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### **ENROLLING SKILLED MEN RESPONSIBILITY FOR** THE HOUSEKEEPER FOR SHIPBUILDING

The whole country is being canvassed just now for the purpose of enrolling necessary skilled men to aid in shipbuilding for the nation. So very little has been said or done Horry County, but notwithstanding the fact that there are not a great many industries in this county, yet it is all important that this County furnish as many men as are available for this important work.

Last week Mr. M. G. Andersen of Conway, who is in touch with the manufacturing interests of the County, was named for Horry County to take charge of the work here.

The object of this campaign, and the need of workers, is amply stated the following letter which was received this week by Mr. F. A. Burroughs, Chairman of the Local Council of Defense from Mr. Edward N. Hurley, Chairman of the United States Shipping Board:

Washington, D. C., Feb. 5, 1918 Mr. F. A. Burroughs, Chairman, Council of Defense, Conway, S. C.

Dear Mr. Burroughs:

Because of your official position, and the vital importance of the work senrolling the United States Shipyard Volunteers, in which you are engaged, I desire to lay before you a statement outlining the shipbuilding situation.

The information herein contained is placed at your disposal, for use as you may see fit in obtaining the enroliment of the necessary men for the United States Shipyard Volunteers.

Our shipbuilding program contemplates the construction of six million tons annually, but owing to the want of the necessary skilled men, we are not indure present conditions in a position to turn out the tonnage.

The Shipping Board has the money. It has the yards. It has the ma terial. The housing question is being rapidly cleared up. All that is needed is to obtain the necessary efficient labor.

It should be brought home to em ployers and to the employees of the industries of the nation that their

The home economics department of the United States food administration has prepared the following on food substitutes:

"The war has given as many new expressions. One hears phrases to. day which were meaningless a year ago. As often as the enlisted man is saying 'Over there' and 'Somewhere in France' we hear the patriotic housekeeper murmur 'wheat substitute' and 'meat substitute.' Each of these phrases seems to imply as real loyalty and fighting spirit as does the other.

"Every 'true blue American' is responding today to the urgent and often repeated request to save food. But it is to the housekeeper that this sacred trust is particularly given. As scon as the people as a whole realize the necessity of such strict measures as the president's recent proclamation advised, there will be no more need of urging the wheatless and meatless days. Every one will gladiy take upon himself the willing sacrifice. Meanwhile there are some peo. ple who are sincerely wondering why these days have been set aside. For we hear such expressions as this. 'The substitutes which I can securare just as expensive as the wheator as the meat.' This is quite often true. But today it is not money which we are trying to save by substituting one food for another. It is the wheat and the meat which must be conserved. These are the two articles which

will keep our own men and our allies from starvation. Wheat and meat can be shipped across the water. The foods which we are substituting car. not be shipped so these must be used at home and enough wheat and meat saved from our tables to feed the thousands of people looking to us for strength to live and fight.

"For wheat use cornmeal, corn flour, rye flour, catmeal, soy bean meal, peanut meal. Serve more cereals and more potatoes. None of these things can be sent to France, yet such foods contain the same kind of material as does wheat bread. No money will be saved through these substitutions, but many lives may be kept from starvation if we save the wheat for them.

"Instead of meat serve poultr --



in the Federal Reserve Banking System played an important part in the recovery of business from the adverse conditions following the outbreak of the European war, thirty months ago, and is still helping to keep business on an even keel.

This system with its immense resources is a bulwark of strength to the banks which are members of it, and will assist them in any financial requirements which they may be called upon to meet.

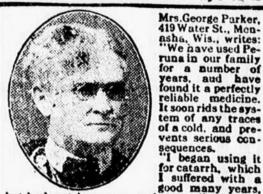
By depositing your money with us you receive the protection and the new facilities which our membership in the system enables'us to offer you



PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK Conway, South Carolina,

## **PERUNA** in Your Home

A housewife must give the first aid in colds, coughs and other ailments. Her promptness in applying the remedy often saves a serious illness. Her experience with remedies has led her to know that PERUNA is always reliable, that she should have it on hand for the immediate treatment of coughs and colds, and that it is always to her

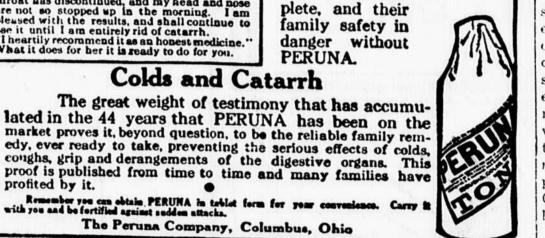


tem of any traces of a cold, and pre-vents serious con-

vents serious con-sequences. "I began using it for catarrh, which I suffered with a good many years, Since I have taken Peruna the dropping in my throat has discontinued, and my head and nose are not so stopped up in the morning. I am pleased with the results, and shall continue to use it until I am entirely rid of catarrh. "Theartily recommend it as an honest medicine." "What it does for her it is ready to do for you.

The Family Safeguard

The experience of one woman, given herewith, is typical of thousands of letters that reach the Peruna Company from grateful friends who have found their homes incom-



## **RUSSIA EXPLAINS CLOSE OF STRIFE**

London .- Confirmation of the German report that Russia has withdrawn from the war is contained in an official Russian statement.

The statement says Russia declares the war with Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria to have ended, Russian troops simultaneously receiving an order for com plete defense of the frontier some detachments of younger soldiers will be left.

The paece organizations with the central powers have been ended, the state nent says. The Russian delegation refused to sign a treaty providing for annexations by Germany. ing the diplomatic and consular ap-Nevertheless, Russia will not continue the war with the Germans and Austrians, "workmen and peasants, like ourselves."

The text of the statement says:

"The peace negotiations are at an end. The German capitaists, bankers and lnadlords, supported by t e silent cooperation of the Englsih and French bourgeoise, submitted to our comrades members of the peace de'egates at Brest Litovsk, conditions such as could not be subscribed to by the Russian revolution.

Could Not Sign Treaty.

"The governments of Germany and Austria possess countries and peoples vanquished by force of arms. To this authority the Russian people workmen and peasants, could not give its acquiescence. We could not sign that which would bring with it sadness, .p pression and suffering to millions of workmen and peasants.

"But we also can not, will not, an must not continue a war begun by czars and capitalists in alliance with czars and capitalists. We will not ties in most efficient manner poswe must not continue to be at war with the Germans and Austrians--

"We are not signing a peace of land-lords and capitalists. Let the German and Austrian soldiers know who are placing them in the field o battle and let them know for what with simple diets, officers and men, they are struggling. Let them know like trained athletes, are ready for also that we refuse to fight against their tasks. Forbidden the use of them. Our delegation fully consciou: of its responsibility before the Russian people and the oppressed work- and supported by their own moral ers and peasants of other countries courage, their good behavior is the declared on February 10, in the name of the council of the peoples commissaries of the government of the fed- mothers may rest assured that their eral Russian republic to the governments of the people involved in the war with us and of the neutral countries, that it refused to sign an an- battle field these splendid men will nexationist treaty. Russia for its part, declares the present war with hood." Germany and Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria at an end.

# **U.S. WILL EXCEED ALL EXPECTATIONS**

In Furnishing Men And Money For the War, Flood Declares.

Washington .- The United States will furnish more men and money for the war in a far shorter time, than has been the fondest hope of our own people of the nations with which we are associated," Chairman Flodo, of the foreign affairs committee, declared in the house today in presentpropriation bill.

The chairman's assertion was made in outlining the state department's war activities. As the result of the work of the house mission to Great Britain and France, Mr. Flood said, "a complete understanding exists of precisely what the allies need from this country and exactly what this country can furnish and when and how."

The appropriation bill carries \$8,-206,087 for the next fiscal year, \$3,-000,000 more than the current appropriation.

#### PRAISES FIGHTING MEN.

In a recent communication to Secretary of War Baker, the commander of the American Expeditionary Forces said:

"There has never been, a similar body of men to lead as clean lives as our American soldiers in France. They have entered this war with the highest devotion to duty and with no other idea than to perform these dusible. They fully realize their obligation to their own people, their workmen and peasants like ourselves. friends, and the country. A rigid program of instruction is carried out daily with traditional American enthusiasm. Engaged in healthy, interesting exercises in the open air, strong drink and protected by stringent regulations against sexual evils,

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own future depends on the construction of these ships. The fact is that the recent order issued by Fuel Administrator Garfield, closing the factories of the whole country, and the more recent freight embargo issued by Secretary McAdoo, tying up al the freight with the exception of food and fuel, came not because of a falling down on the part of the carriers themselves, but because of the lack of ships. The reason for this can do this. Every ounce which i is plain. The speeding up of the American factories piled in the Eastern seaports, and packed into every railway siding outside of the seaboard cities, thousands of loaded cars of materials for the war zone. The result was that even the coal required for the ships in harbor could not get through, and even the few ships which we now possess were held in harbor by empty bunkers and could not sail.

Until we have ships to clear the Atlantic ports of manufactured goods for which our Army in France and our Allies are in need, these enforced holidays and embargoes must recur, with the result that no factory in America can be assured of runnning full time ad no workman can count on continuous employment.

If you can drive this home to your people; if this lesson, through constant repitition, can be thoroughly learned; there is no doubt that you will get your quota of the necessary men

It is not mere numbers that coun--it is the efficiency of the men en rolled.

Aft is as much to the interest of the manufacturer to send his best men to the shipyards as it is to the interest of the man himself to go.

If the use of my name will in anyway help you in your work, you have the authority to use it, quoting from this statement, to the end that the people from your district may realize once and for all that on labor depends the construction of the needed ships, and on these ships depend not only the war itself, but the present industrial life of the nation.

> Yours respectfully, Edward N. Hurley, Chairman of the Board.

The United States and Great Britoin are speeding up their building programs and navel officials of both countries have confidently predicted that the submarine will be curbed this summer.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, functions and cleansing the bowels of GROVE'S TASTRLESS chill TONIC, drives out transmitter Try it Insist on Thed.

fish, game, eggs, dairy products, cheese, nuts, dried peas and beans. There will be no reduction in your market bill, but many pounds of life giving nourishment will be sent to people willingly offering themselfes as living sacrifices in our places.

"The time has come when when: and meat are more precious than money. Gold can not save the dyin; men only the food which we will send saved in America will be sent to a hungry soul in those desolated bullettorn battle fronts. Every man, wo man and child is called upon to help save the wheat and the meat supply of America."

The American dead as the result of the sinking of the steamer Tuscania apparently is at least 159.

Germany's action regarding Russia has proved that her declaration regarding no annexations had no real meaning.

### FAMILY A MEDICINE In Her Mother's Home, Says This

Georgia Lady, Regarding Black-Draught. Relief From Headache, Malaria, Chills, Etc.

Ringgold, Ga .- Mrs. Chas. Gaston. of this place, writes: "I am a user of Thedford's Black-Draught; in fact, it was one of our family medicines. Also in my mother's home, when was a child. When any of us children complained of headache, usually caused by constipation, she gave us a dose of Black-Draught, which would rectify the trouble. Often in the Spring, we would have malaria and chills, or troubles of this kind, we would take Black-Draught pretty regular until the liver acted well, and we would soon be up and around again. We would not be without it, for it certainly has saved us lots of doctor bills. Just a dose of Black-Draught when not so well saves a lot of days in bed.

Thedford's Black-Draught has been in use for many years in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles, and the popularity which it now enjoys is proof of its merit.

If your liver is not doing its duty, you will suffer from such disagreeable symptoms as headache, billousness, constipation, indigestion, etc., and unless something is done, serious trouble may result.

Thedford's Black-Draught has been found a valuable remedy for these troubles. It is purely vegetable, and acts in a prompt and natural way, regulating the liver to its proper impurities. Try it. Insist on ThedHer Best Wisnes.

It was the last day of school. The teacher was giving a farewell party for at Tiptop School March 2nd, at 7:30 are appended. 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 goodby. One by one they marched up and pockets so they can secure a good shook hands with their dear teacher. Supper. Doris said: "I hope you will get as good a husband as my papa is.'

There will be a nox Supper held p. m. Everybody is cordially invited

NOTICE.

-S. A. Johnson, Principal.

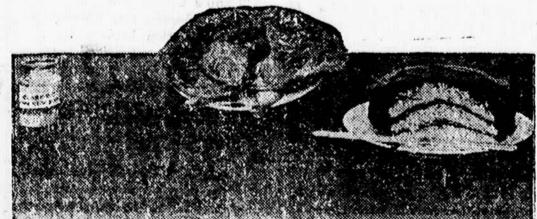
### **Protecting Your Children**

The long, hard school term drains the vitality of growing children and you wonder why they are listless, puny and pale.

Every school child will show marked improvement in health and growth if given

Its rich, uniform cod liver oil gets into their blood and gives then. vim, snap and zest. It creates strength to resist school sicknesses, overcome pinched faces, sallow complexions and dull eyes. High authorities have established again and again that cod liver oil promotes growth and energizes the body and brain. The imported Norwegian cod liver oil always used in Scott's Emulsion is now refined in our own American laboratories which guarantees it free from impurities. Front & Roome, Bloomfield, N. 4. 17-15

> CHICKEN FAT is often wasted. The french Housewic thinks it is the finest shortening for cakes,



Simultaneously, the Russian troops received an order for complete demobilization on all fronts."

The signatures of Leon Trotzky and other members of the delegation

In connection with the statement to attend. All the girls will b ing an order also has been issued that heavy boxes and the boys heavy necessary steps be taken immediately days they do not work is ample, and for declaring to the troops that the they are not likely to get sick feedwar with Germany, Austria, Turkey, and Bulgaria is regarded from 'the present moment as being at an end. cent. of them will die as a result of Seys:

> "No military operations must again take place. The beginning of that have been brought into the couna general demobilization on all fronts ty during the last six months. I is decreed. I order the issue of instruction on the front for the withdrawal of the troops from the first line and for their concentration in the rear and further for their de- you can get ready to dig a hole to patch to the interior of Russia, in accordance with the general plan for demobilization. For the demense of that has any effect on tick fever. the frontier some detachments of Clean up the ticks this year and you younger soldiers must be left. . . .

"Remember that only systematic demobilization can be carried out in the shortest time and that systematic demobilization alone can prevent interfeience with the sending of food supplies to those detachments which remain for a certain period on the front.

## FIREWOOD SUPPLY **URGED BY GOSSET1**

Clemson College. Addressing the farm demonstration agents meeting here tonight B. B. Gossett, federal fuel administrator for South Carolina, made it plain that it is incumbent upon the people of the State to lay in large supplies of wood now for use next winter, or else suffering from the lack of fuel might result.

"No one knows how much coal there will be for general fuel purposes next year," Mr. Gossett said. tion. "Instead it is entirely possible that those communities that have an abun dant wood supply available may be denied any coal next winter, especial ly as they have the entire spring and General Tonic because it contains the summer to prepare for the winter by well known tonic properties of QUININE

subject of most favorable comments, especially by our allies. American sons are a credit to them and to the Nation, and they may well look forward to the proud day when on the shed a new luster on American man-

CARE OF STOCK.

Just a word of caution to some of the farmers in this County who are buying horses and brood mares to work on their farms. They must be looked at different than the mule, for instance they must not be fed a full ration of corn when they are not ing that way, whereas if they are fed full meals while they are idle 99 per This order bears no signature but the farmer's seeming kindness. Also some farmers have bought some of those good milk cows and heifers want you to bear in mind that you haven't cleaned up the cattle tick yet, and if you allow one little tick to get on your new cow or heifer, put them in as they nearly always die, and there is no treatment know can raise lots of good beef and dairy cuttle.

> -Dr. C. Hedley, Veterinary Inspector.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo. Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co. doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOL-LARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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