitted for tabulation, that the contemplated \$8,000,000,000 carried in the bill as it passed the House had been reduced to around \$6,500,000,000 by the committee's amendments made thus far.

Later in the afternoon Senator Simmons, chairman of the committee, had a conference with Secretary McAdoo. The committee yesterday agreed tentatively to an amendment that will reduce the income from life-insurance taxes. The amendment increases the life insurance company deduction allowances from 3½ to 4 per cent of their legal reserves.

RESERVATION FOR A CABLE LINE FOR THE SIGNAL CORPS

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

By virtue of the power and authority vested in and conferred upon me by the laws of the United States in that behalf made and provided, it is hereby ordered that the tract of land hereinafter described be, and the same is hereby, withdrawn from settlement, location, sale, entry, or other disposition, and reserved and set aside for the use of the War Department as a Signal Corps cable line, subject to the proper use of said tract for street purposes within the limits of any town site:

A tract 150 feet wide on either side of the following described line for the first 400 feet from the point of beginning, and 25 feet on either side thereof for the remainder of the distance: Beginning at a point on Frederick Sound, Mitkof Island, whence the Red Light Blinker, in lati-tude 56° 49' N. and longitude 132° 56' W., bears northwest 2,700 feet; extending thence S. 65° 21' W., 6,500 feet to the intersection of Seventh and E Streets, Petersburg town site; thence west, fol-lowing the middle of E Street, 1,825 feet to the intersection of Main and E Streets on the shore of Wrangell Narrows,

WOODROW WILSON. THE WHITE HOUSE, October 25, 1918.

THE EGYPTIAN COTTON CROP.

A cablegram from the American Consul

SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1918.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1918. Fresent: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Me-Kenna, Mr. Justice Holmes, Mr. Justice Day, Mr. Justice Van Devanter, Mr. Justice Pitney, Mr. Justice McReynolds, Mr. Justice Brandels, and Mr. Justice Clarke. John P. Kyle, of St. Paul, Minn., and Rich-and Hartshorne, of Newark, N. J., were ad-mitted to practice. No. 18. City of Birmingham, plaintiff in error, v. D. J. O'Conneil. Continued, per stipulation. No. 218. Guerini Stone Co., petitioner, v. P. J. Carlla Construction Co. Argument con-tinued by Mr. John C. Wait for the respondent and concluded by Mr. Edward S. Palne for the petitioner. No. 278. W. C. Starett, as reacting etc.

and concluded by Mr. Edward S. Paine for the petitioner. No. 378. W. C. Sterett, as receiver, etc., petitioner, v. Second National Bank of Cin-cinnati, Ohio. Argued by Mr. Edmund H. Dryer for the petitioner and by Mr. Lawrence Maxwell for the respondent. No. 3, original. The People of the State of New York, complainants, v. State of New Jer-sey et al. Three hours allowed each side for the argument of this case on motion of Mr. Charles E. Hughes in that behalf. Argument commenced by Mr. Charles E. Hughes for the complainant. complainant.

complainant. Adjourned until Monday next at 12 o'clock. The day call for Monday, November 11, will be as follows: Nos. 3 (original), 3, 7, 8, 14, 17, 19, 30, 32, and 33.

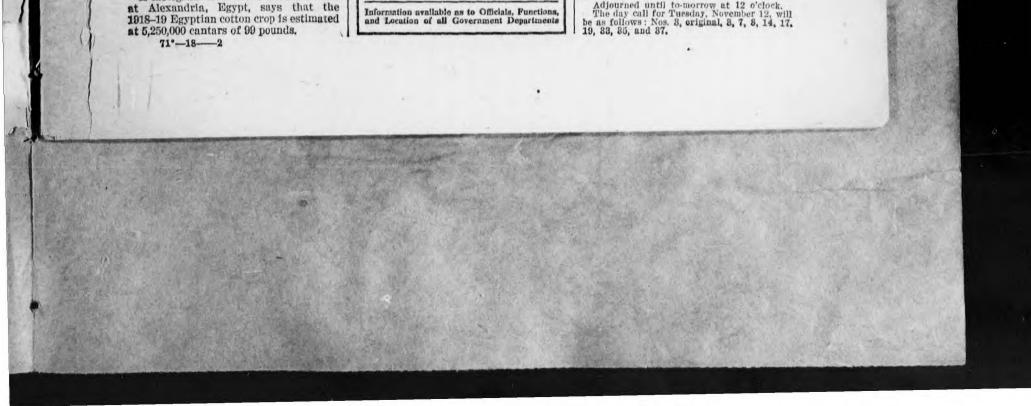
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of the State of Oregon. Per curiam: Dis-missed for want of jurisdiction upon the an-thority of section 237 of the Judicial Code, as amended by the act of September 6, 1916, chapter 448, 39 Stats at L. 723. No.—, Jacob Abrums, Samuel Lipman, Hyman Rosansky, Hyman Lachowsky, and Mollie Steimer, plaintiffs in error v. The United States of America. Motion to admit plaintiffs in error to bail pending the hearing of this cause granted, and the plaintiffs in error will be admitted to bail in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) each to be approved by one of the judges of the district court of the United States for the Southern District of New York. No 494. The Oklahoma Operating Co., ap-pellant, v. J. E. Love et al., etc. Motion to advance for hearing at the same time as case No. 185 on the docket for the present term granted. No. 266. Occidental Construction Co., plain-

District of New York.
 No. 494. The Oblahoma Operating Co., appellant, Y. J. E. Love et al., etc. Motion to advance for hearing at the same time as ease No. 185 on the docket for the present term granted.
 No. 500. Minorale Separation, Lindted, et al., petitioners, v. Butte & Superior Mining Co. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the No. 500. Minorale Separation, Lindted, et al., petitioners, v. Butte & Superior Mining Co. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the No. 500. Minorale Separation, Lindted, et al., petitioner v. Wilkem H. Woerhide et al. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the No. 602. Atheneter & Bawlengs Investment Co., petitioner, v. H. B. Allen, U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit Circuit Circuit Court of Appeals for the

No. 3, original. The People of the State of New York, complainants, v. State of New York, sey et al. Argument continued by Mr. Charles E. Hughes for the complainants, and by Mr. Adrian Riker for the defendants. Adjourned until to morrow at 12 o'clock. The day call for Tuesday, November 10



METRIC SYSTEM USE ADVISED BY INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION

This statement has been issued from the Treasury Department:

More extensive use of the metric system in the trade and commerce of the United States is recommended in a resolution adopted by the United States section of the International High Commis-sion, of which Secretary McAdoo is chairman.

The commission has regarded this subject as of particular importance in the United States. It is, of course, unnecessary for the United States section to recommend to the Latin-American sections of the commission anything in connection with the metric system, which is exclu-sively in use throughout Latin America. One of the main obstacles to documentary uniformity as between the United States and Latin America is to be found in the fact that the United States does not make the use of the metric system obligatory, and consequently its consular documents have to allow the use of that sys-tem merely as optional. Any uniform system of classifying merchandise, however, will require on the part of the United States thoroughgoing and complete adherence to the metric system.

Useful in Trade.

Of more importance than statistical and administrative questions is the use of the metric system in trade. Now that the United States is obviously being drawn into closer and more vital com-mercial relations by the rest of the world, and particularly with Latin America, our manufacturers and exporters will be obliged to meet the demands of their prospective customers in a somewhat more accommodating frame of mind than hitherto. Only the English-speaking nations still have to adopt the metric system of weights and measures, and among them the British Empire, or at least Great Britain, seems to be giving serious consideration to the neces-sity of making a change. Those who read the Commerce Reports of the United States Department of Commerce know how numerous are the opportunities necessarily allowed to pass by because of our inability to supply goods and machinery constructed in accordance with the metric system. The subject has now assumed a most practical character in the minds of those who are planning for post-war trade expansion.

Text of Resolution.

The resolution adopted by the commission is as follows

The United States section of the International High Commission, having in view the present efforts to bring about the exclusive use of the metric system of

weights and measures within the juris-diction of the United States, resolves: "I. That in the opinion of the section the adoption of that system would be productive of great advantage in the commercial relations of the United States with the other American Republics.

"II. That the Secretary of the section be directed to communicate a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the proper committees of the Senate and the

DRAFT CALLS ARE CANCELED

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canceled. Proper proof of the issuing of such orders of cancellation and recall as to each registrant must be preserved by retention of copies thereof and by appro-priate notations in column 29 of the classification list.

In respect of all registrants included under the aforesaid calls, the issuance of such order of cancellation and recall or the appropriate notation in column 29 of the classification list of the fact of such issuance shall render null and void all such orders, Form 1028, and also all en-tries in column 24 of the classification list in respect to such registrants, where the day and hour named in such order or said column have not yet arrived.

The President further directs that all registrants who are already inducted into the Army under these calls because of the fact that the day and hour specified in Form 1028 or entered in column 24 of the classification list have arrived but who have not been actually entrained for a mobilization camp, shall be and that they are hereby discharged from the Army. The local board shall so notify each such registrant either by letter or telegram, or orally, or by two or all of such means as circumstances require. Local boards shall retain a complete record of such action in all such cases, which record shall include copies of all written or telegraphed communications issued in connection therewith, and they shall particularly see that the fact and date of such notification of discharge is noted in each instance in column 29 of the classification list. The issue of formal papers of discharge will be considered and determined later, at which time claims for adjustment of pay and allowances for the men so inducted and discharged will be passed upon,

Navy and Marine Corps Calls.

Nothing in this telegram shall be construed as affecting any call or competent order for induction into the Navy or Marine Corps. All such inductions and en-trainments will proceed as ordered.

All registrants whose induction orders are canceled, or who are discharged by this order, shall revert to the status existing at the time of the issuing of the original induction order, including a resumption of their order and serial number. Nothing therein contained shall operate

to relieve from the consequence of his acts any registrant affected by these orders who has heretofore become a delinquent or deserter. The purpose of this telegram is merely to cancel outstanding calls and stop the entrainment thereunder of men for the Army. All registrants re-leased from induction under the provisions of this telegram are liable for immediate call in the usual manner at any time.

Coke Producers Supplying Men to Help Train Crews

Coke producers in and around Uniontown, Pa., are supplying men to help the train crews move cars at the Republic

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD'S WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT

Increases in the holdings of war paper, in Federal reserve note circulation and in member banks' reserve deposits, accompanied by somewhat smaller withdrawals of Government deposits are indicated by the Federal Reserve Board's weekly bank statement issued as at close of business on November S, 1918.

Investments.—Holdings of war paper, i. e., discounted bills secured by Liberty bonds and Treasury certificates show an increase for the week of \$64,100,000 and constitute at present 57.4 per cent of the reserve banks' total earning assets, as against 55.5 per cent the week before. Other discounts on hand fell off \$12,800,-000, New York and Minneapolis reporting considerable liquidation of this class of paper. Bills purchased in open market show a decrease of \$2,500,000, while Government short-term securities on hand show a net gain of \$3,200,000, three banks reporting the acquisition of 1-year Treasury certificates to secure Federal reserve bank note circulation. Total in-vestments increased about \$52,000,000.

Deposits.—Net withdrawals of 89.1 millions of Government funds account largely for the increase of 103.5 millions in members' reserve deposits, all the banks, except Dallas, showing substantial increases under the latter head. Net deposits show a slight decline of 1.9 millions.

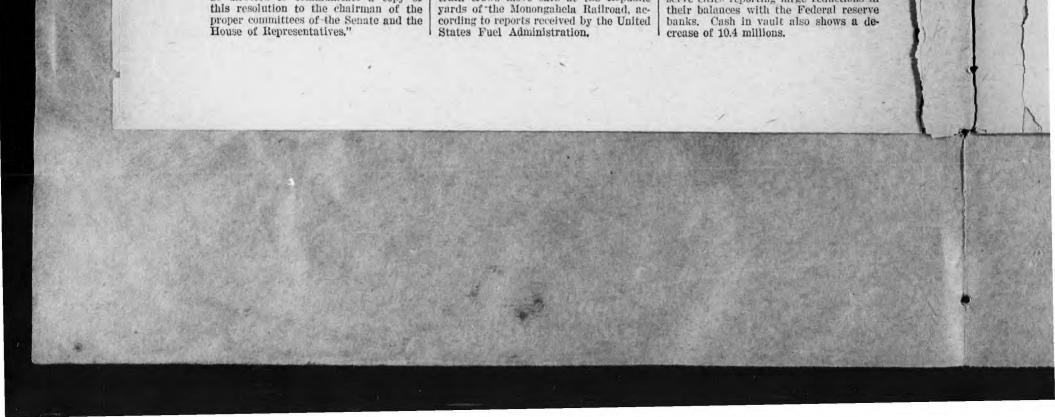
Reserves.-Gold reserves declined 5.6 millions, while total cash reserves fell off 4.8 millions. The banks' reserve percentage because of the reduction in reserves and of the increase in note circulation shows a decline from 50.4 to 49.8 per cent.

Note circulation. - Federal reserve agents report the issue during the week of about 33 millions net of notes. The banks show an actual circulation of 2,558.2 millions of Federal reserve notes, an increase of 42.7 millions for the week besides aggregate liabilities of 68.9 mil-lions, as against 63.3 the week before, on Federal reserve bank notes in circulation,

Capital.-Payment for Federal reserve bank stock, following the admission of new members and the increase in capital stock of member banks, accounts for an increase of \$464,000 in paid-in capital, New York alone reporting an increase un-der this head of \$397,000. Substantial liquidation of Liberty

bonds and Treasury certificates offset in part by increases in loans supported by securities are indicated by the such weekly statement of conditions on November 1 of 750 member banks in leading cities.

Government deposits show an increase for the week of 518,6 millions, of which 303.7 millions represents the increase at the central reserve city banks. Inversely, net demand deposits show reductions of 184.6 millions at all reporting banks and of 129.6 millions at the banks in the three central reserve cities. Time deposits show a gain of 29.7 millions. Reserve balances with the Federal reserve banks declined 187.4 millions, both the banks in the central reserve and in the other reserve cities reporting large reductions in



SEALED PROPOSALS INVITED

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

Scaled proposals will be received at the department, room 1010, at 2 o'clock p. m. November 15, 1918, for the painting of the roof of the Pension Office Building, Wash-ington, D. C. Forms of proposals and speci-fications can be had from the chief clerk of the department. the department.

St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Bids will be received for supplying on November 11, 1918, 5,000 pounds fresh beef; on November 12, 1918, 5,000 pounds fresh beef; on November 18, 1918, 5,000 pounds fresh beef; on November 19, 1918, 5,000 pounds fresh beef.

United States Indian Service.

Bids will be received until 2 p. m., November 20. 1918, at the Yakima Agency, Fort Simcoe, Wish, for three 5-passenger touring auto-mobiles. Bids will be received at the United States Indian warehouse, 308 South Green Street, Chicago, III., until 10 a. m., November 14, 1918, for 2 coffice mills, 60 dozen full-sized cups, 55 milk palls.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C. Bids will be received until 2 p. m., November 11, 1918, for 100 skeins of red embroidery cot-ton, 2,000 feet white pine shelving, 5 krantz or equal fuse switches, 1 stop and check valve, 100 pounds powdered asphaltum; until 2 p. m., November 12, 1918, for 10 pounds Merck's chromic acid, 100 birch chair seats, 500 feet leather fillet, 200 feet leather fillet, six 24-foot beams; until 2 p. m., November 18, 1918, for 8,000 sheets white glazed boad paper, 500 perforating blades, I all-brase cylinder, 10 double-poie fused safety switches, 1.000 sani-tary towels, 12 globe valve disks, 50 circular leathers.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Clothing and Equipage Division.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnish-ing carrying cases for Browning machine-gun ritle, model 1918 will be received here until November 16, 1918, and then opened. De-tailed information on application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed: "Proposale for carrying cases for Browning machine rifle," and addressed to W. L. Delaney. Textue Equipment Branch, Clothing and Equipage Division, Munitions Building, Nineteenth and B Streets, Washing-ton, D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

Lighthouse Service.

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Purchasing Agent, Washington, D. C.

Bids will be received until 2 p. m., November 13, 1918, for 150 pounds printers' roller com-position for stamps.

Marine Corps Contracis

October 30, 1918.

678R. J. H. Monteath Co., New York, N. Y., lignum vitae. 700. A. B. Dick Co., Chicago, Ill., stencil paper, ink cloths, and varnish. 700. New York Blue Frint Paper Co., New York, N. Y., blue-print paper. 700. E. H., Pitcher, Washington, D. C., erasers.

York, N. Y., blue-print paper. Too. E. H. Pitcher, Washington, D. C., erasers.
700. Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co., Philadel-phia. Pa., guide cards.
700. Type-writer & Office Supply Co., Wash-ington, D. C., guide cards.
700. Type-writer & Office Supply Co., Washing-ton, D. C., guide cards.
700. Henry Moss & Co. (Inc.), New York, N. Y. inking pads.
700. Cal Hirsch & Sons Mercantile Co., St. Louis, Mo., aiding-machine paper.
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700. Universal Trading Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., stencil paper.
712. The Balley-Lebby Co., Charleston, S. C., fron pipe.
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712. The Farbanks Co., Baltimore, Md., shop supplies.
715. The Mational Marking Machine Co., Chelmati, Oho, marking machines and luk. 785. Amory Browne & Co., Boston, Mass., khaki suiting.
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786. Vacuna Sales Co., Washington, D. C.,
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787. J. Spencer Turner Co., New York,
N. Y., khakl suiting and duck.
790. Alken Engineering Co., Zion City, Ill.,
target carriers.

November 1, 1918.

700. Hess-Hawkins Co., (Inc.), New York, N. Y., carbon paper and typewriter ribbons. 700. Osburn Paper Co., Philadelphia, Pa.,

paper. 700. Esleeck Mfg. Co., Turners Falls, Mass.,

paper. 700. Old Dominion Paper Co., Norfolk, Va.,

paper fasteners, 700, Grøham Paper Co., St. Louis, Mo., Bristol hourd, 700, Bishop Paper Co. (Inc.)., New York,

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N. Y., paper.
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N. Y., spouge cups and numbering machines,
Too. Madison Trading Co. (Inc.), New York,
N. Y., hand blotters, large.
T32. The New Hartford Canning Co. (Ltd),
New Hartford, N. Y., sauerkraut.
T35. Ludwig & Ludwig, Chicago, Ill., musical instruments.
T35. C. Bruno & Son (Inc.), New York, N.
Y., altos, cleaners, stands, trumpets, and
trombones.
T35. H. N. White Co., Cleveland, Ohlo,
basses and mutes.

The Purchase Information Office, Room 2426, Munitions Building, Nineteenth and B Streets, Washington, gives information to persons desiring to sell material or supplies to the War Department and advises bidders concerning bids

749. Barnhart Bros. & Spindler, Washing-ton, D. C., printing press. 769. Old Domision Paper Co., Norfolk, Va., paper. 768. Newport Rolling Mills Co., Newport,

768. Newport Rolling Mills Co., Lawyer, Ky., galvanized steal. 785. The Falthauks Co., New York, N. Y., screw-driving machino. 791. Cygnet Mig. Co. (Inc.), Buñalo, N. Y., atming point and night-firing boxes. 764-R. W. H. Duval & Co., New York, N.

Y., fisanel. 797. Baker & Holmes Co., Miauni, Fia., sub-

Elstence. T97. P. Ullendorff, Mlami, Ma., subsistence. 797. Consolidated Greecer Co., Mlami, Fla.,

597. Armour & Co., Mlami, Fia., subsistence, 797. Drake Produce Co., Mlami, Fia., subsist

797. John Seybold, Miaml, Fla., subsistence. 797, Carson Fruit Co., Mismi, Fia., sub-

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November 2, 1918.

677-R. Sawyer Goodman Ce., Mariates, Wis., lumber. 677-R. C. H. Worcester Lumber Co., Chi-cago, Ill., lumber. 677-R. Diamond Lumber Co., Green Bay, 677-R. Sawyer Goodman Co., Marinette,

OTT-R. Diamond Lumber Co., Green Bay, Wis., lumber.
700, Cal Hirsh & Bons Mercantile Co., St. Louis, Mo., stationery.
700, Mathers-Lamm Paper Co., Washington, D. C., paper and tape.
700, Mathers Lamm Paper Co., Washington, D. C., paper fasteners.
700, Mathers Trading Co. (Inc.), New York, N. Y., biotters, paper, and tags.
700, Whiting Patterson Co., Philadelphia, Pa., memorandum pads and paper.
700, R. P. Clarke Co., Washington, D. C., finger pads, seals, and tabs.
710, Hofman-Corr Mig. Co., Philadelphia, Pa., wadding.

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 Pa., Clayton L. Hagy & Som (Inc.), Phila-delphia, Ps., cotton waste.
 795. R. P. Atwood & Ce., St. Louis, Mo.,

forage. 795. Malony & Carter Co., Charleston, S. C.,

formee. 799-R. J. Spencer Turner Co., New York, N. Y., duck.

November 4, 1918.

710-R. William D. Whitaker, Philadelphia,

710-R. Withing D. Withing Co., Pa., cotton mops. 746-R. Amorican Sheet & Tim Plate Co., Washington, D. C., steel. 784-R. Stamford Rolling Mills Co. (Inc.), Springdale, Conn., german silver. 803 J. Spencer Turner Co., New York, N. Y., tont duck.

. Nathan Trotter & Co., Philadelphia,

Pa., th. 807. The Adder Machine Co., Philadelphia, Pa., adding machine.

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708.R. Wm. H. Horstmann Co., Philadel-da, Pa., drums and drum keys. 708.R. Fred Gretsch Mfg. Co., Brooklyn, phk

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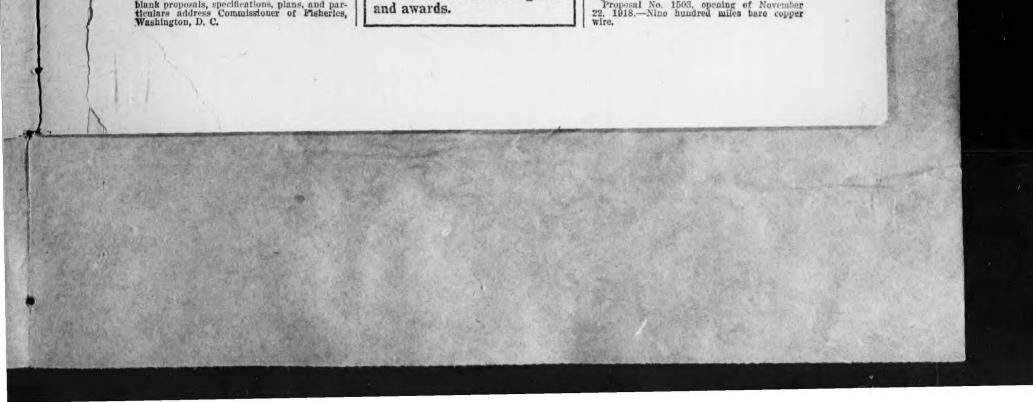
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Sealed Bids Wanted

Machinery and Excinering Materials Di-vision, War Department, 1428 U Street, Wash-ington, D. C.—Scaled bids are wanted until dates indicated under circular proposals as fol-lows for furnishing miscells econa amplies for the Machinery and Engineering Materials Di-vision, Additional information may be had upon application to the purchasing efficer as

above: Proposal No. 1166, opening of Novem-ber, 22, 1018.—Sixty-inch parabolic search-light mirrors. Proposal No. 1500, opening of November 12, 1918.—Cut-outs, sockets, and miscellaneous lighting equipment. Proposal No. 1501, opening of November 19, 1918.—Sockets, cut-outs, and lighting ma-terial.

terial. Proposal No. 1502, opening of November 19, 1918.—Knobs, tubes, insulators, and light-ing material. Proposal No. 1503, opening of November 22, 1918.—Nino hundred miles bare copper



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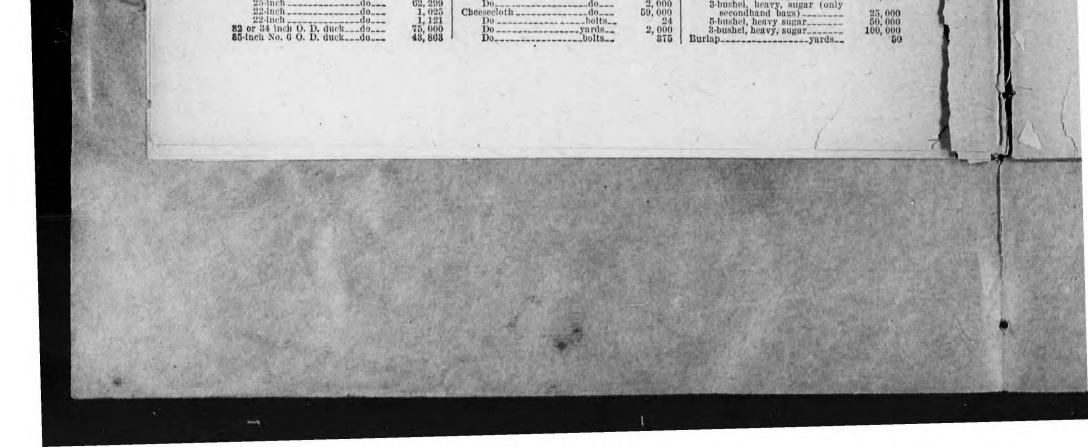
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PURCHASES AND CONTRACTS TO BE MADE CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE DIVISION OF U. S. ARMY QUARTERMASTER CORPS No. 8 O. D. duck : 301-inch do 304-inch do The following are contemplated re-quirements of the Clothing and Equipage $\begin{array}{c} 13,288\\ 25,000\\ 64,120\\ 1,033,440\\ 5565,425\\ 115,889\\ 20,442\\ 161,131\\ 2,818\\ 75,290\\ 110,202\\ 11,575\\ 94,877\\ 81,469\\ 219,456\\ 193,003\\ 79,154\\ 130,814\\ 197,963\\ 68,122\\ 26,728\\ 47,569\end{array}$ Division, Quartermaster department of the Army Leather-Rubber Subdivision, Harness Branch, Bids to be submitted on or before No-vember 14. Name of buyer: A. F. Coch-ran, room 3435: Aprons, blacksmith's, leather. Carrying cases, leather, inspector's pocket Saddles, engineer pack. Saddles, engineer pack. Rings, barness, japanned, 1-inch. Hames, cart harness. Buckles, Roller, japanned, No. 52, 14-inch. Rings, harness, japanned, 4-inch. Snaps, harness, round cyc, 3-inch to 1-inch. Snaps, harness, open eye, 3-inch to 1-inch. Snaps, harness, bolt, swivel cyc, 3-inch to 3-inch. kit Sheeting: 52-inch, 14-ounce, target ma-terial 40-inch, 64/64, 2.40, in gray, yards Snaps, harness, bon, switch type and inch. Squares, halter. Rings, hame. Hooks, hame, cart. Hames, barness, E. W. 24-inch collar. Pads, backband, felt, 8 by 20 inches. Loons, trace. 14, 250 14, 455 Towels : Towels: Hand, huckabuck Bath, A. T. S. Rubberized drills, O. D., 50-inch, yards Wead cloth, 42-inch, 72/84 inch, 2.90, 2.95, in gray ___yards__ Sheeting, 76-inch, 14-ounce_do___ Drills: <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> $\begin{array}{c} 2,500\\ 2,500\\ 2,500\\ 3,500\\ 3,500\\ 250\end{array}$ Driffs : 37-inch, 8-ounce _____do___ 37-inch, 8-ounce _____do___ 37-inch, 8-ounce _____do___ s-ounce_____bolts___ 10-ounce_____do____ 138 30 34 Juch, Sounce _____do___ 37 Juch, Sounce _____do___ 5 Inches sounce _____do___ 6 Juch, 14 ounce _____do___ 5 Inches in diamter____rolls_ 5 Inches in diamter____rolls_ 6 Inches square_____ 6 Inches square_____ 5 Inches square_____ 5 Inches square_____ 6 Inches square_____ 5 Inches square_____ 5 Inches square_____ 6 Inches square_____ 5 Inches square_____ 7 Jucher 2 Juc Sacks : Burlap Do Do______ Webbing : Burlap, 2-inch _____yards____ Jute_______do_____ 33-inch, 13-ounce____do_____ 34-inch, 13-ounce____do_____ 22-inch _______do_____ Halter, 14-inch O. D., 1.8-ounce______yards____ Paper for balling______yards____ Paper for balling______yards____ Paper for balling______yards_____ paper for balling______yards_____ balleter rolls, 254 pounds, pounds______the balleter wide sewing. Leather-Rubber Branch. Aline wideping, 24 by 50, 51, 510 cm diameter rolls, 29 pounds, pounds Oilcloth, about 42 inches wide, rolls Burlap, 40-inch mouth pad, yards Burlap, 2-inch, O. D. or natural color, 1-onnee to 1.6-onnee, yards Bags, burlap: 5-bushel, heavy, sugar (only secondhand bags) 4-bushel, heavy, sugar (only secondhand bags) 5-bushel, heavy, sugar ______Burlap_____yards_ Bids to be submitted on or before No-vember 15. Name of buyer, W. W. Wheeler, jr., major, Marine Corps. Gloves, heavy leather, specification 1305. Bids open November 15, 1918. Mittens, leather, one finger, specification 1319. Bids open November 15, 1918. $\begin{array}{c} 98, 361 \\ 75, 360 \\ 274, 364 \\ 21, 982 \\ 62, 299 \\ 1, 025 \\ 1, 121 \\ 75, 000 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{r} 500\\ 2,000\\ 500\\ 2,000\\ 59,000\\ 24\\ 24\end{array}$

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LIST OF CASUALTIES REPORTED AMONG THE UNITED STATES FORCES OVERSEAS

SECTION 1, NOVEMBER 12, 1918. The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the Ameri-

an Expeditionary Forces:	
Killed in action	172
Died of wounds	42
Died of accident and other	÷.
causes	7
Died of disease	118
Wounded (degree undetermined)_	107
Wounded slightly	85
Missing in action	110

641 Total_____

Killed in Action.

MAJOR. WRIGHT, Benjamin F. Mrs. Ray C. Wright, care E. H. Aastin, Bryan, Tex. CAPTAIN.

SERCOMB, Albert A. George Meehan, 5 North Wabash Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

LIEUTENANTS,

LIEUTENANTS, COSGROVE, John D. Mrs. Sarah Agnes Nace, 1002A Glasgow Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. FOX, John H. John D. Fox, 5213 German-town Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. GARDNER, Alfred W. Mrs. Mary E. Gard-ner, 325 West Eighty-ninth Street, New York, N. Y. NEUBAUER, William O. John V. Neubauer, 40 Quinlan Avenue, Lynchburg, Va. SERGEANT MAJOR.

SERGEANT MAJOR.

BAIR, Harold H. Mrs. Flora J. Bair, 340 Walnut Street, Hanover, Pa.

SERGEANTS.

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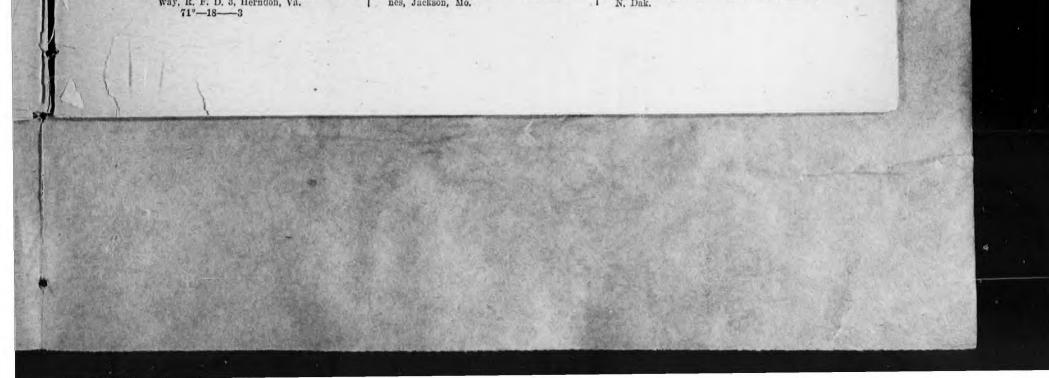
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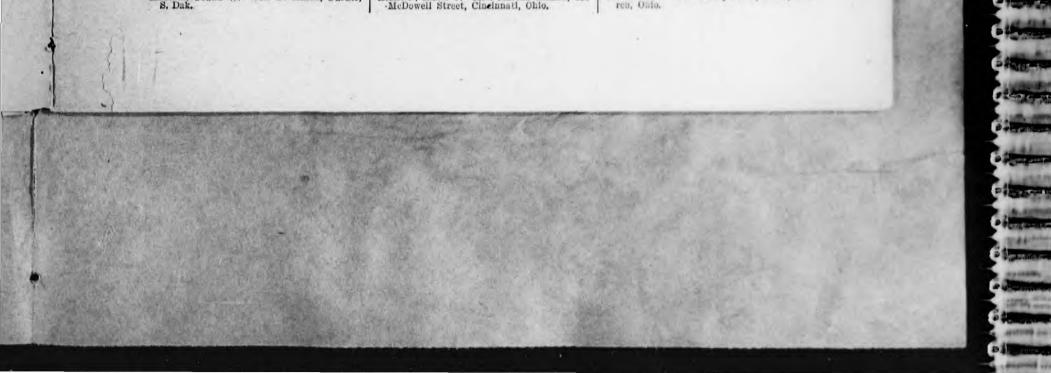
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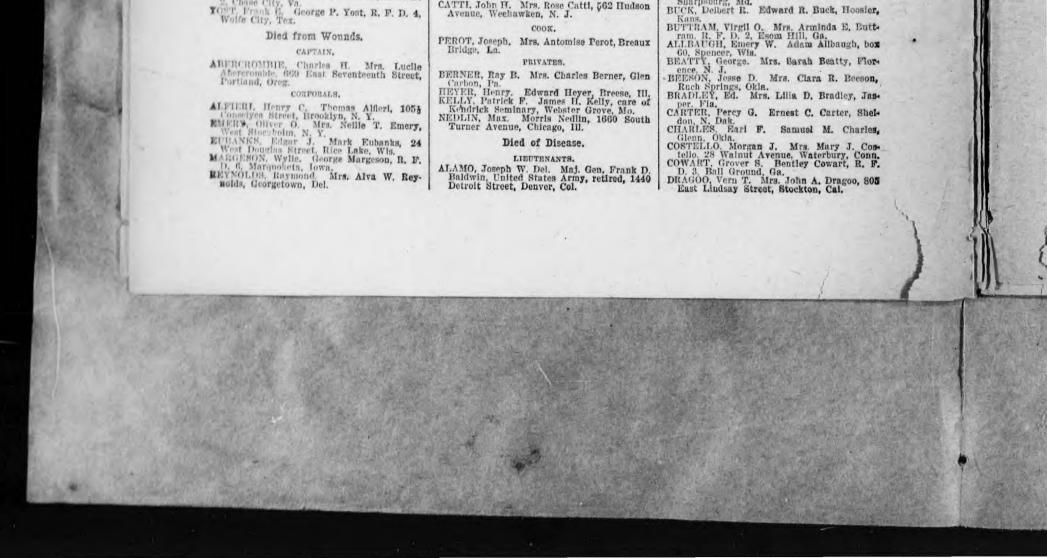
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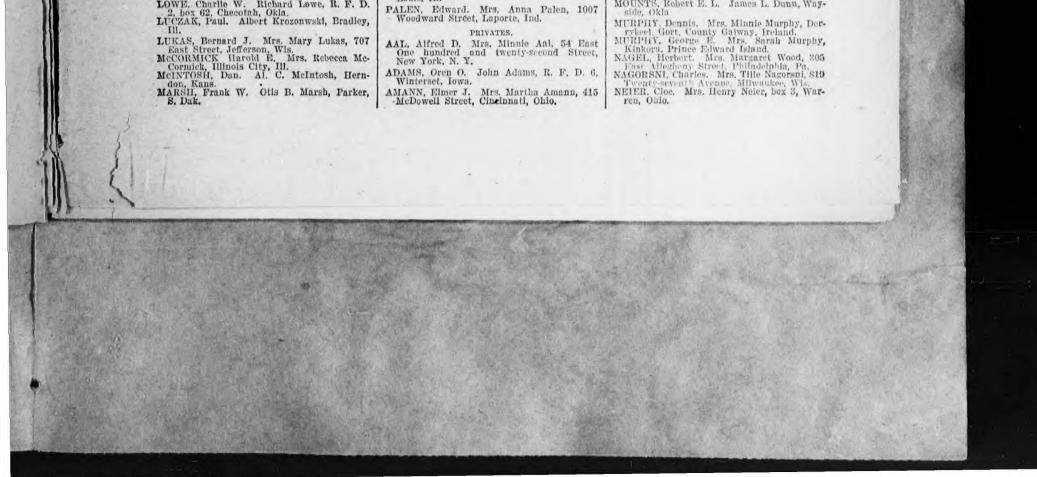
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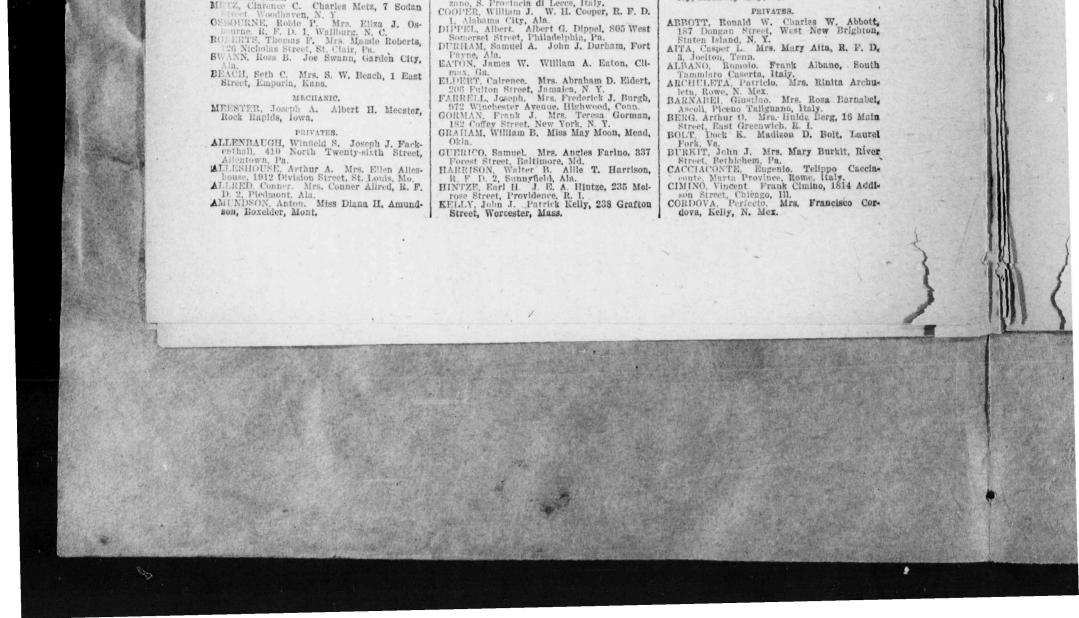
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Wounded severely	34	
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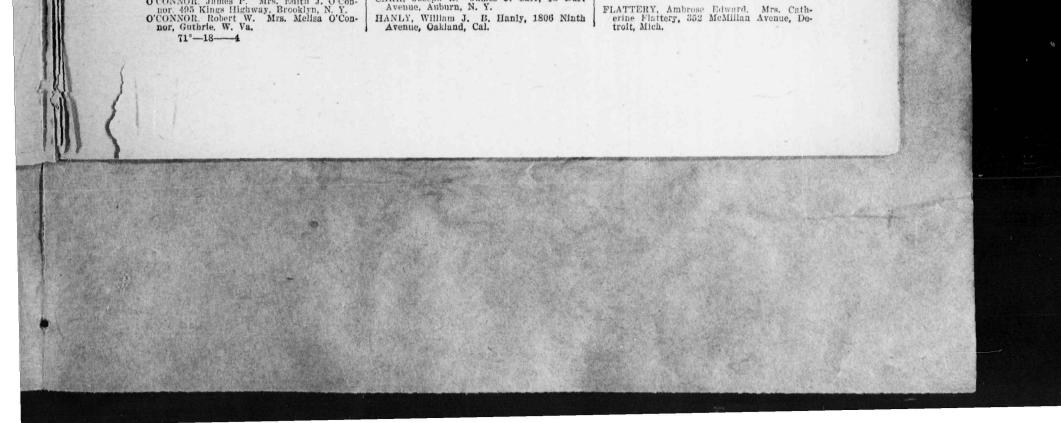
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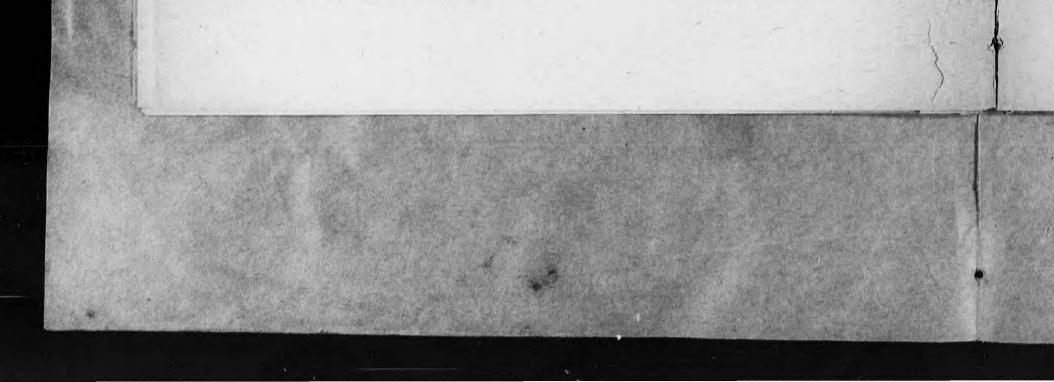
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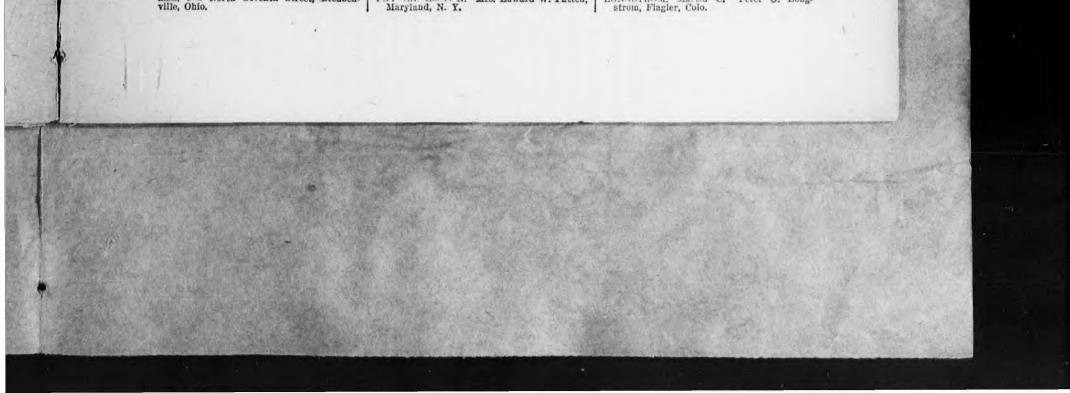
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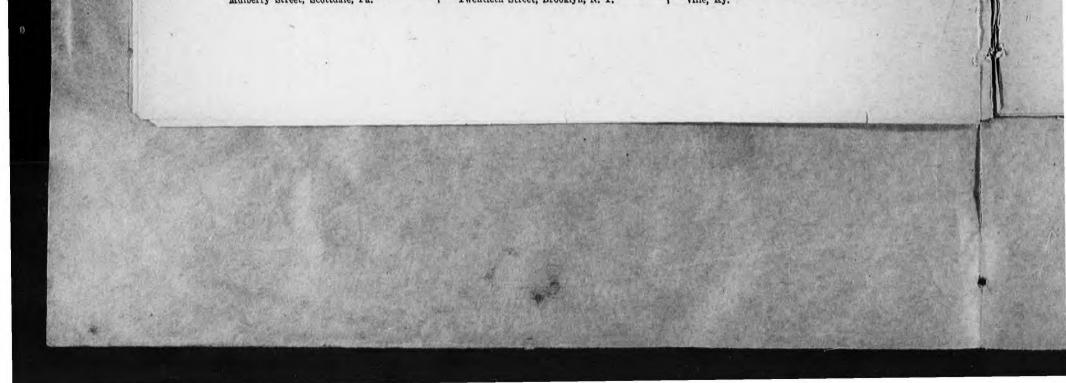
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Missing in Action. SERGEANT.

PLESO, Tom. Mrs. Lizzie Pleso, Gorzyl, Ko-sizy, Austria.

PRIVATES. BERLAND, Louis K. Samuel Katinik, 2059 Tallott Avenue, Indianapolis, Ind. COZTDNOZKI, Mark. Philip Coxtduozki, Po-dolisk, Russia. GREEN, Benjamin F. Charles E. Green, Di-reat Theory and Provide Statement Pro-

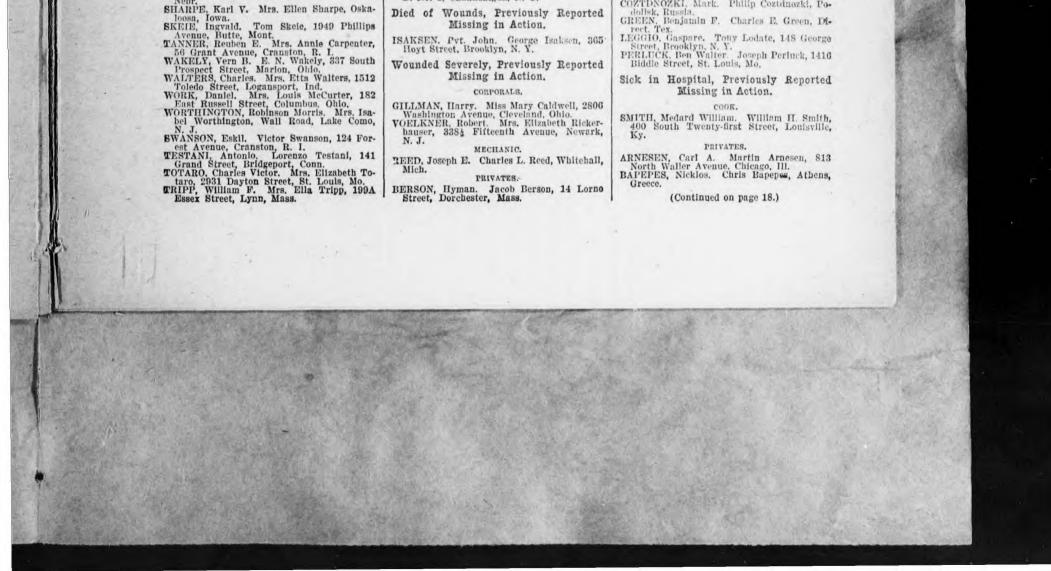
GREEN, Benjamin F., Charles E. Green, Derect, Tex.
 LEGGIO, Gaspare, Tony Lodate, 148 George Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 PERLUCK, Ben Walter, Joseph Perluck, 1416 Biddle Street, St. Louis, Mo.

Sick in Hospital, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

COOK. SMITH, Medard William. William H. Smith, 400 South Twenty-first Street, Louisville, Ky. PRIVATES.

ARNESEN, Carl A. Martin Arnesen, S13 North Waller Avenue, Chicago, Ill. BAPEPES, Nicklos. Chris Bapepes, Athens,

Greece.



JOB LOT OF COMMODITIES IS OFFERED AT PUBLIC SALE BY ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

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PEARLS, TEA, AND AUTOMOBILE OIL

Rare Assortment of Goods at Disposal of Highest Bidder, Within Certain Limitations Announced by Mr. Palmer, Chief Salesman.

Pearls, rubies, and emeralds, together with tea, leather, motorcycles, cylinder oil, and other commodities that were once German owned, will be sold at public auction to American citizens within the next two weeks by A. Mitchell Palmer, Alien Property Custodian. The approximate value of these commodities is \$1,000,000.

Mr. Guffey, Salesman.

These sales will be under the super-vision of Joseph F. Guffey, Director of Sales of the Alien Property Custodian's office, and will take place at the various warehouses or other places where the commodities are now stored. Only American citizens will be allowed to participate in these sales.

November 21 has been fixed as the tentative date for the sale of the pearls, rubies, and emeralds. This collection consists of 316 pearls, 3 rubies, and 2 emeralds, the approximate value of the whole being \$225,000. A number of the pearls have been matched and strung; the greater part are separate. There is one ruby valued at \$5,160, one drop emerald valued at \$4,440, and one other valued at \$3,840.

The leather to be sold consists of 1,036 bales of finished leather, consisting of 11,-800 sides and 14.016 backs, with an aggregate weight of 414,811 pounds. The invoice value is \$250,000. This sale will be held on November 15 at the New York Dock Stores, Brooklyn, at 10 o'clock. smaller lot of leather, consisting of 45 bales of sole leather and 16 bundles of sole leather, of an approximate value of \$17,000, will be sold on November 13 at p. m. at the Albany Terminal Stores, Kneeland Street, Boston, Mass.

Time and Date Fixed.

The date for the sale of the once enemy owned tea has been tentatively fixed for 10 a. m., November 26, at the warehouses of Theodore Crowell, 20 South Street, New York City. There are 5.488 chests of ten in this lot, of which 2.963 chests are India Pekoe, 1,774 chests are Ceylon Pekoe, 336 chests Java Pekoe, and 415 chests Java Orange Pekoe. The invoice value of this tea is \$207,183.

The oil to be sold consists of 9,216 barrels of cylinder oil, consisting of 2,600 barrels of filtered cylinder oil, 1.000 barrels of superheated steam cylinder oil, and 5.616 barrels of steam-refined cylinder oil. The approximate value is \$125,000. The date for this sale has been tentatively fixed for 10 a. m., November 19, at the Beach Street stores of the Terminal Warehouses & Transfer Co., Beach Street, Fairmont Avenue, Philadelphia and

RULES FOR LICENSEE ACTING AS A COAL PURCHASING AGENT AT GREAT LAKES DOCKS

UNITED STATES FUEL ADMINISTRATION, Washington, D. C.

ADDITIONAL RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF COAL AND COKE BY PERSONS, FIRMS, CORFORATIONS, AND ASSOCIATIONS SUBJECT TO LICENSE AND REFERRED TO IN SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS AS LICENSEES AS LICENSEES.

To IN SUCH BULES AND REGULATIONS AS LICENSEES. The 27. A licensee who acts as purchasing agent for and by authority of a retail dealer from any of the docks on the Grent Lakes without becoming the owner thereof may, sub-agent's commission not exceeding the sum of 0 cents per ton of 2.240 pounds of anthracite coal at or east of Ruffalo, or the sum of 20 cents per ton of 2.240 pounds of anthracite coal at or east of Ruffalo, or the sum of 20 cents per ton of 2.240 pounds of anthracite coal when delivery of such coal is to be effected west of Ruffalo, provided, however, that no per ton of 2.240 pounds of anthracite coal when delivery of such coal is to be effected west of Ruffalo, provided, however, that no per ton of anthracite coal west of Ruffalo, or the sum of 30 cents per ton of up purchase of any anthracite coal from a dock company consumer or retail from a dock company consumer or retail from a dock company controlled directly or indirectly by such licensee or from a dock commany whose owners or the stockholders, also curred, directly or Indirectly, used licensee who owners or operates a dock on the forming denter from any of the dock com-mission, or profit as prokens. The above rule and regular any normalization prochase of anthracite coal for any consumer also dentral directly or Indirectly. Butes the dock com-tails delay of November, 1918, to become

United States Fuel Administrator.

UNITED STATES FUEL ADMINISTRATION, Washington, D C.

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As LICENSEE. Rule 28 — All coal requisitioned or diverted by a district representative at the request or for any State for consignment to some one other than such administrator shall, at the request of such Federal fuel administrator, be involved to a licensee named by the pur-chaser, unless the producer of the coal is requisitioned or diverted involves the same directly to the purchaser. If such coal is invoiced to a licensee named by the pur-chaser, such licensee may, subject to roles 1 and 3, charge the purchasing agent's com-mission provided in role 2. Bole 29.—All coal requisitioned or diverted by a district representative on the direct order of the distribution division of the United States Fuel Administrator for any State or for the use of any department or agency of the United States Bovernment, including refirends under control of the United States Bailroad

of 50 cases of Excelsior model motorcycles, 4 cases of Firestone Nonskid tires, 2 cases of extra motorcycle parts. and 8 cases containing 10 Rogers side cars M. The invoice value of the motorcycles and parts is \$11,450, and of the side cars, \$711. This sale will be held at the office of the Fidelity Warehouse Co., 288 South Street, New York City.

All of the above commodities were once the property of enemies. Some of them were in transit to Germany when taken over by the Alien Property Custodian. Full information obtained from William J. Hawson, Bureau of Sales, Alien Prop erty Custodians' Office, 110 West Fortysecond Street, New York City.

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United States Fuel Administrator.

LIST OF OVERSEAS CASUALTIES

(Continued from page 17.)

BLAYLOCK, John A. Louis S. Blaylock, Dahlgren, III.

- DEATON, Walker, Mrs. Becky J. Deaton, Quicksand, Ky. -
- ENGLAND, Stephen R. Mrs. Masalone Eng-land, 5. East Knotts Avenue, Grafton, W Va.
- HARRIS, Louis Henry, Mrs. Anna Harris, 275 Williams Street, Buffalo, N. Y.
 ZILKO, John Peter, Mrs. Bertha Zilko, 20 Russ Lane, Bristol, Conn.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

CHRISTIAN, Sergt. Eugene L. J. W. Christian, Note, Oreg.

PRIVATES.

BAKER, Michael, Mrs. Matt Baker, Hen-derson, Cal.

BRUCE Argus Otho. Otha Bruce, West Fourth Street, Huntington, W. Va.

BRUNO, Carmino. Nick Bruno, Vinafro Cam-pobasso, Italy.

BUSSERT, Robert L. Mrs. Ella S. Bussert, 804 Pierce Street, Macomb, Ill. ENGEMANN, Frank J. John Engemann, Treloar, Mo.

FELHOFER, Henry. Frank Felhofer, Sister Bay, Wis.

Guettner, Otto. Mrs. Matilda Guettner, 1712 Green Street, Fort Wayne, Ind.

KRENSING, Fred C. Fred Krensing, Browns Valley, Minn.

LOVE, Harrison W. Mrs. Ethel Karow, 788 Pearl Street, Oshkosh, Wis.

RADJAVICH, Edward J. Joseph Radjavich, 1024 West Willow Street, Shamokin, Pa. TAFF, Franklin. William Taff, Florence,

THOMPSON, Nathan. Mrs. Anleria Thompson, Park, Ky.
 VAIL, Mike, J. W. Vail, Hamburg, Ark.
 WATERS, Albert F. Mrs. P. F. Waters, 25 Arlington Street, Worcester, Mass.

WILANSKY, Sam. Miss Diana Wilansky, 300 Henry Street, New York, N. Y.

YOUNG, Russell A. James Young, Lawton, N. Dak.

November 22, at 10 a. m., has been tentatively set as the date for the sale ZIMMERMAN, Frank Martin. Mrs. Anna Zhumerman, 454 East Nineteenth Street, Erie, Pa.

PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING OCEAN SHIPPING PREFERENCE FOR SOUTH AMERICAN EXPORT

NEW RULING BY WAR TRADE BOARD

Form of Application for Licenses by Shippers to Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, and the Argentine, or For Ports Via Those Countries.

(1) The War Trade Board, after consultation with the shipping control com-mittee of the United States Shipping Board, announces, in a new ruling (W. T. B. R. 301), the adoption of the following procedure, effective November 18, 1918, for the obtaining of ocean shipping preference for shipments of any commod-ity, excepting coal, coke, and fuel oil, which are

(A) Destined to the following coun-tries on the eastern coast of South America, viz, Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, and the Argentine; or,

(B) Destined to any country or col-ony by way of Brazil, Uruguay, Para-guay, and the Argentine.

Applications for License.

(2) On and after November 18, 1918, applications for licenses to export any commodity, excepting coal, coke, and fuel oil, to the destinations and in the manner mentioned above in paragraphs (A) and (B) must include one of each of the following papers properly executed: An application on Form X, to which

should be attached-

Such information sheets as may be required by the regulations of the War Trade Board, as Form X-1, X-2, etc. A supplemental information sheet,

Form X-118. (3) On Form X-118 the applicant is required to give certain information as to the purposes for which the export shipment is to be made.

Marked with Preference Number.

(4) If an export license is granted on such application, the War Trade Board will mark thereon a preference number indicating the order of ocean shipping preference which the shipment to be made under such licenses will receive. The ocean shipping preference on licenses will be honored in accordance with the will be honored in accordance with the preference number, No. 1 taking prefer-ence over No. 2, No. 2 over No. 3, and No. 3 over No. 4, subject only to the exi-gencies of prompt loading and satisfac-tory stowage and cargo. Exporters making shipments under ex-port licenses dated on and after the 1st day of December 1918 must note on the

day of December, 1918, must note on the bill of lading the serial number of the export license and the ocean shipping preference number, if any. Carriers in making their manifests must enter the export license number and ocean ship-ping preference number opposite each entry of goods covered by such export li-cense. Carriers are required to file, immediately after the sailing of the vessel, an extra copy of the manifest with the shipping control committee, 45 Broadway,

Executive Order Setting Aside Lands In Oahu, Hawaii, for Military Purposes

EXECUTIVE ORDER. ORDER OF WITHDRAWAL.

With the consent of the government of the Territory of Hawaii, it is hereby ordered that the following described tract of land, lying between the present seaward boundary of the military reserva-tion of Fort DeRussy (situated in Kalia, Walkiki, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii), as defined in General Order No. 20, War Department, 1916, and the sea-ward face of the new sea wall, be, and the same is hereby, withdrawn and set aside for military purposes:

1. Beginning at monument No. 20, marked by a brass plate set in the center of the above-mentioned new sea wall, said sea wall being approximately 2 feet wide on top, said monument being a boundary monument of the above-mentioned military reservation as described in said general order: from said monument No. 20 (from this point to monument No. 31 hereinafter described, the traverse fol-lows the center of the above-mentioned sea wall, while the boundary follows the seaward face of said sea wall).

seaward face of said sea wall).
119 50' 00''-405.46 feet to monument No. 21, marked by a brass plate; thence 123 11' 00''-100 feet to monument No. 22, marked by a brass plate; thence 129 46' 00''-100 feet to monument No. 23, marked by a brass plate; thence 136 46' 00''-100 feet to monument No. 24, marked by a brass plate; thence 143 48' 30''-100 feet to monument No. 25, marked by a brass plate; thence 145 45' 30''-100.35 feet to monument No. 26, marked by a brass plate; thence 145 45' 30''-100.35 feet to monument No. 26, marked by a brass plate; thence 141 02' 30''-100.03 feet to monument No. 27, marked by a brass plate; thence 135 57' 30''-99.99 feet to monument No. 28, marked by a brass plate; thence 130 50'

tonnage to the east coast of South Amer-The purposes are to insure speedy ica. delivery to such countries of commodities essential to the obtaining in such countries of materials urgently needed by the United States and the countries associated with it in the prosecution of the war, and also, in so far as tonnage available will perinit, to supply those articles necessary for the vital economic needs of the countries on the eastern coast of South America.

(7) Exporters are warned that under present shipping conditions there will be considerable delay in obtaining space for commodities covered by licenses bearing the lower ocean shipping preferences. It is the purpose of the War Trade Board, however, to continue to issue licenses with the preference number so that, in the event that the shipping shall at any time improve, exportation may be made thereunder.

Should Refile Applications.

(8) Holders of licenses issued which have not stamped thereon the ocean shipping preference should refile their applications on Form X, attaching thereto Supplemental Information Sheets X-8 and X-118.

(9) On and after the 1st day of December, 1918, all licenses for export to Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, and the Ar30"-99.97 feet to monument No. 29, marked by a brass plate; thence 125 47' 30"-100.03 feet to monument No. 30, marked by a brass plate; thence 121 17' 80"-58.34 feet to monument No. 31, marked by a brass plate; and situated at a corner of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the above-mentioned sea wall. From the seaward face of the boundary extends in a straight line to monument No. 32, hereinafter described, direct azimuth and distance from monument No. 31, being 237 58' 00"-113.85 feet to standard concrete monument No. 32, strated on the south side of Dewey Avenue, said monument No. 32 to monument No. 20, the point of beginning, the boundary follows the seaward side of the Fort De Russy Military Reservation as described in the above-mentioned general order: from said monument No. 32.
Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to a point, the direct azimuth and distance being 321 21' 01.7"-182.71 feet; thence

- Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to a point, the direct azimuth and dis-tance being 324 40' 00"-183.00 feet; thence
- Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to a point, the direct azimuth and dis-tance being 321 10' 00"-301.80 feet; thence
- Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to a point, the direct azimuth and dis-tance being 325 52' 00"-245.50 feet; thence
- Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to a point, the direct azimuth and dis-tance being 316 11' 00"-418.70 feet; thence
- Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to a point, the direct azimuth and dis-tance being 305 08' 40"-297.22 feet; thence
- Southeasterly along the old mean highwater mark to the point of beginning the direct azimuth and distance being, 300.57' 40"-101.50 feet.

The above described tract of land contains 1.657 acres, more or less. All azimuths are true and except where otherwise specified, the boundary extends in straight lines between monuments. The standard concrete monument is molded in the shape of a truncated pyramid having an upper base 8 inches square and a lower base 12 inches square. In the center of the upper base is set a brass plate 3 inches square.

WOODROW WILSON.

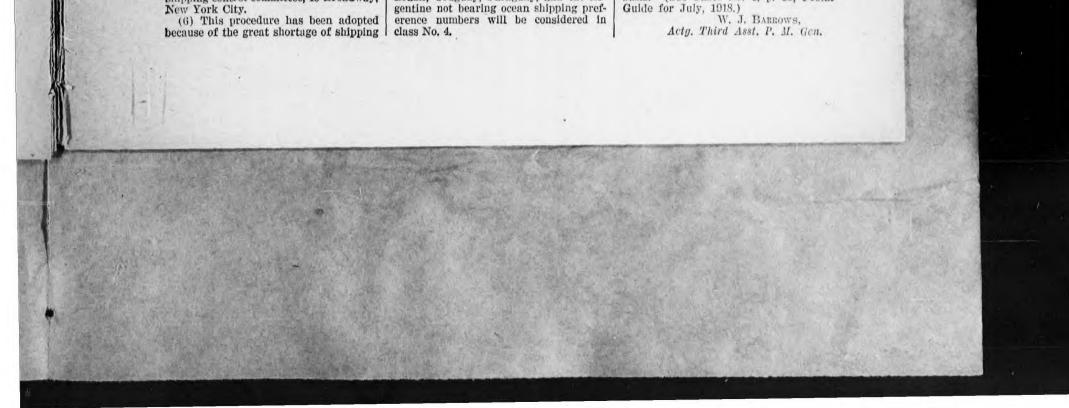
THE WHITE HOUSE, October 21, 1918.

Issue No Money Orders Drawn on Santo Domingo

OFFICE OF THIRD ASST. P. M. GEN., WASHINGTON, November 4, 1918.

At present no arrangement exists for an exchange of money orders between the United States and the Republic of Santo Domingo. Therefore postmasters must deeline to issue orders for payment in the latter country.

Santo Domingo (the Dominican Republic) should not be confused with Dominica, one of the Leeward Islands in the British West Indies, with which orders are exchanged on the domestic basis. (See Table No. 4, p. 84, Postal Guide for July, 1918.)



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THE OFFICIAL U. S. BULLETIN: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1918.

COTTON PARITIES BASED ON MAXIMUM PRICE AGREEMENT

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The price-fixing committee authorizes the following:

In accordance with the agreement between the representatives of the cotton industry and the price-fixing committee, July 1, 1918, the following parities, based on the maximum prices then agreed to, have been fixed by the price-fixing committee, to remain in effect until October 1, 1918, which agreement was, on September 24, extended to remain in effect until November 16, 1918;

Width.	Sley and pick,	Weight.	Price per yard,
Plain carded cloths:			
29 inches.	56×52	13.83	\$0.093
36 inches	68×61	9,00	.14%
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Do	88×83	6.00	.20%
10	72×60	9.00	.15)
Plain combed cloths:	100.00	0.00	. 103
36 inches	73×55	10,25	. 163
Do	72×69	10.09	.175
	96 × 125	5.90	288
38 inches		7.75	
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39 inches	108×112	11.00	
40 inches		7.25	. 321
Do	104×100	8,75	. 307
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PLENTY OF SMALL HARD COAL BUT LARGER SIZES SCARCE

The campaign among domestic users of anthracite coal in the East, recently innagurated by the Fuel Administration, to induce them to supplement the supply of the larger sizes with No. 1 buckwheat, of which there is a plentiful supply, is meet-ing with marked success, according to information that comes from that section.

The Federal fuel administrator for Vermont reports active cooperation by both dealers and users, "We are satisfied that by using it both during the day and night, especially with the larger sizes of anthracite, a saving of at least 25 per cent of the larger sizes can be made in using buckwheat," says the Vermont report.

Coal dealers are cooperating with local and State fuel officials in advocating the combined use of the larger sizes and buckwheat, laying in supplies and in-structing users as to the proper methods of using. While there is plentiful supply of buckwheat available in that section, the larger sizes are scarce and there is a pressing need for the adoption of measures that will conserve the former.

Information on the combined use of buckwheat and the larger sizes will be supplied consumers by local coal dealers and the State and local fuel officials, and the public is requested to ask for the in-

PARITIES ON COTTON GOODS ANNOUNCED BY THE PRICE-FIXING COMMITTEE

The Price-Fixing Committee authorizes the following:

In accordance with the agreement beween the representatives of the cotton industry and the price-fixing committee, July 1, 1918, the following parities based on the maximum prices then agreed to have been fixed by the price-fixing committee, to remain in effect until October 1, 1918; which agreement was on Sep-tember 24 extended to remain in effect until November 16, 1918:

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384 juches		4.00	201	39 inches	96×160	3.35	441
40 inches		2.38	331	39 inches.	84×136	4.25	35
43 inches		2.22	353	39 inches	96×138	3.35	41%
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37 Inches		1.83	341	34 inches	32× 28	1.77	281
37 inches		2.00	291	36 inches	32× 28	3.00	18
39 inches	. 76×40	1.93	31	36 inches	32× 28	3.25	161
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COKE DIRECTOR ON COMMITTEE.

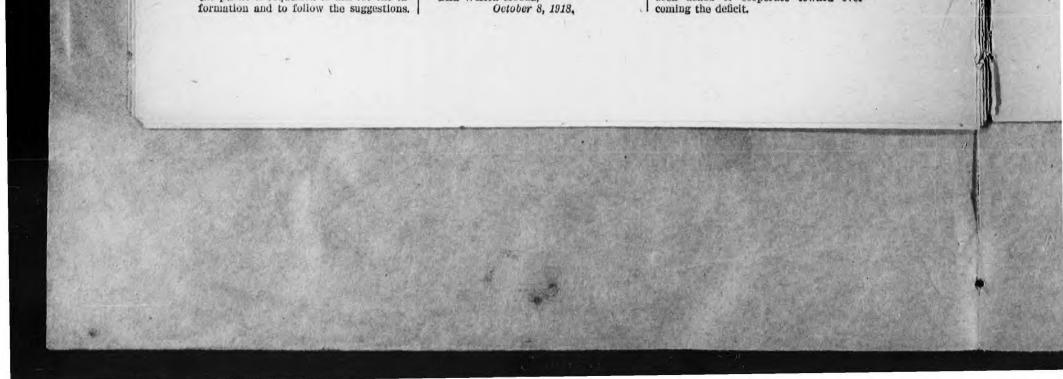
W. S. Blauvelt, director of the Bureau of Coke, United States Fuel Administration, has been appointed a member of the production committee working under James B. Neale, director of production. Mr. Blauvelt's special duties will be in the line of increasing and maintaining the production of coke.

Special emphasis has been laid on the necessity for a large and steady coke output by the production committee. Coke production has been running about 30,000 tons weekly below the minimum required for the Government program, and both operators and coke workers have been asked to cooperate toward over-

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by "an act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, and for other purposes," approved July 1, 1918, I hereby direct that the sum of \$10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and it hereby is, allotted out of the appropriation "for the national security and defense" to be expended un-der the direction of the Postmaster Gen-eral in the administration of the control eral in the administration of the control and operation of the telegraph and telephone wire systems now being exercised in pursuance of my proclamation of July 22, 1918. WOODBOW WILSON.

THE WHITE HOUSE,



GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES FOR SETTLING LABOR DISPUTES

The functions of the regularly constituted Government agencies for the settlement of labor disputes are explained in a leaflet issued by the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation through the industrial relations group,

In this statement is detailed the aims and scope of each Government agency. The first one taken up is the Shipbuilding Labor Adjustment Board or more commonly known as the Macy Board. This board deals exclusively with ad-

This board deals exclusively with adjustments of wages, hours, and conditions of labor (a) in the construction or repair of those shipbuilding plants for which funds are being provided by the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation or the Navy, and (b) in the construction or repair of ships which is carried on under a contract with the Emergency Fleet Corporation or the Navy, exclusive of work being done in the navy yards. The board has its own examiners in all districts where shipbuilding is carried on. In yards that do not deal directly with the union shop, committees are provided to consider grievances.

The War Labor Board.

The National War Labor Board, or more commonly known as the Taft-Walsh Board, was formed by presidential proclamation to settle industrial disputes that threaten delay of war material production. It will not act in cases that are within the jurisdiction of regularly constituted Government boards of arbitration and conciliation operating in special fields, and reserves the right to decide what cases are of sufficient importance to demand attention. The assistance of the War Labor Board should be requested only after every other means of arbitration shall have been invoked.

The Bureau of Conciliation and Mediation was organized to supply mediators in industrial disputes. If a mediator is unable to bring disputants together, he may report the facts and recommend action by the War Labor Board.

National Adjustment Commission.

The national adjustment commission handles longshoremen's disputes; the rallway board of adjustment No. 1 takes care of cases arising in engine, train, and yard service; railway board of adjustment No. 2 handles cases arising in rallway shop matters.

The contonment adjustment commission functions in cantonments and other Army construction work; the harness and saddlery commission adjust labor disputes arising in the manufacture of harness and leather goods for the Army, while the anthracite conciliation board handles labor disputes arising in the mining of anthracite coal.

Industrial Relations Group.

L. C. Marshall, director of the industrial relations group, will assist employces and workers in referring disputes to the proper Government agencies for mediation or arbitration. Briefly-the functions of the industrial relations group are as follows:

Offers counsel and advice along the

FIFTY-EIGHT NEW LOCOMOTIVES OUTPUT OF ONE WEEK IN OCTOBER

The United States Railroad Administration, division of operation, mechanical department, issues the following state-

ment of locomotives shipped during week ended October 26, 1918:

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	Works and roads.	Number.	Туре.	Individual engine No.
▲merican	C. & A. Erie. T. & P. W. & L. E. H. V. Erie. Chie. Junc. Rutland. P. L. W.	27 11 6 8 4 4 4 1	USRA Mikado. USRA 8-wnool switch. USRA Mikado. Mallot. USRA Mikado. USRA Mikado. USRA Mikado. USRA Mikado. Santa Fe.	882-4 127,129-34 550-60 6015-20 215-17 8200-3 231-4 52-35 7228
Lima	Ill. Cent	9	Mikado	1808-70
Baldwin	Penna. C., C., C. & St. L. Union Pac. St. LS. F.	1 3 1 1	do USRA Mikado Mikado Santa Fo	2461 6095-7 2171 60
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MARKET FOR FARM TRACTORS IN FRENCH VINEYARD DISTRICT

Consul Paul H. Cram, at Cette, France, reports:

Owing to the shortage of labor and horses, there exists in this district, as in all parts of France, an excellent market for farm tractors. However, it should be noted that wine growing is by far the chief branch of agriculture carried on in this region. Therefore tractors designed for sale in southern France should be constructed for use in the vineyards.

In ... communication to the "Academie d'Agriculture," dated December 12, 1917, Mr. Ringelmann, director of the "Station d'Essais de Machines de Paris," explained the importance of the market

similar matters relating to the handling of the personnel in shipyards.

The group offers expert assistance in all matters affecting the health and physical welfare of the workers in the shipyards. The safety engineering section gives close attention to the matter of the safety of the workmen engaged in building ships and ship material. It is the function of the education and training section to inaugurate training centers throughout the country where man may be trained for shipyard work, and men already in the shipyards may be given more advanced training.

Labor Administration Section.

The labor administration section is a department for advice and counsel in the proper handling of disputes between employer and worker. While not organized for the purpose of arbitration, this section is often able to counsel those interested in such a manner as to avoid loss of time through strikes or lockouts.

Copies of this leaflet may be had by addressing the director of industrial relations group, United States Shipping which French, Algerian, and Tunislan vineyards offered to farm tractors. The extent of the vineyards which may be cultivated mechanically is estimated at 1,581,468 acres.

The labor to be performed in the vineyards consist of plowing to a depth of 10 to 15 centimeters (3.93 to 5.90 inches) and scarifying to a depth of 5 centimeters (1.96 inches). According to Mr. Ringel-mann, the maximum width of a tractor should not exceed 1 meter (39.35 inches). The tractor, together with the plow or cultivator, should be able to turn around within a distance of 8 meters (9.84 feet) at a maximum. The weight should not exceed 1,100 kilos (2,424 pounds). Furthermore the tractors should be so constructed that they may be utilized for the application of sulphate and sulphur to the vineyards. In order to make use of these tractors for hoeing and weeding purposes, it would be necessary to install an appliance which would permit a modification of the distance between the wheels in order to correspond with the space hetween the lines of vines. The outer side of the tires of the wheels should pass at about 20 centimeters (7.87 inches) from the axis of the line of vines to be weeded.

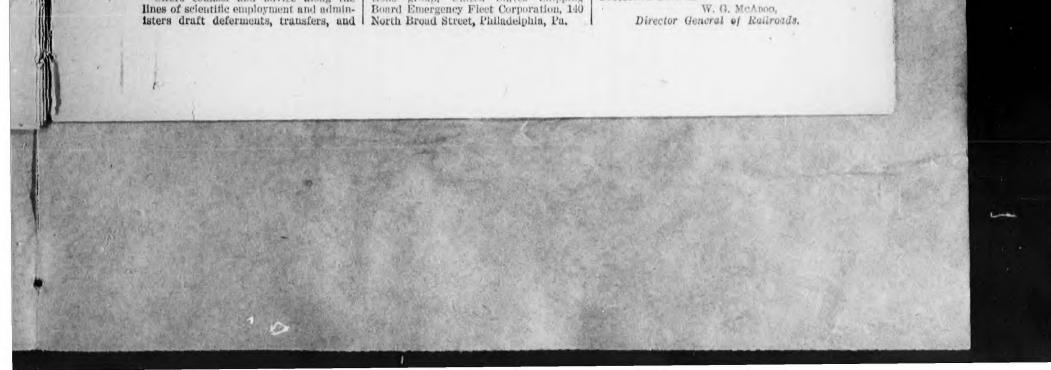
The name of a dealer in agricultural implements who has expressed a desire to represent an American firm is transmitted and can be obtained from the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce or its district or cooperative offices by referring to file No. 106776.—Commerce Reports.

CHANGE IN NAME ANNOUNCED.

The United States Railroad Administration issues the following:

CIRCULAB NO. 54-A.

The name of the Insurance and Fire Protection Section, established by Circular No. 54, dated September 3, 1918, is hereby changed to The Fire Loss and Protection Section.



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THE OFFICIAL U.S. BULLETIN: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1918.

CANADA REQUISITIONS BUTTER OUTPUT OF FIVE PROVINCES

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Consul Felix S. S. Johnson, at Kingston, Ontario, reports:

The output of all creameries in the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, and Quebec for the next 30 days has been commandeered by the Canadian Government. The text of the order-in-council is as follows:

1. Manufacturers of creamery butter shall deliver all such butter made in the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, and Quebec between September 20 and November 10, 1918, both days inclusive, to a cold-storage warehouse at Montreal designated by the Dairy Produce Commission at the following prices per pound: Grade No. 1, 463 cents; grade No. 2, 46 cents; grade No. 3, 45 cents; delivered at warehouse, Montreal, freight and cartage paid.

treal, freight and cartage paid. 2. No person shall sell to the Dairy Produce Commission any creamery butter manufactured before the 30th of September, 1918, at a price in excess of the following: Grade No. 1, 43½ cents per pound; grade No. 2, 43 cents per pound, delivered at the warehouse, Montreal, freight and cartage paid.

3. Every manufacturer of creamery butter in the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, and Quebec shall make weekly returns to the Canada food board, showing the quantity of butter manufactured by them, the names of persons to whom sold, the quantities and prices of each sale during the week, and the quantity on hand at the end of the week.

4. No person shall sell to any person, except to a dealer licensed by the Canada food board to deal in, more creamery butter than is sufficient for his ordinary requirements for a period not exceeding 30 days,—Commerce Reports.

THE LATIN-AMERICAN DEMAND FOR U. S. STRUCTURAL STEEL

The Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, issues the following:

Latin-American concerns wishing to specify American structural steel for building and railway purposes can now do so without difficulty by referring to pamphlets in Spanish and English just issued by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce. These pamphlets are intended to facilitate sales of such materials in Latin countries and are published in response to numerous requests from those countries.

The text defines with scientific accuracy the generally accepted American standards as adopted by the American Society for Testing Materials, and the publication of the series has been made possible by the cooperation of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Bureau of Standards and Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce of the Department of Commerce.

The five pamphlets announced are Standard Specifications for Structural Steel for Buildings, Industrial Standards No. 8; Standard Specifications for

ITALIAN DECREES ARE ISSUED RELATING TO STANDARD SHOES

Consul Winship, at Milan, reports: It now appears from the local press that the Italian Government will shortly initiate the sale of "national shoes" in Milan.

The sale of these shoes is restricted to certain classes of the population-mutilated and invalid soldiers and their families, members of families having a man in the Army and receiving "relaallowance from the Government, tive ' members of families receiving support from charitable organizations, and employees (both private and governmental) receiving the high-cost-of-living indemnity. Owing to the fact that the quanti-ties of these shoes on hand at present are very limited and that it is impossible at the moment to increase stocks, the Government will use its discretion to establish exceptions, even in the case of the classes named.

Each person may have but one pair of shoes.

Inspectors to Maintain Quality.

Consul Wilbur, at Genoa, reports:

A recent ministerial decree provides for the inspection of the "national" boots and shoes by experts, this inspection to take place at the authorized retail shops, district warehouses, or at the factory itself.

Shoes not conforming to the standard will be marked "refused," and the factory making them must furnish an equal number of pairs of approved shoes at its own expense. The rejected footwear will remain at the disposal of the Ministry of Industry, Commerce, and Labor, which may distribute them among charitable institutions upon the payment of their appraised value. The money so received, less the expenses of packing, shipping, inspection, etc., may be credited to the shoe factory after the substitution of other approved footwear has been made.

The decree also empowers the minister to order shoe factories to turn out specified quantities and types of "war" shoes, to be put on sale in free commerce at prices established by the ministry.—Commerce Reports.

trial Standards No. 9; Standard Specifications for Carbon Steel Bars for Railway Springs, Industrial Standards No. 10; Standard Specifications for Quenched and Tempered Carbon-Steel Axles, Shafts, and Other Forgings for Locomotives and Cars, Industrial Standards No. 12; and Standard Specifications for Carbon Steel Forgings for Locomotives, Industrial Standards No. 13. These can be purchased at 5 cents a copy from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., or from any of the district or cooperative offices of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. Other numbers of the series will follow.

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Licenses Are Restricted On Imports of Chrome Ore

COLLEGE WOMEN'S UNIT LANDS IN FRANCE FOR Y. M. C. A. WORK

The national war work council, Y. M. C. A., authorizes the following:

The first college women's unit to do Y. M. C. A. work for American soldiers overseas has just landed in France. Eight graduates of Smith College, with two more to follow within a few days, form the unit. They will work wherever stationed in France. They pledge themselves to remain a year, and are subject to all Army and Y. M. C. A. regulations. Their expenses will be met by their college or by the graduates themselves.

Especially Fitted for the Work.

The courage under shell fire and the readiness to meet emergencies which American college women in France have already shown make the Y. M. C. A. particularly glad to welcome the new unit. Mrs. F. Louis Slade, chairman of the women's over-seas committee of the Y. M. C. A., said yesterday that college women are especially able to meet the requirements of the over-seas work.

Personnel of the Unit.

Mrs. Edna Schell Witherbee, 1908, who was in charge of the hostess house at Plattsburg, is the director of the Smith College canteen unit; Miss Mildred McCluney, 1904, of St. Louis, the vice director. The other women of the unit who have already gone to France are Miss Helen Durkee, 1902, of New York, an artist whose portraits have "peared at the academy; Miss Elizabeth Seeber, 1908, a teacher in the Flushing High School; Miss Agnes Bowman, 1911, librarian and designer, of Elkhart, Ind.; Miss Stella Tuttle, 1907, Chicago, assistant principal; and Miss Pauline Fullerton, 1905, librarian in the New York Public Library. "The idea is that they are to do can-

"The idea is that they are to do canteen service as a group in any one of the big American camps in France," said Mrs. Alice Lord Parsons, former president of the Smith alumnæ, yesterday. "But they are entirely at the disposal of the Y. M. C. A., and stand ready to be stationed anywhere in France."

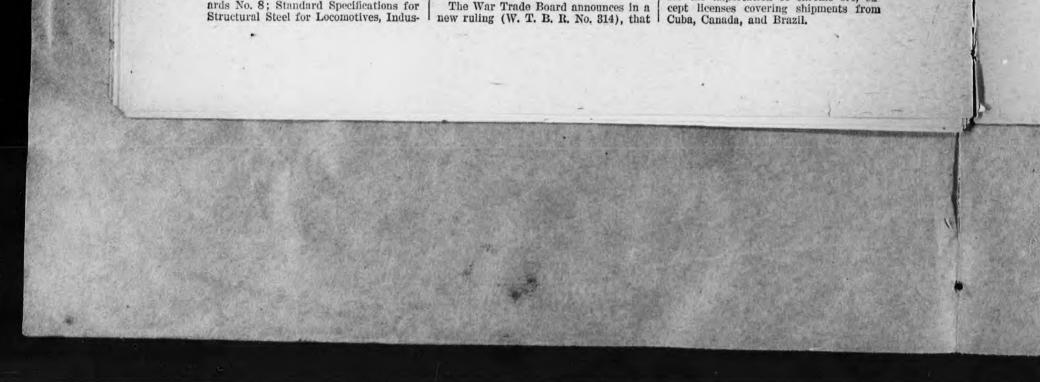
Expenses of the Unit.

It costs \$2,000 a year to maintain one canteen worker in France, or \$20,000 for the unit of 10. If sufficient funds are contributed another canteen unit may be organized. Mrs. Frederick H. Cone, of 170 West Fifty-ninth Street, is the chairman of the Smith College canteen unit. Contributions may be sent to her or directly to the Bankers' Trust Co., 16 Wall Street, New York, which will acknowledge each contribution.

This is only the first of a number of college canteen units which will go overseas shortly to engage in Y. M. C. A, work.

all outstanding licenses for the importation of chrome ore, except those covering shipments from Cuba, Canada, and Brazil, are revoked as to shipments from abroad after November 11, 1918.

Hereafter, no licenses will be issued for the importation of chrome ore, ex-



German Hold on Hawaii Sugar Industry Broken by Alien Property Custodian Reorganizing the H. Hackfeld Company

The Alien Property Custodian's office issues the following:

The powerful German hold on the sugar industry of the Hawalian Islands has been crushed. The control of Hawaii's most important industry has been restored to its people. This is the effect of the announcement of A. Mitchell Palmer, Alien Property Custodian, that he had completed the Americanization of the H. Hackfeld Co., the great Germanowned corporation which for years has played so important a part in the sugar, situation of the Hawailan Islands. In 1917 plantations controlled by this German company produced 140,000 tons of cane sugar.

Organized New Company.

Mr. Palmer Americanized this German concern by organizing a new company, known as the American Factors (Ltd.), and selling the entire assets and business of the German Hackfeld Co. to the American company, whose stockholders are all loyal American citizens, most of them residents of the Hawalian Islands, As a result 640 American residents of Hawali have become stockholders in the new corporation, which has a capitaliza-tion of \$7,500,000, because the assets of the H. Hackfeld Co. were valued at that amount.

The Americanization of the H. Hack-feld Co. is one of the most important and most interesting of the steps taken by the Alien Property Custodian to crush, for all time, the German control of America's most important industries. This concern was one of the important links in this control, and was the center of pro-German propaganda in the Pacific.

Capitalized at \$4,000,000.

The H. Hackfeld Co. was capitalized at \$4,000,000. It had undivided profits and reserves amounting to \$3,924,933. In 1917 the net earnings of the corporation were \$1,661,624. Some of the companies which it controlled were: Oahu Sugar Co. (Ltd.), Pioneer Mill Co. (Ltd.), Li-hue Plantation Co. (Ltd.), Kakaha Sugar Co. (Ltd.), Makee Sugar Co., Koloa Sugar Co., Grove Farm Plantation, Wal-mea Sugar Mill Co., The Kipahulu Sugar Co., and Pacific Guano & Fertilizer Co. (Ltd.).

The American Factors (Ltd.), has a capital of 50,000 shares at a par value of \$150, or \$7.500,000 capital. In compari-son with the old capital stock of \$4.000,-000, this would make the new shares as of a value of about 1871; in other words, the stockholders of the H. Hackfeld Co. are securing for themselves 71 per cent more than was stated by the company when under German management to be their true worth or value.

Offered to the Public.

The shares in the American Factors (Ltd.) were offered to the public, and no one individual was allowed to buy more than 500 shares. Corporations or groups

amounts of these subscriptions were subject to a reduction, the smallest sub-scribers receiving preference in every case.

The subscribers received stock trust certificates, which when surrendered, on the expiration of three years after the date of the termination of the war between the United States and Germany, entitle the holder to receive the certificate of stock mentioned in the stock trust certificate, and until then to receive the payments equal to the dividends, if any have been collected by the trustees. All of the shares of stock will be transferred to seven trustees under trust agreement to continue during the war with Germany, and thereafter for three addi-tional years. All subscribers were obliged to satisfy the Alien Property Custodian as to their loyalty.

The trustees selected to manage the American Factors (Ltd.) are: George Sherman, R. A. Cooke, F. C. Atherton, C. R. Hemenway, Richard H. Trent, A. W. T. Bottomley, and G. T. Wilcox, all of Honolulu

The H. Hackfeld Co. was controlled by J. F. Hackfeld, a subject and resident of Germany, through J, F. Hack-feld, (Ltd.), which was organized for the purpose of naturalizing himself, as far as possible without having to take the oath of allegiance to the United States. He went to the Hawaiian Islands many years ago and built up a business which, with the assistance given him under the kartel system, amounted to many millions of dollars, when the United States entered the European war.

Only Three Officers.

According to the by-laws of the H. Hackfeld Co., there were only three officers, and in case of the death or disability of any officer, the officer of the next rank automatically filled the position. The by-laws also provided that any one officer had the authority, in case of the absence of the rest of the officers, to perform any act deemed necessary, the same as if all were present. The three officers of the company were J. F. Hackfeld, George Rodiak, and J. F. C. Hagens.

In January of this year J. F. Hackfeld was in Germany, and George Rodiak, the next ranking officer of the corporation, was in San Francisco, having been convicted of violating the neutrality laws of the United States. Hagens remained in Honolulu, and on January 10 he called a meeting of J. F. Hackfeld (Ltd.), and sold six American citizens 11,000 shares in the Hackfeld Co. These 11,000 shares, together with the holdings of Hagens and German natu-ralized Americans, and one American family, made the control of H. Hackfeld Co. Mr. Palmer persuaded the Americans who purchased this stock to rescind the sale.

The H. Hackfeld Co., through its

THE REMITTANCE OF MONEYS BY FEDERAL RAILROAD AGENTS

The United States Railroad Adminis-tration, Division of Finance and Purchases, issues the following:

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 15, 1918. CIECULAR NO. 1.

It has been brought to my attention that a few carriers have permitted funds collected by agents and conductors to be remitted direct to the Federal treasurer. Effective at once, this practice must be discontinued.

Remittances of sgents and conductors must be made direct to banks, as instructed by the Federal treasurer of each carrier of all funds charged to them in station account with the exception of the following, which may, if more convenient, be remitted direct to Federal treasurers: Special collections for miscellaneous Items, including rents, etc.

Company paper, such as vouchers, pay checks, etc.

Nonbankable paper, including discharge certificates and other evidences of dis-bursements made by agents under direction of Federal treasurer.

Federal treasurers shall issue, on receipt of this circular, suitable instructions where their agents and conductors have not heretafore been so instructed.

JOHN SECTOR WILLIAMS,

Director, Division of Finance.

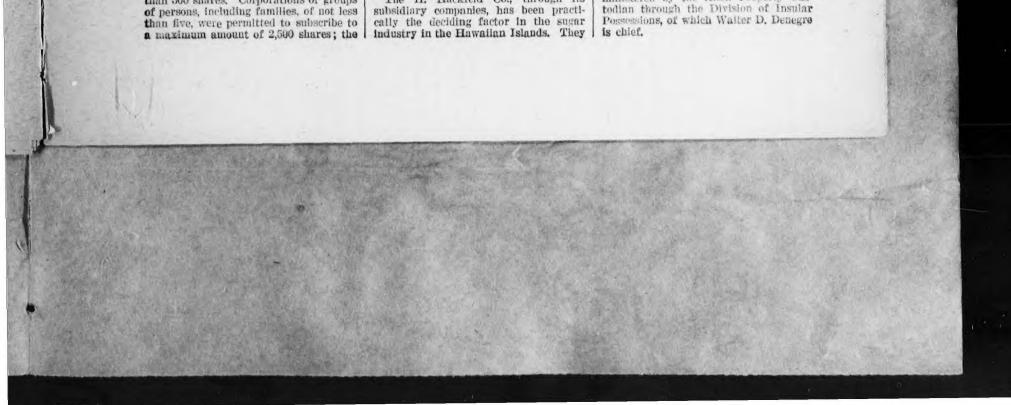
have ordinarily produced from 20 to 30 per cent of the sugar of the Hawaiian Islands. The company is one of many ramifications. They own or control the Pacific Guano & Fertilizer Co. (Ltd.), which furnishes phosphates to the Hawaiian sugar growers; they have in the past brought this phosphate from South America in their own boats to the Hawallan Islands.

Conducted Ceneral Store.

H. Hackfeld Co. also conducted a general merchandise business, wholesale as well as retail, and owned the B. F. Ehlers Co., of Honolulu, which is the largest department store west of San Francisco. The company has branches in New York and San Francisco. This is now known as the Liberty Store.

George Rodiak, one of their former officers, pleaded guilty in the courts of the United States in San Francisco to having violated the neutrality laws of the United States, in that he fitted out certain ships in order that these ships might assist the German raiders in the Pacific Ocean. At the outbreak of the European war in 1914 ships flying the German flag which entered the port of Honolulu for harbor were taken care of by H. Hackfeld Co. The *Pommern* was one of these vessels which came from Australia with cargo of British merchandise on board. It is said that H. Hack-feld Co. assisted the German raiders on the Pacific Ocean in replenishing their supplies, especially with coal.

All enemy-owned property in the Hawailan Islands, Philippines, Perto Rico, Panama, the Virgin Islands, and the other insular possessions has been ad-ministered by the Alien Property Custodian through the Division of Insular Possessions, of which Walter D. Denegre



Tells How German "Industrial Autocracy" Has Been Blocked In Designs Upon America

Far Reaching Plans to Control Manufacture and Commerce Thwarted by "Americanization" of Alien Property, Says Custodian Palmer, Addressing Philadelphia Society. Blow Already Felt as Indicated by Berlin's "Cringing Protest."

In an address, on November 7, before the University Extension Seciety of Philadelphia, on "The Functions and Policies of the Allen Property Custodian," A. Mitchell Palmer, the custodian, said in part:

The office of Alien Property Custodian was created by an act of Congress, known as the trading-with-the-enemy act, approved October 6, 1917. Under this law it became the duty of all persons in this country having the custody or control of any property of whatsoever nature belonging to, held for, or owing to an enemy person, to make report thereof to the Alien Property Custodian, to whom the President delegated the power to demand and receive such property, and by whom it was to be administered with all the powers of a common law trustee. The act in defining enemy persons is declaratory of the common haw. It makes residence and not nationality the sole test of enemy character.

German Hostility Revealed.

When the original trading-with-the-enemy act was passed a full realization of German industrial menace had not dawned upon the law-making body. The design of Germany in planting an industrial and commercial army upon American soil was only vaguely felt, and Congress followed the custom of other war-time legislation In making provision for the conservation and safekeeping of enemy-owned property in this country, without any at-tempt to employ the power of the Governmont as a war weapon to destroy the German hold upon American industry and commerce. The Alien Property Custodian was given the powers of a common-law trustee to manage and operate the property within his control and to dispose of the same only if and when necessary to prevent waste and protect the property. But after a large bulk of this enemy property had come under one hand and we were able to piece together the picture of Germany's industrial aggression during the last 40 years, there came not only a fuller realization of the hostile nature of Germany's industrial investment in America, but also of the powerful weapon against the foe which lay ready at our hands.

The Americanization Plan.

The Congress then adopted the Americanization idea. On March 28, 1918, an amendment to the Trading with the Enemy Act was passed, giving to the Alien Property Custodian the general power of sale, providing only that enemy property should be sold at public auction where the public interest would best be served by private sale, to be determined by the President. Under this amendment it has been possible for the Alien Property Custodian to make a big start in the work of permanently divorcing German capital from American industry.

Serious Obstacles Encountered.

When I came to carry out my selling program, however, I met with two very serious obstacles. I found that some of the most important of the German-owned industries in this country were operating under patents issued by the United States Government to German subjects, which patents were being used and enjoyed by the American corporations owned by the enemy, and which had never been formally assigned and were still the property of the German subject. The Trading with the Enemy Act did not permit me to demand and take over those enemy-owned patents, and, consequently, I faced the possibility of being required to sell American corporations to American citizens divested of their chief assets. The other obstacle was the difficulty in making title to American purchasers of stock because the certificates representing the enemy ownership were outside of our reach, being in the strong boxes of the owners in the enemy countries. By further amendment to the Trading with the Enemy Act just approved, both these obstacles have been removed.

Further Powers Extended.

The Alien Property Custodian is now empowered to demand and take over an enemy-owned patent, and is further empowered to require corporations to issue to him a new certificate of stock in lieu of certificates which can not be reduced for transfer by reason of their being in the enemy country. We shall now pro-ceed to sell at public auction to Ameri-can citizens all of the interests of enemy persons in American industrial and commercial businesses where that interest is large enough to either influence or con-trol the business. No greater favor could be shown to Germany than by carefully managing and conserving these enemy properties as against the time when at the conclusion of the war, upon accounting for the properties in kind, the former German owners could take up the invasion of American industry and commerce on the very salient which they had erected before the war. And by the same token, a blow of no mean force will be directed upon the enemy when we shall have thoroughly Americanized these industries and made it necessary for German capital at least to start all over again in its effort to get a foothold upon American industry and commerce,

Force of Blow Felt by Germany.

Germany has already felt and cringed under the force of this blow. She has bitterly protested against the plans of the Alien Property Custodian as "designed to destroy Germany's economic existence upon this continent." She has been made to realize that when America goes to war she strikes the enemy wherever he raises his head, and the industrial on American soil is suffering from the same kind of destructive assaults which have staggered the Prussian Guards on the front line. Whatever accounting is to be made when the war is over for enemy property taken here during the war, so far as that accounting affects investment in American industry, will be for the money value thereof, and not for the thing itself. Without attempting to prophesy what may be done with the proceeds, for this must remain to be settled by the treaty of peace, it is safe to say that the businesses which the Germans built up in America will be forever lost to them.

No Other Course Compatible.

No other course would be compatible with the safety of American institutions. No other course would make the American field of industry and commerce "safe for democracy," for the German autocracy is quite as apparent in its economic exploitation of the world as in its governmental and military domination of Central Europe. While we have been concerned with plans to prevent monopoly from gaining too great a hold upon American industry, Germany has been going in the other direction. It has de-liberately destroyed individual opportunity, fostered combinations and mo-nopolies, and by subsidizing its closely controlled industries has sent them out to the world with the powerful backing of the German Empire. The development of the cartel system in Germany, by which all of the establishments in one line of industry come under a central control, even to the point of retail distribution, has made it plain that the German plan was to bring into competition with the American producer not the individual German producer, but the German Empire itself. The old-time fear of the American manufacturer for the German producer, whose goods "made in Germany" had begun to be sold everywhere, was based upon no lack of confidence in American genius and productive ability, but upon the knowledge that the German plan of State-controlled industry made the competition grossly unequal. If per-petual peace is to follow the end of this war it must be grounded upon something different than the German Government's plan to make all industry and commerce redound to the power and aggrandizement of the German State.

Germany must be made to understand that her plan has failed in the industrial field as in the military. Industrial disarmament must come along with military disarmament. Autocracy in industry must fail with the fail of the Hohenzollern dynasty.

Saccharin Is Not a Food, Food Administration Says

In response to inquiries concerning reports that it has urged the use of saccharin in place of sugar, the United States Food Administration announces that it always has taken the position that saccharin is not a food in any sense.

The use or sale of saccharin as a sugar substitute in foods is illegal for all interstate purposes under the rulings of the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture and under the laws of

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LOSS AND DAMAGE FREIGHT AND PERSONAL INJURY CLAIMS

U. S. RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION, DIVISION OF LAW, Washington, September 12, 1918. CIRCULAR NO. 3.

To Regional Directors, Federal Managers and General Solicitors:

RE: CIRCULAR NO. 49.

In view of the economic conditions of the country generally and particularly the operation of the railroads, your attention is drawn to the enormous amount of money (running well into the millions) expended annually for loss and damage freight and personal injury claims. Money paid out in this connection has no economic value, a situation that must be corrected by taking such remedial steps as are necessary toward the prevention as well as the settlement of claims.

There has heretofore been no uni-formity as to the jurisdiction of loss and damage freight and personal injury claims, therefore, it has been considered wise to place the responsibility of handling such claims directly upon the Legal Depart-ment. The General Solicitor will be held responsible for the results and is requested to take such steps as will bring the claim organization to the highest

efficiency. The Clatims and Property Protection Section was established to coordinate under one head the entire subject, and to exercise supervisory jurisdiction, aiding to the fullest extent those coming in direct contact with the subject.

From time to time orders through the office of the Director General will be issued with reference to the uniform and economical settlement of both loss and damage freight and personal injury claims.

The conservation of life and limb, as well as food products, clothing material, and other necessities, vital to the winning of the war, will be studied by this section with a view toward a nationwide campaign in the way of prevention of this loss.

Full and hearty cooperation with this work is expected from all officers and employees. Claim agents are expected to cooperate to the fullest extent in connection with the prevention of claims, as well as the settlement thereof.

JOHN BARTON PAYNE, General Counsel.

Approved :

W. G. McAdoo, Director General of Railroads.

WASHINGTON-NEW HAVEN SLEEPER.

The United States Railroad Administration issues the following:

To accommodate the large volume of travel between Washington, Baltimore, and Philadelphia and large New England manufacturing centers, for which New Haven, Conn., is the distributing point, a Washington-New Haven sleeping car has been placed on the Federal Express be-ginning November 4. Northbound car will be detached at New Haven and passengers allowed to remain in it until 7 a. m. and the southbound car will be opened for occupancy at New Haven at

American-Made Airplane Cotton Fabric Now Produced for All U.S. Army Needs

The War Department authorizes the following:

The production of American cotton airplane fabric is now averaging about 1,200,000 yards monthly, sufficient for all requirements, and capable of being largely increased if necessary. No more linen fabric is being imported from abroad for this purpose, and after the imported stock now on hand is exhausted, cotton fabric will be used exclusively in covering American airplane wings.

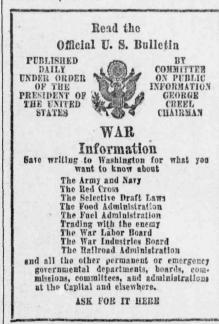
At the outbreak of the war in 1914, linen was the only material which had proved entirely satisfactory for covering airplane wings, the essential physical properties required being lightness in weight, proper absorption of dope, and strength and resistance to tear.

Prewar Production.

The chief countries before the war producing flax for fine grades of linen were Belgium, Russia, and Ireland. The Belgian supply was cut off from the allies in 1914. The Russian flax was difficult to obtain and was later cut off entirely. In the meantime the consumption of linen for war purposes had increased enor-mously. By the spring of 1917, when the

New Poster is Expected To Help in War Work By Cutting Down Mails

A poster printed in appropriate typing and coloring has been prepared in re-sponse to numerous requests by Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, libraries, and other public institutions. The pur-pose of the poster is self-evident. It reads as follows:



Copies of the poster will be sent to all applicants who are in a position to aid in this public service. It is hoped that its wide publicity will help to lessen the United States entered the war, the linen situation was very serious, and it was obvious that some substitute would have to be found.

In developing a cotton airplane fabric which would have the necessary qualities of the linen, the United States Government received the greatest assistance from the various cotton mills.

Samples were made from cotton of many constructions and numbers of yarn, varying from No. 40 two-ply to No. 100 four-ply, the cloth having from 50 to 90 threads per inch. Yarns were in some cases mercerized under tension and vari-ous twists were tried. Several cotton mills cooperated in this work.

Testing of Samples.

When the new fabrics were secured, samples were put on airplanes, "doped and varnished, according to regulation practice, and tested in actual use at Langley field and Pensacola. Flying tests were also made with several other varie-ties of fabric. The tests were for three months of service, averaging 10 hours per day. Members of the United States air service, members of the foreign flying corps, and other experts assisted in the experiments. They reported that the cotton fabrics developed in the United States appeared to serve most favorably. Other very favorable reports have recently been received from tests made in Great Britain on American cloth sent over there.

After many experiments had been made the first contracts for 10,000 yards each of cotton airplane fabric were placed in the middle of September, 1917. The results obtained with the first cotton fabric produced were satisfactory and it was decided to place further contracts for cotton airplant fabric.

Adopted Last November.

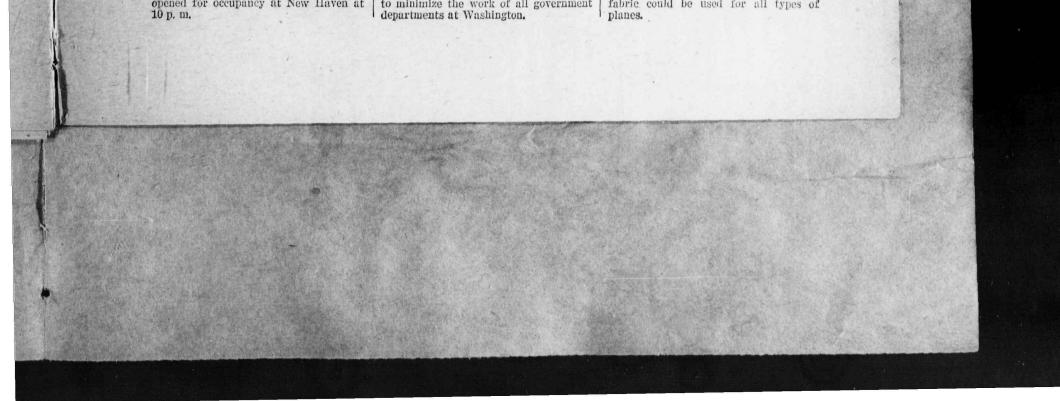
Two fabrics were adopted, the specifications calling for a strength of not less than 80 pounds per inch in both warp and filling. The cotton used in the manufacture of the cotton airplane fabric had to be of a very long staple, and in November, 1917, the air service purchased 15,000 bales of long-staple Sea Island cotton.

The first quantity orders for cotton airplane fabric were placed in October and November, 1917, and were for 1,280,-000 yards of grade A and 200,000 yards of grade B cotton airplane fabric. Deliveries of cotton airplane fabric started in January with the production of 173,-000 yards. Production has gradually increased until at the present time 1,200,-000 yards are being produced monthly.

Subsequent Contracts Let.

Subsequent contracts have been let for cotton airplane fabric amounting to 11,513,084 yards. All of these later con-tracts, however, have been for grade A cotton fabric, as it now seems clear that this cloth is superior to the other.

While the cotton airplane fabric was at first only used for training planes, and the grade A standard lin fabric, which in this public service. It is hoped that its wide publicity will help to lessen the war burden put upon the mails and serve to minimize the work of all government dependence of the grade A standard in a profile, which used for combat planes, it was decided in April, 1918, that the grade A cotton fabric could be used for all types of



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The commander in chief of the American Expeditionary Force in the name of the President has awarded the Distinguished Service Cross to the following officers and soldiers for the acts of extraordinary heroism described after their Dames:

Cannes: Chaplain L. R. WEEDS, 16th Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action near Soissons, France, July 19-22, 1018. Chap-lain Weeds displayed exceptional bravery in passing through open fields under heavy fire to the front lines to render first aid and to cheer the wonnded. Liomo address, Joseph F. Weeds, Athol, Kans. — Pirst Liout, FRED W. ADAMS, 16th Intantry, For estraordinary heroism in action near Soissons, France, July 22, 1918. During the violent fighting of July 22, 1918, Licut, Adams distinguished hinself by his courage, judgment, and ef-ficient leadership. After the strength of the regiment had been seriously reduced by Josse's he look command of a large number of the remaining troops, disposed them in effective positions, walking up and down the lines under constant fire from the enemy, and by his example of coolness and bravery inspired his men to hold the positions they had gained. Home address, Mrs. Fred W. Adems, wife, care ounty, Va. — First Sergt, STALLARD THROWER, Company I, 16th Infantry. For extraor-dinary heroism in action near Soissons

County, Va. First Sergt, STALLARD THROWER, Company I, 16th Infantry. For extraor-dinary beroism in action near Soissons, France, July 21, 1918. After all of his officers had been killed or wounded he as-sumed command of the company, and with exceptional bravery and courage kept con-tinually pressing on and engaging the error. Home address, Mrs. Mable Thower, Parksville, Ky. — First Lieut. HARRY R. HOWE, 101st Envineers. For extraordinary heroism in action in the Bois de Lacroisette, France, July 14, 1918. After being badly burned on the left hand by the explosion of a mustard-gas shell. Lieut. Howe declined an unstard-gas shell. Lieut. Howe declined an high-explosive shell bombardment get-ting his men out of the area of concen-trated gas. Unable to use his left hand, the remained on duty during the Maly of Ensite. Home address, Mrs. John H. Howe, mother, 56 Draver Avenue, Mans-Mass. — Trist Lieut. CHESTER R. HOWARD, 104th Infantry. For extraordinary hero-ism in action at Truury, France, July 22, 1918. Although Lieut, Howard had been twice wounded, he refused to be evacu-ated and continue on duty with his com-gany during the attack and cepture of Truum under heavy fire until he was fi-canceitated by a third wound. Home ad-dress, Mrs. C. C. Howard, mother, 600 Sizh Avenue, Monnt Vernon, Low. — Trist Lieut, FRANK A. MacNAMES, X. 101st Field Artillery. For extraordi-many during the attack and cepture of Truum under heavy fire until he was fi-canceitated by a third wound. Home ad-dress, Mrs. C. C. Howard, mother, 600 Sizh Avenue, Monnt Vernon, Low. — Trist Lieut, FRANK A. MacNAMES, X. 101st Field Artillery. For extraordi-mary heroism in action fir the Bellenu woods, France, July 19, 1918. By bia utter diseceard of danger he inspired proved by three times going Into a heavily shelled area to help rescue wounded. Home address, Mrs. Frank A. — MacNames, mether, Albany, M. — Waroner CLIPFORD R. HASKINS, Company B. 101st Machine Gun Battallon, for extra

ism in action near Chatcau Thlerry, France, July 20 and 22, 1918. East of Bel-leau Woods he continually carried messages under heavy machine-gun fire while act-ing as a runner. On July 22, near Epieds, he crossed an open gap swept by machine-gun fire in order to deliver an important message, and later was a voluntary mem-ber of a patrol which rescued wounded under fire from advanced positions. Home address, Mrs. Grace Cowan, 3117 La-tayette Avenue, St. Joseph. Mo. Pvt. CHARLES G. EnfowWVILLER, Medical Department, 1033 Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action cast of Belleau, France, July 20 and 22, 1918. On July 20, 1918, and again on July 22, 1918, he was conspicuous for his unfailing as-sistance to wounded under heavy fire of machine guns and his absolute fearless-ers. Home address, Charles Gordon Brownville, 43 Main Street, Needham, Mass. Pyt. DOUGLAS BOSS, Company K, Iolist Infantry. For extraordinary heroism for her on the street for the state of the strenger for the factors for herownylle, Tor extraordinary heroism for her factors for her Brown in the factors for her factors for her factors for her Brown in the factors for her factors for her

machine guns and his absolute fearlessness. Home address, Charles Gordon Brownylle, 43 Main Street, Needham, Mass.
 Pvt. DOUGLAS EOSS, Company K, Molst Infaniry. For extraordinary heroism in action near Vaux, France, July 16, 1015. Pvt. Ross killed two of the enemy who were attempting to establish a machine guns position in a railroad station and captured their machine guns. Later, the same day, when supers were working in a ravine near the American line, Pvt. Ross, with two other soldlers, went forward to drive them back. One of his comrades was killed, but Pvt. Ross, with great daring, attacked the Germans, killing one and wounding another. Home address, Hugh T. Ross, father, 66 Main Street, Hall. Mass.
 Pvt. HENRY A. CHECNY, Company —, 103d Machine Gun Battalion. For extraordinary heroism in action near Chateau Thierry, France, July 18-24. 1918. When his unit advanced on Belleau and Givy he was seriously wounded in the left arm, but continued to carry his heavy ters of enemy fire and took up his position with his right arm through 1,200 met with sequad. When a shell struck his half on yiers of enemy fire and took up his position with his sequad. When a shell struck his half on yiers of the squad he extricated him setter, encexter, N. H.
 Corpl. JOHN L. CASEY, Company T, 102d Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action mear Chateau Thierry, France, July 23, 1918. After seeing three functs shot down while trying to cross an open field through violent machine diverses, M. D. Casey, father, R. F. D. 9, and the remined at his post until ordered to a dressing station by his play in fire down while trying to cross an open field through violent machine diverses, M. D. Casey, father, R. F. D. 9, and the remined at his post until for even shell she aver the seame field through violent machine diverses, M. D. Casey, father, R. F. D. 9, and the remined at his post on the four sched structure of the squad he extricated him orderes who we whell a shell struck his diverses

the wounded. Home address: Mrs. Rob-ert R. Blood, Sharon, Mass. Capt. THOMAS F. FOLEY, 101st In-fantry, for repeated acts of extraordinary heroism in action near Vaux, France, July 15-22, 1918. Throughout the four days of the advance Capt. Foley commanded and led his/battallon with exceptional bravery, and judgment, thereby inspiring his men. When strong resistance was encountered he personally went forward and reconnoi-tered the terrain under heavy machine gun and sniper fire, and on July 15 and again on July 22 he personally led his battallon wirs. Thomas P. Foley, wife, 84 Lovell Street, Worcester, Mass. First Lieut. HENRY A. RIACKE, 102d Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action near Bouresches, France, July 20, 1918. When the advance of his company was temporarily, held up by machine gun fire in front of Bouresches Lieut. Riacke

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with them to the company's objective and held it. Home address, Mrs. Lena B. Noel, 4511 McPherson Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. Sergt. CHARLES B. JOHNSON, Jr., Battery A. 101st Field Artillery, For ex-traordinary heroism in action north of Chateau Thierry, France, July 19, 1918. While his battery position was under shell fre and its ammunition dump had been hit and shells were exploding in it and the crew was ordered to leave, Sergt. Johnson remained, put out three fires in the dump, and afterwards, under heavy fire, searched for and brought wounded to shelter. Home address, Mrs. Louis K. Johnson, mother. Concord. Mass. Carpl. ERNEST T. SHEBERT, 103d Am-bulance Company, 101st Sanitary Train, For extraordinary herolsm in action near Trugny, France, July 23, 1018. Corpl. Seibert voluntarily rescued a wounded soldier who was lying on a shell-swept road by carrying bim 200 yards on his back. Although wounded in the shoulder by a shell fragment, he courageously stuck to his tak until it was success-fully accomplished. His courageous act was an inspiration to his men. Home address, Mrs. Mary W. Siebert, mother, 202 Panaley Road, Newton, Mass. Sergt. JOSEPH W. CASEY, Company F, 101st Infanity, For extraordinary heroism in action east of Epieds. France, July 23, 1918. Leading his platoon un-der a heavy machine gun barrage and through the fire of subpers from trees, he attacked two German machine gun nests, captured their guns and killed their crews. Sergt. Casey then saw three Germans crawling toward his men to open fire on them. He dashed for-ward, attached them single handed and killed them all. Home address, Mrs. Mary Casey, mother, 77 Exchange Street, Lawrence, Mass.

Sergt, JOHN L. CLABBI, Company F. 101st Infantry. For extraordinary hero-ism in action near Epieds, France, July 23, 1918, During the advance by his platoon upon machine gun nests in Trug-ny Woods, Sergt, Clabby observed a Ger-man machine gun on his right fank. He

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pany attempted to make the advance as a whole. Next of kin, Martin O'Connell, brother, 79 Caroline Avenue, Jamaica Plain, Mass. Pyt, THOMAS RYAN, deceased, Com-pany D, 101st Infantry. For extraordi-nary heroism in action near Epieds, France, July 23, 1918. Pyt, Ryan, Sergt, S. L. Nickerson, and Corpl. M. J. O'Con-nell volunteered to cross an open field in front of their company in order to ascer-tain the location of enemy machine guns. While engaged in this courageous enter-prise they were shot and killed. The heroic self-sacrifice of these three men, who would have been killed had the com-pany attempted to make the advance as a whole. Next of kin, Mrs. Mary Ryan, mother, 36 East Dedham Street, Boston, Mass. Sergt, EARL R. MCGUIRE, Company L.

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herolsm in action near Vaux, France, July 20, 1018. Pvt. Rounds, Corpl. Austin J. Kelley, and Pvt. John J. Grady penetrated the enemy's lines in the face of machine gun fire, captured a machine gun and its crew, and returned with valuable information concerning the enemy's positions. Home address, Mrs. Ethel Rounds, mother, 247 Perry Street, Malden, Mass. Pvt. JOHN J. GRADY, Company L, 10181 Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action near Vaux, France, July 20, 1918. Pvt. Grady, Corpl. Austin J. Kelder, and Pvt. Harold E. Rounds penetrated the enemy's lines in the face of machine gun and its crew, and returned with valuable information concerning the enemy's positions. Home address, Mrs. Thomas Kelley, ind. 756 East Third Street, South B. Weed, 766 East Third Street, South B. Woods, France, July 18-23, 1918. During the early part of the action Mechanic this company, k. 103d Infantry. For extraord for the declared an achine gun and the evacuated on the evac

12 men. Home address, J. H. O'Sullivan, uncle, 101 Baldwin Street, Winchester, Mass.
 Pvt. JOSEPH R. RÖUSCH, 103d Ambulance Company, 101st Sanitary Train. For extraordinary heroism in action north of Chateau Thierry, France, July 18, 1918, While assisting a wounded infantry soldier under heavy shell fire, Pvt. Rousch was severely wounded in the face. Although his injury was more serious than that of the man whom he was attending, he carried the latter to an ald station, after which he voluntarily returned and assisted in first-aid work, inspiring his comrades by his example. Home address, Manis Rousch, father, Draper, S. Dak.
 Pvt. ALBERT H. McARDLE, 103d Ambulance Company, 101st Sanitary Train. For extraordinary heroism in action cast of Belleau Woods, July 18, 1918. While giving first aid to a wounded soldier, who had fallen in a wheat field. In range of enemy fire, Pvt. McArdle received two machine-gun bullets through the thigh. In spite of his injury be continued at work until the soldier's wounds had been properly dressed and eudeavored to carry him out of danger but fell eshausted from loss of blood. Home address, James McArdle, father, 20 Havre Street, East Boston, Mass.
 Pvt. 104th Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action near Bouresches, France, July 20, 1918. When wounded in the rubunatic rifle with his left hand. Later he volunteered to act as a runner and continued this duty until he fell exhausted. Home address, James Thofpson, father, 4 Hollis Fark, Cambridge, Mass.
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Mass. Pvt. PHILLIP ROBERGE, Company D., 103d Machine-Gun Battalion. For extraordinary heroism in action near Bel-lean, France, July 18, 1918. Pvt. Roberge showed absolute disregard of personal danger while acting as litter bearer, bringing in wounded from his own and other companies under heavy machine-gun and artillery fire. While carrying a stretcher, which bore a wounded soldier,

he received a wound which put out one of his eyes; yet he continued until the wounded man had been taken to the dress-ing station. Home address: Louis Ro-berge, father, 21 Byer Street, Danielson, Comm

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Ing station. Home address: Louis Roberge, father, 21 Byer Street, Danielson, Conn.
 Pvt. MELLEN F. TUTTLE, Company B, 193d Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action on Hill No. 190, near Chateau Thierry, France, July 20, 1918. When all of the men of the automatic-rifle team of which he was a member had been wounded, Pvt. Tuttle voluntarily advanced alone, attacked a number of enemy machine-gun nests which were holding up the advance, and forced the enemy to retreat, thereby making possible the continued forward movement of his detachment. Home address, W. C. Tuttle, Intervale, Me.
 Pvt. WILLIAM H. GARRISON, Signal Corps, platoon, 101st Infantry. For extraordinary keroism in action near Chateau Thierry, France, July 20-23, 1918. Vt. Garrison displayed great personal bravery and eskill in maintaining telephone lines between the regimental commonder and the leading batalion for more than two days. He patrolled the line continuously and repaired it when it was cut during bombardment. Knocked down frequently by exploiding shiels and once buried beneath dirt and debris, he nevertheless stuck courageously to his task, thereby making communication possible. Home address, Mrs. In Farrison, mother, Pieche, Nev.
 Prt. BURTRICE ENDICOTT, Company C. 102d Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action due through a heavy artillery barrage with a message to the battalion commander, Pvt. Endicoit voluntered to carry the same message over the same route and succeeded. Home address, Samuel J. Endicott, father, Ridgway, H.

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advanced position ahead of the battalion charged a machine gun, killed four of the coemy and drove off the rest, thereby making possible the advance of their com-rades. Home address, John Nicodemos, friend, 13 Forest Avenue, North Ply-mouth, Mass. — Pt. CHARLES MILLER, Company A, forst Infantry. For extraordinary hero-ism in action in the Trugny Woods, near Chateau Thierry, France, July 23, 1918, Psivate Miller with two other men in an advanced position ahead of the battalion charged a machine gun, killed four of the enemy, and drove off the rest, thereby making possible the advance of their com-rades. Home address, Mrs. Annie Miller, Noter, 118 Bennington Street, East Bos-ton, Mass. — Pt. JOHN W. ROY, Company H, 104th

making possible the advance of their conrades. Home address, Mrs. Annie Miller, mother, 118 Bennington Street, East Boston, Mass.
 Pyt. JOHN W. ROY, Company H. 104th Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action in the Belleau Woods, France, July 18 and 19, 1918. Pyt. Roy displayed notable bravery in delivering messages through violent shell fire. At one time after three other runners had been killed and a fourth wounded, he passed over the same route, undatunted, to carry a message vitally necessary to the successful operation of his company. Home address, Mrs. Josephine Roy, mother, 117
 Southgate Street. Worcester, Mass.
 Chaplain WINFRED E. ROBB, 168th Infantry. For extraordinary heroism throughout the advance across the River Ource, northeast of Chatean Thierry, France, July 26, August 2, 1918. During the pursuit of the energy by the 168th Infantry across the River Ource Chaplain WINFRED E. ROBB, 168th Infantry across the River Ource Chaplain WINFRED E. ROBB, 168th Infantry, across the River Ource Chaplain WINFRED E. ROBB, 198 bravery under dire. During all of this time, and particularly during the operations near Sergy, he showed the greatest coolness under severe artillery for in attending and carrying the wounded and dying, and in every way ministering to the needs of the men of his regiment. Home address, Mrs. Winfred E. Robb, wife, R. F. D. N. Lebanon, Kans.
 Pyt. J. H. EURCHFIELD. Medical Detections near Sergy, he showed the greatest to perations south of Soissons, France, July 18-22, 1918. During the outrie of the three stand event through a heavy enemy barrage to render first ald to the wounded in the operations would be expressed himself to heavy enemy fire in order to dress and evacuate the wounded. On July 22 he wounded in the front Hae and to evacuate them to the reaced in this work. Home address, Mrs. Alice Burchfield, mother, 214 East Fark Street, Salem, Oho.

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address, W. S. Simms, father, McLean, Tex.

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131st Infantry. For extraordinary hero-ism in action at Hamel, Belgium, July 4, 1918. Although severely wounded to the right arm at the beginning of the engage-ment. Sergt. Krum continued forward as squad leader, exhibiting great gailantry and setting an inspiring example to his men. After bis wound had been dressed he insisted upon returning to duty with his platoon. Home address, Harold Krum, brother, 6504 Nordica Avenue, Edison Park, Chicago, III. Pvt. WILLIAM F. LINZKY, Company E, 131st Infantry. For extraordinary hero-ism in action at Hamel. Belgium, July 4, 1918. Pvt. Linzky was severely wounded in the right arm by shrapnel at the be-garried his automatic rifle forward and used it effectively in the assault of the village. Home address, Mrs. Mary Linzky, mother, 310 Huron Street, Chi-cago, III. Corpl. ANDREW C. SHAPINGER, Com-many E. 131st Infantry. For extraording.

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Amy Porter, 1008 Poplar street, Atlan-tic, Iowa. * First Lieut, LEO J. CRUM, Medical Corps, 122d Infantry. For extraordinary beroism in action near Cierzes, France, July 31, and August 1, 1918. During the attack against Cierzes by his regi-ment, Lieut, Crum worked continuously and heroically under fire to treat and evacuate the wounded. When the honse in which his first-aid station was located was struck by an enemy shell, he safely evacuated all of his patients and promptly established another aid station near the front. His untiring efforts and personal bravery saved the lives of many wounded and suffering mea and were a source of inspiration to the entire command. Home address. Mrs. Mary F. Crum, wife, 1329 Hill Crest Avenne, Kalamazoo, Mich. Sergt. PAUL J. GASTON, sanitary de-tachment, 121st Machine Gun Battalion. For extraordnary heroism in action in front of Bellavue Farm, near Cierges,



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France, August 1, 1918. During the at-facts on Bellavue Farm. Sergt Gaston worked energeically throughout the en-pergenerge state of the serge of the serge func-tion of the set and to the wounded and to carry them to the dressing sta-tinuously and frequently weat into shell and machine gun fire to administer to wounded soldiers. His calmeess and courage was a source of inspiration to and machine gun fire to administer to wounded soldiers. How a difference of the combat troops. Home address, How-ard E. Gaston, brother, Dysart, Low-dinary heroism in action near Clerges and Fismes, France July 31 to August and Fismes, and forder an inspiring ex-maple of decotion to duty. He was hadden and the search of duty and the search of the wounded of other organizations and the search of the search and be wounded. In spire of heavy and and the search and fields to give first ald to be wounded. In spire of heavy and and the search and the south work and the search and the search and be wounded. In spire of heavy and the wounded of other organizations and the search and the search and be wounded. In spire of heavy and the wounded of the outhard work and the wounded of the routhout work and the wounded course for a war, and the wounded course and night of the routhout work and the wounded course and night of the routhout work and the wounded course and the section the and the wounded course and the section the and the wounded course and the section and and the wounded course and the section the and the wounded course and the section the and the woun

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near Cierges, France, July 3, and August 1 (1918. Capt. Sheridan domonstrated notable courage and leadership by taking command of the remnants of two com-panies and leading up the hill and hato the woods against, violent fire from the enemy. His grit and teadership inspired his men to force the enemy back. He per-sonally shot and killed three of the enemy, and under bits direction six machines were you out of action and the hill captured. Mont. The state of the state of the enemy, to the factor of the state of the state of the sonally shot and killed three of the enemy. Thist Lieuet, JOHN D. SPENCER, Com-many B. 127th Infantry. For extraordh-mary beroism in action at Pismes, France, young the state against Pismes, Lieut, young be state against Pismes, Lieut, young be swounds, he regained his feet and continued to lead his command until and continued to lead his command until and continued to lead his command until young by John D. Spencer, wife, Oshkosh, with. Theplain THOMAS E. SWAN, 125th In-

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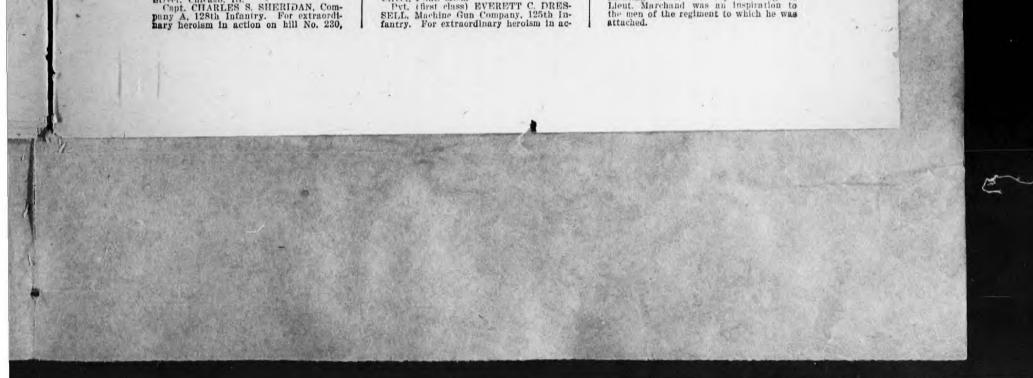
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mette, III. First Lieut, JOSEPH W. SMITH, 166th Infantry. For extraordinary beroism in action near St. Baussay, northeast of St. Mihiel, France, September 12, 1918. Finding that his platoon would be under heavy fire of enemy machine guns while, crossing the Rupt de Mad, Lieut, Smith, rather than permit the advance to be de-layed, unbesitatingly plunged into the stream, crossed it under heavy fire, as-certained the exact location of the enemy, brought his platoon through the river by a protected route, and with it flanked and captured 6 machine guns and 10 pris-oners, Home address, Mrs. Ritta L, Smith, mother, 1704 Congress Avenne, Austin, Tex.

Smith, mother, 1704 Congress Avenue, Austin, Tex. First Lieut, CHARLES O'BRIEN, de-forsed, 306th Infantry, For extraordi-nary berosim in action near Le Cendriero (1918, Lieut, O'Brien ied his platoon for-ward toward the Le Cendriero woods under left leg, one of his men urged him to stop and have the wound dreased. He an-swerd, "Never mind that: they can't top us," and led bis platoon through the stop us," and led bis platoon through the swerd, "Never mind that: they can't top us," and led bis platoon. Next top us," and led bis platoon through the swerd, "Never mind the Alsne Canal, where while placing his men in position, he was struck again and killed. His swerd, "Never mind the Alsne Canal, where the Wieselaure Presented an Inspiring top us," the platon of the platoon through the data treet. Wikes-laure, the Alsne Canal, he was struck again and killed. His swerd, Mrs. M. O'Brien, mether, but the was struck again and the stop and have the men of his platoon. Next has the to the men of his platoon through the data the the states his nitry. For extraor-ding the Marne, July 15, 1918. Lieut Mar-data thene, July 15, 1918. Lieut Mar-data thenes shell fire, in order to on-the progress of the action and ob-servation post on the edge of the woods through information necessary for the com-manding officer. The superb courage of lieut Marchand was an inspiration to an information necessary for the com-manding officer. The superb courage of lieut Marchand was an inspiration to be men of the regiment to which he was

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Interpreter ALFRED DU BOIS, French mission, attached to headquarters 6th Field Artiliery. For extraordinary heroism in action near Missy au Bois, France, July 18, 1918. He voluntarily exposed himself to heavy shell fire while carrying wounded men to a place of safety. safety

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First Sergt. HERMAN M. SELL, Com-pany A, 306th Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action in La Cendriere woods, near Vauxere, between the Vesle and the Aisne, France, September 6, 1913. First Sergt. Sell volunteered to deliver a mes-sage of great importance to his battalion commander after six runners, who had been sent with the same message, failed to return. He voluntarily crossed 600 yards of open field swept by shell and machine-gun fire, reached his destina-tion, accomplished his mission and re-turned to his company with information of vital importance. Home address, F. Sell, 1862 Decatur Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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with valuable information. Home ad-dress, Walter F. Rath, brother, Pasadena, Cal. Second Lieut. ARTHUR R. BROOKS, Air Service. For extraordinary heroism in action over Marslatour, France, Sep-tember 14, 1918. Lieut, Brooks, when his patrol was attacked by 12 enemy Fokkers over Marslatour. 8 miles within the enemy lines, alone fongth bravely and releatives of the ground, and though his right rudder control was out and his plane riddled with bullets, he destroyed two Fokkers, one falling out of control and the other bursting into flames. Home address, Frank E. Brooks, father, New Kendall Hotel, Framingham, Mass. First Lieut, EDWARD V. RICKEN. BACKER, Air Service, 94th Aero Squadron, For the following act of extraordinary heroism. The bronze oak leaf is awarded to be work on the distinguished service

tember 14, 1918, in the region of Villecy, he attacked four Fokker enemy planes asharp and hot action, he succeeded in shooting one down in flames and dispers-ing the other three. For the following act of extraordinary heroism, a bronze oak leaf Is-awarded to be worn on the distinguished service cross awarded Oc-tober 16, 1918: On September 15, 1918, in the region of Boisdewaville, he en-countered six enemy planes, which were in the act of attacking four Spads, which were below them. Undeterred by their superior numbers, he unhesitatingly at-tacked them and succeeded in shooting out down in flames and completely break-ing the formation of the others. Home address, Mrs. William Rickenbacker, 1334 East Livingston Avenue. Columbus, Ohio. — Tvt HAROLD BATLEY, Company C, June 24, 1918. Private Batley, after two pairols had failed, volunteered and went alone to the grouped combat, through to othe highest value. Home address, John A. Batley, father, Orchard Street, Sohn A. Batley, father, Orchard Street, 5, John S. Mailel offensive, September 25, 1918. Maj, Spatz, although ne had stacks, begged for and received permis-sion to serve with a pursuit squadron at the front. Subordinating himself to

Keep Bulletin Posted In All U. S. Post Offices

Reports having been made that at some post offices THE OFFICIAL U. S. BULLETIN is not being posted regularly for public reading in accordance with Postmaster Gen-eral Burleson's orders, postmasters are again reminded of this important duty. It should be remem-bered that THE BULLETIN is the only publication available to all sections of the country that prints daily the complete and correct casu-alty lists from our armies oversea exactly as they are issued by the exactly as they are issued by the War Department. Many newspa-pers print only the lists having local interest in their own territory. THE BULLETIN prints every name and address, thus making it a cer-tain means of informing friends and relatives, wherever they may be, of the fate of a soldier or sailor, no matter where his home town or city.

Postmasters are urged, aside from their duty as officials, to make it their patriotic and personal duty to see that the public has the fullest benefit of this privilege. The Postmaster General's order

follows:

All postmasters are directed to post The Official U. S. BULLETIN daily in a conspicuous place in the lobby or other portion of their respective post-office buildings where the public can read it; and, without expense to the Government, each and every postmaster is earnestly urged to see that this BULLETIN is made available to as many peop as possible in the manner suggested. A. S. BURLESON, Postmaster General.

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Cost \$38,928 to Feed 4,854 Soldiers on the Voyage Home From France.

Some idea of what it costs to feed a shipload of soldiers brought home from France has been obtained from the provision list of the transport President Grant. On one of her recent trips here from Brest, when she carried 4,854 officers and enlisted men, the cost of the rations for the soldiers alone was \$38,928 for the twelve days they were at sea.

On a voyage to France and back about 3,239 tons of coal are consumed and about 1,800 gallons of engine oil.

These are the figures of food consumption on one voyage: Bread and pastry flour..... 11,782 pounds

MEAT.

Fresh beef Sausages, pork, frankfurter, bologna Fresh ham and corned beef Fresh pork, chicken, &c VEGETABLES.	15,000 17,000	pounds
Potatoes	90,000	pounds
Canned	23,430	pounds
Turnips, carrots, cabbage	46,000	pounds
Cereals	15,000	pounds

Beans 11,000 gallons

FRUIT.		110
ropples	20,000	pounds
Canned peaches, pears, &c		pounds
Jams, apple butter, &c	10,900	pounds
Coffee	4,000	pounds
Cocoa	1,000	pounds
Tea	500	pounds
Evaported Milk	12,000	pounds
Butter	13,000	pounds
Cheese	250	pounds
Baking powder	300	pounds
Lard	4,000	pounds
Macaroni and vermicelli	2,000	pounds
Pepper	96	pounds
Pickles	1.980	pounds
Sauerkraut	3,000	pounds
Salt		pounds
Syrup		pounds
Sugar	20,000	pounds
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What It Cost U.S. to Feed An Army of 3,000,000 Men

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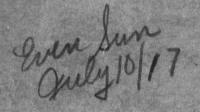
F EEDING a soldier is no cold-blooded matter, so those in charge of the Subsistence Division of the Quartermaster Corps, U. S. A., ascertained during the war. It is necessary to study carefully the soldier's likes and dislikes, and the food that would make a British or a French soldier bargy would fill an American with gloom.

According to a pamphlet issued by the Treasury Department the American Army ration was developed only after careful study of the table of the average American family. It was largely due to this forethought that the American Army in France was so successful.

An organization at Washington was formed at the beginning of the war for the purchase of the essential articles to feed Uncle Sam's soldier boys. Sufficient supplies were bought to feed them twelve months in advance, and to provide an adequate stock to be kept at all depots and camps.

The following table shows the estimated consumption and cost of the various articles of food furnished the army during one year, size of the army being estimated at 3,000,000 soldiers and the prices based on those prevailing in August, 1918:

Article.	Unit.	Consumption.	Cost.
	Lbs.	478.515.000	\$109.627,786.50
Beef, fresh	41	48,180,000	18,587,844
Bacon		24.090,000	1.211.727
Cornmeal		30,660,000	2.158,464
Rice	**	782,925,000	14.014.357.50
Potatoes	. 1	58,035,000	1.439.268
Onions	Cans	7.665.000	2.071.849.50
Jam	Lbs.	61,320,000	9,265,452
Coffee	LIUS.	3,285,000	1,232,203.50
Tea, E. B., black		1,095,000	416,100
rea, gunpowder, green		1.095.000	350,400
rea, Oolong, black		1.095.000	369.015
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rea, Japan	Gal.	2,190,000	658,095
Vinegar		1.095.000	245,170.50
Pickles, chow-chowF	Gal.	3.285,000	1.314.000
Pickles, cucumber		1.095,000	242,980.50
Pickles, gherkinsF	t. Jars	1.095,000	262,690.50
Pickles, mixedF	Lbs.	27.375.000	175.200
Salt	Cans.	6.570.000	584.073
Pepper, black	Cars.	1.095.000	293.131.50
Pepper, Chili Colo	Det	1.095.000	112.237.50
Pepper, Cayenne	Bot. Lbs.	6.570.000	1.729.881
Lard	LIDS.	31,755,000	6.970.222.50
Lard, substitute		15.330,000	6.516,783
Butter	"	7.665.000	2,064,184.50
Deomargarine	Die	2,190,000	288,423
Thocolate, plain	Pkg.	2,190,000	284.700
Chocolate, vanilla	Cons	2.190.000	356.970
Molasses,	Cans	2,200,000	000,010
Commodity.		Amount.	Value.
Evaporated milk	Cases	2.993,500	\$16,458,750
Canned tomatoes		6.000.000	21,600,000
lanned pineapples		250,000	875.000
anned pork and beans	"	4.000,000	17.600,000
anned salmon		2.000.000	16,000,000
Flour	Lbs.	915.000.000	50.325.000
Prunes		30,000,000	3,300,000
Peaches, evaporated	0	21,000,000	2,730,000
Apples	Gener Maria	18.000.000	2,520,000
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Aviation Tests Hard to Meet

U. S. Requires Physical Perfection and Level Headedness.

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The applicant is seated in a revolving chair much the same as a barber's or dentist's. He is whirled ten times in each direction with eyes shut as fast as the chair will revolve. Suddenly stopped, he is to look in the opposite direction from which he has been whirled. The regular jumping of the eyeball as the brain seeks to regain its equilibrium shows how quickly the applicant is finding his balance.

Tests for Equilibrium.

Forty times more the applicant twirled sitting straight with eyes shut and with head dropped at an angle of 45 deg. with the torso. He is told to sit straight when suddenly stopped or to raise his hands straight in front of him. If normal he will throw his weight far to the opposite side from which he has been whirled. He is then stood on his feet and with eyes closed is told to walk in a straight line to the opposite side of the room. Many applicants are compelled to have minor operations before they are eligible. Examining officers report that if possible to pass by an operation the applicants in every instance immediately make arrangements to be operated on. The standard for admission to the aviation section has been reduced from a college education or its equivalent to the equivalent of two years' college training. Athletes who excelled in school are particularly desired and it is well to have a perfunctory knowledge at least of automobiles and motorcycles and the theoretical functions of motors. The age limit has been re duced to 19.

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Youngest American Aviator's First Battle with Flying Hun

Tommy Hitchcock, Horseman, Tells Graphic Story of His "Maiden" Air Fight in Letter to Cousin.

How the youngest American horseman of the Lafayette Escadrille in France shot down his first enemy aviator after a daring chase over German territory is graphically told in a letter written by Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., of Westbury, L. I., to his cousin, Auguste du Bos, senior steward of the French Steeplechase Society, and forwarded to Algernon Daingerfield, an official of the Jockey Club in New York.

The cables have lately carried the news of other triumphs in the air for young Hitchcock, who is barely eighteen years old, and who left for France during the spring races at Belmont Park last season after having been rejected by the American Aviation Department on account of

He comes honestly, as the saying is, by his sporting spirit and love of adventure, for his father, Thomas Hitchcock, has long been known as a daring cross coun-try rider and polo player. When the war

broke out he sold his stable of hunters and steeplechasers and joined the army, despite the fact that he is more than fifty years of age. He is now a major in the Aviation Department, with headquarters on Hempstead Plains.

Mrs. Hitchcock, the mother of "Tommy," is a sister of Captain William C? Eustis. member of the Jockey Club, who is with member of the Jockey Club, who is with Pershing's army in France. She is one of the best known amateur horsewomen on Jong Island, riding to hounds with the Meadow Brook hunt and winning blue rib-bons with her noted thoroughbreds, Jolly Dixon and Cavalier, at the horse shows. Dixon and Cavalier, at the horse shows. Mrs. Hitchcock and her daughter were among the women of society who rode their hunters in uniform at the last National Horse Show for the benefit of the Red Cross

Tommy Hitchcock has ridden many winners over the jumps at the Piping Rock and Mineola horse shows, and two years and the caused a stir among the polo play-ers at Narragansett Pler by his remark-ably briliant work as No. 1 on one of the tournament teams. His letter follows:-

On Way Home to Escadrille 87, Secteur Postal 44.

January 7th, 1918. Dear Cousin Auguste:-

Thank you very much for your nice note. Now I am on my way back to Escadrille 87 after a day of mixed experiences yesterday.

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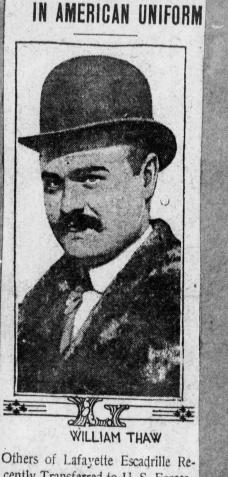
I saw a German plane over our lines quite

away and veered around to get a fight. It was a lovely big two plane, but I did not think of that at the time. He opened fire right off. The rat-tat-tat of his gun was quite distinct. We went

As soon as 1 opened fire he fell in a wrille. He vrilled from 5,000 metres to 2,000, me fol-lowing him all the while. At 2,000 he seemed to make an effort to redress and went with a very steep spiral. He spiralled right into the side of a hill in the Vosges Mountains. I followed him right down to the ground and circled around him, shout-ing like an idiot.

Then he was down near a little farm house.

I don't know how long I should have stayed there gloating over him if it had not been for a German machine gun battery that shot up at me from the ground. I had not realized that it was Germany I was over. I lost my way coming home and broke my landing gear on a forced landing a long way from Luneville. I don't know yet if it will be an offiafter a day of mixed experiences yes-erday. I was doing some protection work when I was doing some protection work when TOMMY.



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JANUARY 24, 1918

THAW IS FIRST TO FLY

OVER GERMAN LINES

cently Transferred to U. S. Forces, Ready for Front Again.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Jan. 24.-Major William Thaw of Pittsburgh, long with the Lafayette Escadrille, apparently has the honor of having been the first man in American uniform to fly over German lines. According to a report received here to-day, Thaw, lately transferred from the French to the American air service, recently carried out numerous aerial patrols and, so far as known, is the first American airman to go aloft under battle conditions.

Other members of the Lafayette Escadrille are reported to have been outfitted with American uniforms at Paris and ready to resume their air fighting as an American Lafayette Escadrille.

A number of Americans were announced to-day as "graduates" of a French carrier pigeon school and fully qualified to begin their duties at the front. Each battalion of American troops will hereafter carry a pigeon squad.

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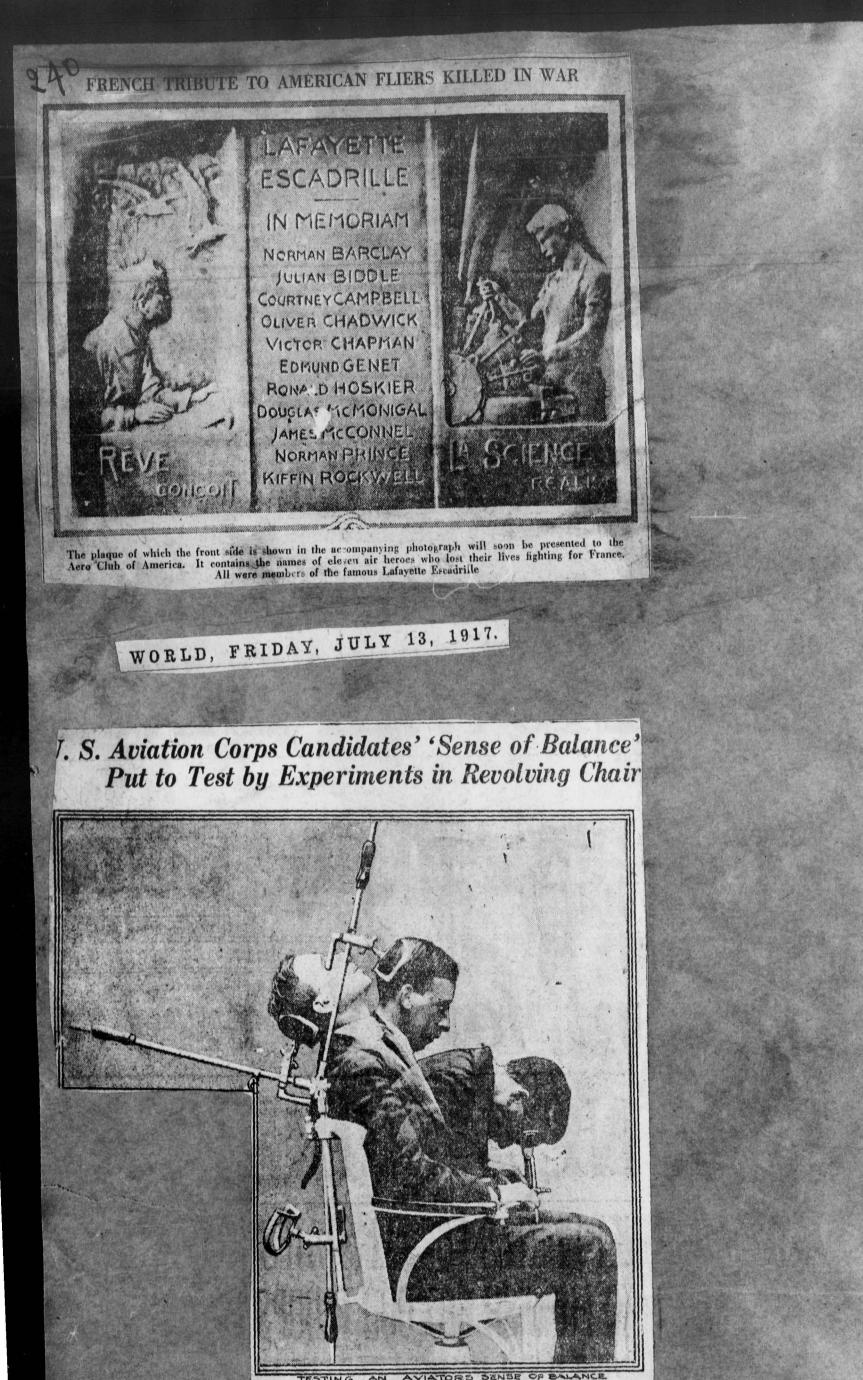


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A man may walk upright on the earth and yet have a poor balance sense, say the experts who examine men for the Aviation Corps. The Medical Division of the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps is making certain the aviation candidates will be able to take care of themselves in the air by testing their balance sense in the revolving chair. The applicant's head is pulled forward and • put on the knee brace and he is whirled around a number of times in a test for vertigo. In the upright position other balance tests are made, and the amplitude of his eyes is examined after revolving the chair. In the position with the head thrown back he is asked to find the examining physician's finger after being whirled around in the chair.

A SONG OF HEAVEN

By MISS IDA HINMAN, M.S., M.A.

Dedicated to America's Soldiers and Sailors

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May be sung to the music of the Mocking-Bird, or the New Music.

By faith mine eyes see Heaven, bright Heaven, bright Heaven! By faith mine eyes see Heaven, That realm of glorious immortality. Where peace flows like a river, a river, a river, Where peace flows like a river, And the purest joys last through eternity.

Chorus-We shall sing the Heavenly songs, We shall sing triumphant songs, The songs of Jesus Christ's redeeming love; We shall sing the Heavenly songs, We shall sing triumphant songs. In that glad home of peace and joy above.

There I shall meet my lov'd ones, my lov'd ones, my lov'd ones: There I shall meet my lov'd ones Who await me on fair Canaan's golden shore, We shall rejoice together, together, together; We shall rejoice together, For we then shall be where sorrow comes no more.

There I shall see my Saviour, my Saviour, my Saviour; There I shall see my Saviour Who died for me on blessed Calvary's tree; And dwell with Him forever, forever, forever; And dwell with Him forever In the promised place He has prepared for me.

When in His likeness I waken, I waken, I waken; When in His likeness I waken, I shall ever be entirely satisfied; And reign with Him in glory, in glory, in glory; And reign with Him in glory, As will all those who accept Christ crucified.

> The author will be thankful to know if this hymn helps or comforts any one. Address 150 Fifth Avenue, New York City

THE WORLD: FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1919. MERICAN STRENGTH IN W AND WHAT OUR TROOPS ALYZED IN ARMY FIGUR Four Million Soldiers

With 200,000 Officers, and 306,000 Went Over Last July Alone-Our Gunners Fired a Million Shells in Four Hours at St. Mihiel.

WASHINGTON, June 26 .- Many statistical facts reliative to America's part in the great war as wellas data published piecemeal heretofore and now collated in accessible form for the first time are contained in a book, "The War With Germany; a Statistical Summary," by Leonard P. Ayres, Statistical Branch. General Staff, copies of which have just been made available. Between its covers the reader learns not only how many soldiers America sent abroad, but how long it took the average American to wear out a rubber slicker or a pair of socks.

The book refutes authoritatively the widely circulated statement that not a single airplane of American manufacture reached the battle front. There were, in fact, 667 which arrived at the scene of action.

Raised 2,000,000 in 1 1-2 Years. Below are some of the omportant and interesting facts which the book contains:

The number of men serving in the armed forces of the nation during the war was 4,800,000, of whom 4,-

000,000 served in the army. It took three years for the English Armies in France to reach a strength of 2,000,000, but the American Armies did it in half that time.

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May be sung to the music of the Mocking-Bird, or the New Music.

By faith mine eyes see Heaven, bright Heaven, bright Heaven! By faith mine eyes see Heaven, That realm of glorious immortality. Where peace flows like a river, a river, a river, Where peace flows like a river, And the purest joys last through eternity.

Chorus-We shall sing the Heavenly songs,

We shall sing triumphant songs, The songs of Jesus Christ's redeeming love; We shall sing the Heavenly songs, We shall sing triumphant songs. In that glad home of peace and joy above.

There I shall meet my lov'd ones, my lov'd ones, my lov'd ones; There I shall meet my lov'd ones Who await me on fair Canaan's golden shore, We shall rejoice together, together, together; We shall rejoice together, For we then shall be where sorrow comes no more.

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> The author will be thankful to know if this hymn helps or comforts any one. Address 150 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

THE WORLD: FRIDAY, JUNE 27. 1919. AMERICAN STRENGTH IN WAR AND WHAT OUR TROOPS DID ANALYZED IN ARMY FIGURES Four Million Soldiers Were Raised in Light

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The book refutes authoritatively the widely circulated statement that not a single airplane of American manufacture reached the battle front. There were, in fact, 667 which arrived at the scene of action.

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Another contestant for the Pulitzer \$5,000 Aviation Trophy, Frank Stanton, entered the lists yesterday at Atlantic City and began a non-stop flight to Boston in a Curtiss JN-4 biplane. He reached Greenwich, Conn., where he alighted to replenish his fuel supply, and no word of his further progress has been received.

Capt. Mansell R. James, who made an excellent flight from Atlantic City to Boston on Wednesday in the con-test for the Pulitzer Trophy, did not fare so well when he attempted his return trip. Mistaking the Boston and Albany Railroad for the New Haven, he landed Wednesday night not far form Bitteffeld Marris the fart time and flaw

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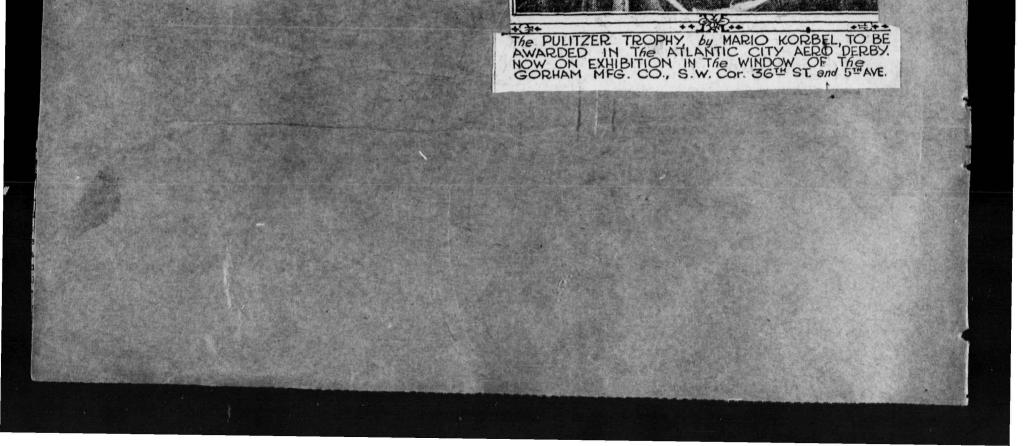
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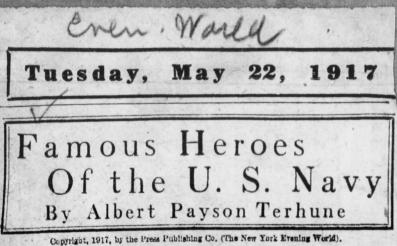


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EDWARD F. HINKLE AND HIS DESIGN FOR AMERICAN FIGHTING MACHINES. PHOTO BY INTERNAT'L graphs which have just arrived in this country graphs which have just arrived in this country from France. Above is shown Edward F. Hinkle, a prominent member of the famous Lafayette Escadrille, an aviation unit composed entirely of American fliers.

Below is the sketch which Hinkle drew

when asked for something emblematic of America which could be painted on the sides of the machines used by the escadrille. His design was adopted by the French authorities, and now adorns all machines manned by American pilots. The feathers are blue and white and the bonnet is red and yellow.



NO. 12.—COMMODORE BARNEY; Naval Hero of a Land Battle.

> E was a Maryland farmer's boy, and he left the farm for the sea when he was still a child. By the time he was sixteen-in 1776 -he was a master-navigator.

At eighteen he was an officer aboard the Revolutionary cruiser Hornet. From one ship to another and from one rank to another the farmer's boy fought his way. Four times he was taken prisoner-twice escaping and twice being exchanged.

After the Revolution he entered the French navy as a Captain and was promoted to Squadron Commander. But he yearned for his native land, and be came back home before the outbreak of the War of 1812.

It was in 1814 that he fought his greatest fight and made his name immortal in our country's honor roll. Oddly enough this battle was waged on shore, not aboard his own flagship.

It was in the darkest hour of our second war with England. A British force under Ross and Cockburn had landed on the shores of the Chesapeake

His Best Fight.

and marched against Washington. Our national capital was in peril. And every regiment that could be brought into action for the capital's defense was massed at Bladensburg, Md. The regular troops and militiamen were reinforced

by Commodore Barney, who landed a body of 400 marines and other seamen from the Chesapeake flotilla and joined the defenders. He blew up his flotilla to keep it from falling into the hands of the English.

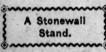
Ross's redcoats advanced to meet the American army, drawn up to bar the invaders' path to Washington.

On the morning of Aug. 24, 1814, began a battle for which the United States has not the very slightest reason to be proud. But for Barney's splendid work in it there would have been nothing to lighten the disgrace to our arms.

As soon as word of the British approach reached Washington everybody In authority shouted orders. And all those orders conflicted with one another. President Madison had one plan for defense. Secretary of War Armstrong had another. James Monroe had a third. Old Gen. Winder (a Revolutionary hold-over, in command of the defenders), had another.

Directions and counter directions were hurled at Winder until the poor old General was in a daze of bawilderment. Then, as the British were just about to attack, he was told to go ahead and do whatever he chose. Naturally, he had no time-even if he had had the ability-to form a successful plan of defense.

At Bladensburg, within ten miles of Washington, the opposing armies met. The British moved on, scarcely pausing for a moment as the American artillery and musket fire smote them. With ease they brushed aside the



first line of Americans, and smashed through the second. Then they came to Barney and his four hundred

sailors. And there they were halted. The handful of bluejackets, headed by Barney,

stood firm before the onslaught of their mightier Again and again the British sought in vain to break through the foes. thin line. Barney was saving the whole American army from rout. How long he might have beaten back the enemy-or whether or not the rest of the troops could have been rallied to his aid-no one knows. For, at last he fell, dangerously wounded. And while the surviving sailors still savagely faced the British over their leader's senseless body, Gen. Winder ordered a retreat. Barney was left on the field, to be captured by the redcoats he had so heroically fought.

The British pressed on to Washington, seizing and looting the Capital

and driving President Madison into hiding. Barney was paroled by his captors. He partly recovered from his wound. But he was never again well enough for active service. And four years later he died.

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The "Father of the Navy" Who was really the "father of the American Navy?" Was it

John Paul Jones or was it John Barry? John Paul has usually had the honor, but Barry has warm partisans, too Barry was ee early heroes of in memory of one of the about to be



erected in Washington and our illustration shows the accepted design. The work is that of John J. Boyle, a New York sculptor. J. Boyle, a New York sculptor. There is only one portrait of Barry, and it hangs in Independ-ence Hall, in Iniladelphia. This portrait, somewhat idealized, has been taken by the sculptor as the model for his statue.

The only inscription on the monument will be: "John Barry, Commodore of the United States Navy. Born Wexford, County Wexford, Ireland, 1745. Died in Philadelphia, 1803."

To Editor Current Events: Please explain what a dog watch Ans .- Two short watches on board ship; one from four to six, the other from six to eight in the evening. The rm "dogwatch is a corruption of dodge-watch; the short watches of two hours were so arranged as to dodge the routine, thus preventing the same men keeping watch at the same time. A "long watch" is, of four hours duration.

Yours truly, Thomas Boyle. なる No United States war vessel has 16-inch guns as yet. The torgest are 14 and 15-inch. It is possible, however. that some of the vessels to be built will be mounted with 16-inch guns.-Ed. Locating Navy Man. Locating Navy Man. To the Editor of the Sunday Call: How should mail be addressed in order that it may reach a young man who en-listed sometime ago in the naval militia? INTERESTED. Address him in care of the haval militia. Brooklyn Navy Yard, N. Y., from which place it will be forwarded to him. Tod

GUNS ON U. S. WAR VESSELS.

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Editor Jersey Journal: Sir-Kindly decide the following:

ins 16-inch.

Thanking you in advance;

inch.

Navy To the Editor of the Sunday Call: 1. What is paid a month in the Navy to a boy who enlists at 17? 2. Does he buy his own clothes or are they fur-nished? 1 and 2. Apprentice seamen get \$17.50 a month, clothes, lodging and medical at-tention.—Ed. Navy

A. C. S.—The navy bill was passed and has become a law. It has not been sent out for general distribution. however, though we are told it provides for a minimum pay of \$30 a month and 20 per cent. extra for service abroad.—Ed.

Can men of foreign birth who are not naturalized serve in the U.S. Navy?

Ans.-No. The rules of the Navy emphasize the fact that a man must

be American born, or fully natural-

ized before he can enlist in the U.S.

Navy. This is a peace regulation. In time of war foreign volunteers

might not be rejected. Indeed, 4.1 per cent of the men now in the Navy are foreign-born and not naturalized. They had enlisted before this regu-lation went into effect and are allowed to re-enlist when their service expires. Last year 91.02 per cent of the enlisted men were native-born Americans, and 4.88 per cent nat-

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Sun Si NAVY YARD FORCES GET RAISE IN PAY Arsenal Workers Included in New Wage Scale.

Special Despatch to THE SUS. WASHINGTON, Sept 16 -A new scale WASHINGTON, Sept 16.—A new scale of woges for employees of navy yards and arsenals has been completed by the special wage committee composed of representatives of the War, Navy and Labor Departments and will go into effect as soon as the new payrolls can be made up. In the case of the New York and Mare Island yards the increases are greater than the recommendations of the local authorities. In other instances the recommendations of the local navy

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the recommendations of the local navy yard, as in the case of some trades at Puget Sound, have been slightly re-duced, in view of the abnormal labor situation in those districts. The in-creases there, however, were greater in proportion than in other yards. The most important change in the navy yard scale is the reduction of the number of rates in any one trade to three. Heretofore most of the skilled trades have been graded into five rates, the most the lowest rates receiving often ittle more than unskilled labor. Hereafter there will be only three rates, the lowest to be paid not more than \$1.04 a day less than the first class men. The increases given in the maximum rates will be found to average nearly 10 per cent. . 100

NAVY WIVES TO STAY HOME.

American Officers V'arned Against Taking Them to Europe.

BASE OF AMERICAN FLOTILLA IN BRITISH WATERS, Oct. 10, (Correspondent of The Associated Press.)-An order to American naval officers and men not to bring their wives from the United States has just been issued by the commanding officer of the United States destroyer flotilla oper-ating in European waters. It reads:

"The force commander is of the opinion that it would be very inadvisable for any officers or men of the naval force in European waters to cause their wives to take passage for Europe."

Two American naval officers succeeded in getting their wives to join them be-

I we schericht havat officers adected in getting their wives to join them be-fore the order was issued. Both were married in April. The next month their husbands received orders to sail for Europe. One wife came from Phila-delphia and the other from Boston. Those responsible for the prohibition justify it on the ground of efficiency. An American naval officer of high rank said: "We must get the maximum of effi-ciency out of our officers and men. They must be unfettered to go wherever they are sent at any time. We cannot have their wives following them around from one base to another. It may look hard to the thousands of young wives of our naval men, but they must re-member that this is war and that they are better off back home, where they can be of more use to the nation."

Who is chief of naval opera-tions? Ans .- Admiral William S. Benson. He has charge, under the Secretary of the Navy, of the operations of our fleet

Marine Corps. To the Editor of the Sunday Call: Kindly tell me the duties of a young man who joins the marine corps and what kind of a uniform they wear? H. H. H. H. Marines, in the strict sense of the word, are "soldiers of the sea." That is, they act as soldiers on shipboard. Although quartered on warships they do not perform sailors' duties, being used on land the same as soldiers. They also patrol the war vessels. There are several kinds of uniforms. The one usually seen is the regulation blue attire. Further information can be obtained at the local recruiting office, 284 Market street, Sergeant Earl Mc-Manus in charge,-Ed.

WORLD: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1917. ADMIRAL MAYO IS HOME FROM EUROPE

Atlantie Fleet Commander Will Report on Activities of Our Sea Forces Abroad.

(Special to The World.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 12 -- Secretary Daniels to-day announced the safe arrival of Admiral Mayo, Commander in Chief of the Atlantic Fleet. and his staff at an Atlantic port.

The officer went to Europe to confer with British and French naval authorities. He will arrive here tomorrow to make his report. While in Washington the Admiral also is expected to make a personal report to President Wilson as to conditions in the American, British and French fleets in the war zone.

"Admiral H. T. Mayo, United States Navy, and his staff have returned from England," Secretary Daniels said in a formal announcement. "The purpose of the visit of Admiral Mayo to England was to permit him in conference with the other officials of the allied navles to become intimate in every detail with the situation as it is at present, what had been done before and to discuss the plans for the future. The British Admiralty extended every courtesy and every facility to promote the success of this mission. Admiral Mayo will proceed immediately to Washington, and will there make a full report to the Sec-retary of the Navy. "Admiral Mayo visited the English and French waters in order that he might familiarize himself with the conditions under which the Allied forces are operating." "Admiral H. T. Mayo, United States

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Secretary Daniels declined to com-ment on possible plans for joint naval activities on a more comprehensive scale as the result of the visit of Admiral Mayo and his staff to Europe. Emphatic denial again was given to reports, which still persist, that there is a lack of proper co-operation be-



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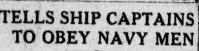
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WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- Help give Uncle Sam stronger eyes that he may the better sight the enemy! How?

By sending to Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, care of Naval Observatory, Washington, D. C., the binoculars. spy-glasses or telescope which you probably have tucked away in a closet. Also firmly attach a tag



In Military Emergencies Commanders of Gun Crews Are Made Supreme.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. - Complaints that American merchant ship captains have not co-operated with commanders of convoys and with naval gun crew commanders caused the Department of Commerce to issue instructions to-day to merchant officers to follow the directions of their naval associates in every instance where they are prompted by military necessity. Disobedience of. the instructions will cause the withdrawal of merchant officers' licenses. The instructions made clear, however, that in matters relating solely to navigation and to the discipline of crews, the authority of merchant captains will be upheld. The Navy's recent insistence on manning all merchant ships with naval reserves grew out of an alleged lack of co-operation by merchant captains. Seamen, the Navy contended, were permitted to come aboard in foreign ports drunk. An arrangement now has been reached between the Navy and Shipping Board providing for manning by the navy of all transports, all ships carrying supplies for the army and the navy and all vessels carrying whole cargoes of munitions.

wald Oct 13 17 **OUR SAILORS ABROAD** ARE HIGHLY EFFICIENT

Admiral Henry T. Mayo, Commander of the Atlantic Fleet, on his arrival yesterday at , an Atlantic port on an American liner said:

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51 KILLED TRAINING FOR AVIATION HERE

(Special to The W rld.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22,-Since the United States entered the war there have been fifty-one fatalities at military aviation fields in this country. 'Ten were' commissioned officers and twenty-nine cadet flyers. Twelve men were killed in unauthorized flights and ground accidents.

This announcement was authorized to-night by Secretary of War Baker. In reply to an inquiry he said:

"Since the training of aviators began in this country our student aviators have flown considerably more than 100,000 miles. Considering the large number of men in training and the number of miles flown, the fatalities have been remarkably low.

"Taking into account the ordinary hazards of their occupation. the development of a comparatively new art, and the ration of accidents in the everyday field of endeavor, it is felt that the fatality record among America's student aviators will compare favorably with those of other countries, and, while distressing, is not discouraging."

DANIELS OPPOSES FLYERS' EXTRA PAY

Says Government's Insurance System Now Makes It Unnecessary.

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bearing your name and address, so that if the glasses are not found suitable they can be returned.

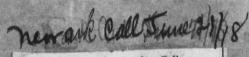
If they are all right you will receive \$1 from the Government, for -as you know-the Government cannot accept property or service without compensation.

Secretary Daniels asked for these extra "eyes" for the navy to-day following a suggestion from J. F. Hefflebower, a veteran of the Civil War, now an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Sawtelle, Cal., who sent a pair of field glasses.

The navy is short of lenses, and the country has not yet caught up with the manufacturing end, as before the war practically all lenses of the better class were imported, mostly from Germany.

tary Daniels recommends, in a letter to the Speaker of the House, that exto the Speaker of the House, that ex-tra pay allowances for members of the Flying Corps of the Navy be abolished. Some time ago Secretary Baker made a similar recommendation that for the army. The act of March 4, 1913, provides 35 per cent. additional new for officers of the pavy and Mapay for officers of the navy and Mapay for officers of the navy and Ma-rine Corps while on aviation duty. The act of March 3, 1915, contained a provision making the additional al-lowance 50 per cent. for commis-sioned flyers and 35 per cent. for stu-dent aviators. It also made provi-sion for a 50 per cent, increase to enlisted men while engaged in actual

flying. Mr. Daniels points out that the increased allowances were mainly due to the difficulty airmen found in obtaining life insurance. This, he says, has been obviated by the Govern-ment's military insurance system. He holds the risk of aviators no greater than those of men as ships serving in the war zone.



To the Editor of the Sunday Call: Will you kindly answer the following for me? 1. What kind of papers must a young woman sign when she is accepted in the Naval Reserve as a yeoman? 2. After the enrollment papers are signed is she forced to go anywhere to serve, or can she sign papers that would provide for service in New York and vicinity only? 3. Would such restricted enroll-ment be recognized by the Navy Depart-ment? 4. Would a serious illness in the applicant's family be sufficient to break her enrollment if her services at home were absolutely necessary, if proven by a physician's certificate? RESTRICTED TEOMAN.

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To the Editor of the Sunday (Will you kindly settle the following dis-cussion in regard to the working hours of female yeomen in the Maral Reserve? A says their working hours are from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. and every other Saturday after-noon off. B says from 9 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. and every Saturday afternoon off and that female yeomen are given a week's vacation. To this last A says no. Who is correct? What are the proper hours? A. B. YEOMEN-HOURS. Female yeomen in Boston work from

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HONORS FOR NAVAL HEROES.

Gold Medal for Commander Who Leaped Into Sea to Save Fireman.

WASHINGTON, July 16 .- Award of a gold medal to Commander Henry C. Mustin, U. S. N., for heroism in saving the life of Fireman H. L. Le Gette on Jan. 15 was announced today by Secretary Daniels. Commander Mustin leaped into a heavy sea, after directing the manoeuvre of his ship from the bridge to a position near the drowning man, and under peril of being crushed against the side of the ship, which was rolling heavily in the sea, exported Le Gette in the water until both were hauled to the deck.

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Daniels for courage and initiative dis-played when the U. S. S. Wakiva was sunk in collision May 22. Olsen, who was the last man to leave the Wakiva, remaining to get the boats cleared. Ensign Ellwood L. Houtz, U. S. N. R. F., has been commended for preventing what might have been a serious acci-dent by following a cable under water and releasing two depth bombs which had been washed overboard from the U. S. S. Corsair on Dec. 17. The heroic manner in which Henry Peter Hanson, a machinist's mate of the naval volunteers, and Chalmer I. Politit, electrician, U. S. N. R. F. met their death at Ocean Beach, Cal., on May 5, was commented upon today in an official Navy Department statement. After saving several men who had been caught in an unexpected tide rip, Han-son and Politit went out to rescue others and were drowned themselvas. Secretary Daniels has commended the Monte J. Brundige, electrician, for their heroism on the same occasion. Each assisted in the rescue of several per-sons.

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Army and Navy Service. To the Editor of the Sunday Call: 1. Can a civilian attend a naval training school to become a naval officer? 2. Does an enlistment in the navy require one to remain in service for a stated time or can one enlist for the duration of the war only? 3. What is the enlisted man's pay? 4. Naval officer? 6. What is the age limit in enlisting? 6. Address of Newark recruiting station? 1. How does the Naval Reserve differ from the navy? 8. I am interested in hospital work and what department of the army could one enlist in for service in the base hospitals in this country or overseas? ESEX COUNTY CALL READER. 1. No. 2. If you refer to an enlistment in the regular navy, the period of enlist-

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FINGER PRINTS SAFEGUARD NAVY PAY SLIPS.

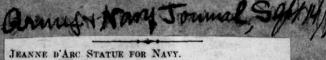
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Identification by means of finger prints has been adopted at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station in the payment of pay slips. No advance notice of the in-novation was given. For some time sailors at the training station have occasionally drawn the wrong en-velopes and no accurate way of tracing the men who drew someone clase's pay was degised, so when the re-ceiving ship's rolls were paid Sept. 5, P.A. Paymr. Charles W. Stevenson required each man, upon draw-ing his pay, to impress his right index finger on the back of his pay slip. If at any time in the future a ques-tionable pay slip is found at the Great Lakes station it will be sent to Washington, where the Navy Depart-ment's finger print experts will compare it with the finger prints on record, those from every Nevy recruit-ing office in the country where men have been enrolled being on file. The finger print system is an absolute protection to every sailor, no two finger prints ever having been found alike since the system was first in-vented by a titled Englishman in India about half a century ago. the payment of pay slips. No advance notice of the incentury ago.

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Joining the Marines.

To the Editor of the Sunday Call: Kindly inform me as to what the re-quirements are as to weight and chest measurements for entering the United States Marine Corps for a person 30 years old and 5 feet 9 inches in height. RECRUIT.

You should weigh 148 pounds and have a chest neasurement of 34% inches. The rectuiting officer can waive ten pounds weight and two inches from the chest circumference if the applicant is very desirable.-Ed.

The Navy Department issued a statement of Sept. 1 that reports sent by wire just received state that, in celebration of the Fourth of July and of the first anniversary of the arrival of the first ships of war sent by the United States for service in French waters, the Commander of the U.S. Naval Forces in France was presented with a bronze statue of Jeanne d'Arc. At the ame time an American flag made by the women of same time an American flag made by the women of Brest was presented, the ceremony taking place in the barrack at the chateau. Both of these were spontaneous offerings from the people of the city and the presentation was made before a crowd that overflowed the barracks and out into the court yard. It took place on the even-ing of July 3. The statement also included an order transmitted by Vice Admiral Schwerer of the French navy to the commander of the American naval forces in France expressing the admiration of the French navy for their American comrades in arms. for their American comrades in arms.

Wants to Join Navy. Editor Hudson Observer: Dear Sir-I am in my sixteenth year and would like to know if a boy of my age can join the naxy? AMBITIOUS. You will have to wait a couple of years, my boy, for the youngest age at which you will be accepted is eighteen years. --Ed.

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Sept 28/18 NEW YORK TIMES. NEW USE OF FINGER PRINT.

Sailors at Great Lakes Station Make Mark on Pay Slips.

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SUPERSTITIONS OF SAILOR LADS

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GOOD SIGNS AND EVIL OMENS

"Sailors are the most superstitieus peo-ple in the world," said an old salt who was discoursing, from his seat upon a rusty anchor, to the young naval reserve recruits. "Anything they can't under-stand." went on the speaker after hay. recruits. "Anything they can't under-stand," went on the speaker, after hav-ing lit his pipe despite a stiff breeze. "they explain by magic or something supernatural. Now, at sea there are many things that no man can under-stand. And the life, too, makes men superstitious. Let a young fellow who would pooh-pool the idea of putting off anything until Saturday on port used anything until Saturday or next week because Friday is an unlucky day ship before the mast, and inside of six months he'll be like the rest of the old salts-full of signs and superstitions about this and that. It must be the influence of the and that. It must be the influence of the It changes a man; I don't know just how, but it makes him ready to be-Here in almost anything. "I think that one of the beliefs most

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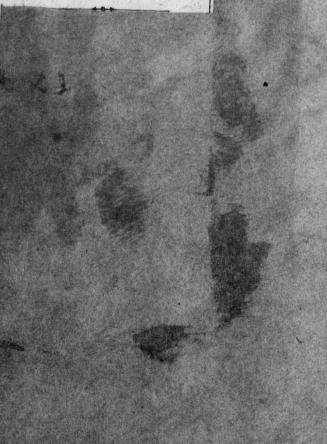
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thought to have more than ordinary powers.

'Some of the older sailors believe that the sposible to 'buy a wind,' as they call it, and by this is meant getting the favor of certain persons who have con-trol over the elements. There are not many satiors now alive who put much faith in this, although I have," he said, "heard of a commodore in the British navy who not over twenty years ago said that he knew where he could buy a wind it he needed one. This belief is fast dying out among the remeasured a wind it he needed one. This belief is fast dying out among the younger men. Sunday has always been thought a for-tunate day to commence a voyage, and Friday an unlucky one. This is a belief that is firmly fixed in the mind of the average sailor, and there are many cap-tains who, although they put no faith in this, would hesitate to leave port on tains who, although they put no faith in this, would hesitate to leave port on Friday on account of the objections that the men would be sure to make. On the the men would be sure to make. On the other hand, the changes from sail to steam are altering this rapidly, and in these days there are many vessels that can not afford to lose a day on account of a superstition, although: most. old sailors would tell you that a greater loss would result before the voyage was done. There are some creatures met with at sea toward which sailors have a fixed dislike. They detest sharks, which follow a ship for days, and it is doomed to die shortly when one or more of these creatures dog a vessel. The lit-

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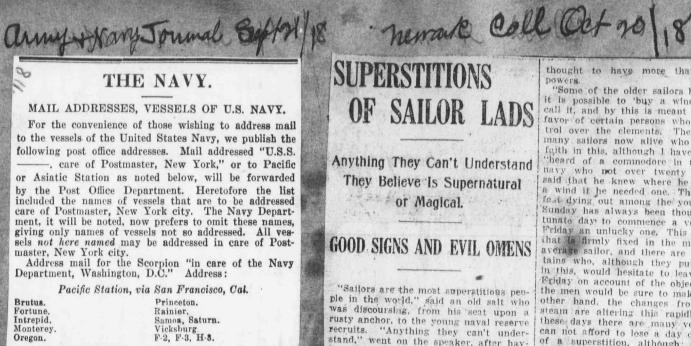
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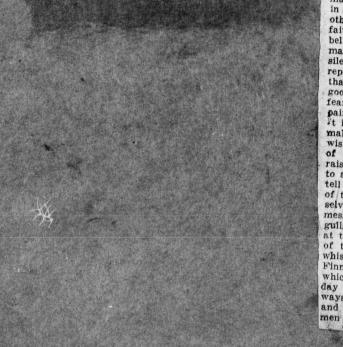
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powers. "Some of the older sailors believe that t is possible to 'buy a wind.' as they call it, and by this is meant getting the favor of certain persons who have control over the elements. There are not many sailors now alive who put bluch faith in this, although I have." he said, "heard of a commodore in the British heard of a commodore in the British navy who bot over twenty years ago said that he knew where he could buy a wind it he needed one. This belief is fast dying out among the younger men. Tast dying out among the younger men. Sunday has always been thought a for-tunate day to commence a voyage, and Friday an unlucky one. This is a belief that is firmly fixed in the mind of the average sailor, and there are many cap-tains who, although they put no faith in this, would hesitate to leave port on Friday on account of the objections that the men would be sure to make. On the other hand, the changes from saik to the men would be sure to make. On the other hand, the changes from sail to steam are altering this rapidly, and in these days there are many vessels that can not afford to lose a day on account of a superstition, although most old sailors would tell you that a greater loss would result before the voyage was done. There are some creatures met with at sea toward which sailors have a fixed dislike. They detest sharks, which follow a ship for days, and it is have a fixed disfike. They detest sharks, which follow a ship for days, and it is thought that some one on board is doomed to die shortly when one or more of these creatures dog a vessel. The lit-tle 'Mother Carey's Chickens,' which fly so far from land that they sometimes parts they they to reach the start to read perch upon the rigging in order to rest themselves, are believed to be the mesthemselves, are believed to be the mes-sengers of a storm, and for this reason they are often called 'tempest birds.' Dolphins or porpoises are unfavorable omens if seen during a calm. I have known sailors to hang the end of a rope over the side of a ship upon leaving port. The belief is that absent friends or wives draw upon this rope, causing the vessel to come back safely to her home port. I have known men who be-lieved that a ship has a voice, and many think that a ship makes her moan,' just as does a human being, before she is about to break up. Tales of 'speak-ships' are common, and I have known one old captain who used to talk to the mizships are common, and I have known one old captain who used to talk to the miz-zenmast of his vessel. There are some stranger things in sea life," concluded the narrator, as he rose and knocked the

ashes from his pipe.



man of the sea, relighting his pipe, "but in addition to these things there are many others in which they place more or less faith. I have seen many old tars who believed that Finns, or Laplanders, had magic powers. The Finns are a strange, silent people, and have come to have the constant of being wigards. It is thought reputation of being wizards. It is thought that they can use this power for either good or bad, and as they are somewhat feared by the average sailor he takes feared by the average sailor he takes pains to be on good terms with them. It is generally believed that a Finn can make all the rats leave a ship if he wishes, and that Finns have a great deal of control over the winds.' They can raise a storm by spells, and it is unwise to anger them. I have heard old sailors tell of certain Finns who were members of the same ship's company with them-selves in past voyages, who could send messages to absent friends on shore by guils which would light upon the sigging gulls which would light upon the wigging at their call and repeat to the relatives of the Laplander the message that ne whispered to them. They also told of a Finn who had a bottle of liquor from which he could drink several times every day without lowering the contents. ways remained just so full, day after day week after week. There are also men of some other nations who are

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American Flag Again to Fly Over Millions of Tons of Shipping

Youth Reviving the Lost Art of "Sailorizing," Driving Out the Nondescript Crews From the Merchant Marine.

NCE again is American bone and | is being given the grounding which will brawn to man American merchantmen. Once again is the American flag to fly over millions of tons of shipping scattered through every harbor where a cargo for the States can be scraped together to fill yawning hold or where an empty warehouse waits for American merchandise.

Old ports have awakened from long sleep, jarred into sudden wakefulness by the crying need for men and ships. When these ports were in the heyday of their tarry glory they were the hunting ground "greasy crimps," who plied their 'bloody calling' shanghaiing unwilling crews aboard deep water craft about to clear for the long voyage. But the old ports have come to live to find that the crimp and his chief imp, the slinking "boarding house runner," are no more. Men are no longer lacking. Crews are no longer hard to fill.

Instead, thousands of young Americans are flocking to the age-old water fronts. They are boys who saw their childhood dreams of some day running off to sea vanish with the passing of the American clipper ship, and the later triumph of steam over sail. And now with a newer, greater American merchant marine just below the horizon, they are the boys who will make the new merchant fleet possible. They are flocking to the old ports to "sign articles" on some one of the big training ships which are being operated by the United States Shipping Board recruiting and training service and from which will be supplied the officers and men for the American ships of the future.

Only Memories Now.

At Boston, where along Indian street still hang memories of the fleet-heeled "clipper ships," at San Francisco, where the Barbary Coast sucked in the old-time sailor man, stripped him of his gold and cast him forth upon another three-year voyage; at New York, where South and West streets still harbor what is left of the drab structures that were the sailor's boarding houses at these ports have the training ships been stationed. And others will soon cast anchor in the harber of New Orleans, where from time out of mind ships in the Caribbean trade have touched; and at Newport News, where the River road still holds the tang of the open sea

Upon these ships American boys are learning to "read, hand and steer" the necessary accomplishment of an A. B. in the fo'c'sle of a windiammer, since the speedy American wooden schooner is being built more extensively than ever before and even the old square-riggersbarks and barkentines and brigs-have been dragged from the mud of a hundred "rotten rows" to be rebuilt and patched and painted so that they may take up

fit him some day "to sleep aft"-officer of some stanch American ship.

Time was when the American seaman was a race unto himself. Into the farthe streaches of the seven seas he drove the fleet-heeled clippers of the fifties, while his wife ashore raised sturdy sons to take up their father's work when the tricky sea at last had claimed him. Then came the days when the American merchant marine sailed into the doldroms of decay, when the few sailing ships were no longer manned by Down East sailormen, but were driven by nondescript scattermouche crews or by stolid "squareheads," mostly the off-scourings of Euporean ports. Then true "sailorizing" had become an almost lost art.

A Lost Art Revived.

But the lost art is to be revived as part of the great campaign of strafing the Hun and equipping the nation to keep the commerce of Germany from the seas, once the kaiser has been driven within his own borders and defeated. Not one of the ancient traditions of the American seaman is to be overlooked when the thousands of American boys, destined to take the places of their tarry, hard-bitten forebears in fo'o'sle and on quarterdeck are trained.

Even the chanty will come again into its own. There are still old salts who, in so good a cause, will sing again the songs of the sea. Wherefore it may chance that again "The Banks of the Sacramento" will sound when the anchor is raised on some new wooden ship; that "Hanging Johnny" and "Whisky Johnny" will float out over the waves of the western ocean while youthful crew are hoisting away; that some astounded landsman will learn that "Old Storm Along Was a Good Old Man," while the pumps suck the bilges dry; or that 'We will heave

Aye! Aye! And we'll swing

Ave! Ave! And pay Paddy Doyle for his boots!"

while the sails of some yet unresurrected square rigger are being furled.

The shipbuilding program for 1918 and 1919 calls for from 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 tons of shipping and that the vessels turned out to fill this requirement may be sufficiently manned means that from 50,000 to 100,000 officers, engineers and sailors will be needed. It was to train men and boys sufficient to meet this demand that the shipping board established its training service.

First School of Navigation.

The establishment of this service dates ack to the early days of the war, and in part to the long-cherished dreams of a Of seafaring ancestry, Mr. Howard has long wished for the return of the Amer-of the war. A grat in the winning avigation was opened, and at Cambridge, Mass., the Massachusette Institute of



A Recruit Learning the Seaman's Knack of Knotting

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cities such as Chicago and Cleveland. is then ordered to report to Boston head-quarters or the nearest training port, where he is examined by a physician of the shipping board. But great as was the demand for officers, equally great was the need for sailors, firemen, coal passers, cooks and messmen. And to meet this need, on New Each recruit is required to pay his ov n fare to Boston, but if he is received into the service the fare is refunded. Appren-Year Day, 1918, there went 'hto commission as a training ship in Boston harbor the Calvin Austin. Once a coastwise pastices are paid \$30 a month while trainsenger ship, the Calvin Austin had been ing, and exempted from military duty as taken over by the shipping board the long as they are regularly employed in November before. It was this vessel the merchant marine. The uniform of the which came into prominence about that service is blue, and all men accepted retime because of being the first vessel to ceive their uniform and working clothes. reach Halifax after the great disaster Upon graduation the shipping board unthere. lertakes to place each man in a merchant With facilities for training between five marine vesse

hundred and six hundred men the Calvin Austin was soon taxed to her utmost, and the Governor Dingley, a sister ship, was added. Later, a third coastwise steamer, the Governor Cobb, was commissioned in this training service. A short time ago the old army transport Meade was brought up to Boston from at sea for Newport News and will be used as the mother ship of a squadron that will shortly be in active service turning out young men for service on the vessels destined to take troops and cargo across the ocean. The Meade was originally the City of Berlin, a' famous liner, holding transatlantic records both ways. She has facilities for training more than one thousand four hindred students and while too dld for sea service is an ideal training ship.

At San Francisco has been stationed the Iris, 'a mother ship for submarines. This is the first training ship to be stationed on the Pacific coast. Another training ship, the Dorothy Bradford, will have its base in New York harbor. Present plans also call for the placing of training ships at Norfolk, Va.; New Orleans and Seattle, Wash. Getting Recenits.

Although the number of training ports where American youths may fit themselves to man American vessels are com paratively few, there is yet no reason why any able-bodied American boy between the ages of 21 and 30 should not 'sign articles" with some training ship if he so desires. To this end the shipping board has inaugurated a thorough and far-reaching system of recruiting that should reach every village and hamlet as well as the large cities, and find the ear of every boy who would heed the call of the sea.

As official chanty instructor is Stanton H. King, whose duty it is to re-Scattered throughout forty-eight States are more than 6,800 druggists-"dollar-avive the ancient custom among sailoryear" men who have signified their desire men of singing while they worked. Mr. to aid the government. These druggists King is an "old salt" himself, having gotlist in the inerchant marine service has forty years ago. Considered the best but to sign application papers at the chanty singer in this country, Mr. King

are to be found in 6,300 cities, towns and ten his experience in seamanship and his villages, and any boy who wants to encourses were so successful in obtaining certificates that other schools were opened as soon as possible. again their burden in the coastwise carry-ing trade. Also upon these ships American boys are learning the less romantic duties which mark the difference between a sailor in steam and one in sail, and each

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Since the Calvin Austin went into com-mission nearly four hundred graduate seamen have been sent into merchant ships, and not a single bad report has come back to the shipping board regarding the intelligent performance of their duty. In addition to this, several of the boys who served their apprenticeship on the Calvin Austin have since passed eraminations granting them cer-

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1918 U.S. Finger Print Records Preserve Our Dead Heroes From Nameless Graves

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Army and Navy Has Evidence of Every Enlisted Man's Identity That Cannot Be Changed Even by Death -The Impressions of All Fingers Fall Into Six Classes, and Finding Any One of Millions Is Just Like Turning to the Right Word in the Dictionary



Pro: 7,-Radial loop, right hand, or ulnar



. The most important use of finger prints is in the identification of dead bodies of soldiers and sailors killed in action or recovered from the sea. Frequently this is the only way to identify them in spite of the fact that there may be tattooing and other marks and scars.

The mangled body of an unknown man was found on the tracks of a railroad in the outskirts of Philadelphia and taken to the city morgue. The man was dressed in civilian clothes, which revealed no clue to his identity. On one arm was tattooea a battleship and on the other the insignia of an artillery regiment. The military authorities were communicated with, finger prints were taken and sent to Washington, where they were identified in a few moments as the prints of a former soldier. In this way the remains were claimed by the man's relatives.

Only a few months ago a sailor was found wandering around the streets of Washington in a deranged mental state. He was sent to the Naval Hospital, where finger prints were taken and his identity established in a short time.

In the Army, Navy and Marine Corps finger prints are made and recorded on a card which shows each finger separately and all of the fingers collectively. These cards are sent to the War and Navy Departments, classified and filed for future reference.

The apparatus for making finger prints consists of a piece of glass, a small ink roller and a compressible tube of printer's ink. A small amount of the ink is squeezed from the tube and spread on the glass by means of the roller.

Impressions are of two kinds-"rolled" and "plain." The former are made by placing the side of the finger on the plate and rolling it over to the other side, and then rolling the finger on the card. A "plain" impression is made by pressing the under surface of each finger to the inked plate and then pressing it on the card. On the finger print cards the rolled prints are placed in the designated squares, and the plain prints, are taken simultaneously and recorded on the lower part of the card.

At the time of making finger prints employees, some of the Government an identification tag is made. This employees of the Canal Zone are paid consists of an oval disk made of by such identification and savings

The finger print of the right index finger is "rolled" on one side and on the other is written or printed the: man's name, rank, date of enlistment and date of birth. The tag is then treated by chemicals, after which it is found that the finger print and words are etched on the metal and are therefore indelible.

If the reader took his own finger, print by means of an ordinary rubber stamp and ink pad and examined it through a magnifying glass, he would note that it fell within one of six primary classifications. Figure 5 is known as an "arch." Figure 6 is a "tented arch." Figure 7 is a "radial loop." Figure 8 is an "ulnar loop." Figure 9 is a "whorl," and Figure 10, is a "composite or double curve." These are further subdivided by deltas and cores. There are also loops beads, the running together of lines, the separation of lines and various combinations. There are so many points of difference that the indexers have no trouble in classifying the cards, and it is just as easy to find a card as it is to find a word in the' dictionary. As before stated, the print. of one finger is all that is necessary, but the prints of the other fingers are used to confirm the first.

Finger printing has been known for centuries and once was extensively used in China by merchants as signatures. From there the practice extended to India. In this country great interest was aroused by Mark Twain's novel "Puddin'head Wilson" which treats of the substitution of one baby for another, which was the real heir,

The man responsible for introduction of finger printing into the western world was Francis Galton, an Englishman who published several monographs on the subject in 1892. In former days criminals were identified by photographs, but this method was found to be confusing and unsatisfactory. In 1885, Alphonse Bertillon, a Frenchman, called attention to a system of measurements, which though satisfactory and dependable, is tedious of accomplishment compared with the simplicity of making and classifying finger prints. Such is only one of their many uses. Railroads employ them to identify metal, one and one-half inches long banks utilize finger prints to identify by one and a quarter inches wide. illiterate depositors.







Fig. 10 .- Composite, (2 Celtas.)

Copyright, 1918, by the Press Publishing Co. (The New York Evening World.) URING the Civil War thousands of soldiers were buried in unknown graves. In this war, Uncle Sam is going to protect from oblivion those of his boys who meet a hero's fate by means of identification tags and finger prints. The chance that the finger prints of any twoindividuals will be identical is one in sixty billion, authorities say. The chance of error is infinitesimal and is still further reduced if prints of more than one finger are taken.

The only requirement is that prints must be clear to bring out the lines. These lines are more enduring than any other marks of the body, They do not vary from youth to old age and even persist after death. Injuries alone change them, but the scar of a cut would be substantive identification.

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Follows the Events of the Day

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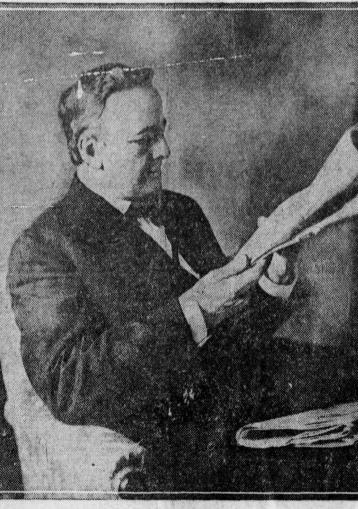
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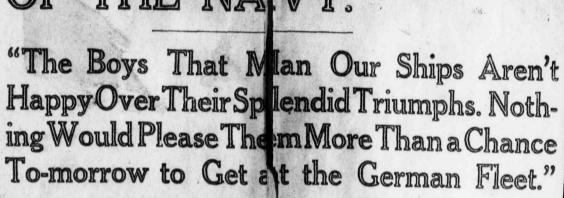


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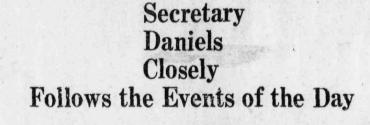
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But Germany is boasting no more! The submarine menace has ended, so far as a determining factor in the tive in decreasing measure. Ships

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marines and destroyed them; roam- most magnificent in history. ed the Atlantic from South America, HAVEN'T REACHED LIMIT. to Europe, into the Mediterranean, it of our endeavors; far from comand has cruised the Pacific.

But the boys that man our ships ourselves more than two years ago aren't happy over their splendid tri- -to make the Navy of the United umphs. They are like buildogs States a Navy that will be surpassed straining at the leash. They want by no Navy that flow action-they want to battle day after Before the outbreak of war the day for the greater glory of America. American fleet comprised approxi-They are almost prayerful in their mately 300 fighting vessels. And pleading for "a real crack at the Ger- some of them were simost obsolete. mans." Nothing in this life would The American Nav. of to-day is a please them more than the issuance Navy of more than 1200 ships. They erous Atlantic. In this great work the Navy of the United States so and the navies of her Allies have entry into the war, the sea wolves the conflict against the U-boats of orders to-morrow that gave them are ready to take their full part in there has been co-operation between that the transports would become been sinking submarines faster than created havoc with the shipping of swung the balance of sea power in a chance to get at the German fleet. any battle that may be fought. There prey for the under-sea wolves of Ger- even frenzied Germany can build the world; rolled up an enormous their favor; that our entrance into It might mean death for some of will be added to the great fighting. the American and British havies. But the American Navy—assisted by warships of our Allies—has stun-ned the German leaders and caused the "impossible." Day after day, week after week, month after month week after week, month after month prey has been foiled. And to those her schedule. Through the months And our generous allies insist that "Amazing Gunmanship." the German ruler who sought world fore has been thou ht impossible; the advent of the American Navy in Unceasing yiglance, amazing gun- domination—and who now is totter- battle cruisers of an azing speed and copyright, 1918, King Features Syndicate, Inc.

"The Boys That Mlan Our Ships Aren't HappyOver Their Splendid Triumphs. Nothing Would Please Them More Than a Chance To-morrow to Get at the German Fleet."

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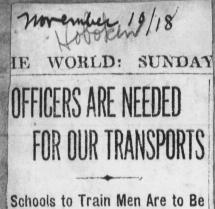
the man-o'-war roster of the Navy in the era before the United States entered the war; over 500,000 is the

tices are being tutored in the tasks The American Navy has been ac-tive in this war—more active, per-haps, than any that has ever battled under the Stars and Stripes. It has protected troopships, scouted for subthat soon will face them aboard the

The Marine Corps, once considered an important factor in Navy strength, has come into power by along the American seaboard, across And we are still far from the lim- leaps and bounds. Before the war its enrolment was 9,900 men and 340 officers. But to-day the Marine Corps lists more than 50,000 men and 2,000 officers, with that total being augmented with every passing day.

> That's the American Navy of today.

Once this navy of ours was regarded as small and lacking in adep: power: once it was the target for contempt. Some went so far as to call it an unimportant factor in fig uring the war strength of this nation But 1914 brought new appropriations and real ones-for unbuilding the



Opened by the Navy Department.

Engineering officers for the transport and supply ships are now one of the pressing needs of the navy, and the supply is far short of the demand for capable men. To meet the need the Navy Department has established the United States Navy Steam Engineering School at Hoboken, N. J. The voluntary induction of men through their local boards can now be made. Ensign C. L. McIntyre, Assistant Mobilization Inspector of the Eastern District, will be at his headquarters, No. 225 West 42d Street, New York City, to examine applicants.

The school is open to men who meet the physical requirements of the navy, who are of thorough ability and officer-like material and have completed the mechanical, electrical or civil engineering course at any recognized university or posses or recognized university, or possess an equivalent education and experience. The course comprises approximately five months, viz.:

five months, viz.: One month at the Pelham Bay Training Station, Pelham Bay, N. Y. One month technical instruction at the United States Navy Steam En-gineering School, Hoboken, N. J. Two months' training on Sound steamers, ferry boats and a trip

across the ocean. One month final technical irstruc-

One month final technical instruc-tion at the United States Navy Steam Engineering School, Hoboken, N. J. The graduates of this school will be assigned to duties as engineering of-ficers of the transport and supply ships. They will be commissioned as Ensigns in the United States Naval Reserve Force. The salary of an Ensign at sea is \$155 a month, and \$185 a month if he has dependents. This is a wonderful opportunity for men who are steam engineers to con-

men who are steam engineers to con-tinue in their trade and eventually perform admirable services for Uncle Sam.

21 AIR STATIONS World's Fastest Plane, with Speed

WY TO HAVE

NEW YORK AMERICAN-

of 160 Miles an Hour, Built Here.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27 .- The Navy Department's programme for making permanent the twenty-one coastal air defense stations planned for the war was explained to the House Appropri-ations Committee to-day by Rear-Ad-miral Taylor, Chief of Construction. He asked that \$5,759,000 be provided for this work next year. Squadrons of fighting aircraft of every descrip-tion will be included in the equipment for stations along the Atlantic, Gulf

and Pacific and insular possessions. New stations, Admiral Taylor said, are to be erected on the Maine coast are to be erected on the Maine coast between Portland and Rockland; at Narragansett Bay, New York City; Port Arthur, Texas; San Francisco; Seward, Alaska; Hawaiian Islands, Virgin Island, Guam and in the Canal Zone. Stations are now under con-struction at Cape Lookout, N. C.; Brunswick, Ga., and Galveston, Texas, and others have been completed at Chatham, Mass.; Rockaway Beach, Cape May, Miami and Key West, San Diego and in the Canal Zone. Diego and in the Canal Zone.

Admiral Taylor said the fastest aipliane in the world was built in the United States. This machine, known as the Kirkham Triplane, developed a speed of 160 miles an hour, and experiments are contemplated to see if it cannot do better than that. The Admiral also told of a German

Zeppelin that recently flew from Bulgaria to East Africa and back. It was sent out to bring home a Ger-man commander, but he was cap-tured before the craft arrived. Captain Steele, of the Naval Avia-tion Bureau, said control attain

tion Bureau, said coastal stations op-orated by the navy in foreign waters had been discontinued. American ma-chines abroad will be sold and the engines of those for which there is no demand shipped home. Since the signing of the armistice

since the signing of the armistice avlation contracts amounting to \$36,-000,000 have been cancelled. Admiral Taylor said. Captain Steel said about \$220,000,000 appropriated for naval aviation would be returned to the treasury at the end of the fiscal year.

her york Times, Dec 26/8

Credit for the Navy.

To the Editor of The New York Times I wish to thank you for your editorial on 'Navy Men Feel Slighted," in your valuable paper Monday, Dec. 23. Since last July the Lower Wall Street Business Men's Association have been collecting musical instruments for the men of our savy. They have come in controt when a la number of our sailors' who fully coincide h your correspondent from the U. S. S. Leviathan, and as you say they have a "real grievance." There are seemingly but few who "yet know" what the navy has done. They little think our navy has been in the danger zone con-tinually since the beginning of the war. Few that from the moment a transport knew sailed from New York there were hourly inspections both day and night, not only the danger from submarines, but equally as great the prevention of the spreading of contagious diseases. Nowhere have we seen it stated that the officers in command did not remove their clothing from the time they left New York usual they reached the other side, so great was their anxiety that they often remained on bridges, for twenty-four hours at a time. No one has told us no matter how near a submarine might have been the convoy could so no faster than the slowest ship. Never in the history of the world has there been a more marvelous exploit than the transportation of two million men and their supplies 3,000 miles over the dangerous sea, with little or no loss, and yet many speak of the navy as having accomplished nothing, not realizing in great conflicts between nations the one having the most powerful nevy will ultimately be successful.

Let our good Secretary of the Navy lift " the veil of secrecy over the men who have deserved to be known to their countrymen.' And we, the people, show on Thursday when our ships come home we appreciate what the navy has done by turning out and giving them a most hearty welcome

ABRAM WAKEMAN, Secretary, Lower Wall Street Business Men's Association. New York, Dec. 23, 1918.

new Month Junie Dec 2018 The Convoy Fleet. To the Editor of The New York Times: It seems to me that in welcoming back the fleet from the other side they have entirely

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Editor Hudson Observer: I'm a constant reader of your valuable newspaper, and would like to know why it is that a good many young men, like me, who have tried to enlist in the U. S. Navy, have been rejected on account of being only 5 feet 2 inches, instead of 5 feet 4 inches.

fact that there are others in the navy who deserve at least honorable imention. The papers are full of the returning dreadnoughts, and while I don't doubt they did wonderful work, I think it rather a pity entirely to forget, apparently, all the others. I suppose I feel keenly about it, as my "hero" has made ten trips back and forth, oproved several hundred thousand men in all sorts and kinds of seas and weather, and he is only one of many. Can't Uncle Sam do something about it in fairness to all? New York, Dec. 23, 1918. the navy who deserve at least honorable New York, Dec. 23; 1918.

Can you kindly tell me if there is other way of passing?

Thanking you in advance for your wonderful efforts of giving all sorts of valuable information to the public, I remain,

Ic, I remain, A Constant Reader. If you are less than six months older than 17 years, the navy will accept you at your height of 5 feet 2 inches. If you are above that age (17 years and six months) you can-not qualify.—[Ed.]

THE NEW YORK

NAVY MEN "PEEL SLIGHTED.

To the Editor of The New York Times: Being a member of the crew of the U. S. S. Leviathan, U. S. Navy transport, since Aug. 11. 1917, I feel that it is my duty in behalf of my shipmates, not only on this ship but on all the ships in the service, to make a protest. Everything we read in the papers is always praising the army. Not that I do not admire the wonderful fighting and work the army has done, but don't you think the navy ought to get a little credit once in a while? Just think of the men on the destroyers and patrol boats that have been in European waters long before any of the soldie's started to go. Haven't they done just as much to win this war as the army has? It was not the navy's fault that the cowardly German fleet did not come out to fight. If they had, the navy would have fought to the last man and ship -and won, too. If it had not been for the navy, how could the soldiers, have gotten across? Everybody that reads will know that there have been very few men (army) lost on the seas, through enemy action. In England everything is the navy, and they de-serve every bit of it. The English have the most wonderful navy in the world, but still they think that without the timely help of the American Gobs the war would have lasted much longer than it has.

I am not making this protest in my behalf alone, but in behalf of my fellow-shipmates in the naval service, who feel pretty sore over the raw deal they have been getting. This is the termination of my tenth trip on this ship, and I think we have run through as many dangers as the men in the army have. Another thing that the general public does not seem to understand is that every man in the naval service is a volunteer.

ONE OF THE CREW OF THE U. S. S. LEVIATHAN. New York, Dec. 17, 1918.

This is a real grievance, and we have heard its expression by enlisted men of the navy, who seem even to fear that history will be written in the same way as the censorship has had the facts given to the newspapers, and that men will never know what the navy performed. This last fear has no foundation; when the books are opened the names recorded there of heroic army and navy men alike will fly out. In this respect the army has suffered almost as badly as the navy. "He stopped them at the Marne," said Mayor-Major MITCHEL of Marshal JOFFRE; we stopped them at Château-Thierry and Belleau Woods, and yet how wide is the knowledge of the names of the officers who commanded the Americans who stopped them at this second Marne? We know the name of the Frenchman, but do we cnow the names of the Americans? But the navy has suffered more cruelly than the army. We at least knew what the army was doing, but we do not yet know what the navy has done. Secretary DANIELS still hangs the veil of secrecy over men who have deserved to be known to their countrymen, and known while the honor of their gallantry is fresh. He has promised a later report, but he need not wait for it to give the country these facts. What is the reward of gal-

lantry but fame, and why should the laurels be withheld until they have withered? What is the use of saying that the consciousness of duty is sufficient reward? Even if it is, these boys are entitled to more than their sufficient reward; more than sufficiency, far more than the utmost. We say that nothing is too good for them; there is a popular song that expresses the general feeling, "When You "Come Home, and You Will Come "Home, There's a Whole World "Waiting for You." But the boys say they don't want a whole world; they want the honor, the fame, that they earned by their deeds, and they want it while it is fresh, while the girls and the old folks at home can take the full measure of pride in it. and not long hence when the Treaty of Peace has been signed. Who are we and Secretary DANIELS to deny them

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this modest reward and this just right?

Yet the curious but real distinction our sailor friend describes between our navy and the British will remain, we fear, even after Secretary DANIELS'S belated duty has been performed. British histories have always exalted their navies, while with the single exception of the War of 1812 our naval heroes have never had all the fame they earned so greatly. The reason why we exalt the navy of 1812 is that there is almost nothing in our army's work in that war in which we can feel any pride. Much of its record was disgraceful, thanks to the volunteer system, muddle-headed administration, and a great deal of wiredrawing about State rights and the Constitution.

But the navy won the war for the Union. But for the navy GRANT might have had to go on fighting for years without a decision; yet FARRAGUT, PORTER, and FOOTE are almost regarded as minor figures, " with GRANT or SHERMAN always present." Lately a book was written to prove that the navy won the Revolution, too; yet all most of us know about the navy in that war is that JOHN PAUL JONES was a successful raider. In the Spanish war it is necessary to give credit to the navy, since the war was won obviously by Dewer and the squadrons commanded by SAMPSON and SCHLEY; but there is a disproportionate emphasis on the army's part in most that is written even about that war. In writings about the Mexican war the navy's part almost disap-

pears.

This unintentional unfairness, which lies in the nature of things on this continent-since it does not exist in Great Britain, where the emphasis is all the other way-is an additional reason why the nation should learn with out delay what the navy has been doing and who did it. No sailor of the United States should be permitted to feel for a moment that he and his arm of the service are being unfairly treated; there should not be a sore heart under any sailor's shirt. And conversations with enlisted men, as well as this letter, convince us that this necessity is not yet recognized as we should like to see it,

The Man Who Taught Our Navy to Shoot

Ere. World - Jan 21/19

IN the early days of our navy it was | and is now, impossible to have much appropriations for target practice. day with his tube attachment. after a long fight that they were brought to the views of the men behind the guns. Foremost among these men was Rear Admiral Sims, who, back in 1901, was a young Lieutenant attached to a warship in the Asiatic Fleet. He studied gunnery morning, noon and night and came to the belief that when a shell was fired it should hit something. He knew that in the Battle of Santiago, in the Spanish-American War, the American warships had scored but one hit for every one hundred sheals fired. At the time no other navy could show any better marksmanship; nevertheless, those ninety-nine misses worried him.

In the December Boys' Life, Mr. William Heyliger gives a sketch of the battle Rear Admiral Sims had for target practice in the navy, and goes on to say:

"In China he met a young British naval officer who also had ideas about gunnery. The British officer was experimenting with a tube that when attached to a big gun fired a very small shell. The tube pointed exactly as the gun was pointed. By mathematical calculation the accuracy of the big gun could be determined by firing the small tube at a miniature target.

"Sims was quick to see the possibilities of the idea. He made one of the tubes and attached it to the gun he himself commanded. Because of the great cost of shells it was then, proved his case."

almost impossible for the officers target practice with the big guns. in command of the vessels to get But Sims drilled his crew day after Congress failed to see the need of he saw other naval officers smile at expert marksmanship and it was only his experiment, he paid no attention. And when general target practice was next held the crews that Sims had patiently and tirelessly drilled outshot the whole fleet.

"After that Sims had but one idea: that every gun crew in the navy should be drilled in the new way. Lie wrote a long letter to Washington. But the Navy Department was busy But the Navy Department was busy with a thousand and one routine duties; and besides, a new idea al-ways has had to struggle hard to oust the old and the accepted. Sims wrote again and again; weeks gave way to months and still he con-tinued to mail his letters. Finally, when there seemed no other way, he wrote to Theodore Roosevelt, then President of the United States. Back came a cablegram ordering him to report at Washington. "There the determined young Lieu-tenarit was granted an interview with

tenant was granted an interview with the President. In those days it was the president. In those days it was, the custom in all the navies of the world to be content if shots struck anywhere near a target. Sims argued that shells that struck 'near' enemy ships were wasted. He asked for a real target and an actual count. If bells were being wasted something shells were being wasted something should be done. And that 'something,' to the dogged mind of Sims, was the method he had proven when his gun crew had outshot the Asiatic Fleet.

"After all the weary months he was at last given his chance. The target at last given his chance. The target President Roosevelt provided was an abandoned lighthouse rigged with a great spread of canvas. With fast-beating heart Sims watched a fleet approach and fire salvo after salvo. When the last gun had spoken the canvas was examined. Only one shot had reached its mark. Signs had proved his case."

The Merchant Sailor's Service. To the Editor of The World:

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Has it ever occurred to you to give a little praise to the boys who answered the call of the Government to man the merchant ships during the war?

We carried supplies overseas during the time the subs were doing their best along the entire coast of Europe, and now that the war is over, when we are asked, "What did you do?" we answer. "I was in the merchant marine," and the response is, "We always needed a branch of service like that; it had nothing to do with direct warfare; you took no chances, and look at the big salary you drew."

Now, we gave up pretty good jobs to go and yet get no credit. In my judgment, we did as much as the navy did; then why not get as much credit? AN AMERICAN SAILOR

World . Fet. 10/19 MERIT PROMOTION IS ASKED FOR ARMY

Navy Has So Benefited by Selective System That Many Officers in Other Branch of Service Want It.

(Special to The World.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.-Promotion by selection instead of seniority has worked so satisfactorily in the navy that progressive officers of the army are strongly recommending its adoption for the reorganized military system.

Had a system of promotion solely n merit been in vogue when the United States entered the war, it was pointed out to-day, the higher po-sitions in the military system would not have been filled by men who were "there because they were there," having risen by the seniority rule.

Conspicuous Examples.

There have been some conspicuous examples of promotion by selec-tion in the army. When the late Col. Roosevelt was President he jumped several officers over large numbers of men senior to them in point of ser-vice. Gen. Pershing was one of these, and his boost from a Captainey to Brigadier General caused a prolonged storm in Congress. Gen. Leonard Wood also was picked by Col. Roose-velt and given a big boost. There were others.' Promotion by selection or by merit

was in vogue in one bureau of the War Department when the United States became a belligerent. For sev eral years Gen. William Crozier Crozier. Chief of Ordnance, had insisted upon this form of promotion for ordnance officers. Before a man could get a detail to ordnance his record was examined by a board and an examination was required. If he got by and made good he was eligible for an-other detail. If he failed to make good he never got another chance.

Feared Favoritism.

The principal fear of those who have opposed promotion by seniority in Congress has been that it would open the door to favoritism. There have been few cases of alleged favor-itism in the navy. One outstanding case was the promotion of the President's physician, Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson. The Senate fumed about this promotion for weeks, on the ground that it was an injustice to other officers who were quite as capable as Dr. Grayson.

The system has worked so well in the navy that men who long criti-cised Secretary Daniels have forgiven him because, in the interest of efficlency, he insisted on the passage of legislation eliminating the seniority rule and authorizing promotions on merit. The selection system in the navy is not unlimited. A man must serve a given time in one grade be-

fore he can receive a permanent promotion to a higher grade, but he is not held back by a lot of other offi-cers in the same grade by the seniorrity system.

Merchant Marine Query.

Will you kindly insert the correct answer of this letter in your valuable paper? "A" wants to know if dis-charged merchant marine sailors are entitled to the \$60 bonus as well as soldiers, or is it that the merchant marine sailors are not included? marine sailors are not include? A READER. The merchant marine is not includ-ed in the \$60 bonus.—Ed.

SUCH INCONSISTENCY.

Editor Jersey Journal: Sir -- I notice that the vessels of the United States Navy now at anchorage in the Hudson River are "lit up" every night-yet the sailors can't get a dwink

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Isn't something wrong somewhere? Jersey City, April 21, 1919.

It is a "uniform" rule that men in the service of the United States Navy cannot be served with intoxicating liquor, but that doesn't debar them liquor, but that doesn't debar them from taking a drink of tea, coffee, water or other non-intoxicants if they have a mind to. Your facetiousness is pretty good—considering.—Ed.

THE SUN, TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1919.

DEMOBILIZING THE GOB. According to This Writer, It Proceeds Too Slowly.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN-Sir: We read in the papers about the demobilization of our soldiers, but what about our sallors?

I have a brother who was called for service as a machinist's mate on September 15, 1918. He was sent to the Great Lakes Training Station and held in the detention camp forty-two days for having arrived during the influenza epidemic.

He was put on detail work, picking up cigarette butts, cleaning windows, sweeping streets and the like.

After the armistice was signed he made a request for a release in ac-Secretary Daniels's with cordance proclamation that men having urgent business claims should be released immediately. His application was approved and marked for release January 15, 1919. In March he was sent East with a hundred other men, his papers all this time lying in the file, with no action taken whatever.

He is still doing detail work as described before, having had new applications disapproved with the explanation that business claims were not considered urgent enough for release. This is by no means an isolated case.

All this talk about soldiers and sailors without positions! Why don't they let the men out who have places waiting for them? Why are only 1 per cent. a month of the naval forces being released? Why are we paying to keep these men in the Naval Reserves doing this detail work at the rate of from \$30 to \$54 a month? H. SAULESBERRY. QUEENS, April 14.

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DEMOBILIZING THE GOB.

Delay Expensive to the Government and Trying to the Men.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN-Sir: I read with interest the letter regarding the demobilization of the gob, and herewith offer another example of the idiosyncrasies of our system.

A friend volunteered in the navy in 1917 and was sent to the Harvard radio school. He was soon assigned to transport duty as a wireless operator, and for over twelve months ferried across the Atlantic on cargo ships that were hardly fit for cattle boats. These old hulks had temporary wireless quarters, in most instances furnishing such accommodations that oftentimes he slept on deck in preference to the stuffy quarters, and, though ill with influenza on one occasion he had to remain at his post without any medical attention. He has not entered one word of complaint or criticism about this, however, taking it as "c'est la guerre."

Since the first part of January he has been sitting around at an inland station waiting for his discharge. He made application through the proper channels after the armistice was signed and has appealed to all the local authorities as well as to the highest authorities in Washington, and it was hinted in February that his discharge would come through April 1, but it was apparently an April fool joke, and he can now get no information as to when he will get his release.

He draws about \$60 a month, and of course the Government is feeding him. so it is safe to say that the cost to keep him in the service is at least \$75 a month. There are 10,000 in his camp, and while he is probably drawing more than the average, take it conservatively at \$50 a month to keep each man and you can figure half a million dollars a month expense to the Government. Any one of these men could have been released on an indefinite furlough subject to call at any moment and could have reached his quarters within from twenty-four to forty-eight hours, if necessary, and thus avoided this expense. Aside from what it is costing to keep him, this young man had a job waiting for him on April 1, he is engaged to be married, and his parents are anxious to have him back home. H. A. C.

NEW YORK, April 23.

A Brave Sallor Defends a Brave Soldler.

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Admiral SIMS is a straight spoken, upstanding sailor man, never afraid to say what he means, and never leaving his hearers in doubt as to the message he wishes to convey to them. At the Victory Loan meeting in front of the Treasury building in Washington on Monday he took occasion to pay his respects to the detractors of General JOHN J. PERSHING in plain, straightforward phrases that will bear repetition:

"Now just a word about JOHN PERSHING.

"He has had 2,000,000 men over there.

"No one of those men has been able to see one-thousandth part of the operations.

There has been a disgusting amount of backstairs gossip, tittle-tattle, and unpleasant innuendo concerning General PERSHING, his staff, and the "coterie of West Pointers" surrounding him ever since men began to return from the battlefront. Mighty little of it has got into the newspapers, be it said to their credit, but it has been circulated by word of mouth among idle and gullible persons until there is not a hamlet in the land in which some solemn ass does not wag his empty head portentously when the name of PERSHING is uttered.

These irritating and irresponsible reports are vague and nebulous. They cannot be denied, because they provide no specific accusation which can be proved or disproved. Their authors and their circulators seek to undermine General PERSHING'S reputation by innuendo. They say little and hint much, and the false impression they create is largely due to the fears they arouse and not to the facts they impart. Admiral SIMS's outspoken and righteous indignation over this contemptible campaign against a man who has done much for his country should clear the air and shame General PERSHING'S calumniators. That brave soldier deserves well of his country, and the voice of envy and malice should be stilled.

"They run across a great many disagreeable things.

"They may have been charged five cents too much in a canteen, or they may have run across a Britisher or an Italian or a Frenchman that they had a row with.

"They come back with all sorts of small criticism.

"For the LORD'S sake, don't pay any attention to that, and don't pay any attention to the people in this country that are yapping at JOHN PER-SHING'S heels.

"No military commander since the world began has had to do the stunt he has had to do.

"If he should have done that without any mistakes he would be the greatest military commander the world has ever heard of.

"He will tell you himself he has made mistakes.

"So have I, but I am not going to tell you about them."



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WASHINGTON, Sept. 4. - Unable to live within their income because of the high price levels, scores of naval officers have tried to retire from the service, but invariably their resignations have been refused by the Navy Department to prevent the crippling of the service. The conditions are particularly trying in Washington and possibly worse at the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

For some time the Navy Department has been swamped with requests that resignations be accepted and also requests for transfers to posts other than Washington or Annapolis. Few if any of these appeals have been granted, because it would be impossible to grant even a part of them without damage to the efficiency of the department.

House owners at Annapolis, where the conditions are more acute than ever before, are reaping a harvest, and almost 150 officers have been assigned there to supplement those for whom quarters are provided on the naval reservation. The rentals de-manded and received by house owners at this station are far in excess of the allowance granted to officers by the Government for quarters and eat up a large part of their salaries.

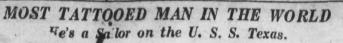
Billets No Longer Plums.

It has been pointed out by one ranking officer of the navy that young officers ask to be transferred from berths in Washington because they cannot stand the expenses. Prior to the war billets in Washington were regarded as plums and frequently were awarded for meritorious work.

This week a young naval officer with a wife and two children appealed to one of the bureau chiefs to send him and his family anywhere they could "make both ends meet." This officer served in the war and when he returned found that he could not live on his pay, although he practised strict economy. He rented a house about a mile from Chevy Chase but was forced to pay \$115 a month rent. He-said that by doing without the nurse for the children he could come out about even, but he prefers to be sent away so that his family may have the proper care.

No Increase Since 1908.

The pay of naval officers has not been increased since May 13., 1908, when they received an advance amounting to 25 per cent. approxi-mately. The base pay of naval officers is as follows:



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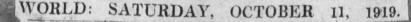
HE most tattooed man in the world is a sailor in Uncle Sam's Navy on board of the U.S. S. Texas. His entire body is covered with decorations of all kinds from his feet right up to his shoulders. Emblems of all kinds adorn his ! ody, many religious symbols among them.

Ensigns, \$1,000 a year; Lieutenants (junior grade), \$2,000; Lieutenants, \$2,400; Lieutenant-Commanders, \$8,-

000; Commanders, \$3,500; Captains, \$4,000; Rear-Admirals, \$6,000 and \$8,-000, according to rank; Admirals, \$10,-000

In addition haval officers receive 10 per cent, extra for five years service up to twenty years. While at sea officers also get 10 per cent. extra.

The commutation and quarters allowance for naval officers amounts to practically nothing-\$24 a month for Ensigns and slightly more for each higher grade. The heat and light allowances amount to only about \$4 a month for Ensigns.



all members of the regiment, not to mention their host of friends through-

mention their host of friends throughout the country, we do not and will not engage in any form of hazing or 'running.' The privileges belonging to one class will belong to all except as specified in the regulations of the United States Naval Academy. The question as to whether 'running' is hazing is hereby answered; "(c) In order that there may be no question as to our sincerity in this

question as to our sincerity in this matter, in order that we may stop the flood of edverse criticism which we are unable to head off in any other way, we hereby authorize the presidents and secretaries of our respective classes to affix their signa-

tures hereunto and to request the Superintendent to place this statement in the hands of the press."

HAZING ABOLISHED AT NAVAL ACADEMY WHEN DANIELS ACTS

Midshipmen, Threatened With Hundreds of Dismissals by Secretary, Give Pledge Which They Say Is Voluntary.

(Special to The World.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels, after a conference with Rear Admiral A. H. Scales, Superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, declared today that he would stop all forms of hazing at the academy if in doing so he were forced to expel hundreds of midshipmen.

"It told Admiral Scales," said he, "that I wouldn't mind expelling 200 of them any more than I would mind eating Lreakfast in the morning, if that course became necessary to stop hazing. There are 2,200 boys there, and we could very well get along with 2,000."

The Secretary said the practice of hazing in its slightest form had a tendency to break the spirit of the men and that he was determined to put an end to it. Investigation of reports of recent hazing are unler way. Admiral Scales, after the conference with the Secretary to-day, said:

"Just before leaving Annapolis word was sent to me by the Presidents and Secretaries of the two upper classes that if there was anything these classes could do to enable me to establish the fact that midshipmen do not and will not engage in any form of hazing or running, they would gladly do all that was possible."

All Forms of Hazing Renounced by "Middles"

(Special to The World.) ANNAPOLIS, Oct. 10.—By the unanimous action of the three upper classes a pledge has been given to Bear Admiral Scales, superintendent of the Naval Academy that hazing in every form shall cease. The pledge is contained in a letter from the midshipmen and is as clear and absolute as language can make it.

under the terms of the pledge, "running," a mild form of hazing, is expressly included and the midshipmen also have declared that they will maintain none of the "rates" which were unofficially set up in the fourth

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Navy Discharges. Editor Hudson Observer: Kindly let me know how I can receive an honorable discharge from the navy. I served in it nine months and received an ordinary discharge. Ex-Gob, North Bergen. An honorable discharge is granted only to navy men who have served a full term (four years). All others receive ordinary discharges.—Ed.

GOT OVER \$5,000 BRIBES IN NAVY

Aided More Than 25 Men to Soft Berths, Ellert Admits at Court Martial—Marsden Shared, He Says.

From twenty-five to thirty men paid him through third persons between \$5,000 and \$7,000 for his services in getting them soft berths in the navy, it was admitted yesterday by Lieut. Benoit J. Ellert confessed bribe receiver. He testified at the court martial at the Brooklyn Navy Yard of Lieut. Commander Christopher Marsden, who, during the war, was Enrolling Office of the 3d Naval District at No. Chambers Street. E'lert, who has pleaded guilty to several charges, is star witness against Marsden.

den. The day's proceedings were enlivened by a clash between Judge Advocate Matteson and Elmendorf L. Carr, counsel for the defense, when the latter demanded that certain documents used in the preparation of the case be turk over to the accused man for use in defending himself. The Judge Advocate contended that the documents were part of the confidential reports of the Navy Department, ond that be had not the authority to produce them. He was sustained by the court. It is apparent that the defense in

It is apparent that the defense is working on the hypothesis that the charges against Marsden are the re-sult of ill-feeling against the latter on the part of Ellert and of Dr. Ben-jamin S. Davis, formerly of the navy, now serving twelve years in Ports mouth Naval Prison for accepting nribez. Louis Markowitz, a jeweller and badge contractor, who, Ellert alleges, paid him many large sums of money for getting his friends into easy berths for the war's duration, was called to the stand. He described his meeting with Ellert and Marsden, his attempt to get George Einstein in a "safe" place for the war and his "present" of a ring and a set of cuff links to Marsden, for which Einstein's father paid after Einstein had been accepted and enrolled in the navy. His testimony will be continued icday A. J. Newman of No. 200 West 523 Street, formerly of the Naval Resorve force and on active duty in the of-fice with Marsden, testified that Markowitz had been a frequent visitor to the office, having the run of the place, and that Judge Aaron J. Levy and a man named De Bragga, a Re-publican leader of Queens, also had been there often. been there often. Ellert stated that he paid to Mars-den \$50 in the case of George Einstein, \$150 in the case of Harry Stern and \$200 in the case of Philip Horwitz.

were unofficially set up in the fourth class.

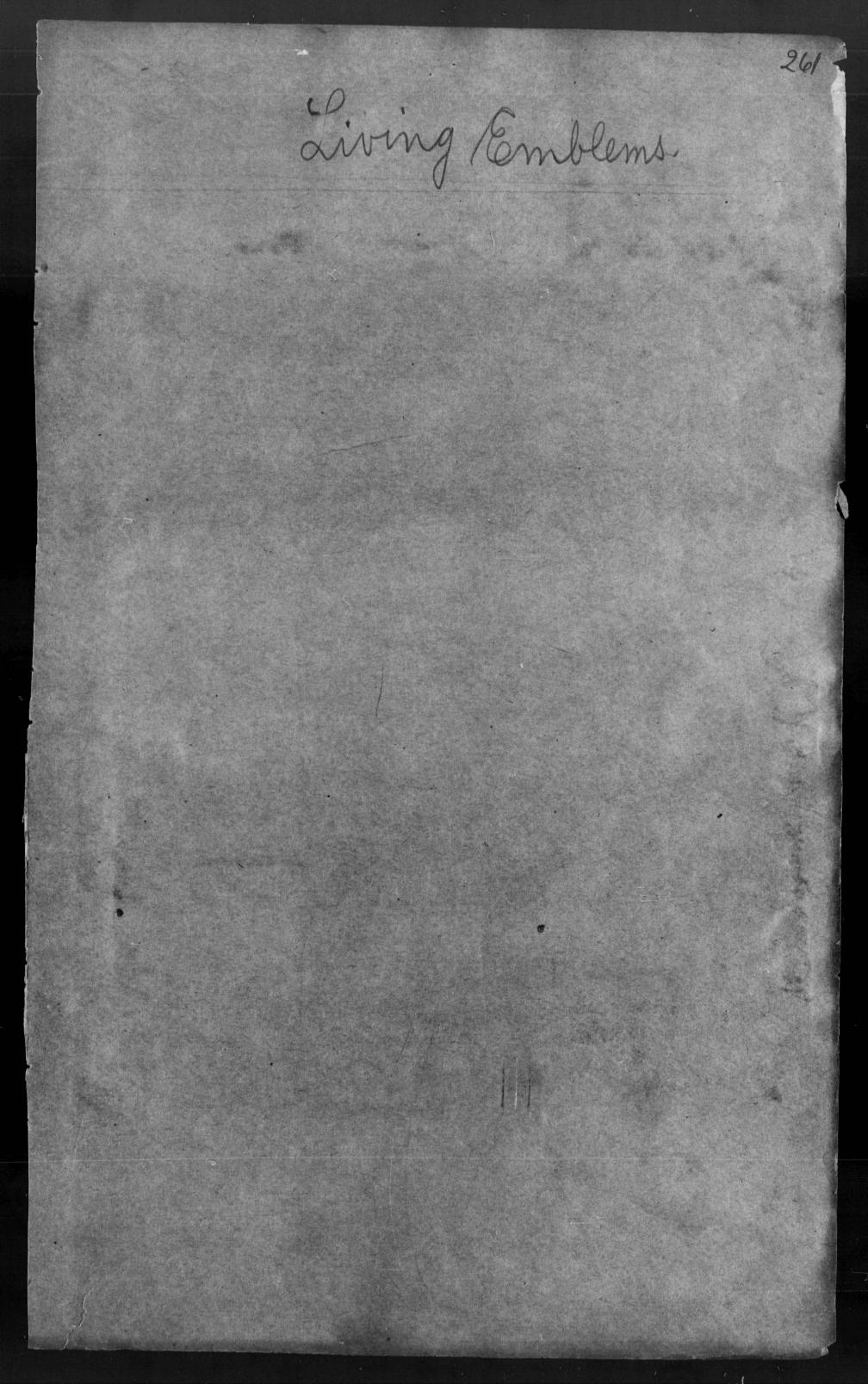
Admit Gravity of Reports.

The substance of resolutions passed in meetings of classes yesterday and to-day were signed by at least 99 per cent of the members of those classes, all who could be reached. Other classes have taken action along the same line, but never before has it been taken so definitely and comnectely.

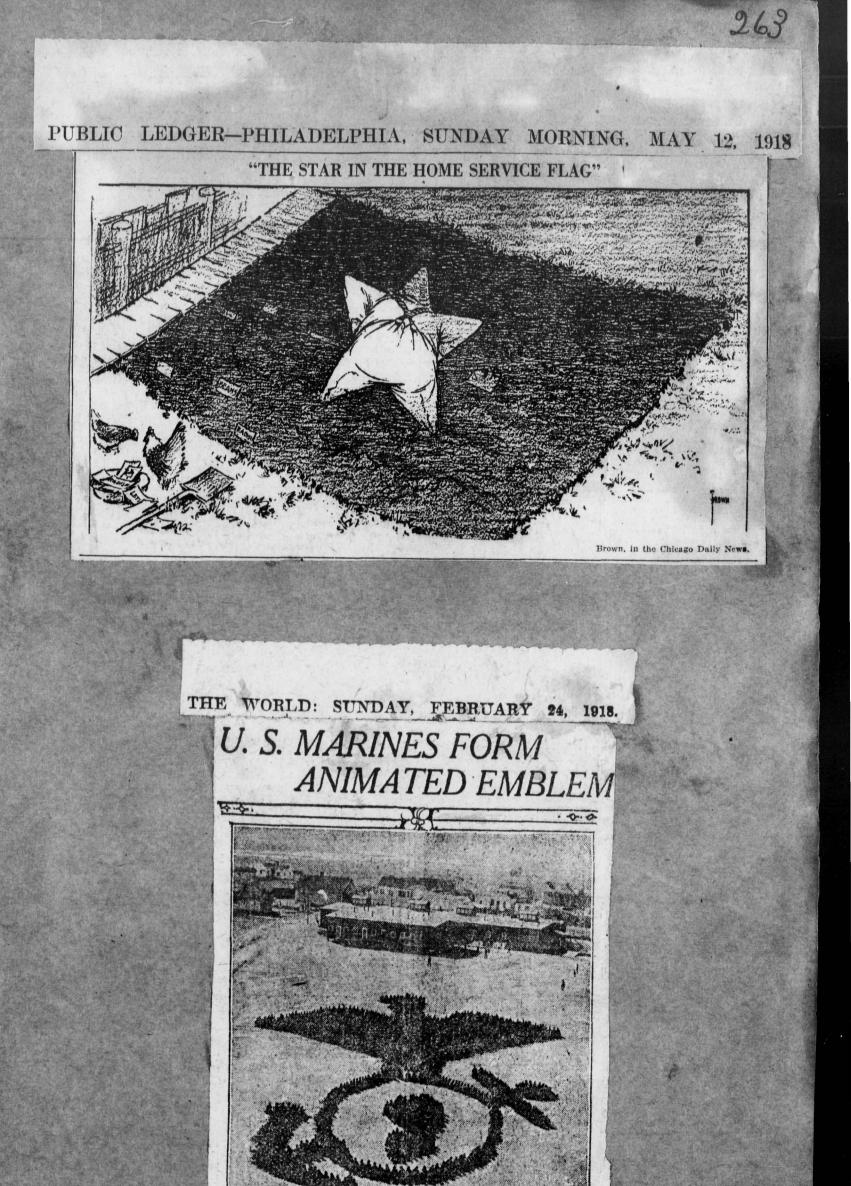
The statement of the midshipmen says: "We, the undersigned, members of the regiment of midshipmen, realizing the gravity of present rumors as to recent incidents which have been reputed to have been caused by hazing, desiring to correct these impresstons, and at the same time endeavoring to make a recurrence of such reports impossible, do hereby solemnly affirm that

affirm that $\Psi(a)$ Recent newspaper reports covering the action of two midshipmen are a mere handful of invidious and general statements. The reference to hazing in these cases has no foundaflom in fact, nor has poorf been offered to substantiate them.

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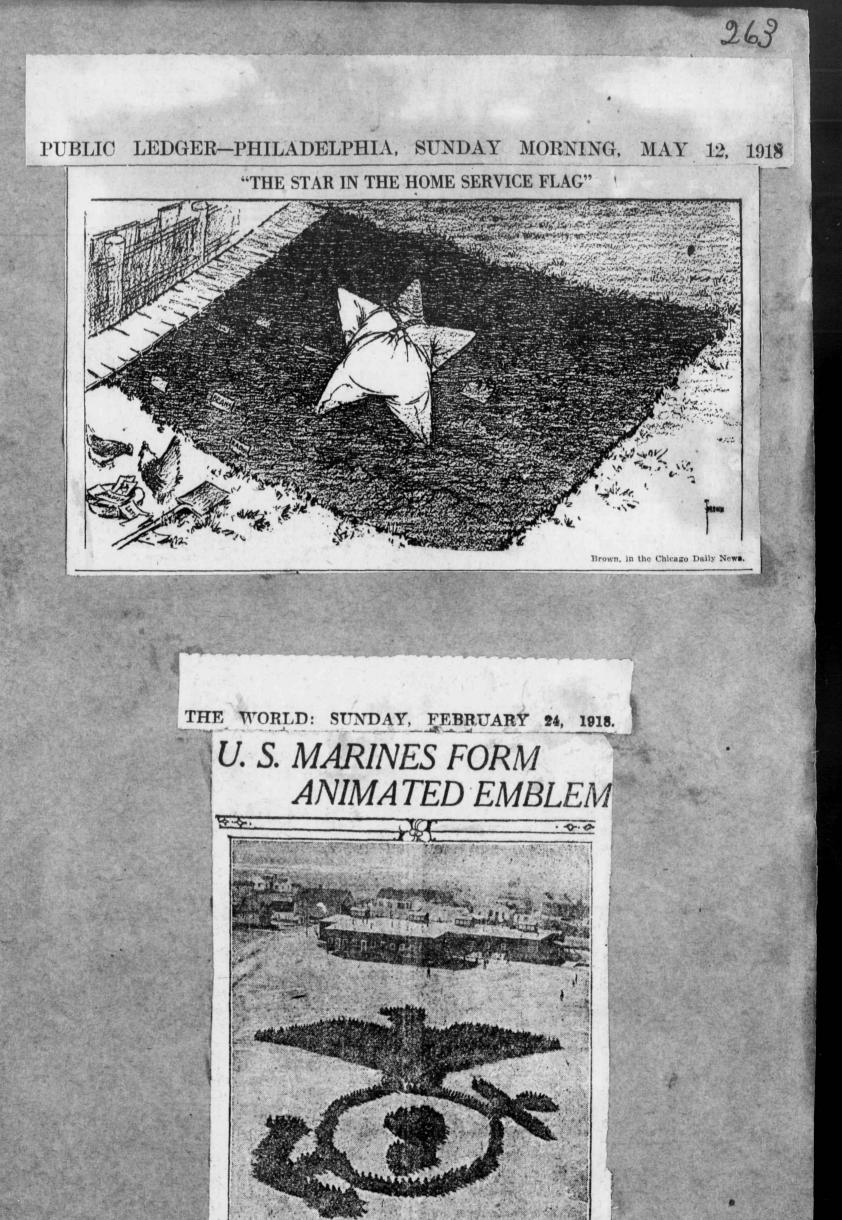






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