

At this Time when Women's Thoughts Turn to THINGS TO WEAR

and where to get them, there are several reasons why

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1st:

In these times of scarcity in Merchandise of good quality, we take pride in the fact of selling Merchandise of Quality, second to no one in South Carolina.

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| Suits from | \$12.50 to \$75.00 |
| Coat from | \$ 7.50 to \$69.00 |
| Dresses from | \$ 5.00 to \$49.50 |
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Oregon, Ill.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for an organic trouble which pulled me down until I could not put my foot to the floor and could scarcely do my work, and as I live on a small farm and raise six hundred chickens every year it made it very hard for me. "I saw the Compound advertised in our paper, and tried it. It has restored my health so I can do all my work and I am so grateful that I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. D. M. ALTERS, R. 4, Oregon, Ill.

OUTLINES AIMS OF OPPRESSED PEOPLE

Czechs, Slavs and Poles State Case to President UPHOLD AMERICA IN WAR Creation of New Central Body Agreed Upon at Conferences in Washington

Washington, Sept. 22.—Representatives of the Czecho-Slovaks, the Jugoslavs and the Poles at conferences in Washington during the past two weeks, have agreed upon a program of aims of the oppressed peoples in Austria-Hungary which has been laid before President Wilson. Creation of a new central body of the central European groups which will protect the interests of all of them was forecast in the announcement today of the result of the conferences.

Participating in the meetings were Prof. T. E. Masaryk, president of the Czecho-Slovak national council, which has been recognized by the Entente powers with the supreme body of the Czecho-Slovaks, Ignace J. Paderewsky, of the Polish national committee, Ramon Dmoski, president of the Polish national committee at Paris, and Dr. H. Hinkovitch, of the Jugoslav council, as well as other representatives of three groups. President Wilson was assured that not only had the oppressed nationalities within Austria-Hungary severally reached agreements for the forwarding of their own national aims but also had agreed to uphold the President and the American people in winning the war.

VELVET BEANS SOLVE SOUTH'S FEED PROBLEM

The feed question is being solved in many parts of the South by abundant yields of velvet beans which were sown on a large acreage this year. Owing to the increased acreage in Georgia, that State alone could take care of 50,000 to 100,000 head of cattle from States where forage is scarce, according to a report recently received by the Bureau of Crop Estimates. Large quantities of last year's velvet beans also remain on hand and are being used extensively in feeding dairy cattle. In tests conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture on the Government farms at Beltsville, Md., it was found that velvet beans compare favorably with cotton-seed meal, producing profitable gains when the beans are the sole concentrate of the ration; that a combination of corn silage and velvet beans forms a satisfactory ration for fattening steers for market; that it is more profitable to feed soaked beans than it is to grind them; and that more beans will be eaten if soaked before they are fed than if they are fed dry.

MINERS' FAMILIES SAVE WHEAT

In St. Louis County, Minn., where 85 to 90 per cent of the population are foreign born, or have foreign-born parents, the county home demonstration agent of the United States Department of Agriculture and the State Agricultural College has helped the women attack some of their biggest problems. A three months' campaign in wheat saving in six towns in this mining section resulted in reaching 3,000 families and saving 62 tons of

HOW'S THIS

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wheat flour by the use of substitutes, in spite of the fact that opposition was met at first from the Austrians and Finns, who had considered the use of white bread a mark of independence and prosperity. Figures collected during a recent child-welfare campaign in the county proved that, owing to improper diet, a large majority of the children were subnormal in height and weight. Fifteen hundred of these have promised the agent to drink a pint of milk a day, or to "howl till they get it." In August a two-day canning school was held in each town in the "Iron Range", at which selected leaders received special training which enabled them to pass on the instruction to the women in their communities.

SLACKERS SHOT BY POSSE One Brother Killed, the Other Seriously Wounded

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 22.—Jonas Skiles is dead and his brother, Henry, probably fatally wounded as a result of a raid by Sheriff Bob Bass and a posse on the rendezvous of a gang of slackers in the wilds of Signal mountain this afternoon. For some time reports have reached the sheriff that draft slackers were in hiding in the mountains. Accompanied by several deputies, the sheriff made a descent on their lair. The Skiles boys were encountered by the posse and ordered to halt.

Failing to heed the command of the officers, who were armed with riot guns, the two men were riddled with buckshot. John Skiles, after being shot, fell from a cliff, breaking his neck and smashing his skull. Henry Skiles' body was perforated with shot and he was brought to the city and taken to a hospital, where, it is said, he is in a serious condition.

WILL RECEIVE REFUGEES

Finland Affords Harbor for Persecuted Russians

Helsingfors, Finland, Sept. 22, Via Copenhagen.—"In view of the condition of anarchy and murder at Petrograd and the defenseless situation of a great part of the population," says an official statement issued here. "Finland's government feels that on purely humanitarian grounds it cannot refuse to permit Russian, English, American and Italian refugees to come to Finland."

The Finnish Government, however, the statement says, is compelled by the scarcity of provisions to beg the three Scandinavian countries—Norway, Sweden and Denmark—to help in harboring a portion of the refugees.

Mutual Repatriation

London, Sept. 22.—It is understood in official circles here that arrangements are progressing for the mutual repatriation of British subjects in Russia and Russians in Great Britain. Information is said to have been received from M. Teherin, the Russian foreign minister, which leads to the belief that British subjects will be gotten out of Russia safely.

NO DIFFERENCE The Proof is Here the Same As Everywhere

For those who seek relief from kidney backache, weak kidneys, bladder ills, Doan's Kidney Pills offer hope of relief, and the proof is here in Manning the same as everywhere. Manning people have used Doan's and Manning people recommend Doan's the kidney remedy used in America for fifty years. Why suffer? Why run the risk of dangerous kidney ills—fatal Bright's disease. Here's Manning proof. Investigate it.

Mrs. C. M. Taylor, S. Boundry St. says: "About a year ago I was troubled with kidney complaint. I had terrible backache and headaches bothered me. Nervous spells upset me and my nerves were just a wreck. I felt tired and languid and I suffered with dizzy spells. Finally I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and bought some at Arant's Drug Store. I can certainly say Doan's did me a wonderful lot of good and quickly relieved me."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Taylor had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

AMERICAN STEAMER SUNK Sixty-four of Torpedoed Buena Ventura's Crew Missing

Coruna, Spain, Sept. 22.—Three officers and twenty-seven of the crew

of the American steamer Buena Ventura have arrived here. The vessel was torpedoed last Monday. Three boats, with sixty-four of the crew, are missing. The Buena Ventura was proceeding from Bordeaux, where she had unloaded a cargo of petroleum from Philadelphia. The vessel was of 4,881 gross tons and belonged to the United States Steel Products Company.

Madrid, Sept. 22.—Official announcement was made today that the officers and men of the crew of an American vessel, sunk by a German submarine, had arrived at Coruna, on the northwest coast of Spain.

JAPANESE CABINET QUILTS Ministers Had Held Office Since October, 1916

Tokio, Sept. 22.—The Japanese cabinet, headed by Field Marshal Count Terauchi, which had held office since October, 1916, resigned today.

No Worms in a Healthy Child All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILDTONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

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