S. S. Convention, Held at Buffalo, N. Y., June 19-25, 1918.

Editor Keowee Courier: May I "IN A WERK TANLAC HAD ME use your press to tell your readers something of this great convention. Sunday School Service Creed.

Here are some of the "planks" of the platform adopted by the conven-

For the social solidarity of the race.

For the recognition of the priest-

For Christian character, or vital life that is "hid with Christ in God." For self-renouncing love as funda-

relations of men.

from every department of life.

democracy, not only in State, but I was nervous to kfil. also in the home, in industry, in eduthe interests of our brother-men.

not creeds as constituting the heart- man. It was two months ago that I message of Jesus to our day.

For the sharing of our good will giving, because we know their needs and we are brothers.

For that exaltation of the little Richland .- Adv. child which the Master's tender solicitude teaches, with all that such exaltation implies, both for it and for adults.

For the peace of the world, as the normal state of man, even though we must employ force to secure it-a peace exalting the men and the nations that pursue it, and that shall ation of selfish advantage.

For the answering of our Master's prayer for his followers-"That they on time, when the creeks flow up hill, all may be one,"-that the world may believe in his Sonship, and so be redeemed through faith incarnated in men and regnant in the institu- upward from the earth upon the sky, tions that minister to our life.

Some Statistics.

The statistics showed that the International Association represents raising cotton, when fish climb trees States, Canada, Mexico, Cuba, the then, maybe, we'll have lower taxes. West Indies, the Pawaiian Islands, and Central America. This shows a gain of 21,518 Sunday schools since the last International Convention in Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Chicago in 1914.

There are 1,886,821 officers and teachers and 17,236,227 pupils, making a total Sunday school enrollment for the international field of should take sickening, salivating cal-20,649,797.

The gain in erollment for the past four years has been 2,208,761, or perfect substitute for calomel. more than half a million a year.

Of the 3,389 counties, 2,676 are organized. Nearly 63,000 conventions have been held in the international field, or in excess of 15,000 a year-averaging 43 conventions every day in the year for the past four years.

The cradle rolls have increased from 44,268 to 57,155, a gain of 1,-579; and the "babies" total 1,360,-377, a gain of 325,490.

There are 76,366 organized secondary classes and 67,641 adult classes, while the home department has 33,710 departments and 909,251 members who "go to Sunday school at home."

Community schools are becoming popular, and there are now 174 in successful operation.

For the quadrennium a population of 10,906,723 has been visited by the home visitation department, making a total of 47,800,000 during the ten years of this important work

Temperance lessons have been emphasized to such an extent that 4 .been signed.

More than 67,000 Sunday schools have observed Decision Day, and only a German question; it is a there is a record of 1,582,575 additions to the church from the Sunday school during the past four years, an average of 7,600 for every Sunday during the quadrennium,

I am, Mr. Editor, for another year, Oconee county's executive committeeman of the South Carolina Sunday School Association. I did not seek the position. I do not intend to go to sleep on the job. With your kind permission, your readers will hear from me from time to time on this great work.

I hear of good men in our county who are privately opposing organized Sunday school work. I cannot understand such opposition. It must surely be based on misunderstanding. Come out in the open, friends. Use this paper to inform the public why you fight allied Sunday school work. Then after you have convinced the readers that organized Sunday school work is harmful, turn your guns on the allied nations in the world's war, on community efforts for War Stamps sales, Liberty loans, Y.M.C.A. and

THINKS TANLAC IS

FEELING LIKE NEW WOMAN."

HIGHLY PRAISES IT.

Could Hardly Keep Out of Bed When She Started Taking Master Medicine.

Tanlac gave me back my strength hood and kinship of every child of and made me feel fine in every way. I think it is the grandest medicine in the world, and I can heartily recompiety, as the proper credential of the mend it to any one who suffered from the complaints I had," was the emphatic statement given by Mrs. Lizzie mental in the Christian social order. Bryson, of Piedmont, S. C., in en-For the Christianization of all the dorsement of Tanlac, on May 9th. 'When I began taking 'Tanlac I was For the banishment of autocracy so weak and broken down I could hardly keep out of bed. I had no For the progressive realization of appetite. I could not sleep well and

"The Tanlac gave me back my cation, in social life, in the church, health and strength, though. I soon and in all the institutions that touch had a fine appetite. My nerves be-For such a reduction of disciple- fine in every way. In a week the came strong and steady and I feel ship as shall emphasize deeds and Tanlac had me feeling like a new wo-

stopped taking Tanlac." Tanlac, the master medicine, is with all men, not withholding till sold exclusively by Bell's Drug Store, they seek it at our hands, but freely Walhalla; J. C. Cain, Oakway; Sagiving, because we know their needs lem Drug Co., Salem; Seneca Pharmacy, Seneca; Stonecypher Drug Co., Westminster; Hughs & Dendy,

When Taxes Wil' Be Lower.

(Greenville News.) When somebody finds the pot on the end of the rainbow, when water can be changed into wine, when the "Standing Room Only" sign is hung outside of the churches, when the endure because based on love for stores give away all they have instead fellow-men and not on any consider- of selling it, when Reedy River is as clear as crystal, when nobody seeks office, when all railroads always run when the sun rises at night and sets in the morning, when everybody loves the Huns, when the rain falls when men walk on their heads instead of their feet, when women stop gossiping, when the farmers stop 197,203 Sunday schools in the United and rattlesnakes are household pets,

CALOMEL SALIVATES

AND MAKES YOU SICK

Liver and You Lose a Day's Work.

There's no reason why a person omel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone-a

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and cannot salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel to-day and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated to-morrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more billousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour sto-mach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you .-- Adv.

German Favors Evacuation Belgium.

London, July 18 .-- German newspapers give prominence to an interesting statement on Belgium by Prof. Hans Delbrucck in the Neues Weiner Journal, says a dispatch from Amsterdam. The statement reads:

"Germany now will lose nothing by declaring her readiness to evacuate Belgium without conditions and 102,179 temperance pledges have to reinstate her independence and her integrity. Germany has plenty of other safeguards. Belgium is not

world question. "No peace is possible in the world unless Belgium is as free as before the war. Even America has the greatest interest in Belgium. Until Belgium becomes free the world cannot accept even the indirect rule of Germany over her."

If there's not plenty of ripe, juicy, luscious fruit on the table at each meal, it's a good time to resolve on a campaign of orchard-planting this

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 60c.

Red Cross drives. Maybe you can convince Oconee county that all cooperative efforts are wrong, and that the wiser plan is "Byery man for himself, and let his Satanic Majesty get the hindmost.'

Fraternally.

Wm. S. Morrison. Clemson College, July 17, 1918.

"GRANDEST REMEDY" FARMERS MAY GRIND

Food Administration Rules Governing Grinding of Home-Grown Wheat Modified-Flour May Be Sold Under Certain Conditions.

Columbia.-Under modified regulations of the Food Administration farmers are now permitted to grind a full year's supply of flour from home grown wheat. Millers throughout South Carolina have been authorized by the Food Administration to grind, from wheat made by farmers, enough flour to supply their families and their tensuts for 12 months. This amount must, however, be based upon a calculation of 12 pounds per month per

Although using flour ground from home-grown wheat, farmers are expected by the Food Administration to nevertheless observe strictly the fifty-fifty rule and to use tiour substitutes, pound for pound, with the flour they have ground. The fact that they have produced their own wheat does not release them from this obligation. They are also expected to see to it that their tenants, furnished by them, use flour substitutes on the fifty-fifty

Farmers who grow wheat may sell flour to their neighbors who perhaps have not, but in such cases they will be required, under the rules of the Food Administration, to sell an equal amount of flour substitutes, the same as a merchant, or take miller's certificates from the purchaser showing lage; then I mounted my charger that the purchaser has had flour substitutes ground to cover the flour bought, pound for pound. Farmers may sell flour, from their wheat, to merchants, but when merchants resell this flour it must be sold, pound for pound, with flour substitutes, to the persons who buy it.

These regulations apply to threchermen as well as to marmers.

LICENSES ARE REQUIRED TO DEAL IN POULTRY

Columbia,-Country or cross-road storekeepers who buy eggs and sometimes poultry from the farmers, for selling again, are required, under the proclamation of President Wilson of May 14th, to obtain licenses from the Food Administration. The fact that most country stores are in the retail business on a very small scale does not alter the case, but as a rule these storekeepers have not considered themselves liable. The President's proclamation required the licensing of all those engaged in certain lines of business, including "operators of poultry and egg packing plants not diready licensed under the United States Food Administration." Under this classification, anyone who ; alls poultry or eggs in any way than at retail to the consumer, regardless of the amount of business done, must be licensed. In order to comply with the law all country stones buying eggs and poultry from farmers must fill out blanks obtained from the United States Food Administration, and have licenses issued to them.

WHY WE MUST SAVE FOOD

Reserveir of Men, of Ships and of Feed to Save Werld Civilization.

By Herbert Hoover.

"if you could stand in the middle of Europe today and survey the land to its borders, you would discover its whole population of 400,000,000 human being short of food. Millions of peo ple in Poland, Finland, Serbia, Ar menia and Russia are dying of starva tion and other millions are suffering com too little food. Our Allies and the neutrals are living on the barest margins that will support life and strength.

"This, the most appalling and dreadful thing that has come to humanity since the dawn of civilization, is to me the outstanding creation of German militarism. The Germans themselves are not the wost sufferers. They are extorting at the cannon's mouth the harvests and cattle of the people they have overrun, leaving them in desolation. If the war were to cease tomorrow, the toll of actual dread from starvation and its attendant diseases within the German lines would double or treble the 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 of men who have been actually killed by Germany and her allies in arms. The 10,000,000 people in occupied Belgium and Northern France would have died of starvation had it not been for us

and the Allies. "We must build our food resources to stand ready for any demands upon us by the Allies. It is of no purpose to us to send millions of our best to France if we fail to maintain strength of their men, women and children on our lines of communication. The United States is the last reservoir of men, the last reservoir of ships, the last reservoir of munitions and the 1 at reservoir of food upon which the Allied world must depend if Germany is to be defeated and if we are to be free men "

IN THE WAR ZONE. * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

The following extracts are taken from a letter published in the Greenville News of July 18. The writer, a former Presbyterian pastor in the city of Greenville, is a chaplain of the 118th infantry, in which organization there are a number of Walhalla and Oconee boys:

No Casualties in 118th.

"We have had no casualties yet. An outfit which is next to us seems to have quite a streak of hard luck. Day before yesterday while the men were on the drill ground they discovered a shell which had fallen without exploding. They picked it up and passed it around. While they were examining it, the order came to 'fall in,' and the man who had the shell at the time, fistead of placing it gently on the ground, tossed it over to the place where they had found it. The firing mechanism was set off and there were forty-two casualties. Yesterday part of the outfit was on the march and had stopped in a wood to rest. The orderlies had taken the officers' horses down the road a short distance. A curiouslooking motor truck came along, stampeded the horses, which ran pell mell through the bunch of men who were lying stretched out on the ground. One man had his skull fractured and there were other minor in-

An Interesting Service.

"I had a most interesting day last Sunday. I preached to over a thousand men and officers in the public square of a most picturesque viland rode to the ruins of a very old monastery or fort some miles distant. I had for a pulpit the remains of an old tower and the men were seated about here and there on the ruins. On a bluff about 100 feet above us was an anti-aircraft battery on the alert and on the road about half a mile away we could see an endless stream of men and lorries moving to the front. There were about the same number of men in the second congregation, and next Sunday I am to travel somewhat farther to meet the third section of my congregation.

The Hellish Huns.

"Twice recently I have been in bombed hospitals and have talked with those who were present. There can be no possible doubt that the taken." Huns knew the exact nature of the play to make their work complete is enough to arouse the fighting spirit deem him best fitted. of any decent person. It is impossible for me to conceive of their object in such raids. It seems that they would have learned by now that than cause a weakening through terorization.

"I hope that the reports which come to us of the large number of American troops on the way are true. The spirit among the Americans everywhere is to fight the thing out at once. Our allies on the othe hand, seem to be resigned to an indefinite struggle, and they have some difficulty in getting our viewpoint. really think that one of the strongest factors in putting pep and push into the American army is the fact that so many of them married just a short time before they left the States thus giving them the strongest incentive to conclude matters that they may have a speedy return home."

SOME STARTLING FACTS.

More children die during the teeth ng period than consumption kills annually. The pain and discomfor that comes with this disease of chilhood may be avoided. Save doctor bills and sleepless nights by givin the sick, crying and restless child a few doses of Dr. Thornton's Easy-Teether as directed. It tides the tiny folks over the critical period of life safely. "Give the baby a chance." 18 doses for 25c., at all dealers. Easy Teether Medicine Co., Canon, Ga.—Adv.

Kershaw Lad Killed by Lightning.

Kershaw, July 18 .- Hoyt Jones, 1-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, was struck and instantly cilled by lightning Monday while feeding a flock of turkeys. He was the youngest of 17 children.

Paper matches are built into a new paper box for eigarettes.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

ASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his per-Charffelter and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy.
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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY,

Quoted Scripture for Exemption.

Richmond, Va., July 18 .- Quoting Deuteronomy 24:5, a draft registrant has written to the local board demanding deferred classification for army service.

After advising the board that he recently became a Benedict, the registrant, who happens to be in Class 1, calls attention to the Biblical quo-

"When a man taketh a new wife he shall not go to war, neither shall he sections where the Germans have be charged with any business; he shall be free at home for one year, and shall cheer his wife which he has

The registrant promises the board buildings they were bombing and that after the conclusion of the year he hellish ingenuity which they dis- he will be ready to enter the service in any capacity the war board should

Dr. Alfred Kahn, of New York University, has invented an ingenious light which the physician may such actions rather stiffen the will hold in his mouth and thereby leave of their opponents to crush them his hands free for the purpose of making examination.

> BLUE RIDGE RAILWAY. Between Belton and Walhalla.

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Train No. 6. Mixed Daily except Sunday, (not scheduled above) leaves Walhalla at 1.25 p. m.; West Union at 1.35 and arrives Seneca at 2 p. m. Train lies over at 8 eneca until following day and runs from Seneca to Bel'on as No. 8.

Flag Stations: Anderson Freight Depot, West Anderson, Denver, Sandy Springs, Autum, Cherry's Crossing, Adams' Crossing, Jordania.

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J. R. ANDERSON, Supt.

Do Not Get Careless With Your Blood Supply

Impurities Invite Disease.

You should pay particular heed to any indication that your blood supply is becoming sluggish, or that there is a lessening in its strong and vital force.

Ing. A few bottles of S. S. S., the great vegetable blood medicine, will revitalize your blood and give you new strength and a healthy, vigorous vitality. Everyone needs it just now to keep the system in perfect condition. Go to your drug store and get a bottle to-day, and if you need any medical advise. medical advice, you can obtain it By keeping your blood purified, your system more easily wards off disease that is ever present, waiting to attack wherever there is an open-

CAMPAIGN MEETINGS FIXED.

The following county campaign eetings will be held: Long Creek—Monday, July 26. Salem—Tuesday, August 6 Westminster--Saturday, August 10. Seneca-Saturday, August 17

Walhalla—Saturday, August 24.
The time of each of these meetings will be at 3 p. m., which will avoid the necessity for the people being away from their work all day.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will make application to V. F. Martin, Judge of Probate for Oconee County, in the State of South Carolina, at his office at Walhalla. Court House, on Monday, August 6th, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as said application can be heard, for leave to make final settlement of the estate of T. J. Hunter, deceased, and obtain final discharge as Administrator of said estate. G. J. HUNTER, Administrator of the Estate of T. J.

Hunter, deceased. July 2, 1918.

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