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Improvement Association's Work Reviewed

Brief Account of Organization's Efforts For Palmyra Given By President

A brief review of the achievements of the General Improvement Association of Palmyra has been prepared for The Weekly News by the president of the Association, C. H. Hill, as follows:

"The General Improvement Association was organized in the Fall of 1913 and after a most arduous campaign, succeeded to a membership of approximately 165. A membership fee of \$1.00 was charged with annual dues of 50 cents.

"Contrary to the thought, that in consideration of the small amount charged for membership and dues, it would attract to the organization practically every male member of the Palmyra family, the order of admissions was reversed by the membership decreasing; almost entirely due to members becoming delinquent.

"It does seem that out of a possible 800 citizens and voters eligible to membership, 165 is not a very encouraging representation. If it were possible to increase the membership to say 500, what magnificent results could be accomplished.

"The public may judge from the following accomplishments of the Association as to whether it is serving a public good and whether the majority of its members has been judiciously spent.

"Improvements in the supply of gas has been obtained through the Public Service Corporation by the installation of larger pipes and a pressure regulator at Broad and Morgan avenues at a cost of several thousand dollars.

"The space of ground paralleling the railroad from Society Hall to Cinnaminson avenue which was virtually a ditch was brought up to level at an expense of \$25.00. This in turn inspired the placing of a cement walk the full length of this improvement.

"The open culvert which was a menace and nuisance between Cinnaminson and Garfield avenues was covered over. This improvement cost over \$500.00.

"The conversion of a stubble field into a beautiful park with shrubbery and flowers of that space of ground forming a triangle at the intersection of Parry and Cinnaminson avenues; the erection of a large lighting post containing five lamps. This improvement cost the Association approximately \$300.00.

"The filling up to grade that plot of ground on the west side of Broad street between the trolley tracks and the Pennsylvania R. R. and the preparation of this as well as the plot on the opposite side for the laying out of shrubbery which has since been located.

"The successful termination of many conferences with the R. R. in having located a shelter shed with enclosure cement platform about the station.

"The influence of the Improvement Association is directly back of the proposed reinforced concrete roadway which is to extend between Lehigh and Morgan avenues and is only a part of the general scheme to give to Palmyra an approach not surpassed by any other town in New Jersey.

"Probably the most important feature yet undertaken by the General Improvement Association was the inquiry and investigation of a sewer and sewer disposal plant for Palmyra which now is on the road to realization.

Palmyra Notes

R. W. Gilpin was a New York visitor this week.

George Durgin left last Saturday for a business trip to Des Moines, Iowa.

The first Field Club base ball game will be played on the home grounds May 19.

The Field Club Board of Directors will be entertained next Tuesday evening by George H. Baker, Jr. of Philadelphia, who the guests of the Cheltenham Intercollegiate meet this Saturday.

The High School relay team ran fourth in the Penn relays last Saturday. The event was won by Hammonont.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kates (nee Shade) regret to hear of the death of both their infant twin sons this week.

Kenneth Letford was a member of the Pennington team which took second place in the Penn relays, winning a handsome silver cup.

The safety gates at Palmyra station have been painted in alternate black and white diagonal stripes, the more easily to be seen at night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gerkins, of Riverside, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hill, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Gerkins Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Czappe died suddenly last Saturday morning of heart disease. The funeral was held Tuesday with requiem services at the Sacred Heart church.

The Burlington Regiment of the National Guard has been called out for training and guard duty. Hammett Woolman, of Palmyra, recently joined this regiment.

Mrs. Edward Thilenius, of Parryville, Mo., arrived last Friday to spend several weeks with her son, William R. Gerkins, and also to attend the wedding of Fred W. Gerkins.

Mrs. Emma Cross, of Delanco, announces the engagement of her daughter, Marie Frances, to Mr. Herman E. Jones, of Palmyra. The wedding will take place early in September.

The teachers entertained the school board and their wives Thursday evening in the High School auditorium. Novelty games and dancing were provided for the entertainment of the guests, after which refreshments were served.

Palmyra H. S. baseball team won from Mount Holly at the local grounds last Friday, 7-4, with Schele pitching for the locals. The boys will play at Haddonfield this Friday and their big game with Burlington will take place here next Tuesday.

Rev. Charles W. Tindley, of the African M. E. church, Philadelphia, will make an address at the Epworth church next Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class. Everybody is invited. Dr. Tindley is known as one of the foremost pulpit orators of his race. Ellsworth Bates joined the United States Navy last Saturday and sailed for Norfolk that night. Although only seventeen, Ellsworth was one of the only two applicants who passed the physical examination with a perfect mark that day. Only six out of forty-five applicants were accepted.

The F. C. Auxiliary will give a Rummage Sale on Friday and Saturday, May 11 and 12, in the Windish store, W. Broad street. Articles can be left at the homes of the committee: Mrs. F. L. Durgin, Mrs. J. P. Donnelly, Mrs. H. Freas, Mrs. C. Javison, and Mrs. F. Windish. Articles called for by the committee is notified.

Miss Dorothy Nickelson, of Gloucester, who is well known in Palmyra, being the daughter of Rev. J. W. Nickelson, a former pastor of the Epworth church, figured in a news story published recently in the Philadelphia papers. Two National Guardsmen, who were calling on Miss Nickelson, were slightly injured as the result of a porch swing breaking. The papers humorously played upon the incident as "First blood shed by Jersey Guardsmen."

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HARD TIMES BLOCK IMPROVING STREET

Objections of West Palmyra Citizens Due to War Conditions Cause Ordinance to be Tabled

The plea of hard times, due chiefly to war prices, resulted in the tabling of the ordinance for the sidewalk of Fifth street between Delaware avenue and Market, when the Township Committee met in special session last Tuesday night to take up the matter.

A delegation of citizens affected appeared before the committee and emphasized vigorously the situation confronting the people owing to the war with Germany, calling attention to the high price of necessities and the fact that some property owners are likely to be called into the army.

The ordinance arranging for the Public Service Railway Company to go ahead with its part of the Broad street improvement was passed on second reading and another meeting will be held this Friday night for the third reading. It is understood the trolley company plans to straighten out the curves considerably at the station as well as doing the paving. The Pennsylvania Railroad is prepared to begin its part of the work.

Township Chairman Davies asked the Fifth street delegation if they would help the Committee improve West Palmyra when times are better and a favorable answer was given.

THE VISITING NURSE

Do you realize the value of this work and will you support it. Our treasury is exhausted and we must have funds to carry us through the summer until the first of September when our new year begins. If everyone in the community would help our financial problem would be solved. While attending the Nurses' Convention in Philadelphia last week I was much interested in the problem of supporting the work. A nurse from Cape Cod told me they had raised \$2,400 this year by \$1.00 subscriptions from their town of 4,000 inhabitants. We are starting a financial interest with the Government in this business of warring for the rights of mankind, is a wonderful stimulus to patriotic self denial and service.

The community Father and Son Banquet will be held in the Epworth Temple on the evening of May 10.

The banquet is not in the interest of any particular church or organization, nor for the purpose of profit. The only desire of those having the arrangements in charge is to introduce this movement into this vicinity and to encourage those citizens and business relations between fathers and sons.

The speakers of the evening will be Senator Harold B. Wells, Mr. W. W. Frey, who will respond to the toast, "The Fathers"; and Mr. John Rich, who will respond to the toast, "The Sons."

An interesting musical program, consisting of both instrumental and vocal music, has also been arranged.

Fishermen Land Big Sturgeon BRIDGEPORT, May 4.—Silas Jaquet and Harvey Payne, shed fishermen, had a lively tussle with a big sturgeon which they found in their net. It was an hour before they got it into the boat, which it came near upsetting. The sturgeon weighed about 200 pounds and brought a fancy price.

A woman can prepare a war in one thousandth of the time that a man can.

Britain is now going through, not muddling through.

CINNAMINSON GLEANINGS

Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas and daughter Mary, have returned to their home here after spending the winter in Florida.

The work of the local Y. M. C. A. is progressing. The boys are taking more interest in the meetings and several are preparing to enter the Agricultural Contest.

The track meet and baseball game between the Westfield and Bridgeboro Public Schools will be held May 11 at Cinnaminson. A big day is anticipated as both schools are preparing to carry the honors.

Betrayed by Woman Accomplice CAMDEN, May 4.—Charles Brownstein was convicted in the Criminal Court yesterday of complicity in the theft of \$117 from Paulono Tauceda and \$4 from George Maggior. Brownstein was convicted on the evidence of Carlie White who she robbed the two men at Brownstein's suggestion, after they had been enticed into a room and piled with drink. The White woman has served six months for her part in the robbery.

Offers to Raise Farm Regiment TRENTON, May 4.—Governor Edge has referred to General Lewis T. Bryant, State Commissioner of Labor, a communication from Salvatore Chiaravalle, of Newark, offering to raise a regiment of men to work on farms in New Jersey. He promises that all of the regiment will be able-bodied men between the ages of 30 and 50 years.

LaFayette dead is a better patriot than LaFollette alive.

ROLL OF HONOR

Additional Palmyra and Riverton men who have joined the colors are: Atlee Donaghy, Palmyra, Coast Defense Reserves.

Francis Holvick, Riverton, Marine Corps.

Ellsworth Bates, Palmyra, Navy.

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State Executive Board Passes Resolution Against Use of Grain For Alcohol

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"Whereas, in the present world crisis, there is in this country a shortage of grain, which is a necessity of life;

"RESOLVE, That the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, an organization of two hundred and fifty branches, and over five thousand members, petition the United States Congress to vote for any and all measures designed to prohibit the use of grain in the manufacture of intoxicants and to conserve it for food."

Mrs. James P. Fielder, State Chairman of the New Jersey Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief League, spoke on the work of her League.

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Movement Aims to Encourage Friendly Relations Between Parents and Young Men

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The Cinnaminson National Bank has subscribed for a number of the Liberty Bonds soon to be issued by the United States Government. These bonds will be in denominations of \$100.00 each. Any or all of the bonds will be at the disposal of the public at their face value, but not more than five will be sold to any one person.

The bank will gladly open a savings account with any one for this purpose, and when it reaches \$100, it can be immediately applied on the purchase of a bond.

ASBURY NOTES

Mrs. Hall, of Moorestown, came to the Sunday school last Sunday and told about her missionary work in Africa. She brought along an idol and many other curious things used by the people of the Dark Continent.

Dr. Blackwell, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Joseph Foster, of Gloucester, N. J., were among the recent visitors in Asbury.

The prayer meetings which have been held in East Riverton have been a success and it is hoped that the interest will continue.

May Cut Down Gloucester Bars GLOUCESTER, May 4.—Application for renewals of 32 retail and six bottles' licenses were presented to Council last night and were laid over to May 17. All present licenses expire this month, and it has been intimated that the Council may cut down the number this year. No new places can be licensed under the law.

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WOMEN NEEDED TO AID THEIR COUNTRY

Palmyra Red Cross Offers Opportunity For All to Help in Time of Crisis

We have arrived at a difficult and critical period in the history of our country, a time when women are called upon to do much thinking and are preparing to take their part. Devoted women by the thousands are at work all over our land. Their purpose is to mitigate the horrors of war. The gentle touch of a woman's hand upon the brow of a wounded or dying patriot on the field of battle or in the hospital has proven a balm.

In previous crises (the times that tried men's souls) we have been and in the present crisis will be proud of our women; all may not be able to do field work, but many are invited to assist in the work of the "Palmyra Branch" which depends upon membership applications and voluntary contributions. Your support is requested. Residents not as yet interested in the work may become conversant with it by addressing a postal to Mrs. H. A. Kennedy, secretary, who will hand it to the committee in charge; they will be pleased to have an interview with you. The efficiency and strength of any organization is the lively interest of its members; the ladies connected with Palmyra Branch Red Cross are intelligent and ambitious to do needful things for the amelioration of suffering humanity. They will willingly and systematically sacrifice time and substance to procure material and make such supplies as may be requested from them for use in hospital work, on battle field, or any emergency, they solicit your confidence and your help in their beneficent work for the suffering and brightening of the corners of darkened homes.

Men are invited to join.

M. W. WISHAM, Press Supt.

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Riverton Items

Howard Parry has returned from Florida.

Miss Ethel Mattia will entertain the Lucky 13 this evening.

Mrs. Warren Mullen will entertain the Thursday 500 next week.

Mrs. Rush Stevens entertained the Crochet Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul Burr visited relatives in Pennington, N. J., over last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Filler have returned to Riverton for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Flanagan have returned from a visit to Stamford, Conn.

The annual Charter luncheon of the Porch Club will be held next Thursday.

Mrs. W. C. Shannon has returned home after a three weeks' stay in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beck Tyler start today for a week's auto trip to Washington.

The war census of the borough has been completed by Officers Quiley and Kenny.

Mrs. G. C. Ford, of Elizabeth, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Reeves for a few days.

Mayor Flagg's genial countenance illuminated the pages of the "Evening Telegraph" on Tuesday.

Master Douglas Coath, of Philadelphia, spent the week with his aunt, Mrs. J. D. Clark.

Mrs. Paul Barnhart, of Washington, is spending two weeks as the guest of Mrs. M. Sontheimer.

The Girls' Friendly Society of Christ Church gave a dance in the Parish House Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Horn, of Bristol, Pa., is spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph H. Smith.

The Burlington County Firemen's Association will be entertained by the Riverton Firemen on May 16.

Miss Naomi Hurff, who attends State Normal, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Ross Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pelouse and son, of Camden, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitehead.

Assemblyman Emmor Roberts will speak next Tuesday at the Porch Club on "Constructive Legislation."

The final meeting of the Mothers' Circle will be held on the lawn of Mrs. E. J. Lippincott next Thursday afternoon.

The Misses Sadie and Mattie Mayberry, of Philadelphia, entertained the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Williamson.

Walter L. Bowen, publisher of "The New Era" and his brother Will K. Bowen, attended the Bahai Assembly in Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis, of Camden, spent the week end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Goslin.

Mrs. Calvin Durgin returned Thursday after having spent the early part of the week at the naval base where her husband was stationed.

An Armenian and Syrian Relief meeting was held in Christ Church Parish House Wednesday night. Rev. N. H. Stahl, Rev. John Rigg and Mayor Flagg made addresses.

Conrad Riverton, Foresters of America, took part in the initiation of a class of 58 candidates at the Tower Theatre, Camden, last Sunday. Six of the candidates were from Riverton.

Sunday will be Firemen's Memorial Day and the local firemen will attend services in the evening at the Presbyterian church. Palmyra firemen have been invited to accompany them. All will meet at the firehouse at 7.30.

Admiral George Willits died suddenly of heart failure late yesterday at his home in Woodbury. He was the father of O. G. Willits, of Riverton, and was well known locally, having spent the summers recently at the Lawn House.

The familiar face of Mr. John G. Bowen, a former resident (now of Moorestown) aged 83 years, father of Mr. Walter Bowen, of the "New Era" appeared in the Public Ledger "Old Folk's Column," this week. Mr. Bowen is a Civil War veteran.

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Riverton Plans To Lend \$10,000 To United States

Mass Meeting Approves Suggestion That Borough Add To War Fund

Enthusiastic patriots of Riverton packed the public school auditorium last Monday night in answer to the Mayor's call for a mass meeting to decide what the borough should do for the nation in the war.

The most striking action of the meeting was the unanimous approval by viva voce of Charles A. Wright's resolution urging that the borough buy \$10,000 worth of government war bonds. The plan advocated by Mr. Wright was that the borough borrow the money from the Cinnaminson National Bank at 4 1/2 per cent. interest, and then deposit the bonds with the bank as collateral. The bank would be empowered to collect the coupons, amounting to 3 per cent, thus leaving 1 1/2 per cent. interest for the borough to pay the bank. It was figured that this would cost each inhabitant of Riverton 7 1/2 cents per year.

The proposition met some objection at first. Alfred Smith opposed paying the bank 1 1/2 per cent, saying that other banks were handling war loans gratis. After some lively discussion, Dr. Alexander G. Marcy, president of the bank, rose to explain that the Riverton bank also was ready to receive subscriptions to the National loan without charge, but that Mr. Wright's proposition was different, inasmuch as it was planned for the bank to lend the money with which the borough was to buy the bonds.

Mr. Wright in a stirring speech declared that pamphlets opposing enlistments had been distributed in the borough. Such pacifism, he said, was a parasite on the tree of liberty. The Germans, he declared, were 200 per cent, stronger, in reference to the United States, than they were two years ago, and were ready to attack this country, should they win the war in Europe. Mr. Wright also urged that the borough add to the pay of Riverton men who go to the front.

Moving patriotic addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Stahl and by Rev. John Rigg. R. D. Ford, an assistant in the Department of Conservation and Development, gave an interesting talk on the food movement.

Mayor Flagg presided at the meeting and received an ovation. Louis Corner, Jr., acted as secretary. The following committees and chairmen were appointed: Agriculture, W. H. Lippincott; Boy Scouts, Rex Shonwell; Finance, Carl De La Cour; military, George W. Edwards; publicity, W. L. Bowen; thrift, Dr. Alex. G. Marcy, Jr. These committees will meet in the near future to map out their campaigns.

THE WALNUT THEATRE

Returning to the Walnut after a brief absence, "Her Unborn Child," is again repeating the sensational success of its former appearance at this now again popular playhouse.

The public have verified the opinions of the Press, wherever it has been produced, and the demand for seats indicates that it will surely have to remain at least four weeks if not more, in order to satisfy this demand.

The theme of the drama is birth control, one of the vital questions of the day, which is so prominently before the public just now. The Tuesday and Thursday matinee performances will be exclusively for the ladies, and no gentlemen will be admitted to these restricted matinees, all the other performances are for men and women. However, no one under eighteen years of age will be admitted.

W. C. T. U.

Next Tuesday will be the regular mothers' meeting. Now is the time to work with redoubled energy for the immediate enactment of prohibition as a war measure. The boys of the Army and the Navy must be safeguarded from saloons and dens of vice near the training camps and mobilization centers. Already there is being drafted by Congressmen, a bill to create a dry zone around all military posts and training camps. "Every white ribboner a prohibition patriot."

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

WOMEN'S AND MISSES

\$8.00 and \$10.00 pleated one-piece dresses of lustrous silk poplin, all shades, including gold, gray and rose, some with embroidered belts, collars and cuffs \$5.50 and \$5.00

\$12.00 and \$15.00 sample taffeta silk frocks, suitable for sport and afternoon wear—while they last \$7.95

\$1.00 and \$1.50 infants' long and short dresses 50c and \$1.

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Smart, new summer trimmed hats, white hemp, Milan hemp and leghorns at most reasonable prices.

\$1.50 and \$2.00 white washable skirts of linen, garbardine and twill, including novelties \$1.00 and \$1.50.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 waists of fine voiles, organdies and fancy fabrics, embroidery and lace trimmed, slightly handled 75c.

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CHURCH NEWS

Central Baptist Church
Chas. W. Williams, Pastor
10:45 a. m. Morning Worship
Sermon subject, "Herald's" second message to Israel, "Cheer Up!" Sermonette for the children. Music by the choir.

2:30 p. m. Bible School, classes for all. The Philathea and Clara classes extend a cordial invitation to the men and women of the community to attend and take part in their sessions.

7:45 p. m. Evening Song Service, followed with a sermon by the pastor on "The Growth of Death."

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Children's choir and Junior meeting Friday afternoon at 2:30. All the boys and girls are invited.

Christian Endeavor meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A meeting for the young people.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the services here mentioned.

Christ Church, Hibernia
May 5, Sunday
7:30 a. m. Holy Eucharist.
8:30 a. m. Morning Prayer.

10:15 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist.

8:00 p. m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Methodist Episcopal Church
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7:30 a. m. Holy Eucharist.
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Church of the Sacred Heart
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St. Vincent's Church
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Mr. C. H. Becker, who was killed at Hibernia Wednesday evening, was the son of Mr. J. W. Sylvester, who was killed at Hibernia Wednesday evening.

Mr. John R. Parry, of Orland Park, River, announced the engagement of his daughter, Sara, to Robert, son of Robert Thibault.

Charles A. Wright announced at Monday's mass meeting that a roll of Little George Becker, son of Otto Becker, was run over by a colored man on a bicycle last Tuesday and was pretty well shaken up as a result. Apparently no serious injury was done, however.

The Department of Conservation and Development has been a canvass of all employers to ascertain how many men can be released for emergency work.

Charles M. Lippincott and Charles Evans are members of the auxiliary committee, added to the work canvass.

A request by Murray C. Boyer, read at Monday's mass meeting, that something be done to protect the school children from the danger of school children at various points in the town resulted in Mayor Platts taking every citizen to appoint himself a committee of one to see that the children are safe.

Mr. Joseph Beck-Tyler was elected to the presidency of the Y. M. C. A. at the annual meeting held at the Y. M. C. A. building.

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Herbert C. Hoover, the great American success as chairman of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, did his work so well that the people say he is more efficient than the Germans themselves.

President Wilson has called him home to be head of the American Food Control Administration.

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PROUD AND LOYAL AMERICAN WOMEN

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CLEVELAND, May 2.—Two very proud young American women were passengers on an outbound local today.

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A MODERN ATLAS

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ENJOY A COOL KITCHEN

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Oliver S. Kelsey & Company, the developers of Morgan Heights, invite the people of Palmyra, Riverton and vicinity to visit the new houses they are just finishing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Warner spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Warner

APPEAL MADE TO FAIR SEX

The Secretary of Agriculture, in response to requests from many editors for a statement as to service women can render the nation in the direction of producing and conserving agricultural products, has issued the following:

To the Women of the United States
"Every woman can render important service to the nation in its present emergency. She need not leave her home or abandon her home duties to help the armed forces. She can help to feed and clothe our armies and help to supply food to those beyond the seas by practicing effective thrift in her own household."

"Every ounce of food the housewife saves from being wasted in her home—all food which she or her children produce in the garden and can or preserve—every garment which care and skillful repair make unnecessary to replace—all lessens that household's draft on the already insufficient world supplies."

"To save food the housewife must learn to plan economical and properly balanced meals, which while nourishing each member of the family properly, do not encourage over-eating or offer excessive and wasteful variety. It is her duty to use all effective methods to protect food from spoilage by heat, dirt, mice, or insects. She must acquire the culinary ability to utilize every bit of edible food that comes into her home. She must learn to use such foods as vegetables, beans, peas, and milk products as partial substitutes for meat. She must make it her business to see that nothing nutritious is thrown away or allowed to be wasted."

"Waste in any individual household may seem to be insignificant, but if only a single ounce of edible food, on the average, is allowed to spoil or be thrown away in each of our 20,000,000 homes, over 1,300,000 pounds of material would be wasted each day. It takes the fruit of many acres and the work of many people to raise, prepare, and distribute 464,000,000 pounds of food a year. Every ounce of food thrown away, therefore, tends also to waste the labor of an army of busy workers."

Clothing is largely an agricultural product and represents the results of labor on the sheep ranges, in cotton fields, and in mills and factories. Whenever a useful garment is needlessly discarded, material needed to keep some one warm or dry may be consumed merely to gratify a passing fancy. Women would do well to look upon clothing at this time more particularly from the utilitarian point of view."

Leather, too, is scarce and the proper shoeing of armies calls for great supplies of this material. There are only so many pairs of shoes in each hide, and there is a shortage of animals for leather as well as for meat. Anything that can be done to encourage adults or children to take care of their shoes and make them last longer means that so much more leather is made available for other purposes."

"Employed women, especially those engaged in the manufacture of food or clothing, also directly help their country and should put their tasks with enthusiasm and energy. The importance of their production warrants."

"While all honor is due to the women who leave their homes to nurse and care for those wounded in battle, no woman should feel that, because she does not wear a nurse's uniform, she is absolved from patriotic service. The home women of the country, if they will give their minds fully to this vital subject of food conservation and train themselves in household thrift, can make of the housewife's apron a uniform of national significance."

"Demonstrate thrift in your homes and encourage thrift among your neighbors."

"Make saving rather than spending your social standard."

"Make economy fashionable lest it become obligatory."

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Draft Queries To Be Studied

Complete List of Questions for Young Men Who Will Register for Conscription on June 5--Instructions to Be Rigidly Carried Out

FROM NEWARK CALL

Questions to be asked in the national registration of men between 21 and 30 years of age, Tuesday, June 5th, and the government's suggestions to those concerned follow in detail. Men eligible for military service are advised to study up these questions and prepare the answers in their minds so that there will be no confusion or misunderstanding at the polling places on registration day.

1. NAME IN FULL, AGE IN YEARS

This means all your names spelled out in full. State your age today in years only. Disregard additional months or days. Be prepared to say "19" or "20," not "19 years, 3 months," or the like.

2. HOME ADDRESS

This means the place where you have your permanent home, not the place where you work. Be prepared to give the address in this way: "232 Main street, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois;" that is, give number and name of street first, then town, then county and then State.

3. DATE OF BIRTH

Write your birthday (month, day and year) on a piece of paper before going to the Registrar, and give the paper to him the first thing. Example: August 5th, 1894. If you do not remember the year, start to answer as you would if someone asked you your birthday, as "August 5th." Then say "On my birthday this year I will be (or was) _____ years old." The Registrar will then fill in the year of birth. Many people do not carry in mind the year they were born. This may be obtained by the Registrar by subtracting the age in years on this birthday from 1917.

4. ARE YOU (1) A NATURAL-BORN CITIZEN; (2) A NATURALIZED CITIZEN; (3) AN ALIEN; (4) OR HAVE YOU DECLARED YOUR INTENTION TO BECOME CITIZEN (SPECIFY WHICH)?

(1)—If you were born in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii, you are a natural-born citizen, no matter what your parents. If you were born in Porto Rico you are a citizen of the United States, unless you were born of alien parents. If you were born abroad you are still a citizen of the United States if your father was a citizen of the United States at the time you were born, unless you have expatriated yourself.
(2)—You are a naturalized citizen if you have completed your naturalization; that is, if you have "taken final papers." But you are not a citizen if you have only declared your intention to become a citizen, (that is, if you have only "taken out first papers"); in the latter case you are only a "declarant."
(3)—You are also a naturalized citizen if, although foreign born, your father or surviving parent became fully naturalized while you were under 21 years of age, and if you came to the United States under 21.
(4)—You are a declarant if, although a citizen or subject of some foreign country, you have declared on oath before a naturalization court your intention to become a citizen of the United States. Receipt from the clerk of the court of the certified copy of such declaration is often called "taking out first papers." You are not a declarant if your first paper was taken out after September 26, 1906, and is more than 7 years old.
(5)—You are an alien if you do not fall within one of the three classes above mentioned.

5. WHERE WERE YOU BORN

First name the town, then the State, then the country, as "Columbus, Ohio;" "Vienna, Austria;" "Paris, France;" "Sofia, Bulgaria."

6. IF NOT A CITIZEN, OF WHAT COUNTRY ARE YOU A CITIZEN OR A SUBJECT?

This need be answered only by aliens and declarants. Remember that a "declarant" is not a citizen of the United States. If an alien or declarant, state the name of your country, as "France," "Japan," "China," etc.

7. WHAT IS YOUR PRESENT TRADE, OCCUPATION OR OFFICE?

This does not ask what you once did, nor what you have done most of the time, nor what you are best fitted to do. It asks what your job is right now. State briefly, as "Farmer," "Miner," "Student," "Laborer" (on farm, in rolling mill, in automobile, wagon or other factory), "Machinist in automobile factory," etc. If you hold an office under State or Federal government, name the office you hold. If you are in one of the following offices or employments, use one of the names hereafter mentioned: "Customhouse clerk," "employed in the transmission of the mails," or "employed in an armory, arsenal or navy yard," "mariner, actually employed in the sea service of citizen or merchant within the United States."

BY WHOM EMPLOYED? WHERE EMPLOYED?

If you are working for an individual, firm, corporation or association state its name. If in business, trade, profession or employment for yourself, so state. If you are an officer of the State or Federal government, say whether your office is under the United States, the State, the county or municipality. In answer to the question as to where you are employed give the town, county and State where you work.

8. HAVE YOU A FATHER, MOTHER, WIFE, CHILD UNDER 12, OR A SISTER OR BROTHER UNDER 12 SOLELY DEPENDENT UPON YOU FOR SUPPORT (SPECIFY WHICH)?

Consider your answer thoughtfully. If it is true that there is another mouth than your own which you alone have a duty to feed do not let your military ardor interfere with the wish of the Nation to reduce war's misery to a minimum. On the other hand, unless the person you have in mind is solely dependent on you, do not hide behind petticoats or children.

MARRIED OR SINGLE (WHICH)? RACE (SPECIFY WHICH)?

This does not ask whether you were once married, but whether you are married now. In answer to the question as to your race, state briefly whether "Caucasian," "Mongolian," "Negro," "Malayan" or "Indian."

9. WHAT MILITARY SERVICE HAVE YOU HAD? RANK? BRANCH? YEARS? NATION OR STATE

No matter what country you served, you must give complete information. In answering these questions, first name your rank, using the following words: "Commissioned officer," "Non-commissioned officer," "Private." Next, state branch in which you served in one of the following words: "Infantry," "Cavalry," "Artillery," "Medical," "Signal," "Aviation," "Supply," "Marine," "Navy." Next, state the number of years' service, not counting time spent in the Reserve. Finally, name the State or Nation you served. If you served under the United States, or one of the States, of the United States, name your service in one of the following terms: "National Guard (of such and such a State)," "Militia (of such and such a State)," "Volunteers of United States" or "Regular Army (Navy) of United States."

DO YOU CLAIM EXEMPTION FROM DRAFT? SPECIFY GROUND?

Because you claim exemption from draft it by no means follows that you are exempt. For the information of the War Department you should make a claim now if you intend to prosecute it. Some persons will be exempted on account of their occupations or offices, some on account of the fact that they have relatives dependent upon them for support. Your answer touching these things will be important in supporting the claim you now intend to make in your answer to the present questions. Be sure, therefore, that the grounds you now state are in conformity with your answers to questions 7 and 8. In stating grounds you claim as exempting you, use one of the following terms: "If you claim to be a religious sect, legislative or judicial officer of the State or Nation, name your office and say whether it is an office of the State or Nation. If you claim to be a member of a religious sect whose creed forbids its members to participate in war in any form, simply name the sect. If you are employed in the transmission of the United States mails or as an artificer or workman in an armory, arsenal or navy yard in the United States, so state. If you are a felon or otherwise morally deficient and desire to claim exemption on that ground, state your ground briefly. If you claim physical disability, state that briefly. If you claim exemption on any other ground, state your ground briefly."

WILD DUCKS FLOCK TO JERSEY TO NEST

A great increase in the numbers of wild waterfowl nesting in New Jersey is reported by State Fish and Game Wardens, who, with District Inspector P. S. Farnham, of the Federal Migratory Bird Law have been studying the Spring conditions along the shore and in the wooded interior of the State. The increase is especially noticeable among black duck, mallard and wood duck and is believed to be due entirely to the elimination of Spring shooting under the Federal law.

On a tour late in April through the counties of Ocean and Burlington, the inspectors found thousands of wood ducks and black ducks along the waterways. Only a few years ago the wood duck was considered practically exterminated but since it has been protected, the species had rapidly reestablished itself. Owing to the cutting away of many forests the natural nesting places of the wood duck, in hollow trees, are becoming restricted. To offset this condition, the Federal government has been experimenting with boxes and kegs nailed in trees near streams and ponds and has discovered that the birds readily take to these artificial nests. The department is erecting hundreds of artificial nests of this type and is urging sportsmen's associations and bird lovers to work along the same lines to promote the increase of this beautiful and useful fowl.

The department is making a study of methods for increasing nesting places for black ducks and mallards.

Sometimes the Kaiser must be sorry that Serbia ever started the darned war.

STATE SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

TRENTON, May 22.—More than a hundred delegates from every part of the state attended the fifth biennial convention of the New Jersey Daughters of Isabella, held yesterday afternoon in the Trenton House. The convention was one of the largest and in every respect one of the most thoroughly successful held by the organization in years. In addition to the business session, which occupied the greater part of the afternoon, there were a number of attractive features arranged for the entertainment of the visitors. Miss Mary C. Duffy, of Newark, the state regent of the order and also vice supreme regent, was the presiding officer of the convention, which was marked principally by the election of new officers to serve during the next two years. Miss Margaret O'Brien, of Jersey City, will be the new state regent and the other officers elected follow: Secretary, Miss Catherine Sheehan, of Jersey City; treasurer, Miss Catherine Martin, of Hoboken; state monitor, Miss Margaret O'Connor, of Bayonne; state advocate, Miss E. A. O'Hara, of Trenton; representatives to the national convention, which will be held in July in Ulster, Mrs. Mary C. Holden, of Jersey City, and Miss Catherine Wright, of Newark.

Chester Township Divided MOORESTOWN, May 23.—At a special election yesterday to decide whether Chester township should be divided and Moorestown made a separate township, the project was defeated by a vote of 601 to 318. Many residents of Moorestown wanted division so all the taxes paid should go to the town instead of to the entire township.

HURT WHEN AUTO STRIKES A TREE

TRENTON, May 22.—Mrs. Frank L. Daniels, of Hightstown, was badly cut and bruised yesterday afternoon in an automobile accident, in New York city. Her injuries were about the head and face and her side was also hurt. She was treated at the office of a physician in New York and afterward returned to her home.

Mrs. Daniels, whose husband is the Hightstown agent for the Chevrolet automobile, has been in the habit of going to the auto factory at Tarrytown, N. Y., and driving new cars back to Hightstown. She was driving along Riverside drive yesterday when a heavy auto bus pulled out from the curb. Mrs. Daniels pulled out of the way to avoid hitting the machine and crashed into a tree. The force of the impact drove the engine under the seat, bent the front axle U-shaped and caused the floor boards to buckle up. The driver was forced up against the steering wheel and was unable to get out of the wrecked machine.

James Throckmorton, who is employed by Daniels, happened along a short time later and recognized the damaged car. He took Mrs. Daniels to her home in his car.

Fire Destroys Cord Wood MILLVILLE, May 23.—The most disastrous forest fire of the season started along the Cedarville Road Sunday, and, driven before a high wind, swept over a vast area of some of the most valuable timber land in this locality, burning more than 300 cords of cut wood belonging to Charles P. Eschill and Martin W. Lane.

LAKE LADOGA LARGER AS SEA

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Lake Ladoga, the great reservoir for Petrograd's River Neva, is the subject of the following war geography bulletin issued by the National Geographic Society:

"If the Caspian Sea be rated as a sea instead of a lake, Ladoga takes premier place among the lakes of Europe. With its area of 7,000 square miles it very nearly approaches in size our own Lake Ontario, which has a water surface slightly exceeding 7,200 square miles."

"Ladoga has recently appeared in the public prints owing to the revolutionary activities of the munitions works at Schlusselburg, the fortified town situated at the point where the waters of the lake find their outlet to the Gulf of Finland through the River Neva. By the water route it is a distance of 40 miles from the western extremity of Lake Ladoga to Petrograd, but in an airline it is only 21 miles."

"This great sheet of water is fed by more than seventy rivers and streams, the most important of which are the Syas, Svir and Volkhov, all of which are connected with the Neva at Schlusselburg by canals. The canals have been dug in order to relieve shipping of the perils of the lake, which are numerous—frequent gales, numerous reefs and rocks, and dense fogs. The most important of these canals connecting the Volkhov and the Neva, was dug nearly two hundred years ago along the southern shore of the lake. In 1861-86 the old waterway was supplemented by a new canal running parallel to it. By means of these two canals Ladoga is connected with the ancient city of Novgorod (not to be confused with the great fair city of Nizhni-Novgorod), the seat of government of the Volkhov Republic in the 11th and 12th centuries. In this city originated the proverb, 'If the prince is bad, into the mud with him,' the advice being frequently acted upon."

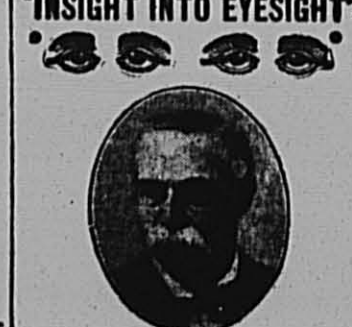
"What little commerce is carried on the waters of the lake itself, from the northern shores to Schlusselburg must be handled during the summer months, for ice blocks transportation for about 180 days out of the 365. While the ice seldom is more than three feet deep it frequently is piled up off shore to a height of 60 to 80 feet and in the early summer, when it begins to float down the Neva it has a very perceptible refrigerating effect on the climate of Petrograd."

"The chief products handled by the little lake steamers are hay, iron, timber, firewood, kaolin and granite. Much of the marble, granite, and sandstone used in the buildings of Petrograd come from quarries on the sparsely settled north shore."

"One of the most interesting of the numerous small islands which dot the surface of Ladoga is Valamo, the seat of the famous monastery founded in the tenth century by Sergei and Herman. The retreat is visited by thousands of Russian pilgrims during the festival of St. Peter and Paul in June of each year. Valamo itself, which has an area of about 12 square miles, is surrounded by about 40 smaller islands. A second monastery on the island of Konneviz is also a popular place of pilgrimage."

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