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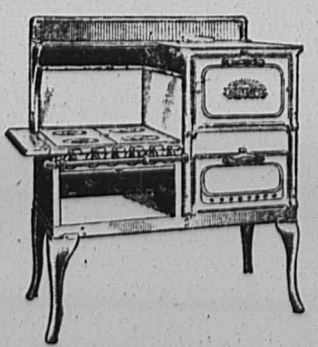
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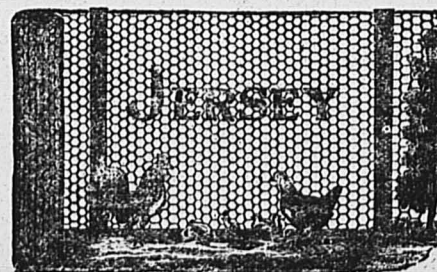
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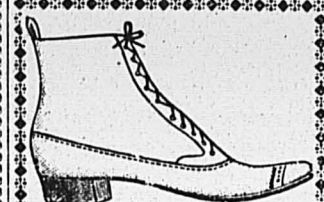
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Food for the Family.

If one can by a change of seasoning
or a bit of garnish change an ordinary
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Onions With Peanut-Butter Sauce.

Peel and cook enough onions to serve six. Make one cupful of cream sauce, heat into it one-fourth of a cupful of peanut butter and pour over the onions. Open each onion a little at the side, that the flavor of the sauce may penetrate it more thoroughly.

One Egg Cake.

Beat one-fourth of a cupful of shortening to a cream and gradually beat in one-fourth of a cupful of sugar and one-fourth of a cupful of honey, add one egg beaten well, the grated rind of a lemon, half a cupful of milk and one cupful of wheat flour, one-fourth of a cupful of rice flour and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder sifted with the flour. Bake in a sheet.

Chicago Muffins.

Sift together one cupful of wheat flour, two cupfuls of cornmeal, two teaspoonfuls of sugar and half a teaspoonful of salt, with six teaspoonfuls of baking powder; add three tablespoonfuls of corn oil and three cupfuls of milk. Beat well and pour into hot muffin pans and bake 15 minutes.

Banana Charlotte Russe.

Cut one-half a banana in slices, squeeze over it a little lemon juice and set aside to chill. Scrape the coarse threads from two bananas and the half and press them through a sieve. There should be one cupful of the puree. Scald the puree with the rest of the lemon juice over hot water, add one tablespoonful of gelatin softened in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water. Put three-fourths of a cupful of corn syrup and one-fourth of a cupful of sugar in a double boiler with the whites of two eggs. Beat and cook the mixture seven minutes. Spread half of this frosting on paper in the form of lady fingers, have the paper fastened to a board, dredge with sugar and bake in a moderate oven until slightly colored. About half an hour will be needed. Beat the rest of the frosting into the banana mixture, stir over ice water until it begins to thicken, then fold in a cupful of cream, beaten very light. When quite firm put it into a mold lined with the sliced bananas and the meringue lady fingers.

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FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1919

Mattie Wins Another Race

Last Saturday Ogden Mattie, sailing the Waka, won the race from John H. Hesse, in the Babette, by forty seconds. The contest was sailed in a high wind, which carried away the mainsail on the Waka, forcing Mattie to withdraw just after he had crossed the starting line. Mattie got the advantage in the start, and held it throughout the race.

Will Teach Children to Swim in Three Minutes

The Riverton Yacht Club has arranged to have William J. Hartnett, holder of the world's record for teaching swimming, to come to Riverton, N. J., on July 12, at 2 p. m., and to teach by his method he can teach a child to swim, or rather a number of children, to swim at the rate of one child for each three (3) minutes of his instruction.

Mr. Durbin, owner of the yacht, and Mr. Wright have talked with Mr. Hartnett and know the method which he is going to use, and will assure the parents of all children between the ages of eight and fourteen that this will be a great opportunity to have them taught how to swim.

The Yacht Club will arrange to have a certain portion of the beach roped off so that all can see Mr. Hartnett's methods, and will also supply for the safety of the children.

Any of the parents wishing to take advantage of this opportunity can call Walter C. Wright, Riverton, N. J., any evening around 7 o'clock and he will take their entries and gladly give them any additional information that they would like to have.

Hon. Charles A. Wolverson to be Fourth of July Orator

The address in the morning on the bank, Fourth of July, will be delivered by Hon. Charles A. Wolverson, Prosecutor of Camden County.

The program for the day will be:

10:00 a. m., children's flag parade.

10:30 a. m., yacht race.

1:30 p. m., military parade.

2:45 p. m., aquatic events—swimming races, tug races, canoe races.

3:00 p. m., band concert on lawn.

8:00 p. m., patriotic church service on lawn.

9:00 p. m., fireworks on pier.

Prizes will be awarded for decorated baby carriages, bicycles and velocipedes.

The judges will be Mrs. Murray C. Boyer, Mrs. Alexander Murray and Mrs. Walter L. Bowen.

The aquatic events will start at 2:45, with the chariot race. Those entering will wear a bathing suit underneath their clothing, and will be arranged in line on the shore.

The signal they will take off their outer clothing, run across the beach and swim around designated stake boat and back to shore, run across beach, put their clothing on over their bathing suits and line up in front of judges, who will decide the winners by their speed and neatness of appearance.

The other events will be:

3:00 p. m., juvenile swimming race, first class.

3:05 p. m., juvenile swimming race, second class.

3:10 p. m., swimming race, girls' under 16.

3:15 p. m., men's swimming race.

3:20 p. m., ladies' swimming race.

3:25 p. m., tug race.

3:30 p. m., mixed relay race, teams of four.

3:45 p. m., canoe races.

There will be men's doubles, ladies' doubles, juvenile doubles, ladies' singles, mixed doubles, men's fours, juvenile fours, men's five (paddling with hands), and lifting contest.

Line of parade: The Hut to Main, to Bank, to Lippincott, to Broad, to Market, and countermarch to P. O. S. of A. Hall.

Conserve Ice

Owing to the almost total failure of the natural ice crop the country is facing a serious shortage of ice this summer. Plans for the manufacture of ice, in sections where the natural ice crop has always furnished a considerable part of the supply, cannot possibly meet the demand that will be made upon them.

The situation is so grave that several cities have used the city funds to buy up ice in the Pocono Mountains, where the harvest of natural ice was nearly normal. It is evident that this section cannot make good the total failure almost everywhere else.

Consumers are asked to conserve in their use of ice, as before the season is over it will probably be necessary to apportion the supply to the dealers, which may be a serious curtailment in the quantity the individual will be able to secure, regardless of price. Whatever economy is practiced now will alleviate the shortage during the torrid weather to come when an adequate supply of ice is absolutely necessary.

Many ways to save ice will present itself to every thoughtful housekeeper, such as bottling water for drinking and cooling it in the ice chamber, rather than cutting ice for the water pitcher; keeping the butter in the refrigerator until it is actually time to use it, instead of putting it on the table with a large lump of ice on the butter plate, etc.

WEEKLY NEWS BUDGET for Riverton and Vicinity

Buy It At Home.

Miss Eleanor Stover is at Duck Hill Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Metcalf are at Townsend Inlet, N. J.

Miss Helen Wells has gone to Orrs Island, Me., for the summer.

Herbert M. Morris and family will go to Ocean City, Saturday.

Miss Eleanor Baker is entertaining a house party over the Fourth.

Mrs. George H. Henry has gone to Casco Bay, Me., for the summer.

Mrs. Clement B. Lewis and children are at Duck Hill Falls for ten days.

The Misses A. R. and M. W. Miller are at the Glensmere, Camden, Pa.

Mrs. J. Douglas Clark entertained the Monday Afternoon Sewing Circle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Parry and children have gone to Cape May for the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. N. F. Stahl are spending a few days at Providence, R. I., visiting their son.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Niekirk and daughter are at the Hotel Clatsop, Atlantic City.

Mrs. Paul Good and daughter, Virginia, have returned home after spending a week at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter K. Woolman and children will go to Bay Head, N. J., Saturday, for the summer.

Clifford C. Collins and family left Thursday for Seaside Park, where they will spend the summer.

William Rowan, of Riverdale, who purchased the Flynn property on Linden avenue, moved in this week.

Wesley Lloyd arrived home Tuesday night from service overseas. He was discharged from Camp Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burgess, who have been living at Daniel Williams' house, have moved to 301 Harrison street.

Mr. Elliott, of Baltimore, moved into his newly purchased property on Fenton street above Fourth, on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. R. Bowker returned home Thursday evening after a three week trip through the Middle West and Virginia.

Thomas Moore and family went to Atlantic City, Tuesday, where they have taken a cottage for the summer. They rented their home to people from Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Padmore and child, of Claymont, Del., will spend the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Cavanna, and Mrs. Padmore will remain for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Keenan, of Rocky Ford, Col., are visiting their brother, Paul C. Keenan, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Burr will also entertain Edward E. Yerkes over the Fourth.

Miss Mary Haffy, of Swedesboro, was a guest in Riverton last week.

Fourteen events will be held at the Yacht Club, and has placed opened a private hospital at Swedesboro.

Dr. Marcy and family go to Cape May today for the summer. The doctor will be in his office on Friday from 9:30 to 11 a. m. He can be reached in Cape May by long distance Bell phone.

Fire was discovered in the garage of Joseph Beckley, Wednesday afternoon, but was promptly extinguished by the Riverton Fire Company, with the chemical engine. The fire broke out in the storehouse on the second floor.

Lieut. Calvin Durgin, U. S. N., was home over the week-end and returned Monday to duty aboard the Destroyer Craven, which is at Brooklyn Navy Yard for a few days. Mrs. Durgin is spending the week in New York during her husband's stay there.

Golf games can get an unusual chance at 4 for each round on July 12, from nine o'clock all day, at which time a big tournament of the Philadelphia Golf Association will be held at the Riverton course. A large number of caddies will be needed. adv.

On Sunday, July 6, there will be a special service of thanksgiving for the death of Charles H. Crosswell, at 11 a. m. The choir will render special music; the rector will preach on the subject of "Peace Restored to the World," and all are invited to be present.

The Riverton friends of Miss Marion H. Crosswell will be glad to learn of her death on Tuesday. Funeral services were held at the home of her mother, Mrs. Helen N. Crosswell, in Edgewater Park, Thursday. Mrs. Crosswell and daughter lived in Riverton for a number of years.

Between one and two o'clock Tuesday afternoon a freight car and cabin car were derailed in front of the Riverton station, delaying traffic until the middle of the afternoon. The accident was caused by the dropping of a brake beam on the freight car. No one was injured.

Mrs. Charles E. Childster, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Daniels, went to Washington Sunday to meet her husband, who motored from their home in Massillon, O., to spend the month of July in the East. Mr. Childster is editor of the Massillon Independent.

New Jersey's first appropriation of \$200,000 toward the Camden bridge is now available and the bridge and the appropriation by Pennsylvania of a similar amount. The Pennsylvania Legislature has passed a bill providing the amount agreed, but the city of Philadelphia must provide the rest and it cannot or will not act until fall.

John Flynn arrived home from overseas Saturday on a three weeks' furlough. He will return to Wilmington for an operation on the 20th. He spent nearly a year in the service overseas. When his term as a member of the National Guards of New Jersey expired he promptly reenlisted, and after spending a few weeks in camp on this side, went over with the First Pioneer Infantry. He was in four or five heavy engagements and wears a wound stripe.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver G. Willits will entertain at a house party over the Fourth. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams, Mrs. George Willits, Miss Jeanette Brodell, and Lieutenant Alfred S. Willits, all of New York. Friday evening they will give a buffet supper when the guests will be: Mr. and Mrs. N. Myers Filler, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cecil Filler, Mr. and Mrs. Dale B. Filler, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Froese, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willits, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vaucay, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitney Frishman, Jr., W. James, Miss Amy Brooks, Miss Emily C. Earnshaw, Mr. Arthur Earnshaw, Mr. Thomas Sparks, Mr. Walter Wright, Mr. John Runkel, Mr. Henry S. Volner and Mr. R. Ralston Biddle.

It's a good thing to put a boiler away over night; it all straightens out in the morning.—Whitney.

Noted Entries For Big Swimming Event

The big water carnival, Saturday, July 12, promises to be all that was hoped for. Miss Olga Dorfner, the premier woman swimmer of America, if not of the world, and who has been indisposed and not taken part in any large meets for a year, has promised Mr. Durbin that she will be on hand, and is anxious to meet the very best girls that can be brought against her. Miss Dorfner has just announced her engagement, and this may be her last appearance as a champion swimmer. Pitted against her will be Miss Charlotte Boyle, of New York, who won the national 100-yard championship last year, Miss Dorfner not defending her title. Miss Boyle has been a champion along at a great clip lately, and will fight hard before she will relinquish her proud title.

Miss Gertrude Artelt, Philadelphia's second best entry, will be in this event also, and maybe Miss Ryan.

The following girl swimmers will be here from New York: Mrs. Adeline Trapp Mullenberg, the captain of the team (and Mrs. Mullenberg has the distinction of having made the longest swim ever made by a woman in New York, she covering twenty-three miles in New York Bay in 1917); Miss Charlotte Boyle, the 100-yard national champion of America; Miss Blechrey, the 500-yard national champion, and three of the greatest little girl swimmers in New York and America: Miss Riffin, Miss Wainwright and Miss Brown. It is also hoped Miss Bartlett, the Metropolitan diving champion, will be able to make the trip.

With Miss Dorfner invincible at the 100, Philadelphia has a very strong team. Miss Bessie Ryan, who is at present invincible in the 220. She has taken the crown and title of the one-famous Claire Galligan, of New York. She is destined to be a second Olga Dorfner. But in meeting Miss Blechrey, of New York, at 500 yards, she has picked some promotion, as Miss Blechrey seems invincible, also at this distance. Owing to a recent sickness, Miss Ryan has requested Mr. Durbin to ask Miss Blechrey to consent to a 200-yard race instead. If she does, then the odds must shift to Miss Ryan.

In Miss Elizabeth Becker, the middle Atlantic diving champion, Philadelphia has a girl who cannot be outclassed in this country. Nearly an equal are Miss Helen Pennypacker, Miss Florence McLaughlin and Miss Enoch Hill, all Philadelphia stars.

Fred Coffey, coach of the Meadowbrook, has promised a race between six little tots, whom he declares will make their grown sisters groan with envy. Miss Mabel Artelt, of the Philadelphia Turners, is another clever performer who is sure to make a hit.

In the men events the blue ribbon will go to New York, for if Ted Cann, Herbert Vollmer and Leo Giebel appear, there is no Philadelphia swimmer who could give them a race. The three New York Athletic Clubs' stars will have to fight it out among themselves. In Raymond Hill and Harold Philadelphia will show her best, and these boys are really wonders if outclassed by the champion New Yorkers. However, Armstrong, the local champion diver, can undoubtedly out-point any New York entry.

Can the Jackson, of the Germantown Boys' Club, has promised not only a full team of his boys, but a sensational little boy diver of seven years.

John Stevens, of Glend College, is trying to arrange to bring Johnnie Boyle, said to be the best boy diver in the country, to Riverton.

Professor Hartnett will try hard to create a new world's record by teaching twenty-five little boys or girls how to swim at the rate of two and a half minutes per child. Do not let the little ones (8 to 10 years of age) miss this opportunity, and send in their names to Walter C. Wright at once.

Red Cross Work Done in Riverton School

Red Cross work accomplished by the pupils of the Riverton Public School, from February 22, 1918, until June, 1919.

Sewing: Forty-eight slings made and hemmed, 22 pillows made and filled, 3 pillow cases, 18 mittens, 26 handkerchiefs, hemmed, 10 refugee petticoats, 10 refugee shirts, 2 infants' dresses, 6 infants' socks embroidered, 1 infant's kimono, 2½ dozens mittens, 53 pairs flannellette booties lined, and 18 pairs 8-year-size drawers with ruffles.

Raffling and Red Cross Activities: Three large robes for soldiers, 75 knitted washcloths, 3 pairs socks, 5 pairs children's socks, 14 sweaters for refugees, 5 scarfs for refugees, 30 lb. carpet rags tied and sewed, 13 rags woven for Red Cross and 25 scrap-books made for soldiers, sock stretchers made of wood and sold, Christmas seals sold, paper flowers and lilies made and sold, several rugs sold, \$25 earned to date, several large packages of magazines were collected and mailed to Camp Dix and fruit pits collected.

"Fourth" at the Hut

Service boys are asked to be on hand at 11 a. m.

If you arrive home too late to send word, come anyway.

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Married

At a nuptial mass the morning of June 25, Miss Bertha Elizabeth Stecher and Theodore J. J. Hass were married in St. Peter's Church, Riverdale, in the presence of their immediate families, the Rev. Father Lucitt officiating. They were attended by Miss May Stecher and Joseph V. Hass. After their wedding trip the young couple will reside in Palmyra.

Will the Hut Be Continued?

The Community Hut held its last session of the season, Tuesday evening with more Service boys than have been present at any one regular evening.

The entertainment consisted of recitations by Virginia Corry, music, vocal and instrumental by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams, Mrs. George Willits, Miss Jeanette Brodell, and the First Canadian Battalion, told of his experiences and showed his full marching equipment.

There were addresses by officers of the Hut expressing appreciation for the support given by the community and those who had been, particularly active in the work.

The future of the Hut depends entirely upon the attitude of the public, for while it has been the most popular gathering that has ever continued for a like period, the interest being sustained to the last, there is a feeling that perhaps its life of usefulness is past. However, you who have attended the Hut can say, for the officers are willing to put their efforts in the matter another year if it is really wanted.

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until 11:00 p. m.
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then hourly until 2:00 a. m.

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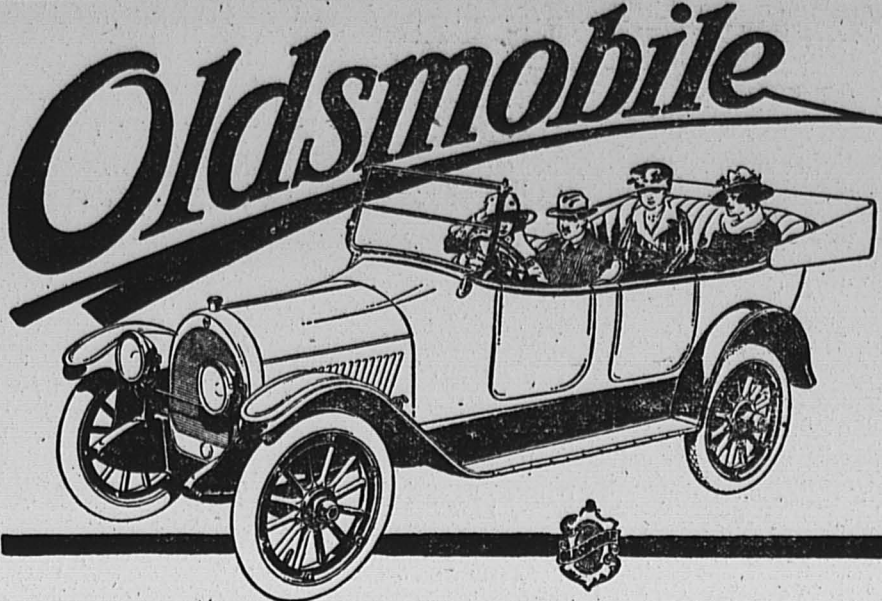
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LESSON FOR JULY 6

CHURCH: ITS LIFE AND WORK.

LESSON TEXTS—Acts 2:1-4, 17-47;
1 Cor. 12:1-13.

GOLDEN TEXT—Christ also loved the
Church, and gave himself for it.—Eph.
5:25.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—1 Cor. 12:
4-11; Eph. 1:15-23; 4:11-16; 5:25-27; Rev. 1:
10-12.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Our Father's House,
the Church. What We Should Love
the Church.

INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—What the
Church Does for Us and What We Should
Do for the Church.

SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—The
Spirit and Mission of the Church.

I. The Origin of the Church (Acts
2:1-4).

Fifty days after the passover, while
the 120 men and women were "with
one accord in one place" the Holy
Spirit came upon them and baptized
them into one body (1 Cor. 12:13).

Thus was begun the body called the
church. The church had its beginning
at Pentecost. The believers were
united around the resurrected Christ
as head.

II. Conditions of Entrance into
the Church (Acts 2:37-41).

After the coming of the Spirit at
Pentecost, Peter witnessed to the
death and resurrection of Christ.

Through this testimony the Spirit con-
vinced these Jews of their sins. In
their desperate need they cried out:
"What shall we do?" Peter's reply
indicated the steps into the church.

(1) Belief in Jesus Christ as Savior.
His argument proved that Jesus whom
they had crucified was the Messiah.

(2) Repentance. Every one entering
the church should repent; should
change his mind and attitude toward
Jesus Christ.

(3) Baptism. The divinely ap-
pointed method for the public con-
fession of Jesus Christ is baptism. Those
who have believed in Jesus Christ
should receive this tangible ordinance,
which symbolizes our identification
with Christ in his death, burial and resur-
rection.

(4) Receive remission of sins. Those
who have been united to Jesus Christ
have all their sins removed; there is
an entire cancellation of guilt. They
have a standing before God which is
absolutely perfect.

(5) Receive the Holy Spirit. The gift
of the Holy Spirit is the birthright of
every regenerated soul who is obedi-
ent to Christ.

III. A Portrait of the Primitive
Church (Acts 2:42-47).

1. They continued in the apostles'
doctrine (v. 42). Instead of being
taught by the scribes they are now
taught by the apostles. They have
turned away from their blind guides
and are following new ones.

2. They continued in fellowship
around Christ as the head (v. 42). The
breaking of bread illustrated the on-
eness of believers in Christ. As all
partook of one loaf, so all believers
are one in Christ.

3. They continued in prayer (v. 42).
The ideal church is a praying church.
4. They had a community of goods

(v. 44-45). They had all things in com-
mon. Those that had possessions sold
them and distribution was made to
every one as he had need.

5. They were filled with praise (v.
46). All those who have had the ex-
perience of the life of God being
poured into them are filled with praise,
and gratitude must express itself.

IV. The Mutual Duties of Officers
and Members of the Church (1 Thess.
5:11-13).

1. Mutual intercourse for comfort
and edification (v. 11). There is no
caste in the church of Jesus Christ; it
is a brotherhood.

2. Proper recognition should be
given to those who are engaged in
spiritual service (v. 12). Only as the
grace of God abounds do men and
women turn from their secular to spiri-
tual interests. Those who thus re-
spond to the call of God should have
popular recognition.

3. Proper respect should be given
to church officials (v. 13).
4. While we should not give worship
to those who are leaders in the church
of Christ we should give them proper
respect. One of the signs of the de-
generacy of the age is a lack of re-
spect shown Christian ministers.

5. Live in peace (v. 13). Although
there is in the church a diversity of
interests and personalities the love of
Christ should so fill us that there be
no strife in his body.

6. Warn the disorderly (v. 14). As
Christ chose twelve and one was a
devil, so in the church there will be
those who are disorderly. All such
should be lovingly warned.

7. Do not retaliate (v. 15). Al-
though others wrong us we should not
retaliate.

8. Self is the only prison that ever
binds the soul.—Henry VanDyke.



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Helen Elsie Biddle,
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Yacht Club Members in Active Service

The following members are in active
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Lieut. George Lawrence,
Lieut. Maurice Belknap,
Lieut. F. F. Boyd,
George Garrett Dunn, Jr.,
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Joseph Simpkins,
John Southwick,
Richard H. Wood,
H. C. Sterling,
Cleveland J. Wallace,
James J. Wilkins,
Gilbert E. Tees,
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George Truman,
Mark Otto Valentine,
Edwin Van Lambert.

* Killed in action.

** Died of disease.

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Charles Bates,
Ellsworth Bates,
Raymond Bailey,
Samuel Spencer Barker,
Edwin Paul Bauder,
Roland Starnet Bauder,
Eugene J. Beck,
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Pietro D. Bella,
John R. Bellerjeau,
Raymond Berger,
Daniel J. Blackburn,
Calvin J. Boal,
John Antonio Boehme,
Alonso Felton Bonnal,
George Washington Bonnal,
Emory Bowker,
Charles L. Brannon,
George Winfred Brill,
Thomas Bromley,
Forrest West Buck,
Frank Buck,
Angelo Carite,
Charles Carter,
J. Franklin Cline, 3d,
Branson Cook,
William Cook,
Clifton Cooper,
Edward Charles Coppins,
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Joseph Cucimotta,
James Cuzzupe,
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Harry Fox,
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J. W. Miller,
William Miller,
William Mohrmann,
Morton Alfred Mohrmann,
George S. Morris,
George Scheel Morris,
Thomas Mood,
Elias Reeves Morgan,
Perry Morton,
Tony Naples,
Dominick Nigro,
Walter Peterson,
Walter Pike,
Lawrence Clifford Polla,
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forces. Following are a few of the
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WALTER S. SEVALIA,

Corporal, Co. F, 7th Engineers.

Corporal Sevalia was decorated for
extraordinary heroism in action near
Bossoles, France, November 3, 1918.
Corporal Sevalia swam the Meuse river
with a cable for a pontoon bridge, un-
der direct machine gun fire. Later he
carried a cable for another bridge over
the Est canal, across an open field
covered by enemy machine guns. Here
he was wounded by a machine gun
bullet, but returned carrying a mes-
sage of great importance. Corporal
Sevalia's home is in Brule, Wis.

ALPHEUS E. STEWART,

Private, Company G, 107th Infantry.

Private Stewart received the Dis-
tinguished War Cross in recognition of
unusual gallantry in action near Bos-
soly, France, September 29, 1918. Dis-
regarding a severe wound in the head,
Private Stewart fearlessly advanced
toward an enemy machine gun nest
and put it out of action with a gre-
nade a few seconds before he was
killed by fire from another machine
gun nest near by. His home was in
Jordanian, Tex.

JOHN CALVIN WARD,

Private, Company D, 117th Infantry.

Private Ward was awarded the Dis-
tinguished Service Cross for conspicu-
ous gallantry in action near Estrees,
France, October 8, 1918. During an
advance Private Ward's company was
held up by a machine gun. He was
endangering the line. Accompanied by
a non-commissioned officer, he advanced
against this position and succeeded in
reducing the nest by killing three and
capturing several of the enemy and their
guns. His mother, Mrs. Laura Ward,
lives in Morristown, Tenn.

HENRY S. BOGAN,

Sergeant, 78th Co., Sixth Regiment,
U. S. M. C.

For extraordinary heroism in action
near Blanc Mont, France, October 8,
1918, Sergeant Bogan was awarded a
Bar, to be worn with the Distinguished
Service Cross that had previously been
awarded him. During the attack on
Blanc Mont, Sergt. Bogan, with

out aid, captured three machine gun
nests, and after being wounded took
thirty prisoners. He himself es-
corted these prisoners to the rear rather
than have the line weakened by tak-
ing men for this duty. His home is
with his mother, Mrs. Sallie Bogan,
Franklin, Ky.

JOHN H. PRUITT,

Corporal, 78th Company, 6th Regi-
ment, U. S. M.

Corp. Pruitt, whose home was with
his mother, Mrs. Belle Pruitt, Ray,
Ariz., was decorated for conspicuous
gallantry in action with the enemy at
Mont Rithes, France, October 8,
1918. Corp. Pruitt, single-handed, at-
tacked two machine guns, capturing
them and killing two of the enemy.
He then captured forty prisoners in a
duel near by. This gallant soldier
was killed soon afterward by shell fire
while he was sniping the enemy.

JAMES EARNEST KARNES,

Sergeant, Company D, 117th Infantry.

Sergt. Karnes, whose home is with
his mother, Mrs. Emily Karnes, 2501
North Broadway, Knoxville, Tenn.,
was decorated for extraordinary hero-
ism in action near Estrees, France,
October 8, 1918. During an advance,
Sergt. Karnes' company was held up
by a machine gun, which was endan-
gering the line. Accompanied by an-
other member of his company, he ad-
vanced against this position and suc-
ceeded in reducing the nest by killing
three and capturing seven of the enemy
and their guns.

THOMAS E. O'SHEA,

Corporal, M. Co. Co., 107th Infantry.

Corp. O'Shea was awarded the Dis-
tinguished Service Cross for conspicu-
ous gallantry in action near Gaillet,
France, September 10, 1918. Be-
coming separated from their platoon
by smoke barrage, Corp. O'Shea, with
two other soldiers, took cover in a
shell hole well within the enemy lines.
Upon hearing a call for help from an
American tank, which had become dis-
abled thirty yards from them, the three
soldiers left their shelter and started
toward the tank, under heavy fire
from German machine guns and
French mortars. In crossing the fire-
swept area, Corp. O'Shea was mortally
wounded and died of his wounds short-
ly afterward. He lived in Summit,
N. J.

MATEJ KOKAC,

Sergeant, Company C, 5th Regiment,
U. S. M. C.

Sergeant Kokac (deceased) won the
Distinguished Service Cross for gal-
lantry in action near Solismes, France,
July 18, 1918. When the advance of
his battalion was checked by a hid-
den machine gun nest, Sergeant Ko-
cak went forward alone, unprotected
by covering fire from his own men,
and worked in between the German
positions in the face of fire from enemy
covering detachments. Locating the
machine gun nest, he rushed it, and,
with his bayonet drove off the crew.
Shortly after this Sergeant Kokac or-
ganized 25 French colonial soldiers,
who had become separated from their
company and led them in attacking
another machine gun nest, which was
also put out of action.

JAMES I. MESTROVITCH,

Sergeant, Company C, 11th Infantry.

Sergt. Mestrovitch (deceased) de-
corated for exceptional bravery in saving
the life of his company commander at
Flemette, France, August 10, 1918. See-
ing his captain lying wounded thirty
yards in front of the line, after his
company had withdrawn to a sheltered
position behind a stone wall, Sergt.
Mestrovitch voluntarily left cover and
crawled through heavy machine gun
and shell fire to where the officer lay.
Sergt. Mestrovitch took the officer
upon his back and crawled back to a
place of safety, where he administered
first aid treatment, his exceptional
heroism saving the officer's life. Sergt.
Mestrovitch's home was in Fresno, Cal.

BUY IT AT HOME

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When he was talking with this man another man came in, succeeding and coughing and inquired of Mr. Andrus whether he thought a Turkish bath would prevent a fellow from getting a bad case of the influenza.

By this time Andrus said to the attendant: "Get me out of here as quickly as possible. I have given about as much time as I care to prodding at the flu conference in Indianapolis."—Indianapolis News,

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FRIDAY, JULY 11, 1919

Electric Light Pole Erected Without Permission

It was reported by the Mayor at the meeting of the Borough Council last night that the Public Service Electric Company had erected three poles on Howard street, without permission. He said he had had some correspondence with the company and they said they did not know of any permission being given, since the poles were put in to give service to the public school, but offered to take the necessary steps to secure permission. The Mayor pointed out to Council that the school property should be without these poles on the public highway, and he was going to advise the Electric Light Company that Council would not permit the poles to remain where placed, and direct the company to remove them. It seems to be the intention of the company to place a pole on each of the highways whenever they get a chance, and it is a policy of long standing with the Borough Council and the townspeople not to have the streets disfigured with unsightly poles. A request from the company to place three poles on Board street was referred to the highway committee.

The sewer district committee reported that it had been advised by the engineers that plans for a joint plant would be ready in two weeks, and then it would be possible to ascertain the approximate cost of erecting the plant.

The committee for a suitable memorial for the service men reported that a communication had just been received from the borough solicitor relative to the possible cost and time required for condemnation proceedings to secure a piece of the Drexler property for a memorial park. The cost of the proceedings, including the cost of the land, as finally determined by a commission, would be over \$1000, and the time practically unlimited.

The visiting nurse committee addressed a communication to Council asking for an additional donation of money, owing to the fact that the committee had been instructed to advise the committee that no provision had been made for an additional sum in the budget, and it would be impossible to comply with the request at this time.

The Mayor read a notice stating that the Public Service Gas Company had petitioned the Public Utilities Commission to advance the price of gas from 50 cents to \$1.15 per thousand cubic feet. Council passed a resolution protesting against the raise, and instructed the clerk to send a copy to the Public Utilities Commission and to the League of Municipalities.

The highway committee reported that the solicitor had advised that there were no legal objections to straightening the roadway on the river bank in front of the Gatzner property, and that the work had been commenced.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Henry S. Haines, work on streets	\$11.00
Louis Corner, work on streets	15.76
Public Service Electric Co.	292.50
Walter G. Miller, salary	83.33
William Quigley, salary	83.33
Telephone	1.85
Rental for flush tanks	87.50
Dental for hydrant	25.00
S. F. Haywood & Co., supplies	34.00
Fourth of July Committee	
Drinking cups	4.35
Budgets	12.22
Prizes	14.75
Bunting	4.50
Printing	50.00
Meals for band	52.50
Brass Metropolitan Band	221.00
Fireworks	300.00
Hon. John B. Kates, entertainment	50.00
Community Hut, entertainment	50.00
Service men	25.00

Japanese Beetle Invades Riverton and Palmyra.
The Japanese Beetle, which the United States Experiment Station at Westfield has been trying to exterminate for the last two years, has found its way into the town, having been imported in six or eight places within the last few days. The beetle does great damage to the foliage of trees, shrubbery, etc., being especially fond of grape, rose, althea and ivy.

Residents are requested by the station to help in eradication of this pest by spraying trees and shrubbery on their premises with any of the following solutions:

Arsenate of lead, 4 pounds of dry, or 8 pounds of paste to 100 gallons of water.
Paris green, 1 pound to 100 gallons of water, to which add twice the bulk of the Paris green in lime.
It is also requested that care be taken not to carry the beetles from the infested area into sections not yet affected.

Posters showing the beetle in colors have been put up in places where it is thought that everyone may become acquainted with the appearance of the insect, and thus be better able to help exterminate it.

A hundred people are willing to lend ears where one will lend a hand.—The Gentle Cynic.

Once Powerful Empire.

No country, not even Egypt, made a deeper mark in the history of the ancient world than Mesopotamia. For thousands of years it was the seat of the Assyrian and Babylonian empires. To the hallowed resources of nature its peoples added those of art and science, and the country during the centuries was not only in material wealth, and military power, but also in culture. The ancient glory of Mesopotamia has passed, but the glamour remains.

WEEKLY NEWS BUDGET

for Riverton and Vicinity

Buy It At Home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Mechling are at Ventnor.

Harvey Stewart has just purchased a new National.

Mr. Latch has moved from Palmyra to Main and Midway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. M. Showell have gone to Seaside Park.

Frank Cole has moved into his new house on Hudson avenue.

Miss Marian Harris is spending her vacation at Buck Hill Falls.

John A. Smith has purchased a Liberty Six from Joseph W. Friday.

J. Linton Rigg has resigned as secretary of the Riverton Yacht Club.

Charles W. Wanger left Thursday for a business trip to Kansas City.

Dr. James Brown and Hammett Newman spent last week-end in New York.

John Hinkle's house is being painted. Coddington is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kapus, of Philadelphia, spent the Fourth with John Adolph.

Mrs. Walter K. Woolman and children have gone to Bay Head for the summer.

Walter H. Lippincott and family have gone to Jefferson, N. H., for the summer.

Mr. Crowhurst, of Collingswood, has taken Robert F. White's house for the summer.

Miss Emily Earnshaw and the Misses Murdock have gone to Jamestown, R. I.

There were in Riverton during June three deaths, one death and three marriages.

Mrs. Witte and Mr. and Mrs. Hagenbottom motored to Atlantic City on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Turner and daughter have gone to Aledo, O., for the summer.

Harvey Stewart and family have taken apartments at Atlantic City for the summer.

Miss Ella Horner and Miss Frances Lippincott are spending two weeks at Ocean Grove.

Howard McIlhenny and family, of Brooklyn, spent the Fourth with friends in Riverton.

Walter Compton arrived home on Sunday, having been discharged from the service at Camp Dix.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Myers Filmer and sons, Nathan and Biddle, have gone to Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armistead returned home Thursday after spending a week at Atlantic City.

Mrs. O. G. Wagner, of Beaver Springs, is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Hughes for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Washington entertained a number of friends at dinner on the Fourth.

Howard Armstrong has been discharged from the service, and returned home Wednesday.

There will be a special sale of aluminum ware at J. S. Collins in Riverton next Monday afternoon.

Charles Stewart collided with a trolley in Philadelphia one day this week and demolished the car he was driving.

J. Linton Rigg has purchased the Yvon, one of the new Larchmont class, from Commodore R. M. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wheeler and children, of Marlborough, spent the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Major.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dignan and children have gone to Nova Scotia to visit Dr. Macdonald, a former assistant to Dr. Marcy.

Mr. Darbarow has arranged to have the Stanley Moving Picture Company show the latest of the swimming events here Saturday afternoon.

R. T. Elliott and family, of Baltimore, are now occupying the Schenck property on Fulton street, which they recently purchased.

Samuel Conwell, Jr., Harry Edwards, Charles Harris, William Tyler and John P. Dexter have been discharged from the army and have returned home.

Dealers in milk and cream are now required to furnish licenses from the Secretary of Agriculture, at Trenton. Failure to do so constitutes a misdemeanor.

All children who wish to be inducted into the Boy Scouts of America, report at once to Walter C. Wright, and be on the river bank at 1:30 to 1:45.

J. L. LeRoy Randall has bought the John F. Allison property. The Allison sons will move to Petersburg, Va., where Mr. Allison is engaged in business.

While Mrs. Frank C. Cole was building a fire in the kitchen stove, the firecracker exploded and wrecked the stove and damaged the kitchen, but Mrs. Cole escaped unhurt.

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Phoebe, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, of Broad and Main streets, was seriously burned Monday afternoon while playing with matches. Her mother smothered the flames with a blanket, but not until the front and left side of the child's body had been burned almost to a crisp. Dr. Witte is in attendance.

A two-ton coal truck belonging to Joseph T. Evans, and driven by Joseph Stack and Walter Storick, took fire from a leaking gasoline tank on West Broad street, Palmyra, about 6:30 this morning, and was badly damaged. It was only saved from total destruction by the fact that Stack, who is a fireman, had a key to the fire house in his pocket and was able to get at the chemical fire extinguisher quickly.

J. B. Tyler and family have gone to Seaside Park for the summer.

While John B. Watson was vulcanizing a tire in his cellar Tuesday the apparatus took fire, but the flames were extinguished before the fire company arrived. The company responded to the alarm with its usual promptness, but went to Second and Main instead of Seventh and Main, owing to the instructions given by the telephone operator not being understood.

Riverton Pupils Make Fine Record

The following letter from the supervising principal of the Moorestown High School, was read at the meeting of the Riverton Board of Education, held June 27:

"Enclosed you will find a record of attendance and standing of pupils in your district who are attending our High School. You will notice by the record that their work is satisfactory. In fact, your pupils have a very high standing in several branches. We have also found your pupils to be of the highest type of character which will have a most wholesome influence on any school or community. I feel that your board and teachers should be complimented for the preparation these young people have had."

Very truly yours,
GEORGE C. BAKER,
Supervising Principal.

Dr. Marcy was reelected medical examiner at a salary of \$250 a year.

Miss Helen V. Wolcott resigned, after a continuous service of thirteen years as a teacher in the Riverton School. These are now two vacancies to be filled, left by Miss Wolcott and Miss Flanagan.

A brief financial statement was made, showing the total receipts for the year to be \$23,514.42, and the expenditures \$18,190.25, leaving a balance of \$11,323.36. This balance includes \$8,100.00 of the district tax for this year, which has already been collected and turned over to the custodian of school funds.

The total enrollment was 378, and the average daily attendance 239. The cost of education, per pupil, based on the enrollment, is \$12.35 a year, but based on the average daily attendance it is \$55.19.

Friends' Plea for Personal Service

The joint pilgrimage of young friends to the Westfield community over the week-end of June 28 and 29th was a very helpful and pleasant occasion.

Sixteen pilgrims, besides Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur K. Thomas, landed in time to enjoy a few games with the people of the same community before the box supper claimed the attention of all.

The evening meeting was addressed by Wilbur K. Thomas, executive secretary of the American Friends' Service Committee, who told of the "Future Work of that Committee."

He made a stirring appeal to all young people to give one or two years, after having finished their education, to unencumbered service in any line in which they are particularly interested.

The Friends' Service Committee stands ready to put young people having the desire in a position to offer their best service in such lines as teaching and social problems, work with the feeble-minded and delinquent, prison reform and bacteriological investigations. Mr. Thomas also made a strong appeal to the young people of today to enter government service.

After the work in France is completed, there will still be two other foreign fields, Persia and Russia, where Friends are planning to send units.

On Friday morning, after the meetings for worship, the conference in charge of the young Friends was held. "Service—a Personal Problem" was discussed by several of the visiting pilgrims. We all felt that a strong appeal had been made to each one of us to put into our work whatever it may be, the real "service spirit."

A FRIEND.

Service Men Join in Celebration

A feature of Riverton's biggest celebration was the parade of service men, with a hundred and eighty-one in line, in addition to float, lodges, etc.

The Hon. Charles A. Warren, the advertised speaker, could not be present, and the address was delivered by Judge John Kates, of Camden, who was introduced by Mayor William E. Bennett.

The service men were entertained at lunch at the Community Hut. The spacious lawns were decorated with the flags of the nations, and refreshments were served by the ladies of the Hostesses' Committee, under the shade of the trees.

Prizes were awarded for the best decorated baby coaches, velocipedes and bicycles in the children's parade. The awards were made as follows: Patriotic decoration of baby coaches, Jr. Arthur Hall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall, who were a service cap his father sent from overseas; artistic decoration, Robbie Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Rogers; honorable mention, Lillian Jones, daughter of peace, bicycles, Catharine Graff; honorable mention, Virginia Good, velocipedes, Samuel L. Biddle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Biddle, Jr.

The part of the celebration under the supervision of the committees from the local council, and the children consisted of the children's flag parade, the band concert on the lawn, the address and patriotic singing, the fireworks, all of which was carried out without a hitch.

Despite the climbing thermometer, the various organizations gathered in full force at the Hut and the spectacular procession moved off to the music of two bands for a tour of the shady streets to Riverton, including the parade on Broad street of both towns.

The service men marched under the command of Lieut. Col. D. Oiler and did themselves and the Service credit by the fine spectacle they presented all along the line, and they received a great hand everywhere. The wounded marines, veterans of the great drives over there, also were cheered to the echo. The Veterans of '31, the Red Cross, the Yeowomen, the Boy and Girl Scouts, the Palmyra Fire Department, the combined lodges and (Continued on third page.)

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Riverton and Palmyra made no mistake when they put the matter of the Hut in the hands of the Community Hut. The "Hut" has achieved a reputation of "putting things over right" when it undertakes anything. "Team work" in the committee does it.

All honor to our service boys who braved the heat and responded to the request that they show themselves once in uniform in a body. Their friends appreciated it.

When the executive committee of the "Hut" received word that the Navy Yard wanted to send a bunch of Marines to join in honoring our boys, because of what the "Hut" had done for all during the past season, the commandant was asked if it would not be possible to include the 181 enlisted men who were there in the hospital. On receiving an affirmative reply, a trolley car was chartered to go around the many times as was the 181 enlisted men who were there in the hospital. On receiving an affirmative reply, a trolley car was chartered to go around the many times as was the 181 enlisted men who were there in the hospital.

The decorations on the "Hut" and the court of honor were designed and placed by Frank & Seder, outfitters to ladies, misses and children, eleven and twelve years of age, Philadelphia. This was a graceful act in honor of our boys, and for which they would make no charge, although it meant a strong appeal to the young people of today to enter government service.

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Don't miss the big swimming events to be held by the Yacht Club this Saturday afternoon, July 12th, at 2 o'clock.

The very best women and men swimmers in America will compete in these events. The Meadowbrook Club will send its full team and the Philadelphia Turnverein has entered seventeen of its famous girls swimmers, including Miss Olga Dorfner and Miss Elizabeth Becker. The Philadelphia Swimming Club has notified Mr. Dorfner they will send their entire racing team here to compete. The Germantown Boys' Club will send another team, and other entries included the West and North Branch Y. M. C. A.'s, the Central Y. M. C. A., Camden Y. M. C. A., a few Girard College stars, etc.

It is expected that three world-famous New York Athletic Club's stars, Cann, Vollmer and Giesel, will be on hand, and the fair ones from New York include Miss Bledtrey, the 500-yards National woman champion; Miss Charlotte Boyle, the 100-yards National champion, and Misses Rigden, Wainwright and Brown.

There is no folly equal to that of throwing away friendship in a world where friendship is so rare.—Edward Bulwer-Lytton.

Dorfner, of Philadelphia, will fight it out in a special 100-yards race, to which Miss Artley will be admitted. Another equally as great a race will be between Miss Bledtrey and Miss Bledtrey Ryan over a 300-yards course. These two girls are great rivals and can be counted upon to fight it out to the last stroke.

Miss Becker and Miss McLaughlin will star in the diving events with Miss Uhl a close runner-up. A special race will be run off for six little girls tots of the Meadowbrook Club.

Several little boys and girls will give remarkable exhibitions of their skill on the diving board.

Another feature, which is creating great interest, is the effort Professor Hartnett will make to break all world's records for speed teaching of swimming by endeavoring to instruct 25 little boys and girls between eight and ten how to swim at the rate of two and one-half minutes per child. Exhibitions of life saving and swimming, with the hands and feet shackled, will take place.

The events will consist of 50, 100, 200, 300 and 500-yards races, fancy diving exhibition work, etc., etc.

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LESSON FOR JULY 13

BAPTISM.

LESSON TEXTS—Matt. 28:19-20; Acts 8:36-38.

GOLDEN TEXT—For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ.—Gal. 3:27.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Matt. 2:23; 11:19; 23:17; Col. 3:13; 1 Peter 3:21.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Christ Baptized by John.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Baptism of Jesus Christ.
INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—The Pledge of Christian Discipleship.
SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—Significance and Importance of Christian Baptism.

1. The Apostles' Commission (Matt. 28:19-20).

1. The authority of Jesus, (v. 19). God gave him all authority in heaven and on earth. As mediator and coming king he possessed all authority. This authority extends over all material world, angels, wicked men, devils, and his own people. God highly exalted him and gave him a name which is above every name (Phil. 2:9). There is no other way of salvation, for the entire matter of redemption is in his hands (Acts 4:12). Since God has so highly honored him it is extreme folly to expect to be saved while disregarding him.

2. The obligation of the apostles (vv. 19-20).

(1) It was to teach, that is, make disciples of all the nations (v. 19). They were to make known to the whole world that Christ had died to save sinners and that God had committed to Jesus the redemption of the world. Those who are Christ's disciples are bound to proclaim him to others.

(2) Baptize those who believe (v. 19). This is the divinely appointed way of making a public confession of faith in Christ. The disciples must

publicly take a stand for Christ. The application of water symbolizes the purifying effect of the blood of Christ and solemnly dedicates to the service of God. This baptism must be in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, showing that the believer has been brought into definite relationship to each member of the Holy Trinity.

(3) Teach the disciples obedience (v. 20). Profession is not enough, it must issue in obedience. Faith must result in works. To call Jesus "Lord" and do not the things which he says profits nothing.

8. The all-sufficient promise (v. 20). The Lord had told the disciples what would happen to them after he had gone away. He made it plain that perils of all kinds awaited them. Though the difficulties were great nothing mattered so long as they had the presence and fellowship of the all-powerful Savior and Lord.

11. The Baptism of the Eunuch (Acts 8:34-40).

Philip preached Jesus Christ to him (v. 35). At the invitation of the eunuch Philip joined himself to the chariot and found the eunuch reading from the fifty-third chapter of Isaiah. Beginning with this Scripture he preached Christ. He did not preach Christ as a great teacher, but as a savior who had suffered and died instead of the sinner. He preached him as one who had offered himself as a ransom for many. The fact that the eunuch, a great statesman, needed an interpreter of the Scriptures, even such a plain passage as the fifty-third chapter of Isaiah, shows the absolute need of a preacher. The printed page is valuable, but there will always be the need of a preacher. The gospel needs to be experienced before one can be a witness of its saving power.

2. The eunuch requesting baptism (v. 36).

When Christ is truly preached men naturally desire to confess him in baptism. In many quarters baptism has been unduly emphasized, but in others it has been disregarded. It is highly important that an intelligent understanding of its meaning be possessed; for that of which Jesus Christ gave an example and a command is highly important.

3. Philip baptizing the eunuch (v. 38). Having secured from the eunuch the proper confession Philip baptized him. It is faith in Christ that saves, but those who have genuine faith desire to seal it in baptism.

4. The eunuch rejoicing (v. 39). Confession of Christ brings joy. Those who obey the commandments of the Lord can go on their way rejoicing.

Jesus Saves.

As a child walking over a slippery and dangerous path cries out, "Father, I am falling!" and has but a moment to catch his father's hand, so every believer sees hours when only the hand of Jesus comes between him and the abysses of destruction.—Cuyler.

Wise in Time.

"Nine-tenths of our wisdom lies in being wise in time," says a great statesman. As far as results are concerned, the wisdom that comes late is often little better than folly. "If only I had thought of it when the chance offered, I might," is the prelude to many of our useless regrets.

Self Distrust Causes Failure.

In the assurance of strength there is strength; and they are the weakest, however strong, who have no faith in themselves or their power.—Bever.

Liege Disappointed Erasmus.

It is not very flattering to Liege, but Liege can always comfort herself with the thought that it was written by a disappointed friend. "I have come a little out of my way," wrote Erasmus, who was going from Louvain to Switzerland, "to see an old friend and enjoy the sight of so famous a city. But by some ill luck of my own I am disappointed of both objects. You are away and the town has pleased me so much that I never left a place with more satisfaction. Farewell!"—Christian Science Monitor.



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Doughboy Thought He Saw Boche Taunting Him While Washing His Stolen Shirt

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His assignment of two hours' watch was nearly up, but his eyes never left the bank on the other side to glance up the road to see whether the relief squad was in sight. He muttered and growled occasionally to himself and his eyes took on a fierce gleam as he watched the other side of the river.

His whole attention was focussed on a German soldier crouching on the opposite bank at the river edge. The German rubbed and scrubbed, held the shirt up, wrung it out and then rubbed some more. He paid not the slightest attention to the tense American doughboy on the other side.

The doughboy looked over his rifle every few minutes and fingered the trigger meditatively. Then along came a Red Cross car with cigarettes and other comforts following the troops into invaded territory.

"What's the trouble," inquired the Red Cross man noting the doughboy's attentiveness to the figure on the opposite shore.

"Well, I tell you," said the doughboy. "In the Chateau-Thierry fighting I took off my undershirt during a short rest to hunt for several coolies that were bothering me. The Boche made a counter-attack and took the place before I had time to put on my shirt. One of the Germans stole it. I just got a hunch that that guy on the other side of the river was the bird that took it, and I think he's washing it over there to tease me. He's been washing that shirt for half an hour now. And here I stand with a loaded gun and can't shoot. The war is hell, but this armistice stuff—"

Pershing, Methodist, Born in Linn County, Missouri, a Graduate of West Point

General Pershing belongs to the Methodist Episcopal church. He was born in Linn county, Missouri, September 13, 1850, and went to West Point at twenty, from which military academy he was graduated in 1876. In the Spanish-American war he served in the volunteer army as a major. He served eight years in the Philippines.

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Soda Fountains Are More Profitable Than Liquor Bars in New York City

Most of the soft drinks now sold are too sweet to suit the taste of the average man, according to a writer in the New York Commercial. Old-fashioned ginger beer and ginger ale made with real ginger, instead of red pepper, or capsaicin, as the trade calls the extract, would make a hit when prohibition comes in force. Raspberry vinegar, loganberry juice, pure apple juice, grape juice, lemonade and similar drinks should command a large sale in the soft drink bars and our hotels after July 1 next. The great thing is to give the people pure beverages at fair prices. Today soda fountains are more profitable than liquor bars in many parts of New York city. In the alcoholless poor man's clubs of the prohibition period that will supply saloons, the secret of success seems to be in furnishing beverages that do not clog or sicken. There are plenty, if those in the business are wise and honest enough to sell them.

Lack of Training.

Katherine's parents are trying to teach her politeness, although she is only four years old. As a result she watches opportunities to use "Sense me" and "Please." The other day she watched mother as she rocked her year-old brother. Finally little brother hiccuped. Katherine waited expectantly but in vain. Finally she could stand it no longer. "Mudder," she said, indignantly, "Rub ought to be sense enough to say 'Sense me'."

Finally father summed up the situation. "Mother," he said, "I'm going to check your pride and add several teeth of the year to your life. So no more Susan please. The dear little brother hiccuped. Katherine waited expectantly but in vain. Finally she could stand it no longer. "Mudder," she said, indignantly, "Rub ought to be sense enough to say 'Sense me'."

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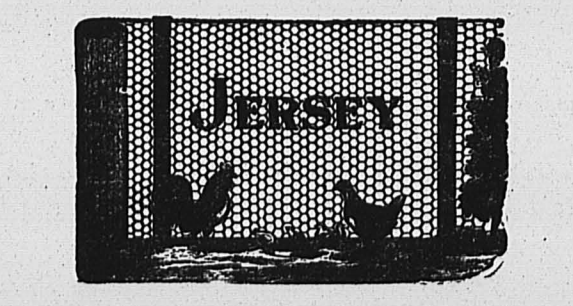
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SOLDIERS HOME FROM OVERSEAS ENJOY CANTEN

Newly Invented Red Cross Bun
 Pleases Capricious Palate
 of Returning Doughboy.

Whether sea breezes have whetted their appetites or whether overseas experiences have made them hungrier men nobody seems to know, but every canteen worker is ready to be satisfied by that returning doughboy do greater justice to the "cans" provided them by the Red Cross than have soldiers at any time during hostilities.

"We've welcomed returning Samuels with 401,196 sandwiches and 3,005,189 cups of coffee during the last five months," a canteen worker said the other day, "and it would do you good to see the way those boys 'fall to' on what they call 'Red Cross chow'. Of course there is no charge—we just give 'em the goodies as they come."

Not only "chow" but stamps and stationery are given away at the canteens to the recently landed soldier, for often the boys have no money and everybody is invariably eager to send a letter to the home folks at the first opportunity.

Introduces New Bun.
 Then there are sweets. When a chap hasn't had even sugar for his coffee in many a month, a home-to-goodness sweet is like a gift from heaven. The Red Cross knows all about this and Atlantic Division canteens have added sugar-coated buns to the toothsome "cans" which they give away.

Shortly after the bun dispensing was started it was found that the much-coveted sugar icing rubbed off the top and so the poor soldier often lost the best part of the treat. For which reason some nimble witted woman decided to put the icing inside the bun—just as jelly is placed inside a jelly roll. It was tried. It worked. And now scores of doughboys daily pass out of Red Cross canteens promising to spread the fame of that bun even unto the remotest parts of these United States. Mothers and wives are to be initiated into the mysteries of its concoction (the recipe having been carefully obtained from a canteen worker) and the doughboy will see his home table graced with the Red Cross bun long after his sword has been beaten into a plowshare.

Besides these things the canteens of the division have given out soap and tobacco, feed drinks and playing cards, candy and all manner of unexpected "surprises" like eye shades and paper towels. In short, the Atlantic Division canteens have stood with open door and well stocked shelves and larders, beckoning in and serving every man from overseas from the time his foot first touches American soil until he reaches home.

SECY BAKER RECEIVES REPORT OF RED CROSS.
 The report of the American Red Cross for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, has just been presented to Secretary of War Baker in accordance with the provision of the Red Cross charter which requires the organization to make a full report of receipts and expenditures to be audited by the War Department. The War Department in turn transmits a copy of the report to Congress.

The report shows that up to the end of the fiscal year 1918, the Red Cross appropriated \$107,710,348 to carry on its work abroad and at home. Of that amount \$55,788,072 went for relief work in foreign countries, \$7,088,850 for work in the United States, and \$44,833,416 for relief work in various countries on work specified by contributors. \$28,280,000 was set aside for working capital, and the balance went for other activities of the organization.

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FRIDAY, JULY 18, 1919

New Jersey's War Flags to Have New Home

A "Hall of Flags" for the State House, wherein will be exhibited the battle standards of New Jersey military organizations in all wars in which the United States has participated, is proposed by State Comptroller Newton A. K. Hughes, and the matter will be taken up shortly by the State House Committee.

At present New Jersey war flags of the Civil and Spanish-American wars are in inclosed glass cases on the first floor of the capitol under the rotunda and along the main corridor. Mr. Hughes proposes to have additional cases for the New Jersey standards of colors used in the world war and with this end in view requests that all New Jersey organizations which participated in the war send their colors to the State House, where they will be carefully guarded, protected and preserved as sacred relics of patriotism for this and future generations.

Mrs. A. W. Herr entertained a merry house party over the week-end. Among the guests were six officers from Camp Dix: Lieut. Arthur J. Baumberger, Lieut. Callahan, Jacques, Matterson and Kellough. Other guests were Miss Amy Watkins, of Philadelphia; Miss Dorothy Jennings, of Riverton; Miss Ida Lockwood, of the Lawn House, and Miss Emily Kehl, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Most of the same guests were at the Saturday evening, and will again be guests of Mrs. Herr on Sunday, when all will enjoy a cruise on the Colleen Bawn.

No Slight Intended

July 14, 1919.
Editor of The New Era:
In the New Era's edition of July 11, in which you described the celebration of July 4th, I noticed with regret a gross error. That is, the parade did not mention was made of the organization whose splendid deeds will live forever in the hearts of our people. Boys to whom they ministered so generously. Yet the members of that society outnumbered that of any other society that took part in the parade, and the society so slighted was none other than the good Knights of Columbus. So, dear sir, since your paper boasts of its being "independent of political or religious belief," why then not justice and fair dealings to all? Believe me, it is the best method of advertising. I remain, truly yours,
A CONSTANT READER.

(So far as we have been able to learn, the organization referred to by our correspondent, did not appear in the parade as a separate unit, and we fail to see where we were so very culpable in not mentioning that individuals of this order were in line, when such treatment was not accorded any of the other participating organizations. The splendid work done by the Knights of Columbus is its own best praise, and the order loses nothing by being given greater prominence than others in an affair like this.—Editor)

Nurses' Home for Memorial

Editor of The New Era:
Are suggestions for the memorial to the Riverton soldiers still in order? If so, may I suggest an idea that has not as yet been brought to your knowledge—a permanent home and office for our visiting nurse. Nothing elaborate, but just a small house in keeping with the best type of early architecture an old house remodeled over. On it, a simple bronze tablet, stating that this house is dedicated to the Service of Humanity in memory of the young manhood of Riverton who fought, suffered and died for the good of humanity, or something to that effect. None realize better than the boys in the service the noble work of the Red Cross nurse, and no sweeter memorial to them could be given than something that would further the efforts of these splendid women in the community for which they went forth to war.
July 15, 1919. A CITIZEN.

Citizens of Palmyra and Riverton, Awake!

How many times in your career have you seen someone else take hold of an opportunity that was at your hand, but you failed to take hold? No matter what the reason, whether good or poor, you failed, and your failure was followed by a vain regret. Morgan Heights is another opportunity right at hand, which every one in the Borough doubts and ignores as the finest place of residence between Camden and Burlington. The lots are limited in number, and as they are being purchased by many, another opportunity is gradually but surely passing away. Will you be one of those who have in vain regrets, or will you by immediate action, place yourself in the position to live in this beautiful locality and under such ideal conditions? Prices of lots are much below their actual worth, and the terms can be made to suit all. For full particulars relative to lots and homes, see Llewellyn Davis, Columbia avenue (on the premises), or George N. Wimer, Real Estate Agent.

The glory of our life below comes not from what we do or what we know, but dwells forever more in what we are.—Henry VanDyke.

WEEKLY NEWS BUDGET

for Riverton and Vicinity

Buy It At Home.

C. Uchida has gone to Sanford, Fla. Mrs. S. E. Wilson has gone to Tampa, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. M. Shovel are at Ashbury Park. Lloyd Major went to the White Mountains today.

Miss Ada Stonaker is spending her vacation at Hightstown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Parry and children are at Cape May.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Parrish and family are at Buck Hill Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden H. Mattis spent the week at Atlantic City.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. David B. Coles on Thursday.

Mrs. A. C. Gansler entertained at cards on Wednesday afternoon.

Charles W. Hampden and family moved to Philadelphia Wednesday.

Miss Mae Burns entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening.

Mrs. William Edinger and children are spending a fortnight at Wildwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore and children are at Atlantic City for July.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Franklin D'Olier and children have gone to Jefferson, N. J.

Owen Botiger fell off the porch on Wednesday evening and broke his left arm.

Harvey E. Stewart and family went to Atlantic City today to spend several weeks.

El Brown has returned from service overseas. He was discharged from Camp Mills.

Mrs. John F. Allison and daughter left on Saturday to join Mr. Allison at Petersburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Evans and daughter and Miss Doris Huff spent the week-end in Williamstown.

Miss Dorothea Simons, of Edgington, Pa., will spend the week-end with Miss Catherine Sonthelmer.

G. V. S. Ryerson and family, of Brooklyn, N. Y., have been spending ten days with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taplin.

Louis J. Kaser has been re-appointed county superintendent of the schools of Burlington county for a term of five years.

Lawrence Keating has arrived in New York from overseas, and expects to be discharged from Camp Merritt today.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Armstrong are spending a week at Atlantic City. Mr. Armstrong has just returned from overseas.

J. Warren Reed received his discharge from the service Tuesday and will spend the week-end at his home in Edgewood to visit his mother and sister.

An Internal Revenue Tax Collector was in Riverton yesterday looking up places doing business that is taxable under the recent tax laws.

Friendship Lodge, No. 11, Shoppers of Bethlehem, will have installation of officers Wednesday evening, the 23rd. All members are requested to be present.

Between Saturday night and Monday morning the plant of the McWhorter Manufacturing Company, at East Riverton, was broken into and a number of tools stolen.

Mrs. O. G. Wagner, who has been the guest of Mrs. John M. Hughes, returned to her home in Heaver Springs, Pa., Tuesday, accompanied by Miss Margaret Armstrong.

Miss Eleanor Jones entertained at dinner Wednesday evening in her home at 1500 Broadway.

Miss Virginia Shreve, of Philadelphia, will be entertained by Miss Virginia Corry and Saturday evening by Mrs. Fern Nevin.

Mrs. William D. Sprunt is entertaining Mrs. P. J. Ellinger, of Philadelphia, and her three daughters, Miss Emily Ellinger, Ph. D., of Trenton, and Misses Lena and Josephine Ellinger of the Goucher College, Baltimore.

Charles B. Durbin has been appointed secretary of the Riverton Yacht Club, by Commodore H. M. Hollingshead, to take the place of J. Linton Riger, resigned. Mr. Durbin now holds the dual office of secretary-treasurer.

Mass meeting for men in Christ Church parish house on Tuesday, July 22, at 8 p. m. The meeting will be addressed by Edgar C. Burnz, Camp Secretary B. S. A., Port of Embarkation, Newport News, Va. All men are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

At the meeting of the State Highway commission held at Trenton on Thursday, July 17, the highway program for the year 1920 was adopted. The amount allotted to Burlington county was \$210,000.

In imposing a fine of \$25.00 on a man convicted in the County Court last week of gambling, Judge Wells said the practice of gambling seems to be getting very prevalent in this county, and he was going to make an example of every person brought before him on charges of this kind. He did not propose to be lenient in such cases.

A baseball game will be played for the benefit of the Burlington County Anti-Tuberculosis League at the R. D. Wood Ball Park, Florence, on July 23, at 2 o'clock sharp, between Camp Dix and Earl Mack's Harriman A. A. Camden and Trenton trolley are convenient to park. Admission, 25 cents, 5 cents war tax. Refreshments will be on sale.

After a considerable period of feeling of safety, Rivertonians were disturbed this week to learn of five robberies in a bunch—McWhorter Manufacturing Company, the office at Steele's Nursery, the home of William H. Baker, W. H. Watkins and Mrs. Alice Weigel. In the three homes the word burglars seemed to have been frightened off before they secured any booty.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Cole are not at all sure that the explosion which wrecked the cook stove last Friday morning was caused by a firecracker. In fact, they discredit the theory, claiming that nothing short of a giant firecracker could have wrought such havoc. In speaking of the accident, Mrs. Cole said they had no idea what caused it. She remembered that two lumps of a black substance resembling coal had been picked up in the yard and thrown into the stove some days before, but has no idea what they were. It did not occur to Mrs. Cole that a most fortunate escape from injury. She had turned her back at the instant of the explosion, which was so severe that it blew open a door between the kitchen and the milk house, notwithstanding it was securely fastened. A lid of a firecracker was driven into the ceiling with such force that it remained stuck in the plaster.

WATER CARNIVAL A SUCCESS

New York Captures All Events—Riverton's Contestants Show Up Well in Special Race—Boys Challenged by Girard College.

The water carnival held last Saturday was witnessed by a thousand or more people who thronged the Yacht Club pier, the river bank, and the great flotilla of boats anchored off shore. Among the swimmers competing were many national and former national champions.

To New York, who sent over a dozen competing stars, went all the glory. Gotham did herself proud, sending the very best she could produce, including Miss Charlotte Boyle, the national 100-yards champion; Miss Ethel Helbreit, the 500-yards national champion; the Smith twins, Eleanor and Ruth, former of Columbus, Ohio; national champion breast and backstroke swimmers; and Leo Giebel, national half-mile and ten-mile champion. Besides these champions were Alice Lord, the best metropolitan diver; Miss Wainwright, the best juvenile diver; and Miss Ellen Higgins, the champion little swimmer.

To pit against these, Philadelphia had Miffin Armstrong, the Middle Atlantic champion man diver; Miss Elizabeth Becker, the Middle Atlantic champion woman diver; Helen Penpacker, the former champion; Raymond Uhl, the former Middle Atlantic 100-yards champion, and Gilbert Tompkins, former half-mile national champion.

Philadelphia's two best bets, Miss Olga Dorfner and Miss Elizabeth Ryan, did not materialize. Miss Ryan, who was to race Miss Helbreit 500 yards, had the misfortune to break a small bone in her foot, and Miss Dorfner, who was slated to try to regain her 100-yards title from Miss Boyle, decided not to risk it. In all probability Miss Boyle would have kept her title as queen of the women sprinters, and it is doubtful if Miss Dorfner will ever race again.

Miss Gertrude Artelt was substituted for Miss Dorfner in the 100-yards race, and while she swam a good race, the New Yorker was too strong for her, and won easily. In the 500 yards, Miss Helbreit had no one to race, and so swam Miss Eleanor Uhl a 200-yard match. Miss Uhl, pitted against the champion, was utterly outclassed and lost by fifty yards.

It was regrettable that Miss Boyle didn't enter this event and make her teammate swim her best.

Little Ellen Higgins romped away with the kiddie's race, giving New York another easily won victory.

Leo Giebel, the New York A. C. star, defeated Harry Taylor, of the Taylor's, in a 100-yards backstroke race, and with no rest, beat Raymond Uhl another 100-yards free style, giving New York first place in every event they entered. Leland, of the Philadelphia Swimming Club, won the 200-yards handicap event in which the entries were from the Philadelphia Turners, the Philadelphia Swimming Club, and the Germantown Boys Club.

As a side issue, Professor Hartcutt was endeavoring to create a new record by seeing how many children he could instruct in swimming at the rate of three minutes per child. The professor afterwards said he had sixty children, and thought he had succeeded with half of them. Opinion is divided, some considering the professor utterly failed, while others claim he did well under the circumstances. If the people are interested, he writes he should like another try to finish up the job.

But by far the most interesting events to the local fans were the two Riverton races, one for men and one for girls. In the girls' 50-yard dash, Miss Elsa Collins, of Edgewater Park, took the lead and held it to the finish, winning by about five yards. Miss Edith Sullivan and Miss Virginia Corry had a neck-and-neck race for second place, which eventually went to Miss Sullivan, as Miss Corry, believing she had reached the finish line, slowed up. Little Miss Sullivan promised to develop into a real star, as this is her first season and she was pitted against the Edgewater Park and Riverton champions, and held her own throughout. Miss Corry will be seen again on August 2, when she will enter the three-mile women's champion race.

In the men's event some really chummy work was seen. Our boys surprised the critics and experts by the way they dashed down the 100-yards course, the winner being Jack Sullivan, who swam a great race. Second place went to Al Brown, Jr., of New York, son of the professional champion distance swimmer, while George Corry finished on his heels in third place, with Wesley Lloyd and Ben Shovel close behind. So good did these boys look that Johnnie Stevens, the Girard College coach, at once asked Mr. Durbin to let them try conclusions with Girard College in a dual meet. Mr. Durbin consented, and the meet will take place at Riverton in early September.

With a team of sprinters like Jack and Ben Shovel, George Corry, Dickie Hollingshead, Wesley Lloyd, John Jamison, etc., and with Sonny White, who is a very fast swimmer, if the college boys were in for a beating.

The movie men were on the job and the outdoor meet was photographed, and will be shown at the Palmyra Moving Picture Palace.

Two hundred and seventy-two dollars (\$272.00) was taken in on the pier, and Riverton did its part by turning in full to witness the high-class program furnished.

On Saturday, July 26, the Yacht Club will run three across-the-river races for Yacht Club members only.

First, for the girls, one for the boys, and one for the men. It is hoped all who can swim across the river or hope they can, will get in these races. To make them handy, it will be a handicap event, so that the stars will have to do their best to win. A silver medal will go to each first place winner with his or her name engraved on it, and a bronze one to second place.

August 2, the women's three-mile race will take place and on August 16, the men's ten-mile national will be run off. Riverton will be represented in both classes, as Miss Virginia Corry is training for the women's event, while Vice-Commodore George W. Edwards and George Corry are both after a bronze medal in the ten-mile and incidentally will see to it that the leaders don't loaf too much on the way up or there might be a surprise.

Camp Dix having been included in the list of 14 cantonments specified as exceptions to the order issued by Secretary of War Baker calling for discontinuance of all work and the purchase of arms and munitions, the assurance of the order is regarded as a cantonment. In addition to Camp Dix, the only exceptions under the bill are Camp Carter, Devens, Dodge Gordon, Grant, Jackson, Lee, Mead, Pike, Sherman, Taylor, Travis and Upton.

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GEORGE S. ROBB,

First Lieutenant, 369th Infantry.

For conspicuous gallantry, beyond the call of duty, near Schuylkill, France, September 29 and 30, 1918. Robb was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross. While leading his platoon in the assault on Schuylkill, Lieut. Robb was severely wounded by machine gun fire, but rather than go to the rear for proper treatment he remained with his platoon, until ordered to the dressing station by his commanding officer. Returning within forty-five minutes, he remained on duty throughout the entire night, inspecting his lines and establishing outposts. Early the next morning he was again wounded; once again displaying remarkable devotion to duty by remaining in command of his platoon. Later the same day a bursting shell added two more wounds, the same shell killing his commanding officer and two officers of his company. He then assumed command of his company, and organized its position in the trenches. Displaying wonderful courage and tenacity at the critical times, he was the only officer of his battalion who advanced beyond the town and by clearing machine gun and sniping posts, contributed largely to the aid of his battalion in holding their objective. His example of bravery and fortitude and his eagerness to continue with his mission despite severe wounds, set before the enlisted men of his command a most wonderful standard of morale and self-sacrifice. Lieut. Robb's home address is 308 South Twelfth street, Salina, Kan., where his mother lives.

ANDREW B. LYNCH,

Second Lieutenant, 110th Infantry.

Lieutenant Lynch was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for unusual bravery in action near Apremont, France, September 29, 1918. Lieutenant Lynch while a sergeant on duty with a 97 mm. gun section of his company was moving the guns to a more advantageous position when he learned that the officer in charge of the party had been captured by an enemy patrol. Organizing a group of five men, Lieutenant Lynch immediately attacked the Germans, killed 15 of them and liberated the officer. Immediately afterward Lieutenant Lynch took command of 75 men and launched a counter-attack on the enemy, driving him back for more than a kilometer. Lieutenant Lynch is married, his wife living at 2446 Franklin street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Chinese Children at Play.

Chinese boys and girls are just as fond of toys and games as the children of other lands, although to look at their solemn little faces you would hardly think so. The little Chinese boy has a big pocket in the front of his pants, that he loves to fill with all sorts of things—bits of string, a toy coin and especially candy. His sweetmeats are very hard, some of them like our rock candy, but they taste good to him. He also likes the queer nuts, melon seeds and bits of sugar cane that he buys in the streets from a man who goes round with two baskets hanging from a pole that he carries across his shoulders. The toys that the children buy, also from a man in the street, are generally cheap figures of animals or of human beings, made of clay or paper.

Few Jap Women Sing Well.

Dr. Yuhara Gen-Ichi, president of the Tokyo Academy of Music, remarks that Japanese women are prevented from being experts in foreign music in large part for reasons of physique. In the first place, their fingers are too short for the piano or the violin, while their short legs prevent them from playing the organ effectively. Their voices are poor and weak, and it is impossible for them to vie with foreign women in vocal music. A strong and powerful voice comes from a good physique. If, therefore, Japanese women desire to show their capacity for foreign music, they must first of all set to work to improve their physique.

Religion Defined.

Definitions of religion run an extraordinary gamut, even when they are offered in the same hour and expressed in the same speech. Very lately, in print which is scarcely dry on the pages, this definition has issued from a philosopher's study: "Religion is the experience constituted by those thoughts, feelings and actions which spring from man's sense of dependence upon the power or powers controlling the universe, and which have as their center of interest the cosmic fortune of values." From the trenches, on the other hand, have been flung these written words: "Religion is being your life on the existence of God."—Anne C. E. Allison in Atlantic Monthly.

Painting on glass.

Unless care is taken to have the surface absolutely clean, considerable difficulty is encountered in attempting to paint over polished brass. To insure a satisfactory job the brass should first be scoured with a mixture of salt and vinegar to remove all grease, after which the surface should be washed with hot soap suds and wiped dry with a clean rag. Thereafter the paint may be applied without risk of its running while wet or chipping off after it has dried.

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FRIDAY, JULY 25, 1919

Riverton Man for Serbian Relief

J. Lawrence Lippincott will be one of six friends to sail for Serbia on Monday, as members of the Friends' Serbian Relief Committee. Together with Alan Wilson, of Ohio, Mr. Lippincott will investigate conditions in Central Serbia, to ascertain what kind of assistance will be most effective. The commission will act for the Serbian government, under the directions of the Friends' Service Committee, and in addition to the survey work will distribute supplies of agricultural machinery, clothing, and other supplies to the extent of about seventy-five tons. The transportation of this mass of material has been undertaken by the Standard Oil Company, which will deliver it free of charge at Salonica, Greece, from whence it will be transported by the Serbian government to the interior, a distance of 150 to 200 miles, by means of motor trucks.

Mr. Lippincott expects to be gone about six months.

Dr. Cook and Wife Tell of Conditions in Korea

Many Rivertonians will be interested in the word that comes from Korea from Dr. W. T. Cook, of Wyalusing, Pa., who several years ago married Miss Maude Henphill, who accompanied him to Korea when he was sent there by the Presbyterian Board of Missions. In a recent communication sent out for publication by the Director of Publicity for the Presbyterian Church in the United States, Dr. Cook writes of the sufferings of the Koreans who are fleeing into Manchuria to escape the Japanese rule in their native land. A recent article in the New Era movement, we are sure that the church is going to vindicate the charge against her that she has been a failure, or the awful war has just closed would never have occurred.

Spent the Night on the River

When Dr. Witte, Druggist Siles and Jack Faunce started for Delmar to bring home the doctor's boat, Metha, from the shipyard there, they little dreamed of the perils they were to encounter ere they again set foot on terra firma in good old Riverton. Their first halt up was at the yard where they had to wait for the boat, which was not ready to sail until nearly midnight. When they finally cleared away, a much more open river they found the wind blowing a gale and the rain falling in torrents. Progress against wind and tide was slow, but that was not their cheer, when, after a seemingly interminable time, they made out through the murky darkness and driving spray, the lighthouse beacon shining from the top of the clubhouse on the pier.

And then, with home and comfort almost within their grasp, something happened. The engine died. All efforts to start it were fruitless. The carburetor was examined, the spark-plugs investigated and all the usual ceremonies performed and still nothing was brought to light. Then somebody thought to try the gasoline supply. The tank was found to be empty. The trio ran into each other's faces in blank dismay, and the doctor softly whispered, "Well, I'll be— (a long medical term beginning with 'd')"

The wind and tide was fast taking them into midstream and there was nothing for it but to anchor close to the shore. With a break came a change in the wind that enabled them to drift to the Pennsylvania shore, where they secured some "snack" and waited for home. But the jink had just one more little spiteful fling up his sleeves before he could let them go. As the boat was leaving she collided with the pier and wrecked the beautiful awning which had cost the doctor many hours of careful and painstaking effort, to say nothing of the spaulds.

Meanwhile all was consternation in the homes of the storm-tossed mariners. Wives aged and all the usual listening to the weird noises and savagery of the storm, and fearing the worst. By peep-of-day they had gathered in consultation (we were told) to say "council of war," but thought better of it. It was decided to send out a searching party, and Grade Goodnow was appointed a committee of one as a rescue expedition. He was to skirt the river shore, keeping a sharp lookout for wreckage and the castaways. His first stop was to be the wharf, where he was to scan the horizon from the lookout on the roof of the clubhouse. As he approached the river he saw the Metha just making the landing.

We draw the curtain in the homecoming.

West Jersey Tennis Tournament

West Jersey Tennis Tournament at Riverton, July 26, at 2 p. m.

As this is the first West Jersey tennis tournament at Riverton we hope all who are interested will come and enjoy the day.

The clubs to compete are Woodbury C. C., Moorestown C. C., and the Palmyra F. C., Haddon F. C., Riverton C. C. Supper will be served on the lawn and there will be a dance at 8.30 p. m. All members and their friends are invited.

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Riverton Post Office, Wednesday, July 25, 1919:

Daruz, Mr. W. P.
Meegan, C.
Stuart, Miss Helen.
Wystram, Miss Ruth.
H. G. Stogaker, Postmaster.

WEEKLY NEWS BUDGET for Riverton and Vicinity

Buy It At Home.

Walter Compton is at Beach Haven.

Painter C. E. Moester has a new Vim truck.

J. W. Sylvester and family are at Millington, Md.

H. P. Kunzelman and family are at Niagara Falls.

Mrs. H. M. Morris and children are at Ocean City.

Miss Margaret Albertson is spending a week at Glassboro.

C. A. Fetterman is at Mount Carmel, Pa., for several days.

William Armstrong is spending a week at Beaver Springs.

Miss Augusta Cavanna, who has been ill four weeks, is improving.

William Trader, of Toga, visited relatives in Riverton on Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph H. Smith and children spent Thursday at Ocean Grove.

Dale B. Filler and family are spending two weeks in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCordie are spending several days in Baltimore.

Mrs. Emma Swain, of Winstoning, is visiting Mrs. George B. Hutchins.

Mrs. William M. Thomas entertained her cousin from California, Tuesday.

Butcher William N. Mattis has installed a new U. S. slicing machine.

Walter H. Lippincott will join his family at Jefferson, N. H., next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Albertson are spending several days at Atlantic City.

Mrs. C. R. Scheemhorn entertained at luncheon Wednesday at the Lawn House.

Mrs. Helen Lippincott entertained her sister and daughter from Plainfield, Tuesday evening.

Eugene Hatzell has returned home after an operation at St. Mary's Hospital, Philadelphia.

Lawrence Keating arrived home on Monday, having been discharged from the service at Camp Mills.

Mrs. Charles Wallace and daughter, Miss Blanche, have gone to Cleveland, O., to spend a fortnight with her son.

John White, who has been manager of the Riverton store for a short time, has left the Aene and gone to the New York Ship.

C. S. Samerwell, Robert Coale and K. Wadman are down the Chesapeake Bay aboard the Walhena for a ten days fishing trip.

Miss Lillian Bruner, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John McVeach, has returned to her home at Rockford Station, Pa.

Mrs. John Sloan and Mrs. John Nicholson went to Burlington, Thursday evening, to install officers in the Shepherds of Bethlehem, N. S.

The many friends of C. W. McCordie will be pleased to learn that he will return as manager to the Riverton branch of the American stores on Monday.

Misses Sue and Ruth Walton, of Murray, Pa., are visiting Mrs. D. D. Bastian, and Mr. and Mrs. Marquet, of West Philadelphia, were their weekend guests.

Mrs. Calvin Dargis has returned from her visit to New York, and is stopping for the present with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dargis, Palmyra.

Senator Fredrichsen has just secured a decision from the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, exempting boats which are primarily used as a means of livelihood from the 10 per cent boat tax.

Those who have held such a party may have the same refunded by applying to the Revenue Officer to whom the tax was paid.

John Demmeler and son, J. Herman, of H. G. Stogaker, Stogaker, Ogden, Matis, Lawton Steedle and Walter Armstrong, in Mr. Demmeler's car, and Dr. Witte, of the Police, W. N. Mattis, William Cass, William Mattis, and Frederick D. M. Clifton and son, Ellis, in Dr. Witte's car, went to Fortunate fishing on Sunday.

A writ to review the act of the New Jersey Legislature of 1918 allowing tax exemption of \$500 to honorably discharged soldiers has been allowed by the city of Camden by Supreme Court Justice Garrison.

The law is attacked on the ground that it is unconstitutional. The argument was made upon a decision by the State courts that firemen are not entitled to tax exemption because in taxing property the status of the individual is not to be considered.

At ten minutes past two last Tuesday morning, Officer Quigley received word by telephone from Burlington that Charles Johnson, a negro living in Camden, had been to Burlington where his wife lived, and cut her up with a razor, and the Burlington police thought he was on his way to Camden on the trolley car which was due at Riverton in nine minutes. Officers Quigley and Miller met the car and arrested the man. By three o'clock the Burlington police had come to Riverton and taken charge of the prisoner.

Last November E. H. Michel, of East Riverton, purchased an automobile of a River-side man. Last week W. N. Havens, a representative of the Automobile Underwriters' Detective Bureau, who had been looking for a car since last October, came to Riverton and recognized the missing car as the one Mr. Michel had bought. Officers Quigley and Miller met the car and arrested the man. By three o'clock the Burlington police had come to Riverton and taken charge of the prisoner.

And now Burlington County may be put to the expense of building an addition to the county jail to accommodate federal prisoners from military camps. A Deputy United States Marshal, according to a story published in the Mount Holy News this week, called Sheriff Haines on the telephone one day last week to arrange for some prisoners which it had been decided to incarcerate at Mount Holy instead of Trenton. To the demur of the Sheriff (that he did not have room for them), the Deputy is said to have replied that the solution would be to enlarge the jail, and that would have to be done if the government ordered it.

Congressman Bacharach announces that the silver and bronze "Victory Buttons" for discharged service men are now ready for distribution. All supply officers of military posts and recruiting officers have been furnished with a supply of buttons, and anyone entitled to one may secure it by applying and showing his certificate of discharge. Those who are not located near a supply station or recruiting station may secure their buttons by mail from the War Department, by using a blank which Mr. Bacharach will furnish on application. Mr. Bacharach also calls attention to the fact that soldiers who have turned in their outfit may secure a new one complete by application to the War Department. Mr. Bacharach will also furnish the blank for this.

LOCAL RACE SATURDAY

Riverton Boys and Girls Scheduled for Close Contest—Other Big Events Later—Diving Girls Here Saturday, Too

On Saturday the Yacht Club across-river races will be run off, one for the men, all over 16, one for boys under 16, and one for the girls.

They will be handicap affairs so as to see that justice is extended to all. Already great excitement is prevailing over the events, especially the men's race. In this event Dickie Hollingshead, George Corner, Wesley Lloyd, Jack and Ben Showell and Sonnie Wright will all start from scratch.

It surely should be some race, and a new record for time in crossing the Delaware will be made. Arthur Hall, George W. Edwards and Bob Knight will be conceded handicap. Last Saturday George Corner and Sonnie Wright, who couldn't wait the week out, had a neck and neck race across to a dead heat.

In the boys' event, Arthur Wright and Stewart Hollingshead will be scratch men, while in the girls' event it is hoped to bring Miss Virginia Corry and Miss Violet Rigg together.

All are asked to be at the club at 2 p. m., as the races will start at 2.30, and be from the Keystone to the Riverton Yacht Club.

John Bess will take the contestants over on his yacht, while other power craft and dories will patrol the course to see that everything is taken care of.

Silver medals will be awarded to all first-place winners and bronze medals to all runners-up.

Members of the Yacht Club will act as official timers and see that all conditions of the race are carried out.

The races will all be run off close together, the girls starting first, and the boys and men later, after a ten-minute intermission.

We have some first-class swimmers in Riverton and the races should be well contested and excellent time made.

The girls three-mile race on August 2 is showing all signs of being a great success. The course will be from the Bridgeburg iron pier to the Riverton Yacht Club pier. The race will start at exactly 4 p. m. and the winners should reach Riverton about 4.50.

New York will enter her cream of the cream in this race, giving us five entries, Miss Charlotte Boyle, queen of the 100-yards byers; Miss Ethelda Bledtrey, the 500-yards champion, and who the critics pick to win the race; Miss Lucy Freeman, former one-mile national champion; Miss Eileen Riggon, the girl champion, and little Catherine Brown, aged nine years.

The Meadowbrook, of Philadelphia, will enter Miss Florence McLaughlin, who won the two-mile event last year; Miss Eleanor Uhl and Miss Bessie Ryan.

The Turners will enter Miss Mabel Artie, Miss Katharine Toy, Miss Helen Penzucker, Miss Bertha Pearlstein, Miss Mary Moser, Miss Dorothy Mullen, etc.

Miss Anna Smith will represent the Young Women's Christian Association, of Kensington. Miss Luere Layman, of Delanco; Miss Elsa Colman, of Edgewater Park, and Miss Virginia Corry of Riverton, will see to the honor of our local towns.

Mr. Durbin asks that all the young men who possibly can will be at the club not later than 2 p. m. to row the boats for the girls. We may have twenty girls and each must have a boat and pilot. Each girl will be given a colored cap, so as to distinguish her from all the other girls, and each rowing team will have a large number on its stern. Each pilot will have the color of his girl's cap and he will know the number of her boat, so there will be little or no confusion, and the officials can keep track of the entries.

The Keystone Yacht Club will again kindly help us out with the use of some of their power craft and dories.

To defray expenses of the competing swimmers, an admission of 25 cents will be charged to the Yacht Club pier and from 2 p. m. until the race is finished the crowd will be entertained by the fancy diving stunts of several of the best divers from Philadelphia and New York.

The great ten-mile national promises to be the greatest ever held in the history of the sport. Great news came to the club last week when Irving Singer, secretary of the Oakland Athletic Club, San Francisco, wrote him of the fact that the club has entered "Stubby" Krayer, the wonderful Hawaiian speed demon, and George Schroth in the event, defraying their expenses to Riverton.

Mr. O. G. Hosford, of the Multnomah Club, Portland, Ore., also writes that the winners of the one-mile national held over this club's course, is to be sent to Riverton, and will be Wiley, Egeberg, Douglas, or Mr. Hosford himself.

Ernie Smith, of the San Francisco Examiner, is getting up a subscription throughout California, to send on Norman Ross, American speed king, who just won the big international swimming contest of 6500 meters in the River Seine, in 1 hour and 30 minutes.

California swimmers are crazy over swimming and are clamoring wildly to see the great Ross and dusky Krayer meet in an elimination race over the Philadelphia-Riverton course.

The general opinion seems to favor the Hawaiian to win. But if he does he will have to hang up a record that will stand for all time, as Ross and Schroth his Californian teammates, Wallen and McDermott, of Chicago, and Leo Gellet, of New York, who won last year in 2.01, can push any man to the limit. It would not be surprising to see the record for the boys fall below 1.00.

All the great swimming clubs of the United States are so arranging their dates as not to conflict with Riverton's event. The Honolulu Club was working on a world's carnival on September 4, but as it gave the Coast stars no rest to come East and then return in time, they shifted it to October 4 instead, for which the Riverton Yacht Club thanks them.

The South Shore Club, of Chicago, was to hold the Women's national mile championship on the date of our Women's three-mile swim, and again Riverton was given the precedence, and the South Shore Club's event was set back to September instead.

The Metropolitan champions were to be held August 3 also, but were sidetracked for Riverton.

As this is no doubt the last time the greatest of all swimming events will ever come to Riverton, we all want to do our part to welcome the entrants to a trolley car, today at noon, and the auto slightly damaged.

The Violent Nurse

On August 1st Miss Marguerite Carline will leave the work after giving her faithful services for nearly a year. Unavoidably during August no visiting nurse will be on duty. Cases needing help apply to Miss Martha Mc. Biddle.

On September 1st Miss Jessie E. West will return to the work, to be assisted by Miss Elsie Kline.

On behalf of the committee.

MARTHA Mc. BIDDLE, Chairman.

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For Riverside and intermediate points only, 4:00 a. m., 5:00 a. m., 6:00 a. m., and half-hourly until 11:00 p. m., then hourly until 2:00 a. m.

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For Riverside and intermediate points only, 4:30 a. m., 5:30 a. m., 6:30 a. m., and half-hourly until 11:30 p. m., then hourly until 2:30 a. m.

For Camden and intermediate points, 4:30 a. m., 5:30 a. m., 6:30 a. m., and half-hourly until 10:21 p. m., then hourly until 2:21 a. m.

Riverton—For Trenton and intermediate points, 4:41 a. m., 5:41 a. m., 6:41 a. m., and half-hourly until 8:41 p. m., then hourly until 11:41 p. m.

For Riverside and intermediate points only, 4:41 a. m., 5:41 a. m., 6:41 a. m., and half-hourly until 11:41 p. m., then hourly until 2:41 a. m.

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LESSON FOR JULY 27

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP.

LESSON TEXT—Phil. 4:10-20.

GOLDEN TEXT—If we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:7)

PRIMARIES—John 17:20, 21; 1 Cor. 12:13; Romans 12:15, 16; 1 John 4:19.

PRIMARIES—Topic—Loving Jesus and one another (Acts 12:17; John 13:34).

JUNIOR TOPIC—Keeping company with God's people (Acts 2:42).

INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—Basic friendship (John 15:12-13).

SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—Basis and benefits of Christian fellowship.

The Epistle to the Philippians furnishes us with a beautiful example of fellowship between Paul and the church at Philippi. This church on several occasions sent Paul money for his support. The particular ministry of this sort at the hands of Epaphroditus while Paul was a prisoner at Rome was the occasion for this epistle. His words of thanksgiving for the gift of the Lord was ministering to him through these people, therefore he rejoiced in the Lord. This was a very precious way of saying "I thank you." This gift was gladly received because he was in need and also because it assured him that his old friends still loved him.

11. Paul's Manly Independence (vv. 11-13).

Though sincerely appreciating the

gift, he would have been content

1. He was independent of circumstances (v. 11). Through discipline of the Lord he had learned to be content with his lot. He knew that all things work together for good (Rom. 8:28) so whatever he was experiencing at the moment was from the hand of the loving Father. Happy, indeed, is the man who has learned this secret. Paul was willing to take poverty or prosperity, whatever came.

2. Willing to take what God sent (v. 12). If it be prosperity, he would rejoice and praise God; if it be adversity, he would patiently suffer it, knowing that it was permitted by the Heavenly Father because it was needful for his best interests. This is a fine example of self-mastery. If a thing desired was not forthcoming he would not allow his heart to desire it.

3. His faith was in Christ (v. 13). The soul-peace which Paul possessed was not of himself, but because Christ indwelt him. Such composure is only possible as Christ lives in and becomes the dynamic of one's life. When the life is thus surcharged with the energy of Christ, he is absolutely independent of circumstances. Such peace is possible to all who will unreservedly yield themselves to God.

11. The Fellowship of Paul and the Philippians (vv. 14-16).

1. The gift of this church to Paul is an outstanding example of Christian sympathy (vv. 14-16). No other church had remembered Paul at all in his great need, but this one rendered pecuniary aid again and again, affording a fine example of mutual love between a minister and the people supporting him.

2. The gift a spiritual blessing to the church (v. 17). Paul was pleased with their gift not primarily for its value to him, but because of the blessing which the people derived from giving it. It was fruit which abounded to their account. It is more blessed to give than to receive (Acts 20:35).

3. Their gift was an acceptable act of worship—an odor of a sweet smell, well-pleasing to God (v. 18). True Christian giving is an act of worship to God.

4. Their gift would be rewarded by the Heavenly Father (v. 19). True Christian giving is not on the basis of prudence, but by faith in the living God who will make recompense

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God lives above us, through the stars and the heavens—the above and the beyond, which we cannot penetrate nor fully understand. The mysteriousness of him fills us with wonder.

Fast Travel in Air.
By merely modifying wing curvature, airplanes of today could be made to fly at a speed of 250 miles an hour, according to a British captain who is considered an aeronautical authority. The obstacle that this would present, however, would be a minimum landing speed of about 150 miles an hour. Greater speed in the air is much to be desired, but no pilot is particularly anxious to bring his machine to earth at a rate such as that indicated.

Recognition Among Bees.
Naturalists for a long time were at a loss to understand how it was that insects were enabled to so quickly recognize an intruder among their family or settlement. It has been determined that in most cases they recognize each other by smell. Among the bees each distinctive class of workers—the guard, the forager, the pollen carrier, the taxmaker, the architect, etc.—has its own distinctive odor. And besides each bee has its own separate hive odor, which its passport into its own particular home.

CONVICTS WILL DO ROAD WORK

Commissioner Lewis, Highway
Department and Prison Au-
thorities Get Together.

OPEN AIR LABOR IS BEST.

Complaint Had Been Made by the
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Quota of Prisoners Promised
Was Not Maintained.

Trenton—State Commissioner Burdette C. Lewis of the department of institutions and agencies, communicating with State Highway Engineer William G. Thompson, assures him that the highway department may rely with reasonable assurance upon 300 convicts for road work.

Complaint made by the highway department that the quota of men promised for the respective road camps was not being maintained prompted the investigation and the letter from Commissioner Lewis. Lack of laborers, it was asserted, seriously interfered with efficient and economical road building.

Commissioner Lewis in his communication to Mr. Thompson refers to a resolution adopted by the managers of the state prison, requesting Principal Keeper James H. Mulhern to increase the number of convicts on road work to 300 and to maintain these figures. The resolution added that because of the moving population at the institution no guarantee could be made that the complements would at all times be kept up to the required quota.

After presenting before the members of the Board of Managers and the principal keeper of the prison the substance of the recent conference between the State Highway Commission and the commissioner of institutions and agencies, at which conference the Highway Commission requested a definite promise as to the supply of 125 men for Monmouth Junction, 100 men for road camp No. 2-B and 75 men for the proposed camp at Budd's Lake. Commissioner Lewis addressed the following communication to State Highway Engineer Thompson:

Put 300 at Work.

"The principal keeper and the members of the Board of Managers of the prison have given careful consideration to the present organization, to the matter of escapes and have adopted a resolution covering the matter of filling up the quota desired for road camp work to the number of 300. The following motion was made by Mr. Richard M. More and was duly passed at a meeting: 'That the Board of Managers authorize and requests Mr. Mulhern to bring up the number of men at road camp No. 2, Monmouth Junction, to 125 men; road camp No. 2-B, W. W. Point, to 100 men, and the camp to be established at Budd's Lake to 75 men and to keep the number at these figures, but that in view of the moving population no guarantee be made that such complements would always be kept up to the required quota.'

"The Board of Managers stated that they did not feel that they could make a stronger statement than is contained in the above resolution, that it was as strong as any contractor could make truthfully at the present time, that they would be willing to exceed the quota at times if there was room for them at the camps, that the labor turnover in industry is so great today that the Highway Commission should bear this in mind when criticizing them because the prison has a labor turnover and that the Highway Commission will not facilitate or insure the construction of roads in this state by pushing the responsibility from the commission upon a contractor to maintain the full complement of labor when contractors are confronted by a situation where the labor supply is practically exhausted and the labor turnover promises to be even greater in the future than it has been during the war.

"As I stated to your commission, the State Board is the main contractor, the institutions being the subcontractors. That the institutions have the labor in sufficient quantities to permit the filling of these quotas, that the situation is one calling for administrative control and not for the institutions. This arrangement was brought about through the delivery by Black to the Bell Company of a release of the Farmers' Company's exclusive rights at Camp Dix.

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number at the farm down to 50, which was deemed sufficient for the agricultural program for the season, and when the construction season closes then these men to be immediately returned to the farm for clearing and development.

May Be All War Heroes.
Wholesale changes in the personnel of county and district boards of election will become effective as a result of the operation of the veterans' preference act of last winter. The membership of virtually every board in the state will be changed and upward of 8,000 former soldiers will assume charge in the polling places.

Steps to assure the appointment of veterans have been taken by Governor Runyon, who in a statement calls attention to the act and to the peculiarly fitting condition which it will establish.

"I have been giving careful consideration to the provision of chapter 125 of the laws of 1910, sometimes called the veterans' preference act," says the governor, "and have reached the conclusion that under the terms of this act every branch of the public service in the state and its various counties is affected so far as appointments, employments and promotions are concerned, outside the competitive civil service examination appointments, promotions, etc., and departmental deputies or persons holding confidential positions.

"This being the case, I believe that among many appointments to be made those to the various county boards of election are of the class which demands the appointment of veterans, provided they possess the requisite business capacity. I have therefore taken the steps required of me by law to insure the appointment of veterans to the various county boards.

"This will mean for the present the appointment of 42 veterans as members of the county boards, and as the county boards in turn appoint the members of the district boards of registry and election, it will eventually mean that upward of 5,000 veterans will be in charge of the various polling places throughout the state. All of which appeals to me as peculiarly fitting. I know of no class of citizens better qualified or better entitled to the charge of this branch of our public service than that class whose members offered to die in order that the state and the nation might live."

In the view of the amendment taken by Governor Runyon the new law, which was introduced by Speaker Pearson, is practically a repealer of the Richards act of last year authorizing the appointment of school teachers as election officers. Interesting developments may be expected from the fact that the judges in whom are vested the authority to appoint election boards, seem to have entirely ignored the new law in recommending appointments to the governor.

Even in counties of approximately the same size the salaries of members of the county boards of election vary, as they are fixed by the boards of supervisors. The pay of district board members is \$50 each, with an additional \$15 in the event of a special election being held.

Stockholders Hard Hit.
When Henry M. Black, president of the Farmers' Telephone Company, operating in Burlington, Monmouth and Ocean counties, made a deal to sell out to the Bell Telephone Company the exclusive right to serve Camp Dix he "broke down, saluted and threatened" stockholders of the Farmers' Company to accomplish his purpose. This finding was filed by Vice Chancellor Blackett, who filed an opinion directing Black to turn over to the Farmers' Company a bonus of \$28,635 received by him from the Bell Company upon the delivery of 1,900 shares of its stock.

Dr. Robert M. Keeley of Brownsville, owner of 80 shares of the stock of the Farmers' Company, was the complainant in the suit against Black, charging fraud. Keeley refused to sell his shares to Black and thus prevented Black getting a bonus of \$45,000 offered by the Bell Company if he procured more than 80 per cent of the shares.

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"Jobs? We Should Worry! See What We Can Make!"



The Red Cross taught them the trade, bakery, at the comfortable Convalescent Home at Pelham Bay Naval Station, Pelham, N. Y.

MORE WORK FOR HOME SERVICE IN PEACE TIME

Red Cross Department Enlarged to Handle Problems of Community Life.

Red Cross Home Service is to continue and to expand. This decision was reached by the Red Cross after a very thorough and searching process of stock-taking as to what Home Service has been doing and can do and after numerous conferences of Red Cross officials representing all parts of the Red Cross organization and all parts of the United States.

At a recent conference of Division Directors of Civilian Relief impressive evidence was offered on the desire of Home Service Sections to extend to any family the same kind of neighborly service and counsel as they had been extending to soldiers' and sailors' families.

There were also numerous requests to launch out on many other kinds of service. This desire to go on was particularly characteristic of those Home Service Sections in places which have no other social service agencies.

Demand for Extension.
For the first time these people had realized what it means to rally all of the community's forces for well-being and to bring them into operation for the benefit of families in difficulty, and they see no reason why this should be confined to the families of soldiers and sailors. This demand from the country at large constituted the determining factor in the decision of the Red Cross officials to continue Home Service.

In putting this decision into effective practice the Red Cross officials are especially concerned to see that the service to soldiers' and sailors' families shall in no way be impaired.

The Red Cross is committed to complete responsibility for the welfare of these families; they are regarded as a primary patriotic obligation upon its resources of service and of funds. These officials are, therefore, asking each Home Service Section as desirous to expand their service to put their cases before their Division Director of Civilian Relief.

He will then pass upon their application to make sure that at least one meeting every reasonable expectation with regard to its present responsibilities and is equipped to perform additional service in a creditable manner.

When a Home Service Section is authorized to enlarge its work it will be given authority to use for the enlarged Home Service any funds in the Chapter Treasury, now set aside for Home Service, and the Chapter Executive Committee may also appropriate for this purpose any unencumbered funds which it has.

These funds will be available for financial assistance and any kind of service for families and for operating expenses of the Home Service Section. Home Service funds will not be available for building or operating hospitals, orphanages or other institutions or for subsidizing the work of other organizations.

To Act on Invitation.
In widening its clientele at home the Red Cross will be strictly to its policy of extending service by a family only in response to an invitation from it. It is not contemplated that the Red Cross will of itself originate contact with any family or go where it is unwelcome. The same principles of service found so successful in helping the families of soldiers and sailors will be applied.

Division offices and National Headquarters will go on helping Home Service Sections to develop and to maintain a high standard of work. Accurate information will be furnished by them on all governmental activities. Advice and guidance will be accorded with the

clear understanding, however, that the fullest measure of local autonomy is always necessary and desirable.

There is so much to be done in every community that they are especially cautioned against duplicating activities which other organizations are carrying on, even though in a small way. It is anticipated that Home Service Sections will study the local conditions rather thoroughly before they make application to extend their work.

The whole attitude of the responsible Red Cross officials is to go slowly and surely and to build on a solid foundation of past experience. Before any Home Section will be authorized to proceed on an enlarged program they will want to know how permanent and genuine is its desire and how able it is to seeing the new job. A passing enthusiasm will not be sufficient to convince them.

CANTEEN WOMAN GETS
HONORS FROM FRANCE.

Miss Margaret O'Mahoney of New York City wears four service stripes on the sleeve of her Red Cross uniform, indicating her two years of cauteen service with the American Red Cross. But if she wanted to wear all her red cross service stripes she would have nine.

For her services to the French wounded, she was presented with the highest award of the French Red Cross, L'insigne d'honneur, and when she landed in New York, was informed that the French government had given her another decoration, the Medaille de Reconnaissance de France.

Why He Wanted Arm Straight.
A Canadian officer, wounded early in the war, was sent to one of the institutions to have his left arm badly severed. The elbow had been so badly shattered that surgery, wonderful as its skill and resources are, could not entirely reconstruct the joint. So the officer was given a chance of his things—either to have a weak, movable elbow, or a strong stiff one. Without hesitation the Canadian chose the stiff elbow, and he astonished the surgeons by asking that the arm be made perfectly straight.

They pointed out to him that the arm would be far more useful if the elbow was set at an angle. If set straight he wouldn't be able even to put his hand in the pocket of his