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U. S. ORDNANCE CHIEF UNDER SENATE FIRE

Must Explain Failure to Rush Work—Last Call for Drafted Men Sounded—Field Marshal Haig Lauds Engineers for Aid Given British—U. S. Guard Against Aliens 25,000 Men

Washington, Dec. 13.—A whirlwind of cross examination to fix the blame for months wasted greeted General William Crozier, chief of ordnance, when he resumed the stand today in the Senate Military Affairs committee inquiry into army conditions.

Smarting under the charges that Congress was responsible for the delays, the committee turned loose a veritable drum fire of questions, demanding why the War department, complaining of lack of funds, failed to make use of various funds placed at its disposal.

Senators Chamberlain and Hitchcock both questioned Crozier insistently to learn why the unexpected balance of the millions appropriated for the regular army last April, and why a portion at least of the President's \$100,000,000 emergency defense fund, had not been used in obtaining ordnance.

Summoned Draughtees at Once. Washington, Dec. 13.—The last call for drafted men to enlist in the military, naval or marine corps service has been sounded.

Haig Lauds Engineers. With the American Army in France, Dec. 13.—Praise for the gallant American engineers who fought with the British on the Cambrai front is contained in a letter from Field Marshal Haig to General Pershing, the American commander in chief.

Cline Does Well Against Leonard. Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—Irish Cline held a place among the notch lightweights of the world today. He met champion Benny Leonard in a six round bout here last night, and though Leonard outpointed him, he showed such aggressiveness that no one doubts his class.

The "old grouch" who a little while ago was deploring the passing of the dear old grandma who used to sit by the fireside and knit, is now grumbling because women are knitting elsewhere than at the fireside. Evidently it's the fireside that counts—not the knitting at all!—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

POSSE AT MILLVILLE, N. J., KILLS SLAYER OF FOUR, AFTER ROUNDING HIM UP IN BARN

Millville, N. J., Dec. 13.—Shot four times and mortally wounded by a posse after he had killed a man, two women, including his wife, and a five year old girl, James Borecca was captured in a barn near here early today after a vicious gun fight. Borecca was lodged in jail, but his death is expected momentarily.

Following a quarrel with his wife over the love affairs of their daughter, Borecca shot and killed Mrs. Borecca. Then he shot and killed Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin De Luca and their five year old daughter when De Luca came to Mrs. Borecca's assistance. The murderer escaped, but was located in a barn near the scene of the tragedy by a posse. He held the posse at bay until his ammunition and last ounce of strength gone, as the result of four bullet wounds, deputy sheriffs found him unconscious and dying, propped up behind a door.

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R. R. Engineer's Train Ran Into and Killed Man at Seymour

MANY MISFORTUNES LATELY, ENGINEER SAYS

Illness in Family and House Burning Preceded Accident—Hails From Portchester—Hearing

Seymour, Dec. 13.—Justice Manweller today bound Engineer Howard C. Atmore of the New Haven road, whose home is in Portchester, N. Y. over to superior court under bonds of \$3,000, on a charge of manslaughter. Atmore was the engineer of the train which ran into the local station on November 12 from the north, when a north-bound Waterbury train was stopping to take on passengers. He struck and killed Daniel Atlasjuk, who was about to board the Waterbury train and was held for criminal negligence.

"IN WAKE OF MAGNATES."

New York, Dec. 13.—Charley Herzog, second baseman and Captain of the Giants, returned to his Maryland farm today hoping that he will be sold or traded. He has asked the Giants to dispose of him to some other club.

Uncle Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Dodgers, is willing to swap outfielders with some other club. President Tener did not accompany his club owners to Chicago.

Branch Rickey could not be persuaded to part with Roger Hornsby. Ed Barrow, who will sever his connections with the International League on February 12, may become business manager of the Cleveland Indians, succeeding the late Robert McRoy.

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His church last night unanimously granted him a leave of absence for one year with salary and expenses.

The subject of Dr. Hesselgrave's going abroad first came up several weeks ago when an appeal was made through the local War Bureau for capable workers in the Y. M. C. A. organization on the other side. At that time Dr. Hesselgrave expressed a willingness to go provided his church thought he could do more good there than here.

Several members of the ecclesiastical body are members of the War Bureau and, recognizing at once the peculiar qualifications possessed by Dr. Hesselgrave for christian work among the young men of the American forces abroad, they called an informal meeting of church and society committees. At this meeting the general sentiment favored the leave of absence but action was postponed until more could be learned as to opportunities open for a man of Dr. Hesselgrave's calibre and the extent of the need for his services.

F. A. Verplanck, chairman of the society's finance committee, accompanied Dr. Hesselgrave to New York last week and interviewed the authorities of the Y. M. C. A.'s bureau of work. They learned that the need for men was pressing. The suggestion that Dr. Hesselgrave might be available for the work was warmly received. In fact he was urged to hasten his preparations and be ready to sail on the twelfth of December.

Another informal meeting of the parish was held the night of their return from New York and upon hearing their report those present voted in favor of granting the leave of absence for one year. But it was necessary to have legally warranted meetings of the church membership and of the Ecclesiastical society before formal action could be taken and therefore the matter was postponed until last night. Meanwhile a shipload of Y. M. C. A. workers sailed away yesterday.

The subject of Dr. Hesselgrave's absence has been freely discussed in private conversation during the past week and many have expressed the opinion that his value to this community was such that he could not be spared in the present emergency. But those who were better posted on the requirements of the overseas work were satisfied that, valuable as Dr. Hesselgrave's services had been in this community, they would be still more valuable among the overseas forces. In fact they held that the very qualities which had brought success to his work here fitted him in an exceptional manner for effective work among the soldiers.

STRATTON-SIMMONS.

Thomas Stratton of Garden street and Miss Jennie Simmons of Winter street were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. H. Bath. The groom has been employed in the Cheney mills for some time, as has also the bride.

There were about fifty guests present at the wedding. The bride was dressed in white crepe de chine and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaid was Miss May Stratton a sister of the groom. She was dressed in pink crepe de chine and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The best man was David Stratton a brother of the groom. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Readings, recitations and games afforded entertainment. Later in the evening the newly married couple left for New York where they will spend a few days.

"So your parents were born in Germany?" "That's true, but since this war broke out I've never ceased being grateful to them for moving away when they did."—Detroit Free Press

"HANDS OFF," GARFIELD TELLS OHIO GOVERNOR

State Executive Must Not Interfere With State Fuel Administrator TELEGRAM WARNING TO OTHER GOVERNORS

Conflict of Authority, If Ohio Officials are Acting with Cox's Backing—What Wire Says.

Washington, Dec. 13.—"Keep hands off."

Fuel Administrator Garfield this afternoon sent this warning to Governor Cox of Ohio with a further intimation that criminal prosecution would follow any attempt by the Ohio executive to interfere in the coal situation.

Dr. Garfield's telegram to Governor Cox follows: "But, sir, the distribution of coal in Ohio under orders issued by my authority, by Homer Johnson, federal fuel administrator of Ohio. He has the fullest authority to act and F. C. Baird is co-operating with him. I must insist that state authorities be not permitted to interfere with the action of the United States Fuel Administration."

BUREAU OF MINES HAS DONE MUCH FOR WAR.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The bureau of mines of the Department of the Interior has done much war work according to Secretary Lane, whose annual report was submitted to Congress yesterday.

The report says the bureau has, among other things: "Investigated the fixation of atmospheric nitrogen and the oxidation of ammonia to nitric acid.

"Investigated sulphur and pyrite supplies to ascertain the possibility of providing from domestic sources the sulphuric acid needed in many lines of industry, especially the manufacture of explosives and fertilizers.

"Investigated methods for increasing available supplies of necessary minerals and metals hitherto largely imported, such as manganese, nickel, and potash."

REDFIELD URGES THAT U. S. HOLD GOLD RESERVE.

Washington, Dec. 13.—In his annual report to Congress yesterday Secretary of Commerce Redfield said that the only way in which the country could hold its reserve, now the greatest of any country on the globe, was to keep up its export trade.

His report says in this connection: "The visible balance of trade in favor of the United States on merchandise transactions for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1917, was \$3,634,450,905," says the report. "The total of our merchandise export trade was \$6,293,806,000 and of our import trade \$2,659,355,155.

"The department earnestly hopes for the passage early in the coming session of the so-called Webb bill. This measure will have an important bearing in promoting our foreign commerce.

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Workers in Coal and Steel—This is Why President's Proclamation is So Lamentable—Latter Wasn't Issued Until Investigation of Results Was Made.

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The steel mills of the Pennsylvania district, there are thousands of these subjects engaged in the various duties incident to steel manufacture. As the winning of the war depends very largely upon the steel output of the United States, it has been deemed inadvisable, in view of the disposition of the Austrians, to cut off this tremendous supply of experienced and skilled labor.

Before drawing this proclamation which permits Austrians to do about as they please so long as they do not aid the enemy or break the peace, President Wilson received data showing to what extent the steel mills and other vital industries would be crippled by the internment of large numbers of these nationals.

Although the proclamation is couched in the most lenient terms and apparently placed no restraints upon the Austrians except as to exit and entry to the United States, agents of the Department of Justice and other federal officers will keep in close touch with the Austrians here and those misbehaving will be summarily interned or jailed for the period of the war.

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These men will gather at the post office in the south end at 7.30 Saturday morning. Then they will board a trolley for Wells' hall, East Hartford where they will meet the other men drawn from this district and later they will go to Ayer, Mass. Autos will not be used this time because of the cold weather.

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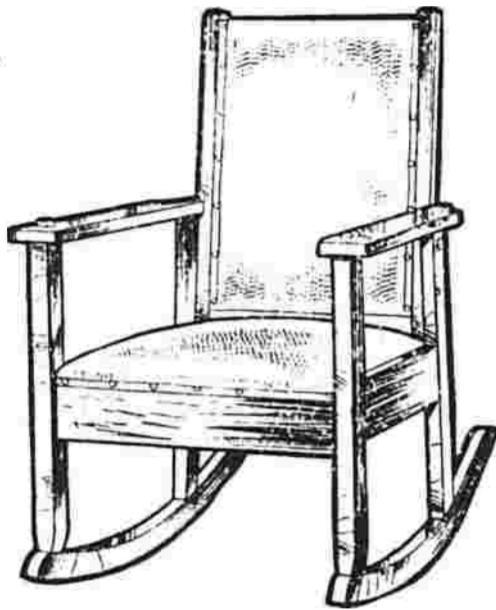
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HERBERT MC CORMICK TELLS WAR EXPERIENCES

Local Man Who Was "Over There" Speaks Before Methodist Young Men's Club.

Herbert McCormick of Center street, recently returned from France, gave a most interesting talk before the Methodist Young Men's club last evening, relating his experiences as a driver of the 22nd Section of the American Red Cross Ambulance Service, attached to the 63rd Division of the French Army in the Verdun sector. Mr. McCormick left this country May 19 and returned about a month ago. He was on duty in the Verdun sector during the big drive there in August.

Some Questions Answered.
The speaker said that most people ask if that if the French are winning ground at Verdun, why don't they go right through. The answer is because so much time and material are spent in preparation for each drive. The big guns start bombarding the enemy's lines about four days before any advance is made and the attack generally lasts about four days, making eight days in all. There are 1,000 guns to the mile, and the fire is increased each day until the fourth day when all the guns are going as fast as they can be fired. This is kept up right through the attack. The barrage fire is kept behind the enemy's trenches to cut off all communications and then the men "go over the top" and hand to hand fighting and slaughter follow.

He Was Scared.
Mr. McCormick told of his experiences when first under shell fire and didn't hesitate about telling that he was "scared." He and his chum were going out to a post and were in an exposed section, when the shells began to drop near them; so near that they felt the concussion. They jumped out of the ambulance and ran into a little shack and stood there for about 20 minutes, looking over a map and talking about different things. All the while their knees were trembling and when they got through with their discussion they didn't know what they had been talking about.

Work 48 Hours.
The ambulance drivers generally work 48 hours and then rest 48 hours. Once, Mr. McCormick said, he worked for 72 hours. One night when he and his chum were starting out for a night run to the post, they suddenly came up with a jerk. Getting out, they found they had run into the bodies of two mules that had been killed by shrapnel. The ambulances always went out in twos, for often one of the machines would land in a shell hole and then the other would take a tow line and pull the stalled car out of the hole and they would go along again.

Effects of Gas.
Mr. McCormick also had the experience of having a new kind of gas tried on him. He and some of the other ambulance drivers were chosen for the test, because there were many new men in the other sections of the army division. The gas mask fitted McCormick's face perfectly, so he came out of the test all right, but one of the other men wasn't so fortunate. Some of the gas got under this man's mask and his eyes were running for a week afterwards. Mr. McCormick and his chum were very sick after they had been caught in their first gas attack. They smelled the gas as they were going along in the ambulance and put on their masks before being overcome, but they got more than enough to satisfy them.

The "Blue Devils."
The Alpine Chasseurs, or "The Blue Devils" and the Foreign Legion, said Mr. McCormick, are considered the best fighters in the French army. The Foreign Legion is composed of Swiss and Americans, who joined the French colors when the war first broke out, and Moroccans. These sections take few prisoners. The regular French soldiers take prisoners and treat them kindly, so long as they do what they are told. The German prisoners receive the same rations as the French soldiers and the French soldiers are not allowed to attack a wounded German soldier.

Mr. McCormick talked for about an hour and all through the social hour, which followed, was kept busy answering questions. During the social hour, refreshments were served.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness to us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother and those who contributed flowers and also the King's Daughters.
John Burkland.
Mrs. August Larson.
Mrs. J. F. Connor.

AMUSEMENTS

WHAT'S WHAT AND WHO'S WHO IN MANCHESTER MOVIE HOUSES

AT THE PARK.

"Mothers of France" went over strong at the Popular Playhouse last evening. Sarah Bernhardt was at her best and there was little need to tell the spectators that she is the greatest actress of all times. Anyone who saw this supreme offering could easily guess that fact.

Those who saw this great film last evening wondered at the remarkable detail of this picture and it may be well to explain to those who wondered at the war scenes that they were taken actually on the French front and everything in these scenes was an actual happening. The soldiers were real French soldiers and this part of the picture was taken under the supervision of the French war department. These scenes give more graphic pictures of fighting France than any one of the so-called war pictures, nine out of ten of which are staged at Fort Lee, N. J.

And the acting of the Divine Sarah is simply what you would expect from the great actress. That is about all the humble critic can say. Mme. Bernhardt has stumped the greatest critics of this generation with her acting. All that can be said is that all critics say she is the greatest actress of all times and that describes everything.

It is very likely that Sarah Bernhardt will never again appear in motion pictures so tonight is the last opportunity to see the great actress for the last time. So well was the picture received by the capacity house last evening that there is little doubt about tonight's success.

For tomorrow the great William Russell will be shown in a big five act thriller called "Sands of Sacrifice." It is a story of man's battles on the lonely sands, with suspicion and doubt and the triumph of strength and truth. The athletic star of the screen does stunts in this picture.

ABOUT TOWN.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Little, of Cedar street.

Rudolph Johnson, who has been employed by the Manchester Electric company, has accepted a government position on Fischer's Island.

Prof. Weitzel, of Yale, will give a reading tomorrow evening at the Wapping Congregational church. The readings will be a part of the entertainment given by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Edwin Carlson, who formerly lived on Gorman Place and recently has been employed at the Bosch Magneto Works in Springfield, Mass., has enlisted in the Ordnance Department and reported at Fort Slocum, N. Y., today.

Herbert McCormick, of Center street, who returned about a month ago from France where he served for several months as a Red Cross ambulance driver, left for Washington, D. C., this noon to enlist in the Ordnance Department.

The name of Charles Hall, now in the Royal Flying Corps of the British Army, should have been included in the list of the electrical department's men, for whom the service flag was raised at the machine shop building the other day.

The friends of Moses E. Dougan, of School street, gave him a party at the home of his brother Thomas on Holl street last evening on the eve of his departure for Newport, he has enlisted in the Naval Reserves. During the evening Herbert McCann, in behalf of those present, presented the young man with a sterling silver service watch.

Edward E. Fish, of Chestnut street, who has been employed for a number of years as a chauffeur in the family of the late Colonel Frank W. Cheney, will start work Saturday as messenger on the local trolley express. Mr. Fish formerly worked on the local trolley lines as a conductor, a position he filled for eleven years. For a short time he has been working in the stock room in Cheney Brothers' machine shop building.

Michael Koch, of Hartford, arrested a week ago today for smashing into an auto in which a bridal couple were travelling near Laurel Park, was today fined \$25 and costs in the local police court where a continued hearing of his case was held. This fine was on the charge of reckless driving. He also settled for \$46 for the damage he did.

AT THE CIRCLE.

A new star will be introduced to Manchester's movie lovers this evening at the Circle theater. She is Maxine Elliott, internationally famous as a stage star and conceded by critics the world over to be the most beautiful woman on the stage. The vehicle in which she makes her photodramatic debut is "Fighting Odds," Goldwyn's magnificent screen version of the famous play of the same name by Roi Cooper Mergue and Irvin S. Cobb. As a play "Fighting Odds" proved a tremendous success and enjoyed a long run. As a screen play it has proved to be even more popular and the criticisms have been excellent wherever shown.

The story is that of a woman who fought against overwhelming odds to win back the love of an erring husband. How she succeeds is graphically and stirring portrayed by Miss Elliott and her all star support.

As an extra added attraction the management will present on the same program this evening, Mack Sennett's second master comedy, "Roping Her Romeo," a holocaust of merriment in two acts. The comedy is even funnier and better than his previous production, "A Bedroom Blunder" which was shown at the Circle recently. The cast includes Ben Turpin, Slim Summerville, Polly Moran, Chas. Murray and the famous Sennett girls.

Other reels on the program are the "Hearst-Pathé" and a Pathe travelogue. With such an excellent and well balanced program the Circle management may well look forward to two days of capacity business.

Many a man who could not three months ago have passed a decent test in Biblical geography is now becoming fairly well informed concerning the topography and the cities of Palestine. The *Manchester Times*...

FOREFATHERS' DAY.

Forefathers Day will be observed this evening at the Center Congregational church. The observance will begin at 6.30 when a conservation supper will be served. Music will be provided by an orchestra composed of Mrs. C. A. Robbins, pianist, John Robinson, cornetist and Ernest McCormick, violinist. There will also be songs and hymns sung, the singing to be led by the church chorus.

After supper there will be addresses by Rev. C. M. Calderwood, F. A. Verplanck, and F. H. Wiggins, of New Haven who will speak of his experiences while doing Y. M. C. A. war work on the French and British fronts.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS.

A musical service of unusual attractiveness is to be rendered at the South Methodist church, at a vesper service, Christmas Sunday afternoon Dec. 23rd.

The church quartet assisted by another quartet composed of Hartford singers, will render a program consisting of Ancient Christmas Carols. These carols are of a descriptive nature and the music is of unusual beauty.

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MEN between the ages of eighteen and forty are wanted by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company as freight brakemen, telegraphers and firemen. Apply by letter, stating experience, to F. S. Hobbs, Superintendent, New Haven, Division, New Haven, Conn. 5916

There is still a shortage of uniforms, but no enemy need rejoice that the American army is outgrowing its clothes.—New York Sun.

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TOMORROW

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FOR SALE—Auto shed, with room for two cars. Address, A. H. Skinner, Herald branch office. 6213

FOR SALE—Wood, mostly hard, cut stove length, \$11 cord, delivered; also slab wood, mostly hard, cut stove length, \$7 cord, delivered. H. W. Case, Buckland, Phone, Hfd. Div., Laurel 263-13.

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FOR SALE—One Day State cook stove, hot water front and pipe connections, stove pipe, and everything complete. \$25. Phone 116-3, after 2 o'clock evenings. 5817

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LOST—Pair spectacles with gold frame in case. Finder please return to Dr. T. H. Weldon and receive reward. 6213

LOST—Gold pin set with 5 pearls at Cheney Hall Dec. 11. Finder please return to Herald office and receive reward. 6212

LOST—Tuesday afternoon, a horse blanketed between Oak and Bissell streets on Spring street. Finder please return Herald branch office. 6212

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FOUND—A package, owner can have same by proving property, and paying for this adv. Inquire 69 Garden St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SKIRT MAKING: We will make a skirt to measure, from your materials for \$2. We furnish trimmings. Ladies' Shop, Main St., near Center. 6512

Entertainment at Cheney Hall proved Most Successful.

It is expected that at least \$100 will be realized from the entertainment, sale and dance given by the Daughters of Britain Circle in Cheney hall last evening for the benefit of the American and British Red Cross societies. Fifty dollars was received at the fancy article booth and the sale of tickets should net more than an additional \$50. The final results will not be known until the next meeting, which will be held next Wednesday afternoon.

The event last night was not only a success financially, but also socially. There were about 330 people present and they all report having had a most enjoyable time. F. H. Anderson, chairman of the local war bureau, was to have presided during the entertainment program, but he was obliged to attend another meeting last night and, after making a few remarks introduced Rev. W. H. Bath of the South Methodist church, who consented to substitute for him. Bath spoke of the purpose of the Circle and told of the good work its members are doing. Last Christmas, \$100 was sent to the British Red Cross. Two cases of food have been sent to a base hospital in England and money has been sent to the Orphans' Home, the Mine Sweepers' Fund for Stockings and an institute for the blind.

The Daughters of Britain Circle was founded a little more than a year ago and started with four members. It now has 30 members. All British women of Manchester are invited to join and it is figured that the membership should be at least 60. Dues of 25 cents a month are paid. Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month in the Lincoln school. The present officers are: President, Mrs. Joseph McLean; Vice President, Mrs. Percy Robinson; Secretary, Miss Rachel Vickerman.

Besides the chairman's address, the program included, selections by the Ideal orchestra, vocal solos by Miss Edith Dowd, and John Munstie, a reading, "We Talk of the Flag," by Master Camp; a piano solo by Russell Potterton and a saxophone solo and piano accompaniment by Mr. Blake and Mrs. Lennon. All the numbers were greatly appreciated and enjoyed. John Barr also sang. At the conclusion of the program, supper was served in the lower hall. The rest of the evening was given over to dancing.

CIRCLE THEATER

TONIGHT and TOMORROW

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What Are You Eating, Friend, While The War Is Going On?

SCIENCE OF DIETETICS.
There is a science in correct eating, in these high-strung days of super-civilization "common sense" in eating is an anachronism. "Common sense" would seem to imply a sort of instinct, in fact, does mean just so much in the accepted meaning of the expression.

We will deal with the "science of dietetics," which defined, is "rational eating."

The diet should contain at least one representative of each of the following groups:

- Green and succulent vegetables.
- Meats, milk, eggs, fish, cheese, beans, peas, peanuts.
- Cereal grains and their products.

Specialty including those naturally fresh and

Fats, including milk fats; they have special importance.

By choosing something from each of these groups we secure the essentials of an adequate diet, namely:

- Proteins to supply nitrogen. Principals in this class, milk and meats.
- Energy—usually estimated to be 2,500 calories for a 150-pound man, in the period of full vigor and 2,000 calories for a woman of average size. Principals in this class, fats and starches.
- Mineral substances—phosphorus, calcium, magnesium, iron, potassium, sodium, sulphur and other mineral substances, are present in all foods with the exception of sugar, purified oils, pure starches, etc. Principals in this class, vegetables, fruits and milk.
- "Vitamins" and "growth determinants" are two other substances, as yet not entirely defined by science, which are highly necessary and which are obtained only by a diet of variety. Therefore, "variety."

And remember palatability is not a luxury. Variety tends toward palatability.

Three meals each day should be eaten. If you are of the opinion that this is too much, reduce the bulk of food taken at each meal so as to make three meals in the day. The food travels through the viscera in a series of jerks, taking place several times each twelve hours. There are times when meals should be eschewed in cases of temporary disorders in the system—but three meals at the identical hours each day work for your health.

You should take at least eight glasses of water each day, both between meals and with your meals. Water should always be taken with meals in moderate quantities and not to wash down food.

It has been proven that coffee in moderation is healthful, but "moderation" is a mutable quantity with each separate person. You can only ascertain by experiences just what "moderation" in your case means. Coffee should be absolutely prohibited to any children under sixteen years, and then the longer it is neglected the better.

Cocoa and chocolate, however, are real foods. They are very nutritious and healthful. On account of their richness they should be taken in strict moderation, especially by children.

In the process of digestion certain deleterious poisons are generated in the intestines. These can easily be nullified and removed by some non-digestible, bulky material to sweep through the intestines, cleaning them out. You need bulk; you need "roughage." This is obtained in such foods as whole cereals, bran, cabbage and apples.

Eat wisely, with the knowledge that too much food is infinitely more harmful than insufficient food.

DR. HESSELGRAVE TO GO TO FRANCE FOR Y. M. C. A.

(Continued from Page 1.)

The doubters needed only to be convinced of these facts, for after the situation had been explained last night they voted unanimously to send their pastor abroad. Dr. Hesselgrave first made a statement in which he outlined the influence which had led him to ask the church for its judgment on the call for foreign service. Secretary Hubert of the Hartford Y. M. C. A. answered a few questions and F. A. Verplanck reported the visit to New York.

The discussion which followed resolved itself into the question whether Dr. Hesselgrave could do more good abroad than in his parish here. The fact was brought out that Manchester had already contributed more than 400 young men to the fighting forces and more were going daily. "These are the very home ties and home comforts and by the very nature of their occupation are subject to brutalizing influences, to say nothing of temptations to vice and the tendency to become homesick and disheartened. Their need for the morale and spiritual encouragement of men like Dr. Hesselgrave was held to be far greater than the needs of people in a home community, important as they are, and this view finally prevailed.

First an informal vote was taken from all present—members of the church, of the society and of the congregation. It was a rising vote and everybody rose. Then a vote of the church body was taken and it too was unanimous. Finally the Ecclesiastical society, the business body of the church, confirmed the action and went further in voting to continue the salary of Dr. Hesselgrave and raise an additional fund to be used by him in forwarding his work.

No action was taken in regard to a supply for the pastorate during Dr. Hesselgrave's absence.

Dr. Hesselgrave Pleasured.

Dr. Hesselgrave, who has maintained a neutral attitude pending the decision of his church, said this morning that he was glad that the church had decided as it did. He was especially grateful at the spirit of unanimity which prevailed at last night's meeting and happy in the thought that he would still be supported by a united church.

"It would have pained me beyond words" he said, "if the question of my going had caused any dissension in the church."

Dr. Hesselgrave expects to sail for Europe early next month and in the meantime will be very busy organizing the parish work for its continuance during his absence and arranging his personal affairs.

Fred and Maurice Murphy sons of John Murphy of School street are among those to recently enlist in the service. Fred has enlisted in the navy and Maurice in the ordnance department.

Thomas K. Clarke of Manchester Green who has been employed by the Manchester Trust company went to Boston yesterday and enlisted in the aviation corps. He left for San Antonio, Texas this morning.

Touch of Japan in an American Fashion



The loose-hanging panel back, embroidered in gold and black, hints of Japan, but, attached to a distinct taller, is a most charming and attractive addition. The suit is developed in velour. The much-designed bonnet with the pompon sets off the appearance of mild, and gives her a look of distinction and style.

Australia Prepares for Soldiers.
Australia has, from the first, grappled with the question of providing for her soldiers after the war with commendable energy and forethought. For some months the Australian patriation fund has been devoting itself to the consideration and development of various plans whilst many practical steps have been taken by individuals and communities toward the formation of definite settlement schemes, says a correspondent. The state government of New South Wales has set aside special areas for cultivation by returned soldiers. These efforts were supplemented by the generosity of one landowner who gave a tract of land amounting to thousands of acres for that purpose. Australia's first need is population and the commonwealth will have an opportunity, after the war, not only to supply her own need but also to do a great service to the labor market by affording that "room for adjustment," which it will need. The federal government has already promised \$10,000,000 for the work and has pledged itself to raise an additional \$150,000,000 in the future.

Some are "left to strut their uneasy hour and be forgotten," others march to an eternity of fame.—New York Sun.

WEATHER IS BLAMED FOR R. R. CONGESTION

Local Conditions Largely Responsible, Vice-Presidents' Committee Says—Congress Wants Regulation Fair.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The older members of the Senate and the House have let it be known that they do not think the railroads have had a square deal. They have conveyed to the White House a broad hint that they think the plans of the roads themselves, as enunciated by Fairfax Harrison, which would permit the roads to continue operations under the co-operating vice-presidents should be given a "fair trial." Until it has been they have hinted they must oppose any real radical legislation.

No Ownership.
It is entirely possible that this opposition, which administration leaders admit is "rather formidable," may yet compel the President to take whatever action he may decide on for operating the roads as a war unit under existing law and not under new legislation. However, one may presume to speak for the President, despite the fact that his general views are well known. The committee of railroad presidents and the representatives of the four brotherhoods, who conferred with the chief executive at the White House yesterday, uttered this one sentiment on leaving: "The President is

a good listener." Mr. Wilson said, however, that the government did not contemplate ownership of the roads.

Reason For Congestion.
In connection with the great congestion now existing on most of the railroads the operating committee of vice-presidents has let it be known that this is temporary and due more to bad weather than to anything else. Snowfalls which have locked the great trunk lines between Pittsburgh and the East, have compelled the exchange of freight trains for snow plows. The railroads have compiled proof that delay in unloading cars at terminals also has subjected the roads to undeserved blame. They contend that cars are held for days because of local conditions, and that this is a matter which the priority board should settle through local committees.

Despite these excuses, however, administration officials declare the President will act to "save the situation" before the Christmas holidays, and that when he does go to congress he will present a definite program for consideration.

The funeral of J. E. Morton who died yesterday, will be held at two o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. C. M. Calderwood will officiate and the burial will be in the cemetery at Windsorville.

Ezekiel Benson of Main street is ill at his home with an attack of la grippe.

DEATH OF INFANT.
Roy Harold Benson, the two months old son of John Benson of 240 Oak street, died this morning. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. P. J. O. Cornell will officiate and the interment will be in the East cemetery.

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DECLINES GENERAL ON A WEAK MARKET

Follow Brief Rallies—U. S. Steel Drops to 82½—Mexican Petroleum Low—Quotations.

New York, Dec. 13.—The stock market opened steady, Steel Common at 82½, while Bethlehem Steel B rose ¼ to 78½. Union Pacific declined ¼ to 105½ and Baltimore and Ohio down ½ to 45½. Reading, after yielding ½ to 65, rose to 66.

Marine Preferred rose ¼ to 88½ and the Common rose ¼ to 18¼.

American Smelting sold up one point to 68½, while gains of about ½ point were made in Utah and Anaconda.

American Beet Sugar declined four points to 63.

After the early losses in the railroad stocks, good rallies were made in these issues. Union Pacific, after selling down to 105½, rallied to 107. Reading preferred rose to above 66, and Southern Pacific advanced 1½ to 79½.

The execution of a small order in American Beet Sugar caused a drop of four points to 63, from which it rallied to 66. Texas Company dropped five points to 125 and General Electric fell 3½ to 118½, while Mexican Petroleum sold down 3½ to 68½, the lowest price at which that stock has sold in a long time.

Trading in Steel Common was active. After advancing to 83½, it reacted to 82½. Union Pacific was the most active of the railroad issues, moving up 1½ to 105½, and closing at 106.

Clearing house statement: Exchanges, \$589,007,292; balances, \$49,938,690.

Money loaning at six per cent. Cotton.

New York, Dec. 13.—The cotton market opened fairly active and firmer today, showing an advance of 11 to 30 points in first prices, with October the strongest feature. At the end of the first 15 minutes the market had reacted sharply with prices about 10 points under opening levels.

Stock Quotations.
Reported for The Evening Herald by Richter & Co., 6 Central Row, Hartford. 2.30 p. m. prices:

At G & W I	90
Alaska Gold	2
American Sugar	93½
Am B Sugar	63½
Amer Tel & Tel	101½
Anaconda	54
Am Smelter	68½
Am Loco	48
Am Car Foundry	61
A T & S Fe	78½
Balt & Ohio	46½
B R T	36
Bethlehem Steel	70
Butte & Sup	15¼
Chile Copper	13¼
Cons Gas	80½
Col Fuel	31
C & O	42½
Can Pac	126¾
Erle	13½
Erle 1st	19½
Gen Electric	118½
Gt Northern	82½
Illinois Cent	87½
Kennecott	29½
Louisville & Nash	105½
Lehigh Valley	51½
Mexican Pet	69
M K & T	4
Mer M Pfd	85½
Mer M	17½
Miami Copper	25¼
Norfolk & West	96
Nav Congol Copper	21½
National Lead	41½
North Pacific	79
N Y Cent	65½
N Y N H & H	28
Press Steel Car	50
Penna	43¼
People's Gas	36
Repub I & S	68½
Reading	64½
Southern Pac	78½
Southern Ry	22
St Paul	37
Third Ave	15¼
Tex Oil	125
Union Pac	105½
U S Steel	80½
U S Steel Pfd	103¼
Utah Copper	75¼
Westinghouse	35
Liberty Loan 4's	97.40
Liberty Loan 3½'s	98.52

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- SLEDS. Genuine Flexible 30 in., \$1.00. Genuine Flexible 32 in., \$1.25. Genuine Flexible 34 in., \$1.35. Genuine Flexible 40 in., \$1.75. Genuine Flexible 42 in., \$2.00. Genuine Flexible 46 in., \$3.00. Clipper Sleds, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Combination Spalding Shoe Skates, \$5.50 and \$6.00. Clamp and Key Skates for Boys and Girls, 50c. to \$1.75. Flashlights all sizes and styles, 60c. to \$2.50. Electric Xmas Tree Outfits, (string of eight lights in assorted colors), \$3.00. Boys' Tool Chests and Toy Banks. Auto Gloves and Auto Robes all sizes and prices. Everyone of these articles we fully guarantee.

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THE CLOUD'S SILVER LINING.

Never in the world's history has a disaster of the magnitude of that in Halifax been handled with such efficiency. Within forty-eight hours after the news of the disaster became known the supplies most urgently needed had arrived, accompanied by doctors and nurses and other relief workers. Now, less than a week after the explosion, all the dead have been buried, the injured have received care and the destitute have been sheltered, fed and clothed. This work could never have been accomplished with such rapidity but for the readiness of the war organizations with their stores of equipment and material which could be diverted at once to the needs of Halifax.

Another advantage of Halifax was its proximity to the large centers of population in the United States. The sympathy of the people found prompt and free expression and was speedily translated into substantial aid for the sufferers. Halifax will long be under the cloud of the great disaster, but it will never forget the material aid which poured in as if by magic from the United States. The dead can never be brought back but the wounded persons and the damaged buildings will be restored in record time.

MR. LANE'S AMERICANISM.

"Know thyself" is sound Americanism," observes Secretary of the Interior Lane in his annual report. We have little to boast of, he says, "through the quick century of our march across the continent." We are not materially independent at all, far from it.

"Cocoa, rubber, and manganese from Brazil, chrome from South Africa, tea from the Orient, sugar from Cuba, sisal from Mexico, nitrates from Chile, hides and meat from the Argentine, wool from Australia, pyrites from Spain—these are of the raw materials we need and for which the ocean must be kept open, unless our dependent industries are to weaken. Yet it is hardly an overstatement to say that we could live alone with some substitution for a few of these things."

The actual report of the Secretary presents a record of sober achievement, more enduring than sensational. The report occupies a book of 151 pages, and only a few of its features can be noted here.

One of the things done in Alaska has been the suppression of the liquor traffic among the natives, who, the report says, "are learning that intoxicating liquors are their worst enemy and there are many among them who are earnest workers in the temperance cause." A still further improvement is expected when the prohibitory law takes effect on New Year's Day. Unenlightened Yankees will be interested to know that the third legislature which convened last March passed a direct primary law, a law providing for the election of national party committeemen, a law establishing the territory's first "institution of higher learning," the Alaska Agricultural College and School of Mines at Fairbanks and a law making it the beneficiary of grants of land. Commerce, including shipments of precious metals and copper between Alaska and the United States and the territory and foreign countries, totalled \$121,265,947 against \$97,340,420 in the fiscal year 1916.

Motor instead of wagon transportation has been put into Yellowstone Park, so that one may go to the Canyon, the most beautiful spot in America, in much less time. When the roads have been improved enough to lay some of the dust that sometimes obscures the gaze, another long step will have been taken in making travellers comfortable. When the department has full jurisdiction this will be done, doubtless. Arrangements with the three railways entering the park make it possible to enter by motor at one gateway and leave by another. The Rocky Mountain National park was the most popular of the season, 117,186 persons visiting it. Glacier National park was more popular than ever before. Much in the way of road and trail improvement has been done. A broad new trail to Crater Lake will make it hereafter possible for anybody to view the wonderful blue

sheet of water in Crater National park.

The following pension items are interesting: Number of pensioners at the end of the fiscal year, 673,111, a net loss of 36,461 from the previous year's total; number of Civil War pensioners, 329,226, a decrease of 33,051 over June 30, 1916. During the year 33,232 Civil War veterans died.

The bureau of education has cooperated effectively with the Department of Agriculture, the food administration and other agencies in food production and conservation and industrial preparedness.

The following reclamation figures are significant: Irrigable acreage 1916, 1,600,000, an increase of 100,000 over 1915; irrigated acreage, 1,010,000, against 857,000 the year before.

TARIFF COMMISSION'S REPORT.

The United States Tariff commission, if it does nothing else than revise and codify the administrative customs laws, a task the undertaking of which it announces in its first "annual" report, will be worth while. It seeks, says a statement it has issued, "to remove the existing duplications, contradictions and antiquated provisions. It has invited suggestions from Treasury officials, others in the public service, and business men and attorneys." More efficiency, greater convenience to the public—really meaning those who in the course of business are subject to the customs—and a saving of money to the government will be effected by this means, it expects.

Local manufacturers will be still more interested, perhaps, in the fact that the commission is getting out "a catalog of tariff information somewhat in the form of an encyclopedia, which shall contain as far as possible data for each important article affected by the tariff. The data will include statistics on imports, exports, prices and cost of production, processes of manufacture and competitive conditions. This catalog is to be kept continuously up-to-date. A part of the general plan will be the establishment of a tariff library in which will be kept books, pamphlets, letters from producers and importers, etc., classified and arranged for ready consultation in connection with the catalog."

The report is not of things done so much as of things the commission is doing. It is making "a special survey of the chemical industry and expects to present to Congress a detailed report showing the development of the industry and especially of those branches which have been most stimulated by the War. The investigation carried on by the Commission will be especially devised so as to provide the information necessary for a legislative readjustment to peace conditions."

In other words, the debating stage of the tariff question seems over, for the time at least, and action has come.

STATUS OF THE AUSTRIANS.

The Austrians' and Hungarians' status, following the declaration of war against the dual empire, is not greatly changed. They will be permitted to travel anywhere in the country, but cannot enter or leave it. Only those known or strongly suspected to be enemy aliens will be interned. The President announced their status in a proclamation that came out too late yesterday for publication.

The regulations which the proclamation prescribes are as follows: "(1). No native, citizen, denizen, or subject of Austria-Hungary, being a male of the age of fourteen years and upwards and not actually naturalized, shall depart from the United States until he shall have received such permit as the President shall prescribe, or except under order of a court, judge, or justice, under Sections 4069 and 4070 of the Revised Statutes;

"(2). No person shall land in, or enter the United States, except under such restrictions and at such places as the President may prescribe;

"(3). Every such person of whom there may be reasonable cause to believe that he is aiding or about to aid the enemy, or who may be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety, or who violates, or attempts to violate, or of whom there is reasonable ground to believe that he is about to violate any regulation duly promulgated by the President, or any criminal law of the United States, or of the states thereof, will be subject to summary arrest by the United States marshal or his deputy, or such officers as the President shall designate and to confinement in such penitentiary, prison, jail, military camp, or other place of detention as may be directed by the President.

"This proclamation and the regulations herein contained shall extend and apply to all land and water, continental or insular, in any way within the jurisdiction of the United States."

RED CROSS WORKERS TO HOLD BIG MEETING

Over 300 Team Members and Assistants to Assemble Friday Evening.

REV. MCGURK TO SPEAK

Final Instructions to Captains and Teams Who Will Begin Canvassing Saturday.

A meeting of the executive committee in charge of the Red Cross Christmas membership campaign in this town was held last evening in the recreation building. Several important matters in connection with the big membership drive were considered and disposed of and excellent progress was reported all along the line. Edward J. Holl, campaign manager, presided at the session, and the following members of the executive committee were present: C. Elmore Watkins, Rev. W. J. McGurk, Miss Emily Cheney, Lawrence W. Case, Miss Elizabeth Bennett, Willard B. Rogers, chairman of the speakers' bureau, was also present.

Team Captains Announced.
Chairman Holl announced the selection of the following team captains:

- Team No. 1. Frank D. Cheney.
- Team No. 2. M. B. Richards.
- Team No. 3. P. J. O'Leary.
- Team No. 4. W. S. Hyde.
- Team No. 5. John Tournaud.
- Team No. 6. Thomas Ferguson.
- Team No. 7. George H. Williams.
- Team No. 8. Raymond Johnson.

Ladies' Teams.
Team No. 1. Mrs. Albert Crowell.
Team No. 2. Miss Ednah Cheney.
Team No. 3. Miss Catherine Murphy.

Team No. 4. Mrs. Earl Seaman. George Davidson has been designated as office manager and he will be stationed in the temporary headquarters of the campaign workers in the Ferris block after the opening of the campaign Saturday morning.

Big Meeting Friday.

Plans have progressed far enough to warrant calling the captains and team workers together for final instructions Friday evening. The meeting will be held in the recreation building and it is estimated that with the numerous teams and other assistants there will be 300 persons present. A short address will be made by the Rev. W. J. McGurk, of the executive committee, stating the reasons for the Christmas drive to increase the membership of the American Red Cross, and outlining the procedure of the teams during the canvass.

Over 6,000 cards for canvassers have been prepared, with name and street address of the individuals to be visited. Automobiles will be used by the different teams. The canvassers will cover zones to avoid duplication of work. The canvassing will begin Saturday morning, which is two days before the opening of National Red Cross week. The early start will be made because Saturday and Sunday will be two of the best days for meeting possible members. Each citizen will be asked to join the Red Cross for the year 1918, at a membership fee of \$1. This will give everyone an opportunity to "serve at home if you do not serve in the trenches."

The first report of the different teams will be made Monday noon, at headquarters in Ferris block. A big clock will be erected opposite the headquarters, upon which will be recorded the progress of the canvass.

Service Flags Appear.

Quite generally throughout the town today on the different streets the Red Cross service flags were seen gleaming from the windows of the faithful. Those fortunate enough to be among the early ones to receive this badge of patriotism and loyalty to the boys in the trenches lost no time in "showing their colors" by placing the service flag in a conspicuous place in their most prominent window. These flags are being mailed to Red Cross members. Any member who has not yet received his flag may get one gratis by calling at the Red Cross office in the recreation building.

Public Speakers Active.

Effective service for the worthy cause of the Red Cross is being done in town by the public speakers who have consented to do their bit. In every church in the community, Sunday, Red Cross sermons will be preached. No public gathering from now until Christmas will be permitted to assemble without some message being left behind in behalf of the soldiers who are fighting our bat-



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There never was a time when one needed the comforts of music, like one does today. Everyone should have music in the home in times like these, when there is so much sorrow and distress coming before us every day, through the daily papers. And there is no other one musical instrument for the home, that can possibly take the place of a player piano. Every member of your family as well as your friends and acquaintances can play and enjoy it.

The club price for the Cable & Sons is only 445 dollars and this can be paid, 15 dollars when you join the club and after that 10 dollars every month.

There are other advantages in joining the club, which give you every protection you can think of, from the minute you join, up to the end of five years. Such unusual opportunities do not come up only once in a very long while, and you really should come in and at least look into all of these conditions and privileges firsthand. For if you have any thought of owning a player piano, this is an opportunity which it is to your advantage to know all about.

If you find it hard to come in during the day, can you not find it convenient to come in at an evening, for half an hour? If you will let us know what time you can come we will send one of our cars for you and after you have seen the pianos take you home. Just telephone.

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tle and are in need of the kindly ministrations of the Red Cross.

"Red Cross Christmas."

Some of the speakers at local gatherings last evening placed particular emphasis on the appropriateness of linking the Red Cross membership campaign work with the spirit of Christmas. "Make this a Red Cross Christmas" has become one of the slogans of the membership drive. A large number of American homes are today supporting, by their contributions and their toil the great task which the American Red Cross has assumed. It has been deemed proper that there should be some distinguishing mark to these loyal Americans who are supporting by money and action the great work which the American Red Cross has undertaken to perform for the sick, wounded and destitute. The distinguishing mark for these loyal Americans will be the Red Cross service flag in their windows. And at 7.30 on Christmas eve, in each Manchester home in which a flag is displayed a lighted candle or electric lamp will be placed behind the red cross on the flag, thereby giving expression to the universal aspect of the Red Cross.

The custom of Campbell Council of the Knights of Columbus in having a Christmas tree might well be emulated by some of its fellow fraternal organizations in town. And make the occasion not merely a "ladies' night," but, what is better, a "family night."

The town is getting together for the Red Cross campaign in a way which bids fair to work big results. The Red Cross needs Manchester, as it does every other community in the country, and Manchester needs the Red Cross.

Have you got your service flag yet? Or haven't you done something to earn one?

TO PLAY IN SOUTH WINDSOR.

The Rover basketball team will journey to South Windsor Friday night to play the team of that place. This will be the first game for the Rovers and they are out to start the season right by coming home victorious. The following players are requested to meet at the corner of Birch and Main streets at 6.45 o'clock: E. Johnson, McDonald, Thompson, Plitt, Greenberg, Carl Anderson, C. Anderson, and McCormick.

Sometimes it is impossible to live it down. General belief in the worthlessness of the bloodhound is largely due to the failure of the bloodhounds to catch Eliza.—Capper's Weekly.

Another great Teuton drive into Italy is declared to be under preparation, and to help it the Italians were asked to grant an armistice just as if it was thought Italy could be caught napping a second time.

Kansas is getting rich, and we see it reported that there is a revival of the habit of wearing suspenders. The corn cob pipe still holds its own, however. It is difficult for plutocracy to establish all its degenerating methods at once.—Philadelphia Press.

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THE WAR CORNER

News From Manchester Men Who Are Serving Uncle Sam on Land and Sea

THE EVENING HERALD, eager to gather every bit of news of our soldier boys, wherever they may be, invites its readers to contribute personals, portions of letters, and any information about them they may possess.

Kenneth Mills, who is training at the United States Navy Aeronautic Station at Pensacola, has written two letters to his mother, Mrs. H. A. Mills of East Center street, describing some of the pleasures and the dangerous side of the aviator's training.

"Dear Mother: I spent a very pleasant Thanksgiving day, only it was hard to realize that it was Thanksgiving because it was so hot. We had a good football game between U. S. N. Hero boys and Ohio State Troopers.

"Dear Mother: A draft of men go tomorrow, but I am to stay for the present. This morning I was up in a machine for one hour, during a southern rain storm. It was exciting and interesting.

Mrs. Archie McCollum of 172 Maple street received the following letter from Corporal David McCollum of Company G: Somewhere in France. Dear Sister: Received your letters and a card from Archie yesterday and also the camera and films in good shape.

ple who owned the place asked us in to warm our feet. There are only four of us at the one place where I am stopping. Two of the men are Frenchmen so we are in kind of nice. We sat around the old fashioned fireplace for a few hours before we went to bed. The people are very nice. They gave us some cider first of all.

A letter received from Samuel Massey who is now at Fort Slocum, says that he received a notice to appear at Boston for an examination for admittance to the aviation corps. Before taking the exam Massey will enjoy an eight days' furlough.

Mrs. M. P. Linnell of 404 North Main street received the following letter from her son John yesterday: Dear Mother: Am feeling well and hope you are in the best of health. We are comfortably situated now and are having a fine time. We have had quite a reunion of the old first regiment the other night.

Mrs. Thomas Coleman of 54 Florence street brought to the Herald office a letter from her son who is serving with the American Expeditionary Force somewhere in France. Mrs. Coleman says she hears from her son regularly and she sends her money every month.

Tedford of Company G, 102nd Regiment, now "somewhere in France." The first letter, written from "somewhere in England", did not arrive until a week after the second, which was written from France.

CRUMP FIRST OF JOCKIES SAYS NEW YORK EXPERT

Has Edged Out Rivals in 139 Races This Year—Standing in Jockeydom in 1917.

New York, Dec. 13.—Jockey W. Crump who has scored many successes on the western tracks during the past two years, is the leading jockey of the year in the matter of riding winners.

The young rider had a highly successful season beginning with the New Orleans meeting, last January, and although he rode several races at the Saratoga meeting, he did most of his winning on the tracks at Lexington, Louisville and Latonia, and on the Canadian tracks.

Table with 4 columns: Jockeys, 1st, 2d, 3d, Mts. W. Crump 139 125 92 722, L. Lyke 121 111 97 614, M. Rowan 105 96 91 668, M. Buxton 99 80 73 516, W. Kelsey 95 98 75 590, J. Collins 95 65 84 685, A. Collins 85 64 73 606, J. Butwell 78 76 53 373, R. Tolso 77 83 64 492, D. Connelly 77 76 68 486, E. Taplin 72 52 64 444, J. McTaggart 71 86 75 450, E. Martin 70 48 53 417, W. J. OBrien 69 48 46 502, M. Garner 68 58 55 355, A. Johnson 67 54 59 441, A. Schuttlinger 66 47 50 334, E. Haynes 64 54 69 439, F. Murphy 62 71 67 502

Unless the football critics of the country overlooked a bet somewhere, the season of 1917 developed nothing new in the way of gridiron strategy. At least, there was no special mention made of new plays which could be stamped as the vintage of 1917.

Jesse Harper, the Notre Dame mentor, gave his backs a set of dancing signals which were disconcerting to the Army, but the Irish used mostly the plays which have been used for the past two or three years.

OLDER BOYS CONFERENCE TO BE HELD DEC. 28-30

Local Organizations to Send Delegates to New London—Object of Conference.

All organizations of Manchester and vicinity, composed of boys between the ages of 15 and 20, are invited to send two delegates to the 18th annual conference of the Connecticut Older Boys to be held in New London December 28, 29 and 30, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

The purposes of this annual conference of older boys is to bring together the representative older boys from all parts of Connecticut, representing all kinds of organizations, to discuss their own life problems and to inspire them to go back into their respective fields and organizations to render a larger service in the extension of God's Kingdom and to bring their attention to the great challenge of the war.

Organizations that may send delegates include any Sunday school class, boys' club, church group, high school class or club, Y. M. C. A. group, young people's society or Boy Scout organization. Local organizations wishing to send delegates should communicate with George W. Farris, corresponding secretary for the Y. M. C. A. in Manchester and vicinity.

ST. MARY'S LEAGUE.

Tom Rogers, Star Bowler, Played in Poor Form.

Team No. 5 of St. Mary's bowling league took two out of three games from No. 6, the league leaders, in the semi-weekly session at the Center alleys last night. Tom Rogers, captain and anchor man for No. 6, who has been hitting a terrific clip all season, was considerably off form in the first two games last night, owing to a severe cold, but he came back in the last string with a score of 118, which was the high single of the evening and gave him a three string of 290.

Table with 4 columns: Wm. Clegg 86 86 86 258, Wm. Perrine 82 82 85 249, T. Rogers 85 87 118 290, 253 255 289 797, No. 5, H. Weir 84 94 75 253, G. Torrance 87 83 88 258, J. Hyde 103 111 86 300, 274 288 249 811, No. 4, J. Thier 87 83 81 251, G. Schreiber 80 71 85 236, J. Moore 97 85 83 265, 264 239 249 752, No. 3, R. McCann 91 88 84 263, A. Foy 87 96 87 270, Ed. Wisotski 75 79 81 235, 253 263 252 768, League Standing, W. L. No. 6 21 6

Table with 4 columns: No. 2 14 13, No. 1 14 13, No. 7 14 13, No. 4 13 14, No. 5 12 15, No. 3 11 16, No. 8 9 18, RECREATION LEAGUE, Iroquois and Braves the Victors Last Night, Great interest is being shown in the newly organized Recreation Center bowling league. The second session was held last night and some good scores were made.

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Hosiery 25c Medium Weight Cotton Stockings. Two or more pair packed in Xmas Box. 35c Medium weight cotton, medium weight silk lisle or light silk lisle. Box of 3 pair, \$1.00. 50c Fine Gauze Cotton Stockings. Two pair in Box, at \$1.00. 50c Silk and fibre Stockings. Put in Christmas Boxes. \$1.25 Pure Dye White and colors. \$2.50 McCallum Silk Stockings. Embroidered clocks. 75c Silk Lisle Stockings. In Xmas Boxes. \$1.50 Wool Sport Hose. Others to \$3.50. 90c Phoenix Silk Hosiery. Others to \$1.50. \$1.35 McCallum Silk Stockings. Others to \$6.50. \$1.25 Phoenix Silk Hosiery. Others, 90c and \$1.50. \$1.69 McCallum Silk Stockings. Also \$1.35 to \$6.25. \$1.35 Pure Dye Silk, out size. Black and colors. \$1.50 Lambskin Dress Gloves. \$2.15 Washable Cape Gloves, White lack and colors. \$3.50 Mocha Gloves. Seamless wool lined. \$1.00 Girls' Vicuna Wool Gloves. \$1.50 Washable Doeskin Gloves. \$2.50 Grey Mocha Gloves. \$3.00 Mocha Gloves. Fleece lined. \$1.00 Women's Wool skating Gloves. \$1.50 Washable Cape Gloves. \$2.45 Strap Wrist Washable Gloves. \$5.00 Wool lined, soft cuff gauntlets. \$1.25 Kayser Wool Skating Gloves. \$1.75 Pique Sewn Lambskin Gloves. \$2.95 Strap Wrist Pique Sewn Gloves. 75c Boys' Scotch Wool Gloves. \$1.50 Kayser Wool Skating Gloves.

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LIGHTING UP TIME.

Auto lamps should be lighted at
4.50 p. m.
The sun rose at 7.11 a. m.
The sun sets at 4.20 p. m.

George Graziadio has accepted a
position in the group insurance de-
partment of the Travelers.

Miss Maude Russell of High street
was taken to the Hartford Hospital
yesterday to be treated for a serious
illness.

Richard Maloney of Hartford, for-
merly a resident of this town and
well known here has enlisted in the
army and is at Fort Slocum, N. Y.

The quarterly bonus which Cheney
Bros. is giving to their employees
was paid to part of the workers yester-
day. The bonus is due Friday.

Robert J. Smith has sold for
Everett P. Lathrop of Locust street
his 20 acre farm at Quarryville to
F. H. House, a lumber dealer of
Hartford, who will occupy the farm
as a summer home.

Although the sleighing has been
good for several days few sleighs
have been seen and their absence has
been commented on. The fact is
that the sleigh has become obsolete.
The motor vehicle has in large meas-
ure supplanted the horse drawn ve-
hicles. Whenever a man sold his
horses and wagons he sold his sleighs
or if he didn't, he has them stored
because he has no horses to draw
them.

BOOKS FOR "OUR BOYS."

Many local people are taking ad-
vantage of the government's offer to
supply the soldier boys with reading
material. If a one cent postage
stamp is placed upon any magazine,
without wrapping or address, the
magazine will be placed in the hands
of some one of our soldiers or sail-
ors. Last night one young girl
brought to the post office at the
south end two packages of maga-
zines. There were 15 in each pack-
age and every one had a stamp on
it. This is one way to do a bit of
your bit.

TO HOLD FOOD SALE.

The Hockanum Camp Fire Girls
will hold a food sale in their club
rooms at 24 Huntington street Sat-
urday afternoon from 2.30 to 5.30
o'clock. Part of the proceeds will
go to the war chest, which the Na-
tional Camp Fire association is pre-
paring for war relief work.

\$200 FOR RED CROSS.

Lucius Pinney, treasurer, of the
local chapter of the Red Cross, to-
day received a check for \$200 from
Joseph Moore, treasurer of Hook and
Ladder Co. No. 1 as the Red Cross
share of the receipts of the recent
Thanksgiving dance.

It was also announced at the Red
Cross headquarters that contribu-
tions for the Halifax disaster may
be sent to Mr. Pinney.

RELIEF FOR FOOT TROUBLES.

Dr. David S. McClarin a foot spe-
cialist from Dr. Scholl of Chicago is
at the Park Shoe Store in the new
Johnson Block for the balance of
the week to give free consultation
and advice to all sufferers from fall-
en arches, corns and bunions. This
special service is offered by the Dr.
Scholl manufacturing company in
order that sufferers from foot trou-
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a specialist. This consultation is
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visit the store tomorrow or Satur-
day.—Adv.

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The price of these same sweaters for next year will be ABOUT 50 PER CENT higher.

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Bring the children along with you today. Let them see the mountains of heart gladders which Santa has piled up for them here. The heaps of Toys are arranged for each of the seven ages of childhood, so bring all the little ones.



And when he puts his bag in his sleigh behind his teams of reindeers we'll see that he "holers whoa" above the house-top and comes down the chimney with them on Christmas eve.
Come See These New Toy Displays
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Wagon blocks 25c to 99c
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Auto racers \$10.98.
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Erectors (the child mind builder) 50c to \$10.

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Bibles 99c to \$2.98.
Small children's books 5c to 99c
Girl's books 25c to \$1.50.
Boys' books 25c to 69c
Boys' educational games 5c to 99c
Girls' educational games 25c to 99c
Sewing sets 25c to 99c
Painting sets 25c to 99c
Puzzles 25c to 59c
Blocks 25c to \$1.50.
Large assortment of unbreakable dolls 25c to \$5.98.
Teddy bears 35c to 99c
Children's furniture sets (3 piece ivory sets) \$12.50, consisting of table and two chairs, prettily decorated to match the nursery.

5 piece sets (oblong table) \$10.98, mission finish.
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Tables 50c to 99c, either oblong or round, varnished.
White tables \$1.25 to \$2.98.
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Shoo-flys \$1.98 to \$6.98.
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Miss Maud Elizabeth Bartley of 16 Wadsworth street and Robert Turkington of Winter street were

married at the South Methodist parsonage yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. H. Bath. They were attended by the bridegroom's sister and the bride's brother. Follow-

ing the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Turkington left on a wedding trip to Ontario, Canada. On returning they will reside at 16 Wadsworth street.