

PERISHABLE FREIGHT BETTER MOVEMENTS SAYS SEC'Y MARLOWE

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM EASTERN SHIPPING POINTS

D. C. Marlowe, the live secretary of the Board of Trade has just returned from a trip to Washington, New York, Philadelphia and other shipping points in the interest of the growers regarding the movement of vegetables from this point. Asked about his trip and the result of the same he gave out the following very interesting interview:

Contrary to what I had written reports I found the greatest delay to perishable freight on the Southeastern lines; the lines here the least congestion exists. The movement through Jacksonville, especially in delivery to connecting lines is particularly bad, in several cases more than twenty four hours was consumed in making a transfer between two lines at that point. The north-bound movement has been in drag freight trains; trains loaded with tonnage and of times perishable freight has been held waiting for more tonnage before running a train. This, then, has caused our perishable freight to consume seven and eight days in transit between Sanford and New York—a movement that ordinarily should be made in four and five days. With few exceptions I found that at every terminal where engines and crews were changed, the same delays occurred unless a so-called tonnage train was ready when the perishable arrived. The movement of thirty-five cars through Potomac Yards showed up exceptionally well in view of that being a diverting point. The Pennsylvania is moving the freight, that is perishable, with fairly good dispatch. CA 400 is in and out of Potomac Yards on the same date and reach New York usually within twenty-four hours, a distance of 226 miles. The Pennsylvania, however, has discontinued all fast freight service and all perishable is now moving on slow freight trains. One of the tonnage trains, Mr. Tolson of the Pennsylvania, however, promises a better and faster movement just as soon as our output increases and even within the past week, a vast difference in movement is noticed.

At Wilmington, N. C. Mr. Lyman DeLano, vice president of the Atlantic Coast Line was interviewed. Mr. DeLano could make no positive statement as to prospects for future movements, but stated that he was interested in the Sanford product and promised his cooperation and stated that he would issue instructions tending toward securing as fast movement as it was possible to make. Mr. DeLano also promised to go into the Jacksonville yard delays which will evidently remedy that trouble.

The Southern Railway has already begun a special movement between Jacksonville and Potomac Yards, their No. 54 leaving Jacksonville at 10:30 a. m. was made a perishable fast freight since December 13th and we have assurance that with reasonable tonnage given them at Jacksonville that this service will be continued throughout the shipping season. This line appreciates the business from Sanford and everything possible will be done by them toward a speedy movement and destination delivery.

It might be well to say right here that the decision of the Southern to begin the operation of this fast freight for perishable only is a direct result of the growers of Sanford sending a representative to look after their interests. I also believe that the Coast Line will adopt the same methods and between the two there is no question but what good service will be maintained. The railroad situation however is uncertain and all of us must not expect normal movement. It is a fact that many embargoes are out and dead freight is scarcely moving at all. Mr. DeLano in conversation remarked that on his line alone that day other than embargoed cars, there was twenty seven hundred cars of dead freight that they were unable at the time to move. There is hardly a doubt but what we will have ample cars this season, although from time to time efforts are going to be necessary to keep a supply. As far as

the railroad general situation is concerned there appears now to be an issue between the Government and the roads, not antagonistic, but along the line of efficiency. It appears that all roads have the slogan "tonnage" always before them and as far as freight is concerned there is no commodity distinction. However, the Government instructions as stated by Mr. Edward Chambers, head of transportation of the U. S. Food Administration in Washington, who I conferred with, stated that next to government War necessities, live stock and perishable freight came next and would have preferred attention.

Mr. Chambers was indeed pleased to see the cooperation between the growers of this section and stated that he was glad that their representative had called on him; that so doing made him know and appreciate our situation and that because of the demand and the nature of our product every assistance on the part of the Government would be extended to provide us adequate service over the various lines. Specific data as to delays, giving car numbers and complete movements between Sanford and New York was given Mr. Chambers and these will be handled as a brand of a vast improvement.

FREE MOVING PICTURES

Star Theatre Next Sunday Afternoon Will Feature Mooseheart Home

At the Star Theatre next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock moving pictures of the Mooseheart Home at Mooseheart, Illinois will be shown. These pictures are free and are given with the idea of educating the public on the great work being done by the Loyal Order of Moose in the United States. These pictures are very beautiful and show the home at Mooseheart and the many advantages of this great asylum that is being maintained for the orphan children of the deceased members of the Moose Lodge of America.

Remember that the pictures are at the Star Theatre and that the first reel starts at three o'clock and that they are free to every one. There will be a lecture given on the pictures and the entertainment is very instructive in every particular.

Everybody is invited to attend. High School students have special invitation.

This picture is for white people only.

Death of Chas. E. Jarvis

Charles E. Jarvis died suddenly at his rooms in the Empire Hotel Saturday morning. He had been in usual health the day before and when he did not appear for breakfast it was thought that he was probably sick and upon going to his room he was found dead in bed. The end must have come suddenly and with no apparent warning as the end appeared to be peaceful and none of the people in the hotel heard any sounds from the room occupied by Mr. Jarvis.

Decensed came to this city several years ago from Atlanta where he made his home for many years. He was an expert in the marble and stone cutting business, making a specialty of monuments and tombstones and while here he was identified with the Milvia Marble Co., being a member of the firm.

He leaves a wife and two children in Atlanta to mourn his loss. The funeral occurred from the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock Rev. Peck officiating. Interment was made in Lakeview cemetery.

Elks Charity Ball

The Benevolent Protective Order of Elks has arranged to give a Charity Ball on Thursday evening at 9 o'clock, December 27th, at their home located on Park avenue. The price of tickets will be \$1.00 a couple. Every Elk and every Elk's friend are urged to be present. Tickets will be placed in the hands of every Elk for sale, and we ask the general public to attend this dance. Tickets can be secured from any Elk. The proceeds arising from the dance will be placed in the Charity Fund to take care of the Elk's Christmas offering.

SIXTY-TWO CARS LETTUCE IN ONE DAY

HARDLY LOOKS LIKE SANFORD WAS FROZEN OUT

An article in the Jacksonville Metropolis last week stated that a million and a half dollar loss was suffered by the growers at Sanford by the cold snap that froze out the lettuce crop. Just where this report ever emanated is a mystery to the people of this section and will probably never be explained. The cold weather did nip some of the outer leaves of the headed lettuce and many of the growers hesitated to ship lettuce the morning after the cold wave struck this section but later it was found that very little damage was done and they have been shipping good lettuce for the past week.

There was no damage to speak of and the cold wave assisted the growers materially in holding up some of the shipments that were going out that might have caused a glut on the market. There was no million dollar loss as only a small percent of the crop was headed and the later stuff was not injured in the least. In fact the cold weather is just what the lettuce crop needs and the fields never looked better than at the present time.

Just as a refutation of the report that appeared in the Metropolis is the shipment that went out last Saturday SIXTY TWO CARS OF LETTUCE IN ONE DAY—the largest shipment of lettuce that has ever left the Sanford section in one day since lettuce has been grown here and probably the largest shipment in one day that ever left the state of Florida or any other state.

Does this look like the lettuce crop at Sanford has been frozen out? Does this look like a million and half dollar loss in Sanford? It will take more than a cold snap with the thermometer at 28 to injure the Sanford section, for Sanford has and will weather colder snaps than this one and will be here with tender vegetables in the fields after the greater part of the state has been frozen in a real freeze.

To the Teachers and Pupils of Seminole County Schools

You will no doubt be delighted to learn that the sum of One Hundred Dollars and Forty-Six Cents has been forwarded to the headquarters of the WAR CHILDREN'S RELIEF FUND, New York City, this being the total amount of the contributions from the school children and teachers of Seminole county to this most worthy cause. This means that many of our little comrades across the waters will have some of the Yuletide joys that we are accustomed to enjoy in America. It also means that Christmas will be more blessed to us than ever before, as we realize that we have made this sacrifice for the pleasure and comfort of those in distress. No other investment of this money could afford so much happiness to you as givers and to the French and Belgian children as recipients, who will thus be made happy on Christmas day. The Board of Public Instruction, the Boards of Trustees of the several schools, your parents, and especially the superintendent of public instruction, cannot but feel proud of this commendable spirit you have shown in sending this Christmas Gift to those who have so wistfully been looking westward wondering whether they would be entirely forgotten in the desolation of war. This gift is sent with "The Love of the School Children of Seminole County, Florida, to their Friends, the Children of Belgium and France."

All of the public schools of Seminole County, both white and colored will close for the Christmas Holidays next Friday, Dec. 21st, and re-open for the second semester on Monday, January 7th, 1918.

Hoping to meet every teacher of Seminole County schools in Daytona at the Florida Educational Association next Friday, Dec. 26-28, and wishing every teacher and pupil a happy holiday, I am

Sincerely,  
T. W. Lawton,  
Supt. Pub. Instruction.

U. S. BUREAU MARKETING FOR SANFORD

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE HAS REPRESENTATIVE HERE

M. S. Wiggins, marketing agent from the United States Department of Agriculture has arrived in Sanford and for the next month will give the growers and shippers daily market conditions on all of Seminole county products. For the first time in its history, Seminole county has been given a marketing agency bureau and with a service direct from Washington daily. The establishing of bureau is a direct result of the Board of Trade and a matter that has been worked on for the past four months and because of War conditions it was feared for a time that a direct service through an agency could not be secured.

This service tells all conditions throughout the country, the number of cars going into various places daily and market quotations for every market. The service also shows all diversions and brings a direct benefit to the grower and shipper and prevents congestion and price drops if the information given is followed out.

At present Mr. Wiggins can be found at the Board of Trade office. He is now busy compiling names of all growers and upon request will mail daily to every grower and shipper a complete market report. All the farmers should call on Mr. Wiggins or phone the Board of Trade office requesting their names placed on the daily mailing list. Permanent quarters of the marketing bureau will be announced in Friday's issue of the Herald.

Peabody Club Banquet at Daytona

One of the most interesting and popular events connected with the Florida Educational Association which meets at Daytona next week will be the annual banquet of the Peabody Club.

This banquet will be held at the Delpland Hotel Thursday evening, December 27th from 6 to 8 o'clock. All members of the Association and their friends are eligible to attend. All are urged to see a member of the committee and obtain their tickets as soon as possible after their arrival in Daytona.

Arrangements are being made for the largest and best banquet ever held by the Peabody Club. The banquet is to be held during the dinner hour and there will be no conflict with the regular meetings, as the program for the evening will not begin until the banquet is over. Plan to come to Daytona and attend this annual affair of the Peabody Club. Plates will be one dollar each. Geo. W. Marks, Mgr.

SANFORD WINS AGAIN

Sanford High School Girls In Race For State Championship

It is a great team we have this year. We are winning recognition throughout the state as the strongest contender for state honors. Victory has followed victory and with each game the team improves.

No team is stronger than its weakest player, and in that lies the secret of our success. In every department of the game we are strong and in each player a star. All are working together for the success of the team.

In the game Friday night at the Holy Cross Parish House the Sanford sextet defeated the fast Cathedral team 24 to 1. Cathedral in basketball. They have always had a strong team. Last year they defeated the Duval High School team 35 to 5, but the Jacksonville team claimed the state championship because Cathedral was not a public High School.

The playing was as one sided as the score. The visitors fought hard, but the fast team work of the local kept them guessing throughout the game.

Cora Lee Tillis, our "fighting forward," is due much credit for our large score. She played hard for the success of the team and made 10 of the 24 points scored for Sanford.

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN FOR MEMBERSHIP WAS STARTED YESTERDAY

Her playing and the playing of Ethel Henry featured the game.

With fast dodging our forwards would throw off their guards and then May Thrasher and the center would get the ball to Cora Lee Tillis. She would then make a dribble and a goal. Cora Lee belongs to be commended for her good control of her temper. All during the game, especially during the first half she had to contend with the unfair holding and blocking of her guard but at no time did she do the same kind of playing.

In the center, Helen Hand and Helen Peck played their usual good game. Helen Hand was called the "backbone of the team" by Mr. Roddenborough. Each center seemed to know exactly what the other was going to do. Their signals and quick passes were nearly perfect.

Cathedral was said to have had two good forwards but we cannot say whether they were good or not, as we did not see them throw a goal. They probably can throw goals good but they didn't have many good chances because Ethel Henry and Dorothy Rumph kept the ball away from them. Ethel made a few pretty jumps and catches as has been seen on the local courts. Her passes were good.

Next Friday night we will have a double game. The boys tried to get Orlando to come up last Friday night but they would not. The boys have a team this year that is going to make a record that we will be proud of as well as the girls. They have played two games and have won both. The boys will play Leesburg and the girl Deland. The games start promptly at 8 o'clock. Tickets are 25c and 35c for the double bill, and are on sale at Phillips drug store. Get one and help the boys and girls along.

The following was the line up for the Cathedral game: Sanford, May Thrasher, forward; Cora Lee Tillis, forward; Helen Hand, J. center; Helen Peck, R. center; Ethel Henry, guard; Dorothy Rumph, guard. Cathedral—R. Wlechendahl, forward; H. Rowley, forward; M. Oliver, J. center; C. Cannon, R. center; H. Kennedy, guard; M. Hargreaves, guard.

Woman's Club Notes

It is the desire of Dr. Leeds, state secretary of Red Cross seals to at least seal 3 cents worth per capita. The seals are being used to seal inside of packages instead of other seals or ribbon as has been customary. So you will need more than this amount. Remember some individuals are never reached, so it is necessary that we sell more to contribute as our quota.

There is a three fold plan arranged for the stamps this year. Should the three cents per capita be realized it will enable the state first, to scatter sanitariums throughout the state for the isolation of tuberculosis patients; 2nd, to place a nurse in each county for the teaching of sanitation.

Some of the shop windows of good old Sanford are taking on a picturesque Christmas appearance and we are being cheered on our way by the living green in evidence and yearn for every store to imitate the spirit of Yuletide, and if need be enter into competition with each other.

The Municipal Christmas Tree is assuming its starlike shape and we are all getting ready for one big, happy sing. The little ones will add to the sentiment of it all too.

The Christmas Red Cross seals are pushing their way to the front and carrying their cheerful message for us to make glad Christmas and brave the New Year and defy any one to dare look pessimistic. The goal for Seminole county is the sale of \$100.00 worth of Red Cross seals.

Forrest Gatchel and Ed. Cameron leave this week for St. Petersburg where they will be stationed in the army. They expect to be in training there six months and Mrs. Gatchel and Mrs. Cameron will be there during that time.

SEMINOLE COUNTY WANTS 2000 MEMBERS

Despite the inclement weather the campaign for ten million members of the American Red Cross started yesterday all over the United States. The day was full of rain here and but few people were out but many of the committees worked just the same. The booths that are to be placed at the principal corners of the city were not put up on account of the rain but will be placed as soon as it clears up as the young ladies will have charge of the booths and will sell membership during the day. The campaign opened all over Seminole county and word comes from Oviedo and other districts that they are working hard for a big enrollment and that if Sanford will do her share Seminole county will surely have at least 2000 members by the end of the week.

It was also planned to have a big open air mass meeting tonight but the weather man is against this idea and the meeting will be postponed until next Thursday night. It will be held on the south porch of the Carnes Hotel if the night is warm and clear and if not it will be held in the court house. Prominent Sanford men will address the meeting and reports of the captains will be heard and the meeting will stimulate greater efforts on the part of the workers.

This campaign is for memberships but any one wanting to contribute to the Red Cross work can do so and every cent will be greatly appreciated as there is much work to do and very little money in the treasury to obtain all the necessities for the boys in the camps and in the trenches.

It is almost certain that a great battle will soon be fought in Europe and the American troops will be in the thick of it and the work of the Red Cross will then be called upon in earnest. Give all you can and give it freely for this great cause.

If you have not been called upon at home you can leave your membership at one of the booths.

WHITE GIFT CHRISTMAS

The Children of the Presbyterian Church Will Remember the Orphans

Following the usual custom the Presbyterian Sunday school will hold their annual White Gift Christmas exercises at the church next Thursday night beginning at seven o'clock.

Instead of the usual Christmas tree and candy boxes for the children of the Sunday school that for many years was the custom the children of the Presbyterian Sunday school give to the Thornwell Orphanage and on the rule that it is more blessed to give than to receive they bring their gifts and send them to the little orphan children who are made glad each year thereby.

The exercises are very interesting and the White Christmas is appropriate in every way. Every one is cordially invited to attend the exercises Thursday night at seven o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

Drafty Board Busy

These are busy days in the office of the local exemption board handling the draft. The questionnaires are being mailed out to registrants at the rate of 5 per cent per day and up to last night 252 had been mailed out in this county.

The questionnaire is a list of several pages which every person who has registered is required to answer upon oath. For the benefit of those who may not understand the filling out of these answers an advisory board has been appointed consisting of Attorneys DeCotté, Dickinson and Housholder, who are lending such assistance as is necessary.

The mailing of these questionnaires will continue for over two weeks longer and they must be returned to the board properly filled out within seven days after receipt.

Mrs. M. M. Stewart was called to the bedside of her father Satgday, J. Quifman, Georgia.



# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Opening of Our Christmas Banking and Liberty Bond Club on December 18th, 1917.

*At Maturity You Receive Cash or Liberty Bonds*

**CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB**

**YOU CAN JOIN WITH**

**COME IN**

It Costs Nothing to Join---

our Christmas Banking Club and it is an easy way to secure a Liberty Bond or have money next Christmas. The plan is simple! You start with 10c, 5c, 2c or 1c and increase with the same amount each week.

Or you can deposit 50c, \$1, \$5 or more each week and deposit this same amount each week.

**How to Join**

Look at the different Clubs in table below and select the one you wish to join, the 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c, 50c, \$1, \$5 then come to our Bank with the first payment. We will make you a member of the Club and give you a Christmas-Banking Club Book showing the Club you have joined.

**COME IN AND JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB**

**\$127.50**

**MAKES IN 50 WEEKS**

Read How

## WHAT THE DIFFERENT CLUBS WILL PAY YOU

1c Club	2c Club	5c Club	10c Club	50c Club	\$1.00 Club	\$5.00 Club
<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>PAYMENTS</b>
1st Week 1c	1st Week 2c	1st Week 5c	1st Week 10c	1st Week 50c	1st Week \$1.00	1st Week \$5.00
2nd Week 2c	2nd Week 4c	2nd Week 10c	2nd Week 20c	2nd Week 50c	2nd Week \$1.00	2nd Week \$5.00
3rd Week 3c	3rd Week 6c	3rd Week 15c	3rd Week 30c	3rd Week 50c	3rd Week \$1.00	3rd Week \$5.00
Increase every week by 1c. Total in 50 weeks	Increase every week by 2c. Total in 50 weeks	Increase every week by 5c. Total in 50 weeks	Increase every week by 10c. Total in 50 weeks	Deposit 50c every week. Total in 50 weeks	Deposit \$1.00 every week. Total in 50 weeks	Deposit \$5.00 every week. Total in 50 weeks
<b>\$12.75</b>	<b>\$25.50</b>	<b>\$63.75</b>	<b>\$127.50</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>
					In Cash or Liberty Bonds	In Cash or Liberty Bonds

You Can Begin With the Largest Payment First and Decrease Your Payments Each Week

### THE REASONS FOR THE CLUB

To provide a way for those of moderate and even small means to bank their money.

To teach "the Banking habit" to those who have never learned it.

It makes your pennies, nickels and dimes, often foolishly spent grow into dollars; dollars grow into a fortune. Start your fortune today.

To give you a Bank connection and show you how our Bank can be of service to you.

### FOR OLD AND YOUNG

The sensible thing for all parents to do is to join our Christmas Banking Club and also put every member of their family into it. This will teach them the value of money and how to bank and HAVE MONEY. Maybe this little start you give them now may some day set them up in business or buy them a home.

How often have you wished that your parents had taught you early the value of banking your money. You would be well-off today. Don't make the same mistake with YOUR children.

It is the Patriotic Duty of Every Citizen to Buy Liberty Bonds and Help Win the War for Democracy.

If you have no Ready Cash there is no way in which you can Buy a Bond Easier than by Joining Either the \$1.00 or the \$5.00 Club.

## COME IN — JOIN TO-DAY

We Pay Four Per Cent Interest in Our Christmas Banking Club

# The Peoples Bank of Sanford Sanford, Florida

H. R. STEVENS, President    C. M. HAND, Vice-President    F. L. WOODRUFF, Vice-President  
O. L. TAYLOR, Cashier    R. R. DEAS, Assistant Cashier





CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

BUDGET OF OPINION "JUST BETWEEN YOU AND ME."

EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

A CHIEF IS AMONG YE TAKING NOTES AND FAITH, 'HE'LL PRENT 'EM'—SO SAYS SAUNTERER.

The Flag of The U. S. A. Against the sky it is fluttering high...

It flutters free on the land and sea, With its Red and its White and Blue...

It waves and runs with the frowning guns, No matter in war or peace; 'Midst the cannon's cry it will bravely fly...

Men follow it day by day, And die to defend to the final end— The Flag of the U. S. A.

different from any we have had in the past half century. We are giving it a new meaning...

whom us there is still the "Merry Christmas" pealing out and the "Peace on Earth, Good will Toward Men" and we must never forget it

The government through the fuel directors are calling for the curtailing of the electric signs and white ways and all extra light.

"Jerusalem taken by the British" was the cryptic message flashed around the world in Monday's press dispatches.

In the year 636 Jerusalem was taken by the Arabs, Caliph Omar the Great, with the consent of the Byzantine Emperor, Constantine...

AMERICA DEFIED BY VENEZUELA

At Instigation of Germans Newspapers Are Suppressed and Editors Jailed.

MUST ATTACK THE ALLIES

Only Consideration Under Which Newspapers May Continue—Propaganda Favoring Central Powers Spread Over Country.

Barranquilla, Colombia.—The government of Venezuela, at the instigation of German commercial interests, is openly campaigning for the central powers...

When the British minister at Caracas protested against the suppression of El Fonografo, on the ground that El Eco Aleman (the German Echo) of that city, was allowed free rein to carry on an extensive propaganda against the allies...

El Luchador Suppressed.

Later El Luchador (the Wrestler) of Ciudad Bolivar, a newspaper of ten years' existence, the only influential newspaper in all eastern Venezuela, was suppressed because it reproduced an article of an American in Venezuela upon the policy of the United States in Latin American countries...

This has left El Fonografo of Maracaibo the only pro-ally paper in Venezuela, and this solely because the central government cannot enforce its authority in the extreme western state of Zulia...

the paper there of the same name and under the same management.

German Propaganda Goes On.

While newspapers which sympathize with the allies are thus ruthlessly being suppressed by the Venezuelan government, openly when possible, and by underhand means when openness fails, German propagandist publications are allowed and added to carry on, upon a large scale, a campaign of abuse and vilification of the entente allies.

This insidious propaganda in a nominally neutral country is thus openly carried on by the Germans, abetted by the Venezuelan government.

French Read in South America. Throughout South America French is almost universally read; editions of the classics are in most homes...

Might Be Worse. "Nothin'," said Uncle Eben, "is as bad as it might be, specially a cold storage nig."

Depends on Circumstances. "One should always serve from the left side. 'That's right, I believe.' All depends. In serving suppers you sneak up from the rear."

The Better Fighter. "Do man who admits dat he kin be scared," said Uncle Eben, "generally puts up a better fight dan de mat 'o'c's allus bluffin' 'bout what a hero he is."

TAMPA HOTELS THAT WANT YOUR PATRONAGE

THE DESOTO HOTEL TAMPA, FLORIDA. One Hundred and Fifty Rooms. European Plan. Located in Tampa's Business Section, Convenient to All Car Lines.

MAJESTIC HOTEL—Tampa, Florida. European Plan Rates \$2.00 Per Day and Up. Located in Tampa's New Quarter.

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Bakery and Meat Market

High-Grade Bakery Goods Full Line of Florida and Western Meats. G. W. SPENCER Free Delivery Phone 106

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Table with columns for train numbers (No. 82, No. 86, No. 80) and destinations (Lv Jacksonville, Ar Savannah, etc.)

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At the Front POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE 360 ARTICLES 360 ILLUSTRATIONS BETTER THAN EVER 15c a copy Yearly Subscription \$1.50

THE ALLIES' PRAYER

God of the sullen seas where lurks the U-boat dread, God of the darkened sky whence Zeppelins destruction spread...

COMMANDER M'UMUN



Commander of the fleet of fast boats that kept the ore moving on the Great Lakes.

Small Fortune in Dye.

Lincoln, N. H.—A barrel of German red dye, hidden away in a stockroom of a paper company since it was purchased three years ago for \$80...



# Farmers and Fruit Growers

## Items of Interest for the Man Behind the Plow

### Farm Poultry Self Feeders

Chickens on the farm will pick up a good part of their living from waste that otherwise would not be of value. They will feed themselves, to some extent from grass, weeds, insects and crums and small scraps that if not eaten by chickens would not become of food value to man. They will eat the eggs and larvae from which come various destructive insects. These are some of the reasons why the University of Florida extension division recommends poultry for every Florida farm.

Most of the attention required by farm flocks can be given by the women of the household. If the farmer increases his flock to a size suitable to fit in as a by-product of his general farming he will find that it will not require extra help.

Because of these facts the farmer will produce food at the very lowest cost. Home consumption of this will cut down his living expense and enable him to sell more of the animal meat he produces. He will be making more money himself, and will be helping Uncle Sam win the biggest war the world has ever known.

### Nation Needs More Hogs

A nationwide campaign for a 15 per cent increase in hog production next year is being made by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. No definite part in this campaign has been assigned to Florida, but the University of Florida extension division believes the production in the state can be increased materially.

With a shortage of brood sows throughout the country, it may be necessary to use gilts from the feed lots to obtain the desired increase. Gilts will not produce as large litters as may be expected from mature sows, but their use in the emergency is advisable.

If the hog population of the nation's farms is not increased next year a more accurate shortage of pork products than now prevails will result, extremely high prices for hams, beef and lard will prevail, consumers will suffer from the high prices and the shortage of necessary animal fats and only a few will benefit.

On the other hand, if the number of hogs is increased, a market will have been provided for the remainder of this year's corn crop, the demands on the country for pork products will be met without strain, production of hams should be increased, and the assistance pledged by the National Food Administration, and prices paid by consumers should be reasonable.

### Prepare for Early Hatch

Early hatching of poultry is necessary to insure an increase in production of eggs and birds. It is also necessary to have the winter that farm flocks are to be raised and hatched in the hands for stock in the spring. The stock of the winter should be replaced by a wide spread of the market of young hens and pullets. With this shortage in view, to kill a good hen now is to reduce the potential egg production next year from five to twelve dozen eggs, which is not to be desired, says the University of Florida extension division.

Early hatching will increase the number and size of flocks and the number of eggs produced next year. It will result in bigger birds, and birds that will lay in the winter months. The farmer is urged to start his hatching season earlier than usual this season, either by incubation or natural methods if the hens will not earlier.

Early hatched chickens are the ones that will be largest in the summer, that mature first in the fall, and that lay eggs in the winter. Also, they are the ones that will sit earlier in the following spring and hatch early chickens. By hatching late, the cycle of late maturing, late laying flocks is established.

About seven months are required for a chicken to grow to maturity. During that period of growth its feet go to the making of bone, flesh and feathers. When it becomes mature its feet go to the making of eggs and the hens begins to lay. If the bird matures and begins laying in the fall she will continue laying all winter if properly cared for. Birds that are still growing when cold weather comes, and do not mature until in the winter season will very rarely begin laying before late the next spring.

Chickens are hurt most by lice in the midsummer months. The late hatched chicken has not had time to become large or strong enough to resist such attacks, but the early

hatched chicken has, by midsummer, grown sufficiently strong to resist the attacks of lice. Because its early development has preceded the hot weather, the early hatched bird is more apt to live through the summer.

So the farmer who hatches his chickens early does these things. Gets more chickens, gets more meat and gets more eggs.

### Put the Plow to Work

Getting rid of grass, weeds and undergrowth about the farm during the winter is one of the best protective measures the farmer can use against crop damaging insects the following year, says the University of Florida extension division. Weeds, matted grass, dead vegetation, and the like in fields, along fences, roadsides, and on the banks of small streams are the natural hibernating and often breeding places of many destructive insects.

Where this old vegetation can be plowed under now it will have ample time to rot before spring planting time, and much humus may be added to the soil. Where plowing cannot be practiced the dead vegetation should be burned.

Winter plowing will expose white grubs, and the eggs of grasshoppers to the moisture and cold of winter and will also turn up those insects which hibernate in the first few inches of soil. Burning the vegetation will destroy many insects, though in the case of grasshoppers it probably would not be as effective as plowing.

In making the late fall or winter plowing, the ground should be broken to the proper depth. This proper depth will usually be just a little deeper than the ground was plowed the previous year, tending to increase the depth of the soil in which the plant grows. In our thin, sandy soil it would be ruinous to begin by deep plowing, but the thinnest soil in the state can be built up by a proper crop rotation which will include the growing of legumes, such as velvet beans or cowpeas. They will add considerable nitrogen and humus to the soil when properly handled. In a few years a reasonably profitable depth of soil will be had to work on.

A deep soil is conducive to maximum crop production. It will hold more moisture and when this is exhausted will draw the moisture from the subsoil. Since moisture is the main agent by which the roots of plants get their food, it is necessary that the soil be deep to get the best results. By plowing a deep soil, it will be pulverized and aerated, which is also necessary for a good root growth.

The plow, properly used, is the biggest gun the farmer has to fire in his campaign against the hater.

### Use Ashes as Fertilizer

The farmer who burns wood for heating and cooking should carefully store the ashes and not permit them to leach, as they have a peculiar fertilizing value, says the University of Florida extension division. They not only contain potash and phosphoric acid in appreciable amounts, but also contain magnesia and lime, and when applied to the land they also act indirectly to increase the available nitrogen content of organic matter in the soil.

Ordinary house ashes contain on the average about eight or nine percent of potash and two percent of phosphoric acid, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Investigators have considered that there is enough potash and phosphoric acid in a bushel of ashes to make it worth more than 25 cents. Besides that some 10 or 15 cents additional might be allowed for the "alkali power" of the ashes. This power is that which enables ashes to rot weeds and to ferment peat. The potash content of ashes will be lost if they are permitted to leach, and care should be taken to store them in a dry place.

Wood ashes may be profitably applied as a top dressing to grass lands and to pastures where they will encourage the growth of the better kinds of grasses, which will then crowd out inferior kinds and weeds. Wood ashes may also be used for corn and roots. Because of their lime content they are not so good for potatoes, although sometimes used for this crop.

Ashes from hard woods (deciduous trees are richer in both phosphorus and potash than those from pines and other soft wood (conifers). The ashes of twigs are worth more for agricultural purposes than the ashes of heartwood taken from an old tree.

In general, the smaller and younger the wood burned the better the ashes. The ashes of coal do not contain enough potash to make them valuable in this connection.

The hulls of cotton seed yield ashes which contain from 18 to 30 per cent of phosphoric acid. At the present time, however, the hulls are used for feed to such an extent that their ashes might not be an economical fertilizer.

### Plan a Crop Rotation

A systematic rotation of field crops should commend itself to the Florida farmer. It makes for soil improvement, with better crop yields as a result, and for partial elimination of certain crop pests. However, the most profitable crop rotation does not consist merely in changing the crops around from year to year, regardless of the relation of the crops to each other, says the University of Florida extension division. The central aim in all crop rotation systems should be to leave each field in a better state of cultivation, better physical condition, and reasonably free from pests at the end of each rotation cycle.

No hard and fast rotation system can be laid down for any community, but the most profitable system must be worked out for each farm, and for each field. The county agent can be of much service in the planning. There are certain general principles, however, that should be borne in mind in this connection in order to accomplish the most satisfactory results.

For soil improvement there should be at least one leguminous crop in each rotation cycle. To this class of plants belong the cowpea and the velvet bean. There should also be a sufficient number of animals, especially milk cows, on each farm to utilize the roughage and to supply the desired quantity of stable manure, which in addition to green crops plowed under will furnish humus to the soil. The conditions resulting from this treatment, if the soil is properly handled, will make the succeeding crops more vigorous and capable of offsetting, in some measure, the effects of any pests that may appear.

Again, the successive crops in any rotation should be so selected and no two upon which the same pest may thrive will be grown in succession. The principles of disease control by means of crop rotation are based upon the fact that certain pests can thrive only on certain kinds of plants. Therefore, when the crops are changed and the food supply thereby cut off, the pests must perish or be greatly reduced in number.

An early planning of spring plantings should be made in keeping with the "more food" campaign.

## TEMPERANCE NOTES

(By the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

### BEER MUST GO.

In not one of the 29 dry states, nor in the District of Columbia, Alaska or Porto Rico, does the prohibition law exempt beer. Beer is not exempt in the army and navy prohibition regulations, nor in any territory under federal prohibition. In Oregon, Washington, Colorado and Arizona the brewers, with millions of dollars behind them, tried to force a beer amendment upon the people, and in every case were overwhelmingly defeated. These facts and the growing anti-beer sentiment throughout the country should convince the brewers and their backers that any attempt to put a beer and light wine exception clause in the resolution now before congress for a prohibition amendment to the federal constitution is doomed to failure. They would better save their money for the transforming of their breweries into food-producing factories.

### WE NEED THE MONEY.

The city of Boston, Mass., received \$1,054,207 in license fees during 1916. Its expenditures because of pauperism, crime and insanity attributable to the liquor traffic were \$1,298,959. And yet "conscienceless objectors" to prohibition say: "We cannot have prohibition; we need the revenue it would destroy." The truth is: We must have prohibition; we need the money it would save.

### HE IS NOW A DRY.

A merchant in Danville, Ill., fearing that if the town voted dry his business would be injured, gave \$500 to the wet campaign fund. The dregs won, and in his anxiety to stimulate trade, he agreed to pay his clerks 5 per cent on any increase of business over the previous year. At the end of three months he paid them \$80 each, and says it is probable he will divide \$3,000 with them by the close of the year.

### WOULD REFORM THE LIQUOR

Thirty-four brewing corporations of Pennsylvania were fined \$52,000 by the United States district court at Pittsburgh. The United States Brewers' association has been fined \$10,000 for political corruption.

The world is entering the sober way of life. And the moderate drinker must face about and march with it, or be left behind, among the defectives, the ineffectives, exiles from their generation.—Vance Thompson in Drink and Be Sober.

### Things Not to Be Hidden.


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Usefulness Better Than Display. "Speakin' of de uplift," said Uncle Eben, "an elevator dat keeps runnin' reg'lar 'thout makin' no fuss does a heap more service 'n a skyrocket."

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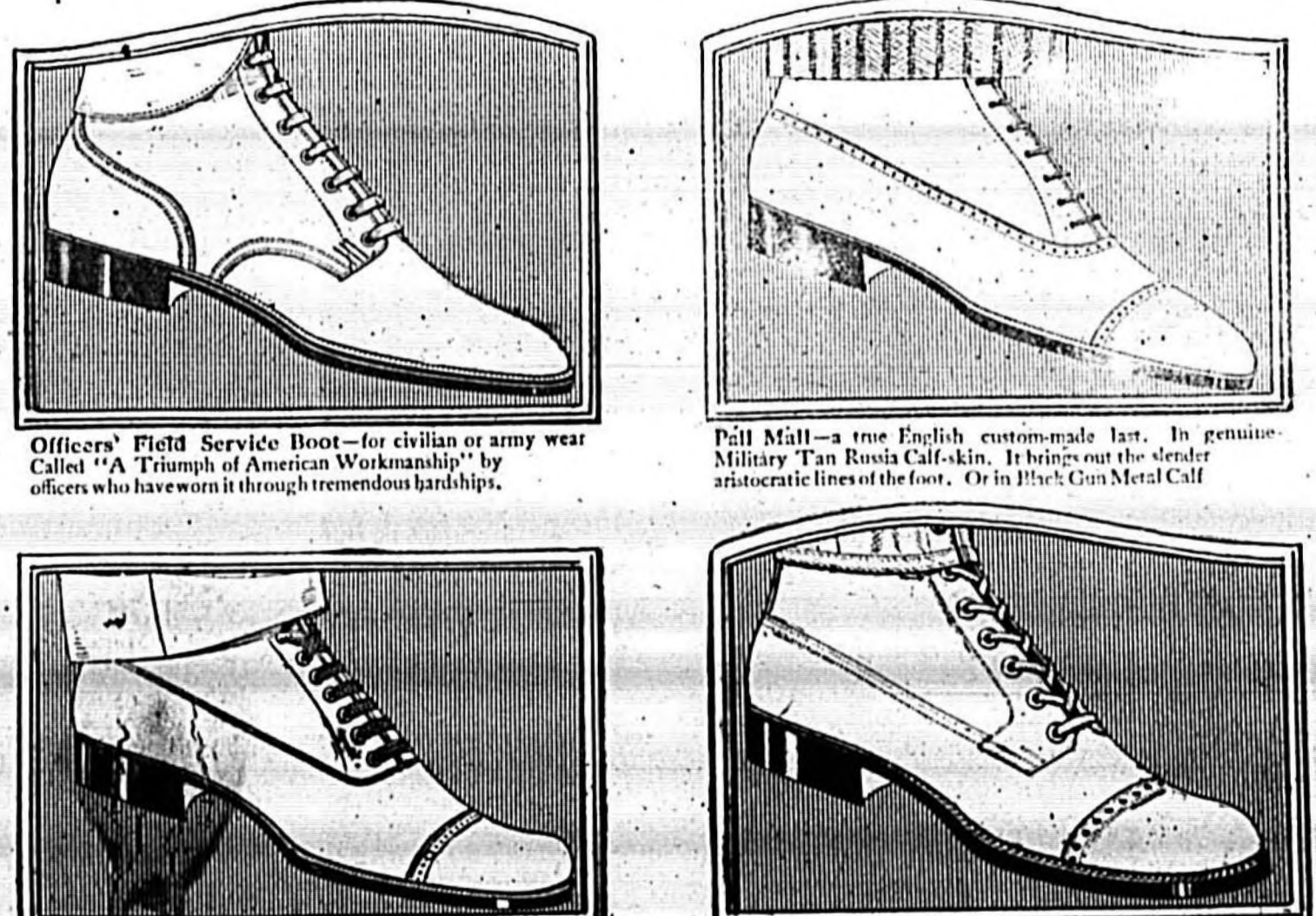
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worst happens, on land—they will keep up the fight until the basis of enduring peace appears.—The Saturday Evening Post.

SUBSTITUTE FOR COFFEE
The Quincy Times tells the people how they can get a substitute for coffee in the following:
The necessities of war bring us valuable discoveries we would not otherwise have made. The Times recently called attention to the fact that a farmer up in Alabama, prompted by the high price of coffee to seek a substitute, had experimented with the velvet bean and found that it made a beverage almost, if not quite as good as coffee and very similar in taste.

"A hotel in Quitman recently served a number of traveling salesmen a coffee made from velvet beans. The guests, unconscious of the substitution, had complimented the proprietor of his splendid 'Java.' One of the guests, claiming to be a connoisseur had taken a third cup. This takes us one step nearer the goal where Florida will feed herself."

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
"Let there be no misunderstanding. Our present and immediate task is to win the war, and nothing shall turn us aside from it until it is accomplished. Every power and resource we possess, whether of men, of money, or of material, is being devoted and will continue to be devoted to that purpose until it is achieved."

"We shall regard the war as won only when the German people say to us, through properly accredited representatives, that they are ready to agree to a settlement based upon justice and the reparation of the wrongs their rulers have done."

"When this intolerable thing, this German power is indeed defeated and the time comes that we can discuss peace when the German people have spokesmen whose words we can believe and when those spokesmen are ready in the name of their people to accept the common judgment of the nations as to what shall henceforth be the basis of law and of covenant for the life of the world we shall be willing and glad to pay the full price for peace and pay it ungrudgingly. We know what that price will be. It will be full, impartial justice—justice done at every point and to every nation that the final settlement must affect, our enemies as well as our friends."

THE DRAFT QUESTIONNAIRE
It is now up to 9,000,000 young men of military age to answer the questions the United States government puts them about their suitability for military service.

To some men the form will seem needlessly complicated. But there is no other way to get a thorough survey of conditions in each instance. The first set of exemption cases had to be handled in a very hasty way. The country demanded the immediate assemblage of a great army. There was little time for deliberation or investigation. No doubt some who should have been managed to get exemptions. And some who should have remained at home were forced to go.

Now there will be somewhat more time for discrimination. Every man should take pains to answer his questions intelligently. If he doesn't understand them, or can't make out a legible paper he should secure help.

Some will seek to dodge service for insufficient grounds. It will be a risky thing to try to deceive. The exemption boards should be slow to take the unsupported word of unknown men. Unless a man has a positive reputation for truth telling, independent investigation of his statements will be desirable.

This is not a time when government officials can be trifled with. The man who answers the questions squarely and sincerely will avoid trouble. He will have the satisfaction whatever happens that he did his duty.

A MARKETING REPORT
There are only a few cities in the United States that can boast of a marketing bureau established and maintained by the government to give the farmers a daily market report and otherwise keep them wise to everything pertaining to shipments of fruits and vegetables and car movements. Only the sections that have large shipments of fruits and vegetables can ever hope to have one of these marketing bureaus and the importance of the Sanford section as the largest shipping point of winter vegetables is now officially recognized by the government. As soon as the Board of Trade can make satisfactory arrangements for the headquarters of the director and that will be this week the headquarters will be established here and then the farmers will have daily gov-

ernment reports sent to them each day on the crops and all that pertains to them. This is not a private enterprise but the good old U. S. A. looking after the interests of the farmers. This was established here through the efforts of the Sanford Board of Trade and will mean a first class service all winter for every section of the county and this is only one of the many good things put over by the Board of Trade.

It is high time the people generally recognized the efforts of the Board of Trade in getting all the good things for this section and their good work along every line of endeavor should receive the just praise for work well done. Not a man in Seminole county can afford to stand outside the Board of Trade and watch the other fellows do it. You should have a membership and keep it alive for the Board of Trade is working for you day and night and working for every one in the county. Just paste this item about the marketing bureau in your hat for future reference.

CO-OPERATE WITH THE MERCHANT

The Christmas holidays are rapidly approaching and again we hear the annual exhortation, "Shop early!"

It is good advice. It is advice which every one should follow, because it is based on convenience and common sense. It affords time for more careful selection of gifts and distributes over a longer period the burden which otherwise would fall heavily upon employees in the last hours before Christmas Eve.

But the annual appeal should be supplemented this year by a special request that shoppers, so far as possible should lighten the general burden by carrying their smaller purchases home with them.

To this may be added the suggestion that where, again, the purchase is of small value, or would probably be the only item on an account for the month, the purchaser should pay cash.

In a certain sense these are small matters, but in the aggregate they bulk large. When you consider the cost of delivery and the cost of book-keeping, including perhaps the mailing of a bill at the end of a month, it may well be doubted if the average merchant does not break even on a fifty cent sale, when the article is charged and delivered.

The government has already recognized this general principle in its proposed regulation of the price of groceries. The retailer must charge one price to all, but he is distinctly allowed to make an extra charge where goods are sold on credit and delivered.

The dry goods merchants and general dealers have to meet competition without any special intervention on the part of the government, and there can be no doubt that they should be grateful if their customers would show the thoughtfulness we have suggested.

For it is, broadly speaking, simply habit and thoughtlessness which is responsible for the abuse of the credit and delivery system. There could be no hard and fast rule, to be sure, for there may be many occasions when it would not be convenient for the purchaser to pay cash or to carry home a purchase. But so far as is practicable this should be done. The demand for capable help is such that it is not always easy for the merchant to hire the help he needs, and a little cooperation on the part of the public in small matters will facilitate the handling of the larger transactions. And behind it all, of course, stands the duty to shop early.—Macon News.

OFFENSIVE OF GERMANS NOT SERIOUS

ADVERTISED BIG DRIVE FOR PEACE PURPOSES ONLY

Washington, Dec. 16.—"No element in the military situation should lead us to conclude that the initiative in the west has passed from the allies to the enemy," says Secretary Baker in his weekly review of the military operations, made public tonight and devoted largely to the German advertising of an impending great offensive.

"During the period of the review the general military situation in the west has remained unchanged," continues the statement, which deals with the week ending yesterday. "Rumors of great preparations on the part of the Germans with a view to achieving some major strategic success in the west, continue to reach us."

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"Reports of massed hostile concentrations in those sectors where the enemy proposes to break through the French front and roll back the allied line on a broad scale are numerous."

"The German higher command seeks peace through victory. The enemy is apparently very eager to have us believe that he is about to win such a victory."

"For the past two years the Germans have been on the defensive in the west. The bold advertising of an imposing offensive on the part of the enemy, which while in the realm of possibility and therefore should not be neglected and overlooked must in no way be interpreted to mean that the increased strength of the hostile forces will result in any permanent strategic advantage to the Germans."

"Surveying the outlines of the general war on all fronts, we find that both belligerents have been on the offensive during the past six months."

"The central powers have taken the initiative in the eastern and Italian theaters; the allies along the major front in the west, in Palestine, Mesopotamia and East Africa."

"The enemy has confined his efforts to advancing his lines along the Russian front, resulting in the capture of Riga, and then by a well conducted offensive in Italy, with the assistance of an intensive political drive, gained a marked strategic success in this sector."

"The allies in the principal theater of operations, the west, have been able to record an almost uninterrupted series of tactical advantages."

"Though the capture of the Holy City cannot be held a principal military objective of the campaign so vigorously pursued by General Allenby in this theater, the conquest of Jerusalem will have a wide influence throughout the Turkish empire, and will go far toward reaffirming the prestige of the allied power throughout the Orient."

"Germany realizes the danger attendant upon the waning of her influence in the east and will therefore be more anxious than ever to conclude a speedy peace before the war map becomes less favorable."

"Reports of observers recently out of Germany who were present during previous air raids in Germany by the allies state that these raids have had a very depressing effect on the civilized population and have heightened the growing discontent among the German people who now for the first time are being brought face to face with real war conditions."
"The armistice concluded by the Russians with the enemy now includes the entire eastern front from the Baltic to the Black Sea. Negotiations are not proceeding smoothly. The German demands, as reported to us, specify, among other points the immediate opening up of channels of commercial intercourse between Russia and Germany."

Methodist Notes
For the Christmas exercises at the Methodist church an innovation is being introduced; instead of the children alone rendering a program for the education of the adults, the mothers and older sisters of the children are preparing a Pageant which illustrates in a beautiful manner the story of the White Gift to the King. The purpose of this simple pageant is to provide a fitting service for our school whose desire is to have a "giving" Christmas.

More and more we are coming to feel that our Lord's birthday should bring each year inspiration to self-surrender and service.

The old idea of a Sunday school Christmas service as a place where the pupils are paid in gifts for attendance during the year is now happily passing, and the workers of our day are realizing the opportunity afforded by the "giving" Christmas to impress by a plain object lesson the years' teaching concerning unselfishness.

Three words are our key words in this White Gift Service: "Gifts of Self, Service and Substance."

This part of the program, the Pageant, is under the direction of Mrs. D. A. Kelly, and the cast of characters is as follows:

- Spirit of Christmas—Mrs. Dwight Babbitt
Piggin—Miss Blanche Pattishall
Wisdom—Mrs. L. R. Phillips
Conscience—Mrs. Claude Cobb
Pleasure—Mrs. W. W. Abernathy
Vanity—Mrs. L. P. Chappell
Idleness—Mrs. Jas. H. Cowan
Wealth—Mrs. T. O. Charles
Pride—Mrs. Grover Spearing
Greed—Miss Eugenia Chapman
Fame—Mrs. Jno. D. Jenkins
Ambition—Mrs. W. S. Thornton
Envy—Mrs. Telford
Love—Miss Lillie Enzer
Faith—Miss Marie Black
Hope—Mrs. L. P. Hagan
Justice—Miss Nellie Elder
Mercy—Miss Ethel Hickson
Kindness—Miss Laura Lee.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school make their White Gift Christmas offering to the Enterprise Orphanage. If there are those in town not affiliated with a church here who care to contribute to this worthy institution their gifts will be gladly received at the church Friday night, Dec. 28th.

Seminole's Roll of Honor

Navy
Karl Schultz, Sherman Routh, Collier Brown, Oliver Murrell, Ned Chittenden, Roy Chittenden, Ralph Roumillat, Allan Jones, Morris Spencer, Hugh White, Oscar Rouse, C. J. Lawton, James Purvis, William Hartley, Wallace Lippford, W. C. Temple, Forrest Gatchel, Ed Cameron, Lyman Baker, E. S. Ward, Robert Deane, Tenny Deane, F. F. Roper.

Army
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Joe Guerry,
William Shepard
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Victor M. Greene
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Second Lieut. Ralph Wight. Clarence Mahoney, Homer Wynne, Walter Mason, John Pezold, Paul Pezold, Edmond Stowe, Horace Chorpeneing, Frank Lassing, Arthur Lassing.

When Credit is Due.
"A good-natured man," said Uncle Eben, "ain't entitled to much credit if he's good natured only 'cause he kin take life easy an' not care what happens."

Tablecloth Tempted Deer.
A tablecloth ornamented with a design of green leaves until recently graced the board of a farmhouse in Dark Moon road, back of Allamuchy, N. J., and was the particular pride of the farmer's wife, Mrs. William Crown. One morning lately Mrs. Crown hung it on a clothesline, and in half an hour was surprised and pained, according to the New York Herald, to see three deer eating it greedily.

Quite Observing.
"You see, m'dear," argued Blinks, who arrived home in an explanatory mood, "it was like this. I got thinkin' so hard of the beautiful statue of Liberty all lit up and it made me so fat-tie that I just hatago and get 'it up m'self."—Puck.

Motorcycle From Bicycle.
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IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

Little Happenings—Mention of Matters in Brief—Personal Items of Interest

Summary of the Floating Small Talks Succinctly Arranged for Hurried Herald Readers

Mrs. E. R. Trafford arrived from Port Jefferson, N. Y., Saturday, making the trip by Clyde Lins from New York and will spend the winter with her friend, Miss Fannie Taber near Paola.

Chicken parlor supper will be served by ladies of the Presbyterian church Saturday, Dec. 22nd, at Miss Gray's Cafe. Price 50 cents. 34-21c

Expensive Hemstitching Machine just installed at the millinery shop of Mrs. H. L. Duhart. Ladies of Sanford are invited to call and see this machine in operation. Fourth and Sanford Ave. 13-1f

Mrs. C. M. Williams is home again after a pleasant visit with friends in Seville. Fine stationery packets for the Soldier Boy at Phillips' Drug Store. 32-5tc

Public Stenographer—Room 6, Garner Woodruff Bldg., Phone 271. 3-f

Just what is needed, those beautiful Holiday Novelties and unbreakable Dolls—At Mettinger's. 34-2tc

C. J. Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mahoney left this morning for Lakeland where they were called by the death of Mr. Ryan's and Mrs. Mahoney's father.

Five Duroc pigs for sale. Inquire at Hans Bros' stables. 30-1fc

Mr. T. E. James and wife and two children have taken Mrs. R. E. Tolal's home on Magnolia avenue for the winter. Mr. James is a commission man and will be with Mr. Seagan this season.

Be sure and see the Christmas goods at L. R. Phillips & Co.'s. The sensible kind, just what you want to send to the soldier boy. 32-5tc

Unbreakable Dolls and inexpensive Holiday Novelties at Mettinger's. 34-2tc

Do your shopping early. Don't fail to visit The Charles Electric Co. for your electrical gifts. 34-2tc

Miss Fern Ward, Miss Lettie Caldwell and Mr. Harry Carney motored to Leesburg yesterday.

"Huylers" Candies, fresh by express direct from New York, at Mobley's Drug Store. 29-1f

Holiday Novelties and unbreakable Dolls at Mettinger's. 34-2tc

E. P. Morse has returned from a trip to Honduras where he has large land and cattle holdings. He will spend the holidays with his family and then go to Honduras for a few months.

Soldier Boy camera outfits, shaving sets just the thing. At L. R. Phillips & Co.'s. 32-5tc

Turner McDonald is home for the holidays from a military school. Just received a beautiful line of Portables. Come in to see us. Open evenings. Charles Electric Co. Telephone 338. 34-2tc

Nunnally's and Liggett's fine candies for Christmas. In all styles, sizes and prices. The most elegant ever. At Phillips Drug Store. 32-5tc

Harry Kent has returned from Indianapolis where he has been engaged in one of the big tire manufacturing and where he learned the art of making tires, vulcanizing and repairing of all kinds. Mr. Kent will open a new vulcanizing shop in the new building now being erected next door to Mahoney-Walker shop on Oak avenue. The opening date will be announced.

Our toilet requisites are an everlasting delight. See them at Phillips Drug Store. 32-5tc

Panels from open ground, 100 dozen. Large Maidenhair fern, \$1.00. Handsome palms for Christmas, \$1.00 and up. Citrus fruit and pecan trees. Mrs. S. B. Wight. 31-1f

Willie Drumley is home from Bailey Military College in South Carolina. He came home earlier than usual on account of repairs being made in the heating arrangements of the school.

Housewives—Keep your daily expenses in a Daily Expense Record. Phone 425, 1011 Oak avenue. 32-3tc

Dr. HARPER Osteopathic Specialist Office: Magnolia Ave. Phone 195. 31-5tc

Come In and Hear the Columbia Records for December. 2391 Cheer Up, 'Liza; Melod Land. 2376 It Takes a Long Tall Brown Slim Gal. One Step More. 2380 Cinderella or The Glass Slipper, Parts 1 and 2. 2392 Motley of Christmas Carols, Parts 1 and 2. 2389 Sometimes You'll Remember: Most Wonderful of All. 2371 Children's Frolic Christmas Morning: Santa Claus Patrol. 5996 Hello, Aloha, Hello! Fox Trots: Bailing Away on the Henry Clay, Fox Trot. 5917 Hello! You've Been Looking for You. Listen to This—One Step. 2381 I Don't to be Loved a Little by a Lot of Little Boys: I'd Love to be a Monkey in a Zoo. Gibson & Wallace. 25-1f

Red Cross Business Meeting The regular business meeting of the Red Cross will be held in the Woman's Club building next Friday night beginning at 7:30. All members are requested to be present.

240 Pound Pigs With corn above 50 cts, hogs eat their heads off very quickly. The hog that takes two or three months to get on full feed never brings you a profit.

When you are ready to put away your shouts on feed, begin with the B. A. Thomas Hog Medicine. Use regularly and watch your shouts round out into fat hogs in nine months—hogs going well over 2 pounds and as high as 240 pounds. Figure the average feeding and you will see why the B. A. Thomas medicine is a good investment. Try feeding out your hogs on this plan and if you are not more than pleased we will refund the cost of the medicine.

L. Allen Seed Co. Sanford, Fla.

Scrawny Calves What makes a calf scrawny—off its feed? Germs—parasites—in the intestines. Why not free them of this trouble? If you will give this calf some B. A. Thomas Stock Remedy in its feed, within a week you will see it brighten up and in four or five weeks you won't know the calf. Costs you but a few cents and we will refund that if it doesn't do, as we say.

L. Allen Seed Co. Sanford, Fla.

OFFICE ROOMS FOR RENT Three rooms fronting on First street, most desirable office rooms in city. Several other rooms for good offices in same building. YOWELL & SPEER. 22-1fc

Paradoxical. When a chap is feeling blue and goes out to find the sky in the same condition, strange to say, it is pretty apt to cheer him up a bit.

Coal Consumption. Great Britain's per capita coal consumption is about three times as great as that of France.

IN SOCIETY'S DOMAIN HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST IN AND AROUND SANFORD

Mrs. Norma King McLaughlin, Social Editor. Anyone having guests, parties or any article for this column, it would be appreciated if they would telephone 370-J.

Mrs. R. R. Deas entertained the Auction Bridge Club yesterday afternoon at her attractive home on Park avenue. The living room was beautifully decorated with red roses and star jessamine. The prize, a case for silver fell to Mrs. G. D. Bishop, who made the highest score. A business meeting was held after the game and the club decided to give a table to be used in the Red Cross rooms by those making sergee dressings, which is greatly needed and will be very much appreciated by those who are doing this work.

Mrs. Deas' guests were Mrs. Galloway, Mrs. Hal Wight, Mrs. W. E. Watson, Mrs. Billie Hill, Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Puleston, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Connelly, Mrs. Vorce and Mrs. Reumillat.

Mrs. McLaughlin will entertain the Every Week Bridge Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas A. Neal.

The dance at the Hotel Carnes Friday evening was well attended, quite a crowd coming up from Orlando and a number from Deland. The next dance will be Friday evening at 9 o'clock with Mrs. McLaughlin as hostess.

Sanford should be very proud of her basketball team. We have not lost a game so far and do not expect to. Sanford plays the Deland High School next Friday. A dance will be given at the Hotel Carnes after the game.

The following ladies will have charge of the Red Cross booth at First National Bank Tuesday morning. Mrs. Thomas A. Neal and Mrs. Ralph Wight; Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. McLaughlin; Wednesday morning, Mrs. S. O. Chase; Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. E. P. Morse; Thursday morning, Mrs. W. L. Morgan; Thursday afternoon, Miss Ruth Mettinger; Friday morning, Mrs. D. L. Thrasher; Friday afternoon, Mrs. W. E. Watson; Saturday morning, Mrs. Neal and Miss Parramore; Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Samuel Puleston and Mrs. R. A. Newman.

Thos. H. Lion, district attorney, Bryan Gordon, a prominent attorney, Boston Steel and E. E. Hamsdell, all of Manassas, Va., left yesterday for home, after being the guests of Mr. Hayden since Friday at the Hotel Carnes. These gentlemen were so pleased with Sanford and surrounding country that they will pay us another visit in February.

Mrs. E. B. Lodge and son of Cleveland, Ohio are guests of the Hotel Carnes.

Miss Myrtle M. Rae, of Lakeland is spending a few days with Miss Adelaide Higgins.

Mrs. James Higgins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Julius Stryker in Lansdale, Pa.

A. M. Quarterman of Orlando was registered at the Hotel Carnes on Sunday.

Miss Louise Kolb of Chicago comes today to be the guest of Mrs. S. J. Carnes for a few weeks.

C. L. Blakeman and George G. McCulley of Knoxville are guests of the Hotel Carnes.

Lieut. William Robinson and Lieut. Ralph Stevens who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens returned to Petersburg, Va., Saturday night, where they are stationed.

Mrs. Ralph Wight leaves this week to join Lieut. Wight in Louisville, Kentucky.

Miss Lillian Herring will spend Christmas in Columbia, S. C., with her parents, Lieutenant and Mrs. Herring and her sister, Miss Eleanor Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Galloway are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carnes of Hattoville, Ala. to be their guests after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Minarik are being congratulated on the arrival of a little son, Dec. 12th, who will be called John Walker Minarik for his maternal grandfather.

Mr. Allen Deas of Atlanta has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Deas at their home on Park avenue.

Mrs. Dannel Saunders of Richmond, Va. left for home yesterday after a very delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ches Stroble of Portland, Ind., will remain with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bower until after the holidays.

Mrs. Hal Wight, who is taking a Civil Service course at Rollins College spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. Forrest Gatchel and Mrs. Ed Cameron will go to St. Petersburg to be with their husbands, who will be in training there for the next six months.

D. C. Marlowe, secretary of the Board of Trade returned Sunday from a trip to Washington, New York and Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. James have taken Mrs. R. E. Tolal's attractive home on Magnolia avenue for the winter. Mr. James is a commission man and is associated with Mr. Seagan this winter.

Miss Fern Ward and Miss Lettie Caldwell motored to Leesburg with Harry Carney Sunday.

Mrs. Walker of Braidentown is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Minarik.

The Elks are planning for a Charity Ball to be given at the Elks Club Dec. 27th.

The annual ball given by the Social Department of the Woman's Club will take place at the Hotel Carnes January 1st.

The Elks give a very informal but delightful dance at the club last evening. Quite a number were present.

Mrs. McLaughlin returned Friday from a visit to Mrs. W. N. Boylston in Leesburg. Mrs. Boylston gave a bridge party for Mrs. McLaughlin Thursday evening. Those invited were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Steer, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Watts, Mrs. E. H. Mote and H. C. Beaman. The prizes were won by Mrs. McLaughlin and Mr. Beaman.

E. P. Morse, who has been in Honduras for several months reached home Sunday.

Miss Helen Rowland and Miss Thelma Hammond were among those from Orlando to attend the dance at the Hotel Carnes Friday evening.

A very informal little card party was given at the Hotel Carnes Monday evening. Those playing were Mrs. Vorce, Mrs. Parramore, Mrs. Wallace, Miss Parramore, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mr. Hayden, C. L. Thrasher and Mr. Ball. The prize, a deck of cards was won by Mrs. Vorce.

Mrs. Norma King McLaughlin, society editor of the Sanford Herald is the guest this week of Mrs. W. N. Boylston at her home on Palmetto street—Leesburg Commercial.

At the Red Cross booth, Peoples Bank Miss Martha Fox will be there Tuesday, Mrs. Geo. Fox Wednesday morning, Miss Martha Fox Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Schelle Maires Thursday morning, Miss Annie Hawkins Thursday afternoon, Miss Martha Fox Friday morning, Mrs. B. F. Whitner Friday afternoon, Miss Martha Fox Saturday morning, Mrs. McLaughlin Saturday afternoon.

Deputy Tillis Injured Deputy Sheriff Roy Tillis was injured this morning by his car skidding and turning over. He was taken to Dr. Puleston's office where medical attention was given him. As we go to press the extent of his injuries have not been ascertained but he was badly hurt in his chest.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Sanford, Florida, will be held in the offices of the bank in Sanford, Florida, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. B. F. Whitner, Cashier. Tues-10-1c

Notice to Stockholders The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Peoples Bank of Sanford, Florida, will be held in directors' room of said bank on Sanford, Florida, Fla., will be held Tuesday, January 8th, 1918, at 10:00 a. m. (being the second Tuesday in the month) for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. O. L. Taylor, Cashier. 31-1tc

Basket Ball Schedule Dec. 14—Cathedral, in Sanford. Jan. 4—Stetson, in Sanford. Jan. 11—Orlando, in Orlando. Jan. 18—Ocala, in Ocala. Jan. 25—Oviedo, in Sanford. Feb. 1—Ocala, in Sanford. Feb. 8—Duval, in Sanford. Feb. 15—Stetson, in Deland. Feb. 22—Duval, in Jacksonville. March 1—Cathedral, in Orlando. 22-1f

OLDFIELD MORE THAN LUCKY Veteran Auto Pilot Has Gone Through Seventeen Years of Racing Without Serious Accident.

Barney Oldfield, the veteran pilot, admits that he has been lucky to go through 17 years of racing on all kinds of tracks without having had a fatal or even serious accident. Barney has in mind a complete mental picture of the track; he knows all its dangerous spots and just what chances he can safely take. This knowledge



Barney Oldfield. He gains by a careful study of the course previous to the race, and it is to this careful policy that he owes much of what the spectators consider his good luck.

Comfort for Louisville. Here is Louisville's comfort out of the American association race. He beat the pennant winning Indians 15 of the 22 games played, and it broke even or better with every team in the league, being the only team to make such a good showing. It got only an even break with the Toledo toll ends and thus can blame Roger Bresnahan for heating it out of the pennant.

HONORED BY BOY SCOUTS



To a little girl of twelve goes the honor of winning the medal offered by the United States boy scouts for patriotic activities. Little Miss Pauline Henkel of New York was presented with the medal before an assemblage of 5,000 boy scouts in uniform at the land battleship recruit in Union Square, New York. The little girl has sold \$25,000 in Liberty bonds through a personal canvass, has been knitting for the soldiers and sailors for the past six months, and has formed five clubs in public schools.

Shooting Pains. Small Katherine had the "jumping toothache," although her mother was unaware of the picture of the pain. In her efforts to discover this she asked: "What does it feel like, honey?" "Oh," said Katherine, with a note of pain and despair, "it feels like a dun a-shootin'!"

World Is Changing. The world is changing, and humanity has less patience with difficult people. Cranky workers are not given preference even when they are distinguished by unusual skill. Women who aspire to popularity know that they must bury all annoyance at whatever does not please them in the treatment accorded them. They cannot afford to voice any sensitive feeling or take any step toward retaliation. The lesson may be hard, but it is decidedly wholesome, and the pity of it is that so few women care to take it.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Absurd Old Laws. An article in the Revue des Traditions Populaires in 1890 told how a gladiator was excommunicated on account of the damage it did to life and property in the valley. In English law there was for many years a statute compelling owners of personal chattels which had caused the death of a man to give them to God. This was accomplished by turning them over to the crown to be sold and the proceeds applied to pious uses.

Health of First Importance. Exuberant health is better than riches and power to a man; indeed it often leads to their attainment. In fact nothing is of greater importance, and there are few things regarding which we know less practically speaking. Quackery, usage and superstition have made us suspicious of health talks and health-giving nostrums. Such vagueness surrounds the whole subject that you will hardly find two persons to agree upon the general rules governing physical health.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that D. D. Daniel, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 193, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1914, embracing the following described property situated in Seminole county, Florida, to-wit: S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec. 29, Tp. 21, So. R. 32 E., 5 acres, sold as the property of Drew & Conoley.

Also Certificate No. 436, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1915, embracing the following described property situated in Seminole county, Florida, to-wit: Beg. 850 ft. N of SE cor. of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec. 20, Tp. 21 S., R. 32 E., run west 450 ft. N 483 ft., E 450 ft., S 483 ft., 5 acres, sold as the property of E. Swartley Hrs.

Also certificate No. 380, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1915, embracing the following described property situated in Seminole county, Florida, to-wit: Lot 4, Blk. B, Alexandria or Oviedo, sold as the property of Edw. Lane, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deeds to issue in accordance with law. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law tax deeds will issue thereon on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1917.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 27th day of November, A. D. 1917. (seal) E. A. DOUGLASS, Clerk Circuit Court, Seminole County, Florida.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that M. A. Lake, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 114, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1915, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Seminole county, Florida, to-wit: Lot 6, W. F. Leavitt's Sub Division, recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 27, records of Seminole county. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of W. L. Mickens.

Also, M. A. Lake, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 994, dated the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1915, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Seminole county, Florida, to-wit: Lot 9, Block 11, Tier E, Seville. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of W. P. Watson.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law tax deeds will issue thereon on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1918. Witness my official signature and seal this the 18th day of December, A. D. 1917. (seal) E. A. DOUGLASS, Clerk Circuit Court, Seminole County, Florida. By V. M. Douglas, D. C. 34-Tues-5tc

LION SHIRTS REGAL SHOES Sanford Shoe & Clothing Co. HOME OF HART SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES



# GERMAN PRISON CAMP AS SEEN BY AN AMERICAN

## Connecticut Man Arrives Home After Escape Into Sweden on Fertilizer Boat.

### WAS HELD IN THREE PRISONS

Lost 80 Pounds in Seven Months Before Aid Came—Guards Worse Off Than Prisoners and Glad to Get Scraps from Food the Y. M. C. A. Sent.

New York.—What is a German prison camp like, from the prisoner's viewpoint?

What sort of food, treatment, comforts (if any) do the men receive who are captured by the Germans?

How do the captives stand German prison conditions?

Americans are more than ever vitally interested in these questions, since some of General Pershing's soldiers were made prisoners a few days ago in a trench raid in France.

Through the narrative of an American adventurer who less than a month ago escaped from a German prison and who had had experience with two other confinement camps, the New York World is able to give answers to the questions.

#### Captured by Moeve.

The narrator is Willet C. Smith of South Norwalk, Conn., who reached this country on November 6 from Sweden, to which land he escaped from Luebeck, Germany, by concealing himself in the hold of a vessel and existing six days without food or water.

Smith had been a prisoner, first aboard the German raider Moeve, then in camp at Duellmen, then at Brandenburg and finally at Luebeck, for seven months and one day. He fled on October 11.

Summed up, his testimony is this: There is no particular brutality, no clubbing with guns or stabbing with bayonets as long as prisoners remain orderly. But the food is insufficient—no fall away from 210 to 130 pounds—and long continued subsistence upon German prison fare alone has most grievous effects upon the health. Only the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. supplies are keeping the prisoners alive at some confinement places.

Brandenburg, where about 70,000 prisoners of allied nations were kept, was the worst camp Smith encountered. This is in Prussia, not far from Berlin. Duellmen, in Westphalia, was bad enough, although the treatment was better. At Luebeck, which is not a camp but a port where prisoners are worked on the waterfront, conditions were not bad at all.

#### Guards Worse Off.

The German soldiers guarding the prisoners were far worse off than the captives, Smith declares. Relief organizations keep the prisoners supplied with enough food and clothes to get along with, and the middle-aged

guards, half starving and in patches, beg supplies from their captive enemies.

"They're sick and disgusted with the war, these fellows at Luebeck," Smith says. "They would often say: 'Look at us, without enough to eat or wear! The Kaiser's no earthly good! He's crazy. Germany's starving and licked and yet he keeps on fighting!'"

Smith, a railroad brakeman by trade and a "boomer" by inclination, sailed from Newport News on January 28 for Liverpool as foreman of 54 American horse wranglers. When his ship, the British-owned steamer Esmeralda, was on her return voyage in March she was captured, robbed and sunk by the raider Moeve, and her crew added to the prisoners of that adventurous craft, who numbered at the end of the Moeve's raiding voyage above 600.

How the prisoners were shut below, with no chance for their lives, whenever the Moeve sighted another vessel, has been told by others, and Smith's narrative of that need not be repeated. He arrived with the rest at Kiel, Germany, on March 21, and next day, with all the Moeve's prisoners, was sent to Duellmen, Westphalia, a town about ten miles from the Holland border.

#### Captives "On Leave."

"We were sent down there in third class cars," Smith said, "with one guard to each ten men. The guards were all middle-aged Germans who had been at the front and who were home on furlough. They complained bitterly because when they got a leave it wasn't really a leave at all. They had to do guard duty or work in a factory or on a farm. This trip lasted all night, but we didn't get a scrap of food till we had breakfast at Duellmen in the morning.

"The camp consisted of a lot of low, wooden, unpainted shacks, with plain board floors. Around the walls ran bunks, one above another. Each bunk had a bag of straw for a mattress, and two medium weight blankets. There were four of these shacks in each enclosure at Duellmen. Each enclosure held about 1,000 prisoners, and had a 12-foot barbed wire fence around it, with the wire at the top bent inward so you couldn't get over. How many of these enclosures there were—each with its four shacks—I don't know, but I was told there were 50,000 prisoners.

"Then there was another barbed wire fence, higher and thicker, on the outside of a roadway which ran around the entire camp. Every 200 feet around this barrier was a sentry box and a sentry. Inside of each smaller enclosure there were two armed guards, marching back and forth.

#### Nationalities Separated.

"The nationalities were all separated. The French prisoners were kept by themselves. They seemed to get the worst treatment. The Russians were by themselves and the Americans were kept with the English. Nobody got what you'd call good treatment.

"For breakfast every morning we got a piece of bread an inch and a half thick and about four inches square and one tincup of what they called coffee—but I'd call good water spoiled. I don't know what they made it out of, but it was rotten, bitter stuff and not even very hot.

"For dinner and supper we had the same thing every day—turnip soup, with mighty few turnips in it. We

never had anything else. No meat, no potatoes, no bread, even, except at breakfast. You could take the turnip soup or starve. It was just about enough to keep you alive. Some of the fellows got so weak they'd have to be carried to the hospital. There they'd get nourishing food for a few days, but as soon as they were a little stronger they'd be chucked out of the hospital. There wasn't much of what you'd call real suffering at Duellmen—and the guards were decent enough—but it wasn't much of a life."

#### Sent to Brandenburg.

On April 3 Smith and his fellow captives of the Moeve were sent from Duellmen to the notorious camp at Brandenburg, which is on the Havel river, between Berlin and Magdeburg. Again they had an all-night trip without food and crowded into narrow wooden benches in the worst sort of cars.

"Here we had Prussians for guards, and they were wicked devils," Smith went on. "The camp was the same sort of a place as Duellmen, with barbed wire inner enclosures, and then a roadway circling the whole camp and barred on the outside with wire.

"At Duellmen they would turn us out and count us only twice a day, but at Brandenburg they gave us the 'raus' a dozen times. They'd keep us standing barefoot in the snow for hours until some major would come up and verify the final count. By this time our shoes had worn out, and most of us actually were barefoot.

"The Prussians hauled and shoved us around like cattle, although I must say I didn't see any one struck or stabbed who didn't have it coming to him.

"At Brandenburg we got the same old food—turnip soup, with never a change. They made the strongest of us work on farms outside the enclosure, clearing the ground for the spring planting; but we got no better food than the rest.

"We nearly froze to death at Brandenburg. There were small stoves in the huts, but they didn't begin to warm them. The blankets—you could see through them! We were all full of insects and had to have our clothes fumigated every two weeks, but in a couple of days we'd be as bad as ever.

#### Gets Job on Docks.

"I was about ready to take a desperate chance for escape when on May 1 they asked for 300 volunteers to go to work on the docks at Luebeck. They said they'd give us boots, better clothes and a mark a day for wages. I thought anything was better than Brandenburg, so I volunteered and was taken.

"The clothes they gave us were black uniforms with a yellow stripe down the pants and a yellow band fitted into the sleeve, with our number and the word 'Kriegsgefangener' (war prisoner) on them.

"They did give us better footgear, but you were just as likely as not to get one boot and one shoe, and different sizes. And when they half-soled a shoe they did it with the upper part of an old boot. They had scarcely any leather at all. While I was working on the farms I managed to get a pair of wooden shoes to keep my feet off the ground.

"There had been promises of Red Cross packages and Y. M. C. A. boxes at Brandenburg, but they hadn't arrived when I left.

"At Luebeck, everything was much better. They kept us in a big, ware house on the Hamburg-American quay, and made us load and unload ships. But here we had steamer bunks to sleep in and decent blankets, and it was luxury compared to the other places. We had the same old turnip coffee and turnip soup, but our guards got the same. Then in the summer we began to receive some clothing from the International Y. M. C. A. and some food boxes from the American Red Cross through Copenhagen.

#### What Y. M. C. A. Sent.

"Every week we got a box that had in it 50 biscuits, some tinned beef, veal loaf, suet pudding, condensed milk, one-quarter pound of tea, a slice of bacon, a can of fruit, 50 cigarettes and some tobacco. That saw us through. It was so good we felt sorry for the poor guards and would give them scraps. They offered as high as 50 marks for a pound of tea. And the bacon they would have given anything for."

In June, Smith made his first attempt at escape. He had been working in a shipyard distant from Luebeck and managed to elude his guard at nightfall. He struck out overland, but his prison uniform revealed him and two days later he was captured and returned. For the offense of trying to escape he was given 10 days in the "black hole," with only a piece of bread a day to eat. Also a big German guard "took a couple of cracks" at his face.

"The Spanish ambassador came to see us Americans on June 1 and promised to send us books and clothing, but I never saw any of them. They did begin to put a few potatoes into the turnip soup, and occasionally they put about five pounds of meat into the soup supply for 300 men.

#### Another Getaway Chance.

"In October I made up my mind to take another chance on a getaway. The ships were loading were plying between Luebeck and Swedish ports, and I thought I might hide on one of these. They carried mostly salt fertilizer to Sweden, though sometimes some coal and coke, and they brought back pig-iron and ore. I never saw them bring in any foodstuffs. Sometimes the German ships would go out carrying barbed wire and iron rods for the trenches on the Russian front. They went to Ilga, I believe.

"There was one goat, the Undine, which traveled between Luebeck and a Swedish port named Norrkoping regularly. I got acquainted with a Swede on board her, and he told me one other fellow had made his getaway to Norrkoping by concealing himself in the hold.

"My scheme was this: Every morning the guard would get together an early working crew of 12 men at four o'clock. He would take them on board while it was dark, to get the hatches ready for the others. One morning when I wasn't in this squad I hid myself in the hallway where they always lined up. The guard counted his 12, and then in the darkness I joined them. As we climbed aboard the Undine he didn't know he had 13, instead of 12. He was a boneheaded German, that's why.

"I hid myself in the fertilizer—a combination of salt and sulphur. What it did to me was plenty. My feet are still full of holes and the nails are off my toes."

For six days then (an unusually long journey) Smith remained in the hold. When the vessel docked at Norrkoping and the hatch was opened he dashed down the gangplank to safety. The Swedish police gave him water and food; American consulate attaches clothed him and sent him to Stockholm and then to Christiania, Norway, and there he boarded the liner Bergensjord for home.

### THE THINKER



An old Frenchwoman seated in the midst of what was once her home.

Hearing that the Germans had left her home town, driven back by the French, she returned, but to find the ancestral home a mass of ruins.

### VIOLATES ORDER, LOSES CROP

British Farmer Also Gets Prison Sentence and Fine of \$1,000 Is Inflicted.

London.—The severest penalty yet given for violation of the farm cultivation acts has just been administered to Alfred White, a farmer of Maldstone. He was ordered by the authorities to cut down his acreage of hops to one-half. He paid no attention to the order, declaring that he would make a profit of \$50,000 out of hops, and so could well afford to pay a substantial fine. The court fined him only \$1,000, but ordered the forfeiture of the entire crop of hops and added a sentence of two months in prison.

### Determining Age of Eggs.

To determine the exact age of eggs, dissolve about four ounces of common salt in a quart of pure water and then immerse the egg. If it be only a day or so old, it will sink to the bottom of the dish, but if it be three days old it will float; if more than five, it will come to the surface.

### A Lost Art.

The old-fashioned man who used to perform parlor tricks has been superseded by phonographs and player- pianos which any fool can operate.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### Does It Seem Fair?

About half of the discontent in this world arises from the circumstance that men cannot collect the living they think the world owes them without putting in about eight good hours of toil a day.—Houston Post.

### Goldsmith's World-Wideness.

One of the most memorable things to be remarked in Goldsmith is his love of world-wideness which he introduced into literature. There is a total absence in him of local prejudice, which is in strong contrast with the vigorous and almost barbaric insularity of Johnson. He had once thought of emigrating to America, and would have done so but for one of those humorous incidents so common in his haphazard life.

### Her Best Wishes.

It was the last day of school. The teacher was giving a farewell party for her class, as she was to be married in the near future. The children spent a pleasant afternoon, and before they realized it the time came to say goodbye. One by one they marched up and shook hands with their dear teacher. Doris said: "I hope you will get as good a husband as my papa is."

### Rats Carry Infantile Paralysis.

There have been many facts disclosed to prove that infantile paralysis is transferred from rats and mice to humans. The line of transfer is usually the flea, but as well the contamination may occur by the rodents being among and over the food of the household or storehouse.

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## Red Cross to Send Food and "Bull" Durham to American Prisoners of War!

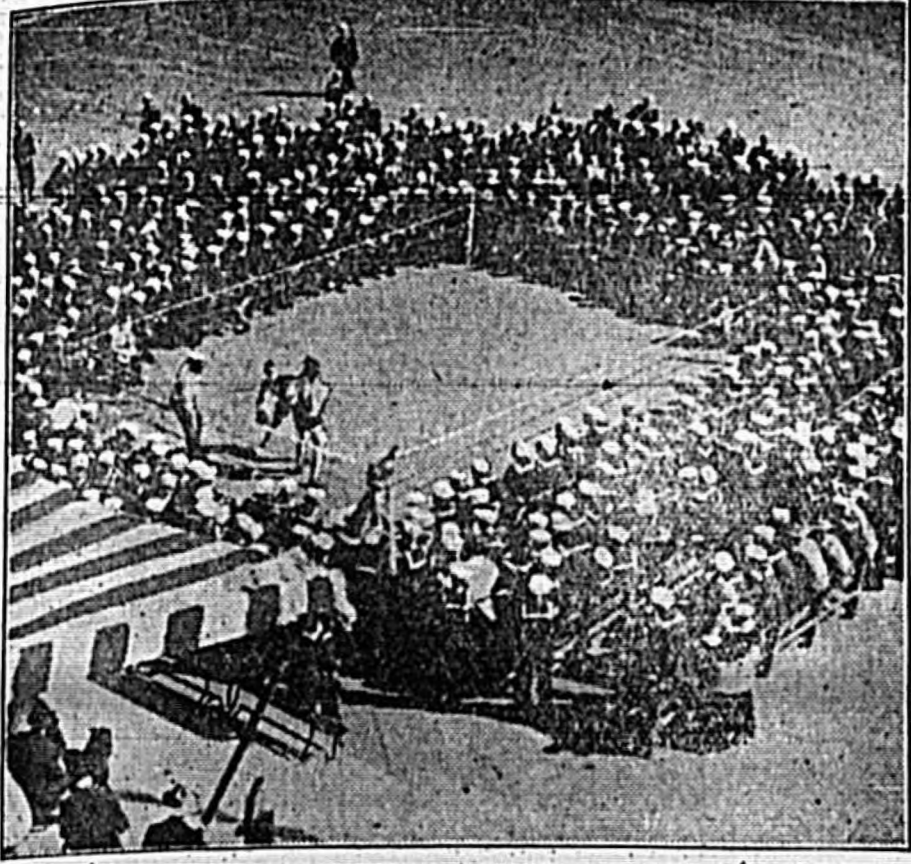
The Committee on Public Information has made the announcement that every American prisoner of war in Germany will be supplied three times each fortnight by the American Red Cross with the following "food kit," approved by the Surgeon General's Office. Note that this "food kit" includes "BULL" DURHAM Tobacco, the only article specified by brand name on the whole list.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Quantity, and Unit. Includes Rice, Sugar, Dried Beef, Pork and Beans, Peanut Butter, Crackers, Soda, Evaporated Milk, Coffee, Salt and Pepper, Milk Chocolate, Dried Raisins, Soap, Cigarette Makings, Nut Margarine, and Bull Durham with Papers.

Advertisement for Bull Durham Tobacco, featuring the text 'GENUINE BULL DURHAM TOBACCO' and 'A Suggestion To Pipe Smokers' with an illustration of a pipe and a cup of coffee.



# TARS HOLD BOUTS TO TEST BOXING SKILL



FRIENDLY BOUT AT NAVAL STATION—PASSED BY CENSOR.

Uncle Sam's tars in a naval training station making a go of it in a bout before many of the other members in the training station. Boxing is looked upon as more of a sport than a part of the training of the tar, but every future naval fighter is taught how to defend himself. Every one of the tars likes to put on the "big mitts" and take on one of his pals for a few rounds. It also supplies a lot of entertainment for the boys. The photograph shows the tars engaged in their encounter and the throng of cheering mates urging them on. Every man here is a fighter, and boxing tends to make him more fit, and even better able to take care of himself.

## CHIEF MEYERS IS REAL INDIAN

Boston Catcher Played Both Football and Baseball While at Dartmouth.—Is Able Actor.

John T. Meyers, or Tortsie, if you want the Indian of it, was born in Riverside, Cal., and is a full-blooded Mexican Indian. His grandfather was a chief and the Boston Braves' catcher therefore comes honestly by his nickname. Meyers is twenty-eight years old and has played baseball in almost every part of the country. He played semi-professional ball in California and the Southwest until he had saved enough to go to college.

At Dartmouth he played both football and baseball, and in the deepest position of the baseball field at Hanover there is a stake driven into the ground which marks the spot where a home run by Meyers came to rest. It was the longest hit ever seen by the collegians and no one has approached it since Meyers left Dartmouth.

The Indian got his first taste of league baseball in the Tri-State, St. Paul, of the American association stepped him up and there he made such a good record that McGraw paid \$2500 for his release. He at once



Chief Meyers.

showed hitting ability, hanging up the wonderful record of 20 home runs on the first training trip, but his catching was very far below big league standards. When McGraw finally let the Indian go he was picked up by the Brooklyn Dodgers and from there went to the Boston Braves. In addition to his catching ability Meyers is an able actor.

**Ring Pitches Well.**  
Jimmy Ring, in his brief stay with Buffalo, pitched the most effective ball in the International league, allowing an average of only 1.02 earned runs per nine-inning game in the 50 innings he pitched. Veau Gregg, of course, was the real league leader. His average was 1.72 runs to the game and he pitched 207 innings. He and Ring were the only pitchers to hold opponents to less than two runs to the game.

**Ball Player an Aviator.**  
First Baseman William Schwartz, who was with the Columbus South Atlantic league club the past season, has joined the aviation corps of the army and has reported for schooling.

## SEE HIGH FINANCE IN ORGANIZED BASEBALL

The White Sox and the Giants are the big profit makers, while the Red Sox, Cleveland and Detroit show a good balance on the right side of the ledger. The Yankees have been taking in under very heavy expense, but are expected to break even. The losing proposition of the year are the Washington Browns, Athletics, Brooklyn Cubs, Braves and Pirates. War, weather and baseball conditions in general are held responsible for the cutting down, and in some cases cutting out, of profits.

## MACE BEATS SLASHER SLACK

First of Englishman's Long Series of Victories Which Made Him Champion of the World.

Jem Mace defeated Slasher Slack in nine rounds at Middlesbrough, England, on October 2, 1855. This was the first of Mace's long series of victories which made him the champion of the world and the greatest boxer of his time. About four years before Mace had met J. J. Eckler Pratt in the ring, but Pratt was an experienced fighter and much heavier than Jem, and the latter got a good trouncing. Before that time Mace had traveled over England playing the violin and giving sparring exhibitions at country fairs, and his experience with Pratt did not encourage him to keep on as a pugilist. Several years passed before he again tried his luck in the arena, and his victory over Slack determined him to take up fighting as a profession. Mace had gypsy blood in his veins, although he was not a full-blooded son of Romany, as has been alleged. Small for a heavyweight, his science and skill enabled him long to maintain his supremacy among the big fellows of Europe and America.

## KLEM'S DECISION WAS WRONG

Ruling Made in Recent Boston-Pittsburgh Game Is Reversed by Secretary Heydler.

Even the best umpires pull them wrong once in a while. Here was a play that came up in a recent Pittsburgh-Boston game: One out and Boeckel on third and King on second. Schmidt hit a fly to Kelly, Boeckel left third with the catch and went over the plate. King left second before the catch and also crossed the plate when Kelly threw the ball wild. The ball was recovered and held on second. Umpire Klem properly called King out for leaving the base too soon and ruled that Boeckel's run did not count. Secretary Heydler has reversed Klem's ruling, as to Boeckel's run. Boeckel's run counts, for the ball third out was not made until the ball was held on second before King could get back, and it was not a force for the third out. Klem, best of National League umpires, was wrong.

**Another Steinfeldt.**  
"Steinfeldt Wins Game From Giants" was the head over the story of the exhibition game played in Buffalo between McGraw's champions and the Buffalo Internationals. What memories those words recall. The new Steinfeldt, whose home run in the ninth inning humbled the Giants, is a Belgian native who has made good the past season, his first in professional company.

# A Reminiscence

By EDWARD T. STEWART

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Few are living who have traveled on a Mississippi steamboat when the big stream was the only route between northwestern and southwestern cities. I, an octogenarian, made a trip from Memphis to New Orleans when I was ten years old. I can see far back in the past the steamer like a gigantic swan coming down on the bosom of the stream float rapidly past the wharfboat on which passengers intending to go South on her were gathered, make a graceful turn, and with steam shot off slowly approach against the current, while cables were thrown from her, with which to make her fast.

A number of years after this trip, when the railroad was built along Mississippi's eastern bank and most of the mammoth boats had given place to the railway train, I made another trip, this time from Baton Rouge on one of these steamers that was still running. We stopped at a landing which had been used by a huge plantation but now served principally a small town. A middle-aged man in typical Southern dress came aboard. As he was mounting the staircase leading up to the cabins a colored porter took his hand baggage from him.

"Howdy, Marse Morgan," said the darkey grinding from ear to ear.

The gentleman looked at him, surprised that he should be called by name, for he didn't remember ever having seen the negro before.

"Yo' don't remember me, da yo', Marse Morgan? But I reckon yo' remember this boat. I tuk yo' hand baggage da day yo' come aboard when we lef' dis' yer wharf on de down trip mo'n ten years ago; de time yo' run away with Colonel Jeffries' daughter."

"Why Sam, yo' black rascal! Yo' don't mean to say yo've stuck to this boat ever since?"

"I lef' her durin' the war. Couldn't run in dem days; too much flightin. When dat was over and she started up again I come back to her."

"Well, well, so this is the same boat I made my wedding trip on. I would never have known her. She was a beauty in those days; not the rusty old tub she is now."

The darkey carried the gentleman's baggage to the cabin where the dialogue was renewed.

"Sam, yo' rascal, I'd mighty glad to see you again, but I reckon yo' was a sharp hand I had for my wife. The colored man near plunging me. Four men, a Yankee bullet gettin' during the war. But we made up all right on the boat and he gave us his blessing, dear old chap. I always regretted taking off his left ear; but it couldn't be helped."

"By this time several persons had gathered round and one of them asked for an explanation of what the two were talking about. Whereupon Morgan gave the story.

"It was this way," he said. "I was a frequent visitor at the plantation of Colonel Jeffries, whose daughter Isabel was sixteen years old, I being twenty. The colonel said to me one day: 'Tommy, I'm quite fond of you, but it doesn't suit me to consider yo' for a son-in-law. Sheer off from Isabel.'"

"I hadn't thought of asking for the young lady's hand for I knew I wasn't worthy of her, but when the colonel said I couldn't have her k made me mad. The colonel had told her that she mustn't make a match with me and this stirred in her the perversity of her adorable sex. We put our heads together and resolved to take our departure on the first boat heading downstream for New Orleans."

"This boat was the first and I was watching for it. The minute I saw her ten miles up stream I notified Isabel. She secretly prepared for the bridal excursion and when the boat had taken on a hundred bales of cotton she and I dived down to the wharfboat like a pair of swallows. Some contemptible person saw Isabel leave the house and ran off to warn her father."

"I saw yo' comin'," interrupted Sam, "and the colonel comin' too. He had his gun in his hand ready."

"I saw him," continued the narrator. "We had got up the stairs to the cabin and had gone out on the guard. The colonel saw us and bellowed I could get my gun from my pocket he let drive at me from the wharfboat. I'll bet I can find the bullet hole out there now. As soon as he had fired Isabel and I stepped inside, the colonel boarded the boat and came upstairs to the cabin. I was silly enough to shoot at him and cut off his ear."

"By this time the captain of the boat who heard the firing came up and stepped between the colonel and me. Isabel, clung to me and told her father. It was useless to try to separate us."

"Well, there was an argument between father and daughter while she bound up his wound with her handkerchief. She finally brought him round, a person was found among the passengers and Isabel and I were married. The colonel persuaded us to go ashore and get something of a wedding outfit and take another boat for our honeymoon trip."

## Where Water Is Precious.

In Cape Town, where water—especially in the hot summer months—is a very precious fluid, it is the custom to shut off the supply at night, in order to eliminate waste as far as possible. The authorities complain that persons frequently go to a tap to draw water after the supply has been shut off for the day and finding no water, thoughtlessly leave the tap open. Consequently the next morning when the supply is turned on a large quantity of water runs to waste unnoticed.

## Standard Lights.

Such a dissimilarity has been found by the bureau of standards in life-buoy lights supposed to be of the same power that makers are now required, to submit samples of their lights for tests before they can be approved. Some lights show as low as 13 candle power, while others run as high as 180. The minimum requirement is 150, and samples must at least reach that standard to be accepted.

## Simply Impossible.

A Chicago woman who had received a legal summons to appear in a certain court at a certain period was much put out thereby. In explaining the matter to a friend, she said: "I have certainly received the citation, but I shall not appear—could not, in fact. Not only am I not socially acquainted with Judge Jones, but the whole tone of his communication is so impossible that I absolutely refuse to know him."

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claiming any right, title or interest in and to the land herein above described are hereby notified that the bill of complaint filed in this cause on or before Monday, the 4th day of February, 1918, the same being a rule day of this court, and if a further bill of complaint is filed, it shall be published for twelve consecutive weeks in the Sanford Herald, a newspaper published in Seminoles County, Florida.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Seminoles County, on this 20th day of October, 1917. (seal) E. A. DOUGLASS, Clerk of Circuit Court of Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, for Seminoles County, Fla. A. D. 1917. Solicitor and of Counsel for Compt. 32-Tues-13tc

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit, Seminoles County, Florida. Special Tax School District, No. 6, Seminoles County, Florida. By W. H. Bell, et al.

Whereas, a petition has been filed in the above styled court by Special Tax School District No. 6, Seminoles County, Florida, setting forth the fact that an election had been held in said district on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1917, to determine whether or not there should be issued by the said district bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00, to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent interest, payable semi annually, principal to mature in thirty years from date of bonds, proceeds of the said bonds to be used for the purpose of acquiring, building, enlarging, furnishing and otherwise improving schools and school buildings in the Special Tax School District; that a canvass of the returns of said election show a final fact that said election was in favor of the issuance of the said bonds by the said district.

Now, therefore, in pursuance to an order of the court hereto made and in conformity with law, notice is hereby given that the taxpayers and citizens of the said Special Tax School District No. 6, Seminoles County, Florida, by the said order and by law required to appear before the Honorable Clerk of said court, on the 2nd day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Clerk of said court, in and for Seminoles County, Florida, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said bonds should not be issued and confirmed. Witness my hand and official seal at Sanford, Florida, this 11th day of December, A. D. 1917. E. A. DOUGLASS, Clerk Circuit Court, Seminoles Co., Fla. 32-ues-1tc

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit, Seminoles County, Florida. In Chancery Norma K. McLaughlin. Citation C. O. McLaughlin, care E. S. Wilcox, 1209 N. Broadway, Air Line Railway. It is hereby ordered that you appear to the bill of complaint filed herein against you in the above styled cause on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1918, at the Sanford, Florida, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said bonds should not be issued and confirmed. Witness my hand and seal of office this the 11th day of December, A. D. 1917. E. A. DOUGLASS, Clerk Circuit Court, Seminoles Co., Fla. 32-Tues-2tc

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Gate City Camp No. 6, W. O. W Meets second and fourth Wednesday nights in each month. F. L. Miller J. F. Hoolehan Clerk Council Commander

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