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NEW YORK NEWS

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Paragraphs of Interest to Readers of Empire State.

Interesting News of All Kind Gathered From Various Points in the State and So Reduced in Size That It Will Appeal to All Classes of Readers.

Angola is to annex additional territory from the town.

Batavia is to have a police signal system installed there.

Ex-Judge Hooker died suddenly in Fredonia on Friday, March 5.

Genesee county blacksmiths will meet the price of horseshoeing.

Gov. Smith will tour the state in the interest of his legislative program.

Poker parties have supplanted the corner saloon to a large extent in Hornell.

Ambrose W. Hewitt was elected mayor of Bath at the annual charter election.

Tonawanda building contractors will build 100 houses there this coming summer.

Eighteen inches of snow fell during February, according to Luther M. Dey of Rochester, meteorologist.

Drivers of coal wagons in Lockport have been raised to \$24 a week and the price of coal raised to \$11.25 a ton.

Miss Anna L. Potter of Holley was the only Democrat elected at the Murray, Orleans county, town meeting.

Bricklayers and plasterers will receive \$1.15 an hour in Rochester from April 1 to June 1, and after that \$1.25 an hour.

A bill introduced in the assembly proposing that barbering on Sundays in New York and Saratoga Springs shall be prohibited.

Rochester university endowment fund has now passed the \$900,000 mark and nearly \$500,000 has been paid in on the recent pledges.

According to announcement from the Ford Motor company, that concern has no intention of locating a branch factory in or near Rochester.

Orleans county farmers who have examined their peach trees say that the severe cold spell has cut the peach crop fully 50 per cent this year.

Contrary to expectations the senate passed Senator Lowman's bill permitting the employment on highway work of inmates of state reformatories.

At a meeting of the Manchester barbers it was decided to increase the price of hair cutting from 35 to 50 cents and shaving from 15 to 20 cents.

The Housel Packing company of Lyndonville expects to put in several weeks' work in canning pears, which are now in cold storage at Kendall.

As the result of exporting or making into older their home-grown apples, residents of Seneca county are paying fancy prices for Western grown fruit.

Only one drug store in Lockport handles liquors for medicine and although there is a demand as an influenza remedy supplies of liquor are unobtainable.

It is believed now there will be no bill introduced in the legislature calling for a referendum on the question of whether or not the direct primaries shall be continued.

D. E. Brown of Angelica, Allegany county, has seven white leghorn pullets which began laying on Dec. 18 and since then they have laid 171 eggs. One day he got seven eggs.

Wells and cisterns continued to go dry, and an increasing number of Ransomville farmers are being forced to draw water from Lake Ontario, for their live stock as well as for household uses.

Announcement is made that the H. J. Heinz company is to construct a storage and bottling plant in Medina, with dimensions of 275 and 171 feet. One hundred additional employees will be required.

The first coyote or prairie wolf ever known to have been seen in Tompkins county was killed by Phil Lewis of Spencer, who has sent the pelt to a tobacco sporting goods house where it is on exhibition.

An enormous amount of damage is being done to the fruit trees in Orange county by the mice and rabbits, according to the Orange county farm bureau, as a result of the heavy snow which has cut off their food.

Senator Henry M. Sage, chairman of the finance committee, has introduced a bill to provide for an appropriation of \$300,000 as the state's first instalment to obtain federal aid in the improvement of rural post roads.

Seven of the 16 teachers in the schools at Canisteo have returned their contracts unsigned because the board of education did not grant their demands for \$200 a year increase in pay. The teachers refused a \$150 increase.

If apples are a big crop this year, they now promised, what will become of them without an export trade in an Orleans county query. The quantity of cider that can be made is limited to the number of barrels that can be bought.

Minority Leader James J. Walker has introduced in the senate a bill to provide for the manufacture and the sale in restaurants and hotel dining rooms, of beer and wine containing not more than 2.75 per cent of alcohol by weight.

Geneva is in the heart of the apple growing belt of New York state and the finest apples in the world are grown in that section, but just at present Genevans are eating Oregon apples and paying from 10 to 15 cents a pound for them.

Dunkirk sportsmen report that so far the pheasants in that vicinity have wintered well, owing to the organized effort to feed them during the severe storms and heavy snow. Last year 750 eggs were hatched and 170 birds were released.

Figures of the church survey of the town ofodus shows that the majority of people there are not church members and that the total growth of church membership in the ten-year period shows a net gain of one member for the entire town.

There are 23,751 voters, men and women, in Chautauque county, according to the tabulation just completed by the county board of elections. The Republicans lead with 11,150, Democrats second with 9,479, Prohibitionists 1,257, Socialists 423.

Senator Davenport of Oneida has submitted an amendment to the penal law to make 18 instead of 16 the age at which minors may be admitted unaccompanied to dance halls, public pool or billiard rooms, theaters, moving picture shows and other resorts.

Farmers in the vicinity of Geneva are looking for a decrease in the acreage of crops planted this spring, and a consequent decrease in the amount of foodstuffs produced next season. The price of labor and the increased cost of production is given as a reason.

A bill to amend the law in relation to the soldiers and sailors' home at Bath, so that veterans of the world war may be admitted was passed in the assembly. Having been approved by the senate, it goes to the governor who last year vetoed a similar bill.

Of 75 men reported being employed in other towns while residing in Albion the average wage received by them is \$20 weekly and the average amount paid for care fees monthly is \$9.50, while their net income is only \$17.75. Many of them have families to support on that sum.

Favorable action on bills designed to provide for the licensing of operators of motor vehicles within the state and requiring them to submit to an actual examination as to their fitness to operate cars was urged by Gov. Smith in a special message transmitted to the legislature.

Judging from the amount of seed being purchased by the farmers in the vicinity of Chili, there will be fully as large an acreage of both domestic and Danish cabbage planted this year as there was last season. The acreage set out on the various farms is necessarily determined by the amount of suitable land available for cabbage culture.

James B. Stafford, federal fair price commissioner for New York, has been making an investigation of alleged hoarding of food by farmers of Western New York. It is understood the investigation revealed the fact that of that portion of last year's potato crop, still unconsumed, 90 per cent is held by the farmers, while but 10 per cent is in cold storage or in transit.

The rates of gas companies doing an interstate business can be regulated by the states, the supreme court decided in Washington. The decision wins, lower gas rates for Jamestown and other towns in the southwestern part of New York. The Pennsylvania Gas company claiming that since the gas was manufactured in Pennsylvania its transmission to New York was interstate commerce outside the regulations of state commissions.

Landlords who decline to accept as tenants families with children under the age of 14 would render themselves liable to court action, if a bill introduced by Senator Twomey becomes law. The measure prohibits landlords from refusing to rent houses or apartments simply because they want tenants without children and makes void any lease containing such stipulation. Violations would be punishable with fines up to \$100 for each offense.

The membership corporation law was amended by an amendment introduced by Senator Gibbs in relation to agricultural societies. It provides that any society, which may hereafter receive and accept money from the county in which it exists, shall make a detailed statement showing the disbursement of all the moneys received. The property of such agricultural society, in case the corporation shall be dissolved or fail to hold its annual fair for a period of two years, shall become the property of the county.

Never before in the history of Livingston county, or possibly any other county of this state, have farm hands demanded such high wages as they are asking and getting this season. Until two years ago capable farm hands were available at from \$400 to \$450 per year, besides a house furnished, fuel, garden and other privileges usually attached. In those days the farm hands were supposed to work from "sun up to sun down" when there was work to do and the weather was suitable. Now farm hands of the more competent class are demanding from \$1,000 to \$1,200 in cash for 12 months' work, together with a long list of privileges and a specified number of hours that go to make up a year's work.

STATE INCOME TAX AND THE FARMER

Special Article on Features of New Law by Eugene M. Travis, State Comptroller.

While legislation in its general features is, of course, kept track of by dwellers in rural communities, it is probably true that almost every farmer affected by the New York state tax on personal incomes will find helpful the following suggestions in the filing of returns under this act.

With this thought in mind I will first present briefly the broad distinctions brought out by the law between income, expenses and capital investments.

That last term "capital investments" may sound very mysterious, but in its final analysis it only means that where a farmer buys a piece of machinery or makes an expenditure for improving his property, such payments are not proper business expenses because he still has the value of the money which he expended in another form.

This regulation of this office follows strictly that which has been in vogue for years by the federal authorities under the federal income tax law. For example, the placing of a series of windows in a barn improves the property, as would also the building of a new fence around the farm. Neither of these expenses are those incurred in the course of ordinary business any more than would money paid out for a tractor or a new harrower.

Expenses Allowed.

Ordinary expenses, of course, including the cost of shovels, rakes and other small tools, hire of labor, produce bought and used up in the meals furnished to laborers, are business expenses. Equally as well, the farmer should write off as an expense amounts paid out for manure, commercial fertilizers, lime, raw rock, phosphate, gasoline and oil used in machinery are proper deductions, and if necessary to have any farm machinery or an automobile used entirely for farm purposes repaired, such amounts are proper deductions. Where the automobile is used six days of the week on the farm and on Sunday the farmer takes his family on a well deserved recreation trip, only the proportion of the amounts paid for gasoline, oil and repairs which can reasonably be assigned to business purposes can be deducted.

District Offices.

For the convenience of taxpayers throughout the state I have established thirteen district offices located at the following points:

- Albany, 42 North Pearl street.
- New York, Equitable building, 120 Broadway; Municipal building, Room 200.
- Brooklyn, 130 Montague street.
- Bronx, St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-first street.
- Jamaica, 2 North Washington street.
- White Plains Court House.
- Buffalo, 11-13 West Swan street.
- Rochester, United building, 105-108 East Main street.
- Syracuse, 423½ South Salina street.
- Utica, City National Bank building, 110 Genesee street.
- Elmira, 230 Lake street.
- Binghamton, O'Neil building, Court and State streets.
- Kingston, 518 Broadway.

It is suggested that the owner of a stock, dairy, poultry, fruit or truck farm write to one of these offices for form 201 and special bulletin No. 4, a single sheet of special instructions for farmers. With these blanks in front of him and by examination of his farm record the filling out of a return would be a matter of an evening or two.

Only a week remains for the filing of these returns, and anyone who fails to have them in before March 15 may be subject to the penalties in the law. If the farmer taxpayer cannot get his figures together in time or is obliged to be away from home for business or health purposes an extension of time will promptly be granted upon application. The law provides that on such extensions the taxpayer must pay interest at the rate of six per cent yearly for the time after March 15, 1920.

The value of business done by most farmers does not warrant the keeping of inventories. Where reports are made on the basis of actual receipts and expenditures all that is necessary is to report as gross income the amount received from the sale of farm produce, stock, etc., and deduct ordinary business expenses actually paid during the year. In doing this it should be remembered that money paid out for live stock to be used for breeding, draft or dairy purposes should not be noted as an expense because they are also investments of capital.

Now, in the case of resident farmers this office has adopted a generous rule. Not the personal status of the resident taxpayer at the end of the year determines his exemption, but this exemption is given to him in the highest amount to which he was entitled during the year. If the farmer was married for only three days of the year he would nevertheless receive \$2,000 exemption, while if he was unfortunate to have lost his wife and two children early in January, 1919, in an accident the exemption of \$2,400 would be granted to him in full.

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People Leaving the Farms.

To obtain reliable information in regard to the movement to and from farms, records of the population on 3,775 representative New York farms on Feb. 1 this year and Feb. 1 a year ago were secured by Prof. G. F. Warren of the New York State College of Agriculture and John B. Shepard of the U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates. These records show that during the past year the number of people on these farms decreased nearly 3 per cent and the number of hired men decreased more than 17 per cent. Of the men and boys who were doing farm work on these farms last year 650 have left farming for other kinds of work and only one third as many have left other kinds of work to take up farming. If the same ratio holds for all farms in the state about 35,000 men and boys left farming to go to other industries, and about 11,000 men and boys went from other industries into farming. This is a more rapid movement from the farms to other industries than took place in the early part of the war, for according to the school census the number of persons in this state who left farming for other industries during the year ending Feb. 1, 1918, was 21,430 and in the same period 13,894 persons left other kinds of work to go to farming.

Of the nearly 16,000 persons living on these farms only 158 were women employed to help the housekeeper. This was an average of one woman so employed for every 24 farms. This number is nearly 29 per cent less than a year ago.

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Dogs Talented in Comedy and They Provide Many Good Laughs for Owners

It is not generally known, but dogs are in many instances real comedians. Those who have made a close study of canines long ago came to this conclusion. The gift is not confined to any one breed. Some of the stunts done by fox terriers are not only laughable, but they show the dog to be a natural born comedian.

A woman recently owned a valuable fox terrier which was so much of a comedian that he kept the household in a state of constant good humor. The dog never had been taught the tricks he performed, and the most interesting part of it was, he liked to show off when the house was filled with guests. The terrier seemed to know that he was creating laughs. One thing he did was a trick that would be hard for the average person to believe unless he witnessed it. It was a performance he went through to avoid having his coat put on in the winter months, when a maid took him for a walk.

When the dog saw the maid approaching with the coat he would hang his head. One evening when a party of guests were present the dog conceived a new scheme of trying to arouse sympathy, so he could get out of having his coat put on. When the maid called to him he looked around the room, and then, quick as a flash, he started to run to the different corners as if looking for rats. He was as serious as a judge sitting on a bench. Once or twice he stopped to see what effect his performance was having, then he looked at the maid, wagging his tail with an expression on his face which seemed to say: "Now you won't make me put on the coat after that." The guests caught the idea, and a wave of hearty laughs came from all sides.

Mother's Cook Book

Thoughts are real forces—living managers of power. Love thoughts, even when brought to bear upon our pains and trials, transform them and make them educational.—Henry Wood.

The Favorite Shell Fish.
The edible crustacea, as shrimp or prawns, crawfish, lobster and crabs, mussels, are classed under the heading of shell fish. Oysters, because of their flavor, are ranked as favorite food, but as for nourishment, they are not valued. At the price they have been this season in most markets, they are an expensive luxury, only to be used in case of illness or convalescence.

Oyster Cocktail.
Cut a grape fruit into halves, remove the fiber, leaving the sections unbroken as possible. Add six small oysters seasoned with salt and tabasco sauce.

Oyster Bouillon.
Wash and chop fifty good-sized oysters. Put them in a double boiler, cover and cook slowly for one hour. Add a pint of water, a tablespoonful of celery seed, strain, reheat. Add a tablespoonful of butter, salt to taste and serve in hot cups.

Oysters a la Martin.
Toast a round piece of bread and set on an earthen dish fitted with a glass bell. Spread the bread with anchovy paste. Above the paste set six or eight oysters, enough to cover the toast. Over the oysters dispense two tablespoonfuls of curry sauce; set the bell in place and turn a little curry sauce around the bell where it joins the dish. Let cook in the oven until the edges of the oysters curl.

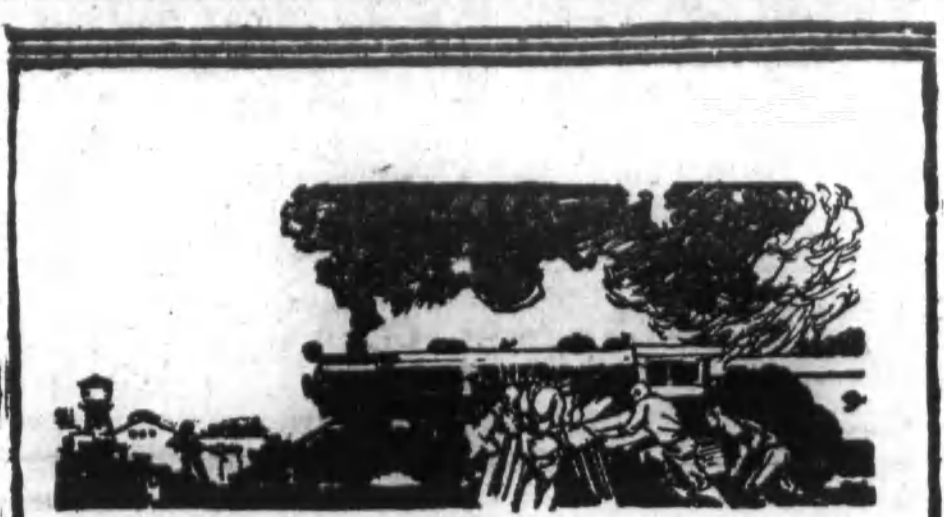
Curry Sauce for Oysters, Martin.
Cook half a chopped onion in three tablespoonfuls of fat until softened and yellow. Add two tablespoonfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of curry powder, or more if liked, one-fourth teaspoonful each of salt and paprika, and stir until blended. Add a half cupful of more of oyster broth and enough rich milk to fill the cup, and stir until boiling. Add a teaspoonful of lemon juice, strain and it is ready to serve.

Stuffed Oysters.
Put a layer of oysters in the bottom of the baking dish, cover with buttered crumbs, season with salt and pepper and dot with butter. Add another layer of oysters and seasonings, then the crumbs. Pour over milk and bake twenty minutes. A cupful each of milk and crumbs is a good proportion. Never make three layers of oysters as the inner one will not be cooked or the outer layers over done.

Nellie Maxwell

Present Automobile Shortage is Placed at 1,000,000 Cars

New York.—A shortage of automobiles this year was predicted by members of the National Chamber of Commerce, although they estimated that the passenger car output for the year would exceed 2,000,000. The shortage at present was placed at 1,000,000 cars. One of the most prominent manufacturers in the world is preparing to boost the supply rapidly this year because of the steadily increasing de-



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Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

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VILLAGE AND VICINITY NEWS

—Miss Ruth Leonard has been the guest of friends in Groton this week.

—Report of the financial condition of the First National Bank of Genoa in this issue.

—Mrs. Frank Sellen went to Locke Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Hewitt.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Riley of Auburn spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thayer will move to the Sharp farm which they will occupy this year.

—Miss Irene Mulvaney spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with her parents in Auburn.

Egg, stove and chestnut coal on hand. Genoa Supply Co.

—Miss Adelaide Hunter reports seeing the first robin—and there were two of them—yesterday.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDermott, Thursday, March 11, 1920, a daughter—Helena Frances.

—Mrs. Titus VanMarter went to Syracuse Wednesday where she is the guest of friends for several days.

—Mrs. Jane Bower returned Saturday last from North Lansing where she had been spending some time.

—Geo. Wilson is recovering nicely from his recent operation. Miss Ruth Ford returned home Tuesday night.

Carload of Union grain, also car of bran and midds, just arrived. Atwater Bradley Corp.

—Miss Ruth Roe is enjoying a four weeks' vacation from her school duties at East Venice, beginning this week.

—Rev. L. W. Scott of Auburn spent Wednesday with his brother, J. W. Scott, and assisted him in celebrating his birthday.

—“The Sawdust Doll” at the Gem theater, Saturday night. A real kiddie picture, written by Agnes Johnston, Mary Pickford's scenarioist. See this charming romance.

—Miss Ida Mastin was a guest of her niece, Mrs. Geo. Miller, in Auburn, from Saturday to Monday night. Mr. Miller spent Sunday with his parents in Genoa.

Veteran Coffee, the guaranteed kind, at Ellison's, King Ferry.

—David R. Nettleton left Thursday of last week on a business trip to Springfield, Mass., and Riverhead, L. I. He also spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown of Brooklyn.

—Mrs. S. Wright, Miss Lucy Mastin and Mrs. F. Riley were in Auburn Saturday last. Mrs. Wright remained Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Welty, who is convalescing from her operation, at the Osborne House.

—It is expected that services will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday, at the usual hours, weather permitting. Mr. Myer of the senior class of the seminary will preach, Sunday school after morning service. For several Sundays no services have been held in this church on account of the blizzards, so no preacher could get here from Auburn. It is hoped there will be a large attendance Sunday.

—A few more days and cars will be running with the same troubles they had when you put them away last fall. You will find me in the same little shanty, striving to give better service than last year, and with the new-wearing Norwalk and Diamond tires in stock. Quick service on battery charging. Carbon removed record time without tearing down motors, and a nice line of auto accessories. Will tell you more next week. Hans-on.

—The freshet of last Friday, following rains and a thaw, caused considerable damage throughout Central New York. In many places cellars were flooded, furnace fires were put out, and other troubles limited. In Genoa, Salmon creek rose to flood tide and considerable property was occasioned as it was raised the mill dam would go out. However, the dam stood the test, and a portion of the embankment on the west side was carried away. At midnight Friday night the water washed within a few inches of the building. This is the highest it has been known to be in many years. The flood was followed on Saturday and Sunday by colder weather and a small amount of snow and a small amount

—A sign of spring, a Ford car on Main St., yesterday.

—J. H. Smith is in town this week, calling on his patrons.

—Floyd Smith, who has been ill with influenza, is able to be about the house.

—Mrs. Carl Hanson returned Saturday from a ten days' visit in Syracuse.

—Mrs. Wm. Marshall is slowly improving after her serious illness with pneumonia.

—Mrs. Mary Sill spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Auburn, the guest of Mrs. H. B. Whitten.

—Mrs. W. H. Mosher and daughter of Auburn spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Foster.

Egg, stove and chestnut coal on hand. Genoa Supply Co.

—Plans are being made for the observance of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Baptist church at Moravia.

—See Mary MacLaren in “Bonnie, Bonnie Lassie” at the Gem theater Wednesday night, March 24. It is delightful and wholesome.

—The Woman's class of the Presbyterian church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Chas. Sevier this (Friday) afternoon.

LADIES—Pleated skirts and flounces are all the go; we do them from 1 to 40 inch. Peck's Millinery, 15 South St., Auburn. 35w1

—Mrs. J. D. Sharpsteen of East Genoa continues to improve. Mrs. Frank Denny, who has been caring for her, returned home Sunday.

—Mrs. D. C. Mosher entertained several ladies very pleasantly last Friday afternoon, at tea, in honor of the birthday of Miss Emma Waldo.

—Mrs. Frances Bothwell returned last week to her home at East Genoa, after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Brown of Brooklyn.

Golden Bantam Corn at Ellison's, King Ferry. Try it.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reas went to Cortland Saturday to attend the funeral of John Warwick. Mr. Reas returned Sunday night and Mrs. Reas remained this week.

—The March Equity Term of Supreme Court for Cayuga county will convene at the court house in Auburn on Monday, March 22, with Justice A. P. Rich presiding.

—Mrs. Robert Streeter underwent an operation Monday for appendicitis at the Moravia hospital. Dr. L. W. Heazlit of Auburn, assisted by Dr. Anthony, was the surgeon.

—The King Ferry Grange will hold a social and supper on Saturday evening, March 27. Supper 35c. An illustrated lecture on “The Food of Birds” and “The European Corn Borer” will be given free. —adv

—Willett H. Vary, aged about 65, former master of the New York State Grange and former overseer of the National Grange, died Tuesday morning at Southern Pines, N. C., where he had gone for his health.

Have that power washer installed now before the busy season opens. Both new and used gas engines on hand. Genoa-Rink-Garage.

—Miss Esther Stephenson, a member of the senior class of the Cortland Normal school, has accepted a position as teacher at Rockville Center, L. I. She goes with a high recommendation and has the best wishes of many friends for her success.

—Cayuga county, thanks to the persistent efforts of County Superintendent Dayton, is to get three army motor trucks for use in county road work this summer. There will be 14 trucks available for town and county system work next year, which will speed up the work considerably.

—Charles Darling dropped dead about 9 o'clock Monday morning at his home, on the road between Freeville and Peruville, while harnessing his horse to drive to Peruville. His body was found lying in front of the horse, where he had toppled over, probably dying instantly. He was 58 years old and leaves his wife.

Shoes and Rubber Boots at old prices while they last, at Ellison's, King Ferry. 33

—An item in last week's issue stated that N. L. Stevens of Venice had been in Albany in the interests of legislation to “combat diseases of sheep.” It should have read diseases of bees. Mr. Stevens is a well known bee keeper, president of the county association, and he naturally is more interested in bees than in sheep. It was one of those mistakes that occasionally occur in a print

—March 20 is Prohibition Rally day, birthday of General Neal Dow, the father of prohibition.

—Berkshire reports 34 inches of snow on a hard beaten track on a macadam road in that town.

—Medical authorities declare that butter is the most nutritious article of diet and that bacon comes next.

—Kingston, with a population of nearly 30,000 is said to have had no death from influenza this season, and to have been remarkably free from the disease.

—The Cazenovia Republican says: “On the Dayger farm in North Cazenovia the snow banks are forty feet deep, reaching the roof of the barn. No one ever has seen them as high before.”

Fancy Red Salmon 38c at Ellison's, King Ferry. 33

—The secretary of state's office reports that in 1919 Tompkins county had 3,772 motor vehicles registered, one to every 10 inhabitants. The number of pleasure cars was 3,348, as compared with 2,628 in 1918.

—One Sunday paper carried in a conspicuous place in its telegraph news section a story urging the saving of print paper and proved its belief in conservation by issuing an extra 32-page automobile supplement.—Ex

—Hiram Finch of Locke and Mrs. Sarah Mosher of Auburn were married March 9, at the Methodist parsonage in Locke by the Rev. B. E. Butman. Mr. and Mrs. Finch will make their home on a farm two miles and a half from Locke.

—The valuable Williams hotel property in Utica has been purchased by the Salvation Army. This sale is one of the largest in recent years in that city, and marks an important step in the steady progress and growth of the Salvation Army there.

—A. M. Jewett, who had been engaged in the jewelry business in Cortland since 1886, and had the oldest, continuous, unchanged business sign in that city, recently sold his stock and fixtures to two brothers, R. L. and G. C. Andrews, who come to Cortland from Pennsylvania.

—Rev. Andrew Roe, 88 years old, senior member of the Central New York Conference of the Methodist church, died March 3, at the home of his son, Cary E. Roe, in Buffalo, after a brief illness caused by paralysis. During his ministry he served as pastor of churches at Mexico, Baldwinsville, Cortland, Moravia, Watkins, Waterloo, Oneida, Skaneateles, and Marcellus.

—The Corona Typewriter company of Groton will erect another large factory in Cortland the coming summer. The Corona company built 80,000 typewriters in its factory in Groton in 1919. The limit of capacity of that plant will be reached this year when it is expected to build 110,000 machines with the number of employees increased to 1,000. The new factory in Cortland will necessitate the building of many dwelling houses also, to solve the housing problem which will confront the city by reason of the additional employees which will be required.

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Aged Moravia Woman Dies.
The death of Polly Heaton Sherman, widow of Elmer Sherman, occurred Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Wood, in Moravia, following a ten days' illness. She was 89 years old, and leaves besides her daughter, one sister, Mrs. Amanda Ibach, also of Moravia. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from her late home, Rev. P. J. Williams officiating. The remains were placed in the receiving vault in Indian Monnd, and later will be brought to East Venice for burial.

Death of Floyd Gallow.
Floyd Gallow, aged 42, died at his home at Lansingville early Tuesday morning, after an illness extending over several years. He is survived by his wife and three young children, Ray, Jay and Bessie; also two brothers, LeRoy and Elmer, and a sister, Mrs. James Casterline, all of Lansingville.
The funeral was held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the church, Rev. A. A. Anderson officiating. Interment at Lansingville.

The average housewife has the duty of spending, for food, about thirty or forty per cent of the family income. Good buying is based on knowledge and knowledge comes only with study and experience. The state college at Ithaca, N. Y., will send you a bulletin on “What to Spend for Food.” It is H. 127.

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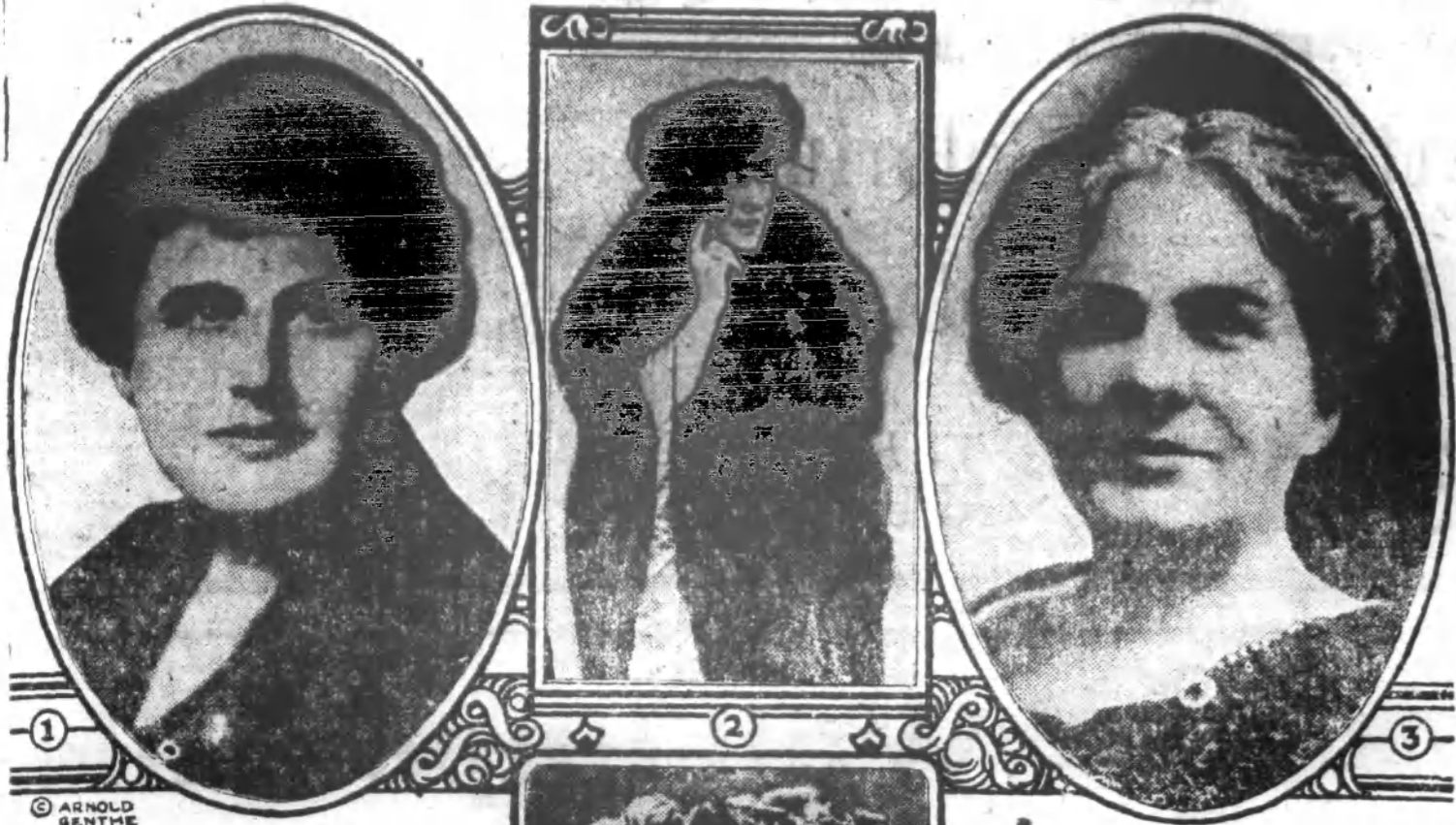
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Women Leaders of Nation, in Conference, Indorse Interchurch World Movement Aims



Efficiency Plank in New Religious Program for America and Her Missions Meets Enthusiastic Approval Throughout Three-day Convention at Washington.

The tremendous appeal made to the women of America by war-stricken children and by children in need the world over was illustrated recently at a conference of church women assembled at Washington.

That there would be much more attention to and adequate legislation concerning the problems of children has long been prophesied as a result of granting suffrage to women. The emphasis placed upon the needs of the little folks all over the world by these representative women, who came to Washington from every part of the United States, called together by the Interchurch World Movement, bore witness to the fact that American women are first of all maternal.

The power of women to mold public sentiment and, once started, to push through the matters closest to their consciences cannot be overestimated in these reconstruction days. In matters at home and overseas what the women of this country decide must be done will be done not by their efforts alone, but by the combined efforts of their fathers, husbands, brothers and sons.

Mrs. Wilson Presides.
Answering the call to gather in Washington, arrangements for the conference having been made by a committee of which Mrs. Woodrow Wilson is chairman, the women assembled represented all the Protestant churches now co-operating in the Interchurch Movement. Among the notable mem-



1. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, 2. Mme. Grouitch, 3. Mrs. Josephus Daniels, 4. Mrs. Robert Lansing.

bers in the sessions were Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Mrs. David Houston, Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, Mrs. A. S. Burleson, Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer, Mme. Grouitch of Serbia, Mme. Pataretoff of Bulgaria and Mme. Marc Peter of Switzerland. In all there were 392 delegates present, representing twenty-one denominations.

Throughout the sessions of the conference, which extended over three days, the enthusiastic approval of the aims of the Interchurch organization was continually evident. The fact that by co-ordination much more efficiency in working methods for all churches could be obtained made a very definite appeal. Putting churches on a more businesslike basis might be thought an odd platform upon which to unite women of the various denominations, but the day is gone when business methods

Big Budget for Babies Chief Recommendation — Women in Cities Urged to Help Obtain Co-operation of Civic and Legislative Child Welfare Bodies.

and efficiency have no charm for the feminine sex. Due to the efficiency plank in the Interchurch platform, first of all, the organization was indorsed and recommended to the church women of America.

Big Budget for Babies.
A big budget for babies was the first recommendation to the women of the mission boards of the churches. This applied especially to the children in the war-stricken countries, but as well to children in need all over the globe. Women were also urged to support the Industrial Department of the Interchurch World Movement and the program of organized motherhood for the children of the world. Church women in the various cities of the country were urged to assist in obtaining co-operation with industrial, civic and legislative child welfare. They were called upon to remember that the constant attention of every woman citizen is imperative for the protection of children.

The appeal of the children of our own land and those millions of others throughout the world left orphaned because of war, pestilence or famine comes with double force to the followers of Him who said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these ye have done it unto Me." And the women of America, in indorsing the program of the Interchurch organization, have put their mother hearts behind the movement and added the power of their intelligent co-operation.

EASY TO REPAIR WOODWORK

A Little Labor, With Inexpensive Materials, Will Put It in Quite Presentable Shape.

No matter how badly in need of repair woodwork and furniture may be, you can put them in presentable shape if you have care, perseverance and a few inexpensive helps at hand.

To begin with, get the wood ready for some sort of finish. If it is badly battered up and the color of the stain is faded and spotted and worn, get sandpaper and cut it in two-inch squares. With this rub off the old paint or varnish. Coarse paper may be needed to begin with, but finish scraping with fine-grade paper and rub the wood smooth. This work is tedious, so do it for only a short time at a stretch.

After all the old paint or varnish is removed dust the wood and then wipe it with an oily cloth. Then make little pads of cotton—six-inch square of cheesecloth around a wad of cotton batting—and dip them in paraffin oil, and then in shellac and then pat the surface of the wood with them. Pat the wood until it has absorbed all the finish it will take. The finish will be attractive and durable, but it must be carefully put on.

OLD PACO CEMETERY TO GO

Famous Burial Place in Manila, More Than Century Old, Is Threatened With Demolition.

Manila faces the demolition of the old Paco cemetery, which has always been very interesting to visitors. The cemetery was built in 1810, in the form of two circular walls, an outer and an inner wall of great thickness. In these walls are burial niches sealed with marble stones bearing the usual inscriptions, and before each niche is a marble shelf on which lighted candles and flowers are often placed. In the center of the circle is a modest chapel. At the extreme rear of the inclosure is what remains of the "bone pit," a most necessary institution, for the niches are rented for a period of five years only, and if friends and relatives of the deceased failed to pay the rental for another five years the bones were unceremoniously removed from their niche and dumped into this pit. The "epitaph" before this common resting place of the remains of the forgotten is a tablet ornamented in relief by a pile of skulls and crossbones.

Beautiful Bermudas.
There are about 300 islands in the group of Bermuda islands, but only about a score of them are inhabited. Their total population is about 20,000, of which about one-third are white. The Bermudas attract visitors because of the mild climate, which knows no frost, and by their scenic beauty. The evergreen islands are clustered with exotic plants of numerous variety. The roadways are bejeweled and scented with sweet smelling flowers, the shores are penetrated by crystalline coral pools and the waters about are noted for their ever-changing and vivid color.

The islands lie off the coast of North Carolina, about as far as Cleveland is from New York, and at about the same latitude as Charleston, Fort Worth and San Diego. They are 677 miles from New York.

Worse and Worse.

Miss Greene had been invited to be a bridesmaid at quite a smart wedding, and spent much time in planning her new frock.

At last it was ready, and when she tried it on, she asked Mrs. Jones, from next door, to come and see it.

"It's sweet, my dear!" said the good lady admiringly. "And certainly you look a lady, whatever you are."

Mrs. Greene's face told her she had made a mistake, so she corrected herself hurriedly:

"No. I mean you are a lady, whatever you look!"—London Answers.

If the General Only Knew This.

The teacher was telling her class about General Pershing. She tried especially to impress upon them that he was a Missourian—that he was born in their state.

The next day came. "Can anyone tell me where General Pershing was born?" she asked.

There was an awful silence—the children looked blank. At last a little hand shot up.

"Well, Johnny, can you tell us where?"

"He was born in a manger," answered Johnny.—St. Louis Republic.

Noble Books.

Noble books bring their thought and give it to us, not as men bring their treasures to a warehouse, laying them down there upon the floor as on a foreign, unrelated substance, but as you bring the spark of fire to a pile of wood which has within it the power of burning and turning into fire. It is not the fullness of their hands which makes them welcome. It is the delicacy and discrimination of the finger which they lay upon some spring in us and by which they set some of our nature free.—Phillips Brooks.

Their Utter Weariness.

"How's politics, down your way, Gabe?" asked a resident of Sandy Mush, of an acquaintance from Fiddie Creek.

"Tollable lively," was the reply. "We rotten egged and run out of town an Hon., tuther night that started to talk about the League of Nations."

"Was he fur it or agin it?"

"We didn't bother to ask."—Kansas City Star.



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When the talk turns from politics to railroads, and the traveler with the cocksure air breaks in with, "There's an awful lot of 'water' in the railroads," here are some hard-pan facts to give him:

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MINISTERS NEED FREE HOSPITALS

Survey by Interchurch World Movement Reveals Pulpit's Poverty.

\$1,242 HIGH AVERAGE SALARY FOR PROTESTANT PREACHERS

Clinics and Homes for Aged and Infirm and Better Salaries for Pastors Are Part of New Co-operation Program.

As a result of the campaign now being made by the Interchurch World Movement the combined Protestant churches of America will provide many more hospitals, clinics and homes for the aged and infirm. An interesting feature of these Protestant churches will be free treatment for ministers, as recent surveys made by the Interchurch organization have made the need for special dispensation very plain.

The following facts were compiled as to the average salaries in various denominations. Starting with the highest, the average for Episcopalian ministers is \$1,242; the average for United Presbyterians, \$1,177; for the Reformed Church (Dutch), \$1,170; for the Methodist Episcopal (North), \$1,042; for the Congregational, \$1,042, and for Baptists (Northern), \$950.

A government expert announced that \$1,500 is the lowest salary which a family can be decently maintained and suggesting budgets for lower ministers have a discouraging outlook. Such things as hospitals are almost impossible to meet, and every normal family has some need in its midst every year. Accordingly the Interchurch Movement, in its aim to obtain higher average salaries, will assist by providing special dispensation.

MILLION DELEGATES TO ATTEND 2,000 MEETINGS TO DISCUSS INTERCHURCH PLANS

Bulk of Counties in the United States Will Have Conferences to Solve Problems of Unchurched Areas, Wasteful Duplications and Underpaid Preachers.

A method of holding meetings of Protestant church representatives in about 2,000 county seats in the United States, involving a total attendance of anywhere from a million to a million and a half delegates, has been evolved by the Interchurch World Movement of North America, according to an announcement just made at Interchurch headquarters, at 45 West Eighteenth street, New York City.

The original plan to hold all of these two thousand and odd meetings simultaneously throughout the country was abandoned as unpractical. But they will take place as nearly simultaneously as possible, all but a very few being scheduled to be held between April 5 and 17.

The meeting place will, in most cases be the county seat, and the attendance will be composed of the membership of the Protestant churches of the county.

The conferences will last one day only. During that day will be presented the whole program of the Interchurch World Movement for promoting co-operation in missionary and general church activities among the Protestant churches. Time will also be given to discussion of the local problems in each county as revealed by the Interchurch Movement's survey of religious conditions throughout the United States.

No Sidestepping of Problems.

It will be, it is said, a very exceptional county that does not hear some more or less unpalatable truths concerning unchurched areas, or wasteful duplication, or underpaid and absentee preachers. Not many counties, it is stated, are able to show an average ministerial salary higher than the average for the whole United States, which is \$937, while barely one-third of the entire Protestant population of the United States, according to estimates made by the Interchurch survey,

has an opportunity for regular church attendance.

Besides a full consideration of local problems, the program at the county conferences will present the outstanding results of the world-wide survey of religious, social and economic conditions made by the Interchurch Movement, the material for which has been gathered from every corner of the earth. Special emphasis will also be laid on the place of prayer in Christian life, the importance of assisting young people in the right choice of their life work and the duty of laying aside a definite proportion of income for religious purposes. Lantern slides will be freely used to illustrate the various addresses.

The conferences will be managed by local committees, and the various topics under discussion will be handled by teams of from five to eight men and women, recognized as church leaders in the county or state. Each team will be responsible for conducting the conferences in eight counties.

Big Educational Campaign Prepared.

This series of conferences represents only an intermediate stage in a great campaign of intensive education in practical Christianity preparatory to the united appeal for missionary funds and workers which will be held by the Protestant denominations co-operating in the Interchurch Movement between April 25 and May 2. The teams that will address the county conferences were themselves trained as a "faculty" of specialists in the various aspects of the Movement at a series of state and pastors' conferences. Similarly, those who attend the county conferences will in turn form a "faculty" for interpreting the message of the Interchurch Movement to their local churches.

Thus it is expected that before April 20 the ideal of church co-operation advocated by the Interchurch World Movement, in place of church competition, and the program of evangelization that goes with it, will be familiar to every one of the fifty million Protestants in the United States.

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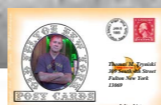
One lot of Men's and Ladies' Shoes, values from \$5.00 to \$8.00. Our price during this sale \$4.00.

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County's Motor Vehicles.

Cayuga county has 5,453 motor vehicles, one to every 12 inhabitants. Official registration figures just announced by Francis M. Hugo, Secretary of State, reveal the part the county has played during the past year in bringing New York state's total motor vehicle registration to 571,662, or a car to every 16 persons in the state. New York leads the world in the number of its automobiles, which increased 107,904 last year or 23 per cent over 1918.

The records in Mr. Hugo's office show the following interesting figures from a motor vehicle standpoint for Cayuga county: 4,764 pleasure cars, as compared to 4002 in 1918; 562 commercials, an increase of 141 for the year; chauffeurs increasing from 520 to 539, the county receiving back from the state last year the sum of \$20,765.12 for highway purposes. The county has 203 motorcycles.

Against Health Insurance.

The New York State Grange, at its annual meeting held last month at Rochester, adopted the following resolutions:

Worthy Master and Patrons: Your committee on insurance has received fourteen resolutions in opposition to the proposed Compulsory State Health Insurance bill, which has been duly considered.

The committee recommends the following:

Whereas, Believing that a Compulsory State Health law is un-American, and not in accordance with American ideals, therefore be it Resolved, That the New York State Grange, assembled in Rochester at its annual session, is decidedly opposed to the enactment of any compulsory health insurance law.

Richard H. Stark.

Richard H. Stark, for many years a contractor and builder in Cortland, died in Grand Rapids, Mich., on Sunday evening, Feb. 29, following an operation. Mr. Stark was born in the vicinity of Peruville, Tompkins Co., on Oct. 8, 1848, and was married on Nov. 12, 1874, to Miss Alveretta Tarbell of Pleasant Valley. Nine children were born to them all of whom are living. Mrs. Stark died in 1901, and in 1910, Mr. Stark was married to Miss Orvilla Potts of Berlin, (now Marne) Mich.

He is survived by his wife, nine children, by seventeen grandchildren and by one brother and two sisters, William Stark of Glen Haven, Mrs. Elmore Teeter of Ithaca and Mrs. Lillie Hagin of Groton.

Want More Members.

The Cayuga County Holstein club has started a campaign to increase its membership and hopes to interest every breeder of pure bred Holsteins in the county. The club's slogan is "Cayuga County Where Healthy Holsteins Thrive."

The officers and directors of the club are: J. R. Wait, Auburn, president; A. L. Jenks, Genoa, vice-president; R. L. Dodge, Fleming, treasurer; Reid White, Locke, secretary; B. B. Andrews, Weedsport, Jas. Avery, Aurora, and Don Harrington, Cato, directors.

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Don't use scouring powders on white enamel or porcelain sinks. Soap and water with a little kerosene will not hurt the surface.

Who says families no longer stick by the old homestead? Wayne county boasts a farm which has been in the same family for six generations.

Milk is the cheapest animal food; since we must all have some animal food, milk should be first considered by those who want to defeat old H. C. L. without harming health.

Tree those shoes! Keeping shoes on shoe trees when not in use adds weeks if not months to their life; and if heels are not built up as soon as they run over, the shoe soon loses shape.

Don't let the junk man get part of the goodness from your meat. He will if the meat is not removed from the wrapping paper as soon as it comes from the market; the paper absorbs some of the juice.

Ever try a brush for greasing pans, brushing rolls or pastry with butter, egg, or milk? A brush in which the bristles are glued cannot be used because this kind will not stand cleaning with boiling water.

Fitts Gets Appointment.

Governor Alfred E. Smith last week Thursday sent to the senate the name of George R. Fitts of McLean, Tompkins county, for state fair commissioner for a term of five years, to succeed Charles A. Wieting of Cobleskill, whose term has expired. In naming Mr. Fitts, Governor Smith has evidently satisfied the agricultural interests, because Mr. Fitts had the backing of the State Federation of Farm Bureaus and the endorsement of the Dairymen's League and the officers of the State Grange.

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WELL-CALLED TRAINS

Red Cross Commissioning Siberia
Description of the Siberian
Railroad.

Tokyo.—The death trains constitute a fearful feature of the Siberian railroad, says Col. R. B. Tensler, American Red Cross commissioner to Siberia.

Into these trains are packed at the front, say, 500 refugees, most of them suffering from typhus or some other disease and infested with vermin.

The trains are sent eastward to Vladivostok. None of the towns along the way wants the refuse piled to its own troubles, so the trains are passed along, the refugees dying on the way.

By the time the train reaches Vladivostok frequently more than half the sufferers have died. As the bodies are removed from the cars every morning fresh passengers are likely to be thrust in in their places.

Another feature of the suffering of the inhabitants, according to Col. Tensler, is the towns composed of dugouts which are to be found in many places. They consist of hundreds of holes dug in the ground, in which the inhabitants are herded. Smallpox is frequently among them.

Colonel Tensler said that underwear is one of the greatest needs of the Siberian people.

Many girls of people formerly well to do are now clothed in rags. If they could have ribbons and simple lace, he said, it would help to support the morale of the people.

FIND IT CHEAPER TO LIVE

Despite High Cost of Food, Germans
Hesitate Before "Shuffling Off
This Mortal Coil."

Berlin.—The natural difficulties in the way of dying have been aggravated by the coal shortage; that is, if you will be cremated. In the town of Eschingen, South Germany, candidates for earthly cremation have been forewarned that they can have their wish only when the local crematory has coke on hand. The progressive city of Ulm, Wurttemberg, requires the interested surviving relatives to furnish the necessary fuel along with the dead, if cremation is desired.

Incidentally, the cost of cremation has gone up considerably. The cremation fees average around 70 marks, a niche for the memorial urn costs from 250 to 600 marks, according to location, while the urn itself sets you in for 250 marks up.

Even without cremation, dying is expensive in Germany today. The cheapest pine-board coffin is priced at 125 marks and the cost of coffins runs up to 5,000 and 6,000 marks for ornate metal caskets. The cheapest short distance ride in a hearse costs 50 marks, while professional pallbearers get a minimum wage of 7.50 marks per capita. The cheapest funeral wreaths cost 50 marks, but you cannot get anything grand and showy under 500 marks.

Living would seem to be the lesser evil, but as a matter of fact, the

JUST TO LAUGH

Why He Raved.
Mrs. Myles: "I hear Mrs. Styles has a new hat which cost \$10. Have you heard her rave about it?"
Mrs. Wyles: "No, I haven't; but my husband heard her husband doing considerable raving about it."

A Convincing Alibi.
"You ought to be as rich as Brown."
"I know it, my friend, but you see I'm more liberal with my wife than he is with his."

Drilling Them In.
Wright: "I see by the paper that electrically-driven drills have been invented for surgical operations on the human skull."
Penman: "Do not despair, old man; they'll succeed in making people see your jokes yet."

He Got Whaled.
Jimmie—I put a tack on teacher's chair yesterday.
Willie—Did you? I'll bet he won't sit down in a hurry again.
Jimmie—No; and neither will I.

Satisfactory Evidence.
Mrs. Jane—Did you water the ferns in the drawing room?
Maid—Yes'm.
Don't you hear the water dripping on the carpet?

Too True.
"Pop!"
"Yes, my son."
"Is fifty dollars very much money?"
"It all depends whether you mean when I'm earning it or when you mother is spending it, my boy."

Upraised Arm and Open Palm Meant Soldier Had No Dagger

The military salute so familiar to every soldier and scout dates back to very early days, notes Boys' Life. At first it was not intended in the least to show respect to superiors. The upraised arm with the open palm extended was meant merely to show that the soldier did not carry a dagger in his hand and could not attack if he wanted to. An even more remarkable change has come in the meaning of the custom of retiring backward from the presence of royalty. In very early times men backed away from a king to protect themselves from being kicked.

Cakewalk Really Irish.

Although we usually associate the cakewalk with negroes, says London Answers, the original cake dance was popular in Ireland before the negroes came to this country. It is being awarded to the

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