MORE MEN WANTED

Males Under 40 and Those Who Have share in helping to "make the world Interesting Items Gathered From The Brached 21. Era of That Place.

Savannah, Ga., March 12 .- Due to he fact that the knowledge which prevails among the general public in regard to the requirements which must be met by a man before he is eligible for enlistment in the army does not seem to be very clear, the recraiting afficials for this district have sent out information throwing light on this matter and clearing up any possible doubt which may exist in the minds of. ome. A brief summary is given here: Persons who are over 40 years of age but have not yet attained their 41st birthday may enlist in the army. Young men who are now 21 years of age but who were not 21 years old on registration day (June 5th, 1917) ficials advise all young men who are to grasp this opportunity to choose their own branch of service and then join the colors as a volunteer, as it now seems probable that a law will be passed requiring men attaining the age of 21 to register. No registered man may volunteer for service in the army, except in occasional instances when men of special qualifications are needed immediately. Enlistment in the army now is for the period of the war only, and a volunteer is not required to sign up for any definite length of time; this fact has caused many to join. Married men may enlist on the same basis as single men, and family allowances are granted. The only educational qualification necessary is ability to speak English. The physical examination given now is not nearly so strict as that given a year ago, and the officials advise any who may have been rejected at previous dates because of slight physical defects to make another attempt, as the second attempt may be suc-Practically every branch of cessful. the service is now open, and a man who volunteers is given the privilege of taking his choice of the branch of the army he desires. Both white and colored men are wanted and needed, the colored men to do Stevedore work. The opportunities afforded a volunteer at this time are greater than ever before in the nation's history. The pay is good, the chances of promotion splendid and the living conditions are excellent. 'There is no necessity, the officials state, for reviewing the reasons why all men able to do so should help the land of their birth in these facts fully impressed upon their minds. In the years to come after the war is over, those who failed to join the colors at this time when they

weighed in the balances and found wanting and that they did not do their

It Was No Soft Sweet Voice. Marlboro, N. Y .- There's going to be a contest in these parts as to what Church last Wednesday afternoon, section can be called the "zoological garden spot" of New York. Yonkers may have its wolves; bears may live in Hastings, but 'Mrs. John Monahan, of this place, met a six-

foot rattlesnake in her back yard yesterday. Mrs. Monahan's cry for help was heard by D. S. Scott, nearly three

miles away. He killed the snake.

Spartanburg Man Killed.

A cablegram received in Spartanburg announced the death of Lieut. Frank Gibbes Montgomery m France from are still permitted to enlist. The of an airplane accident. He was son of Walter S. Montgomery, president of the now 21 years old and not registered Spartanburg mills in Spartanburg.

The Lost Opportunity.

The crow perched high in the sycamore, And shifted his head from side to

side: He beeded not the stinging sleet-

Which cut his blue-black feet-He viewed the landscape, far beneath

His lofty perch and cawed in glee, Caw! Caw! methink I see A morsel there for me."

The icy limbs of the sycamore Bespoke of the chill of winter winds Bare branches rattled, swayed and shrieked,

The trunk, responsive, creaked; The fields were glazed with glist'ning sleet.

But Master Crow still cawed in glee "Caw! Caw! I'm glad 1 see That meal down there for me."

He fluffed his feathers o'er his aching feet,

And balanced himself as best he could :

Although the winds his plumage frayed.

Up in that tree he stayed!

Though dismal clouds hung low and black,

And threatened night's approach in glee

He cawed, "How good to see That bread awaiting me!"

While hunger, piercing wind, raw sleet and cold

Benumbed his small body, yet he clung this great crisis, as all men have had Fast to the swaying branch and said "No other sees that bread!" Ere long another crow flew near And circled 'round, then ate the

bread. were able to do so, the officials say, The waiting crow dropped dead! the winner cawed o.'erhead! will be caused bitter disappointment -Exchange. and life-long regret that they were

KERSHAW NEWS NOTES

An unusually pretty wedding was To the boys of South Carolina : solemnized at the Kershaw Methodist when Miss Mary Louise Dye, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dye, became the bride of Rufus Emerson Thompson of Lancaster.

Mrs. J. C. Hilton of Westville, is visiting her son, Dr. P. B. Hilton, at Whitmire. From there she will go to Greenville to visit another son, R. H. Hilton, who is stationed at Camp Sevier.

A. R. Rollings of Pinewood, who was a citizen of Kershaw several years ago, was a visitor here this week. He came to visit his brothers R. E. and L. R. Rollings in the Oakhurst section. Rev. Jas. Russell will supply the Beaver Creek Presbyterian Church twice in each month, preaching in the forenoon at 11 o'clock on the first and third Sundays. In the evenings of the same days he will preach to the Kershaw Presbyterian congregation in the Methodist Church. This arrangement will contane until a pastor is called here.

G. C. Welsh is serving as a petit juror in the United States court at Florence. He was at home for the week end.

Misses Wilbur McCallum, Loree Truesdale and Cecile Truesdale, and James Roseboro, of Camden, motored to Kershaw Sunday and were the guests of Miss Elva Reese at the home of her parents on South Matson St. Rev. Mr. DeVane, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Liberty Hill, preached to the Kershaw Presbyterian

congregation in the Kershaw Methodist Church Sunday night. The Kershaw High School basket ball team played the Camden High School team at Camden last Friday evening and came out victors by a score of 28 to 9. This gives. Ker- did training to be received from valshaw the best two out of three in their contests against Camden, As will be seen by notice in another col- plant and animal life. Besides, the umn, the Kershaw boys will play Columbia here next Friday afternoon to decide the matter of who will play the Greenville Highs for the State cham-

pionship. Supervisor M. C. West was in Kershaw Saturday afternoon. Mr. West says that he bas placed an order with W E Daniel representative of the Internation Harvester Co. for a traction engine. The order was given on approval after the engine has been thoroughly tried out. If it does satisfactory work the county will keep the engine and pay for it, otherwise it

will not be accepted. Flagman Blamed for Wreck. Columbia, S. C., March 7 .- Primary responsibility for the wreck near Frost, a small station about six and one-half miles west of Columbia, on the Southern railway, February 25, when 13 persons lost their lives and-37 were injured, some of them se-

MR. BAKER TO THE BOYS

in the Club For The Coming Year.

that the world is being made over,

and it is your good fortune and mine,

that we have a part in this re-making

not one thing is left undone that will

help make the world a fit place for

A plentiful supply of corn and hogs

must be grown. Our State responded

nobly to the call of the President

for an increased production of food

in 1917. The corn crop was increas-

ed 248,000 acres, and the yield 11,939,

000 bushels over that of 1916. In this

increase the Club Boys played an im-

Corn is not the only great need, and

in the production of which we can en-

facing a shortage of hogs. Besides

called upon to furnish greater quan-

situation should not be underestimated.

may be your brother.

therefrom.

late.

Each boy in South Carolina should

Christian people to live in.

portant part.

process. Let us each see to it that

Gives Them Advice Concerning Work Items of Interest Gathered From Bishopville Vindicator.

LEE COUNTY NEWS

Miss Ada Carroll, who volunteered Bishopyille, S. C., March 2. some time ago as Red Cross nurse, is We are now in the early part of now-stationed at Montgomery, Ala. a new year, which year may go down Mr. B. Frank Kelley was sick in in history as the most important iu ed and not able to attend court. All all the history of the world. Wonderases in which he was interested were ful things are happening among all postponed. the nations of the earth. This means

Capt. Scott. Lieut. Watford and Sergt. Kilgore attended a meeting of the officers of the State Regiment of Reserve Militia in Columbia Monday. Dr. Harvey M. McLure, who is now stationed in the medical corps at Jacksonville, was called back here this

veek to testify in a case in court. Mrs. Harry Scarborough, of Florence, Mrs. Richbough, of Summerton, and Mesdames Warren and Hope of Norfolk, are spending some time with their mother Mrs. J. L. Shuford, who is recovering from a severe illness. Rev. H. D. Corbett and wife of

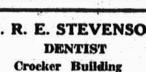
obeville, accompanied by Mrs. Louise Corbett and Master Philip Tiller of Mayesville spent Sunday at the home of Mr. J. S. Corbett.

gage. We are told that the world is Last Tuesday afternoon before the the necessity of supplying the needs altar in the Methodist Church was solemnized the marriage of Miss Elizaof our own soldiers, we are being beth Hearon to Lieut. William G. Sprott, of U. S. Regulars, Rev. G. P. tities to the allies. The gravity of this Watson performing the ceremony. Soon after the ceremony they left for Mercedes, Texas, where Lieut. Sprott's be asking "what can I do?" You can company is stationed.

join the Boys' Corn and Pig Clubs, On Tuesday morning, February 27. which are being condocted by Clem-Mrs. Nannie Tidwell died after an illson College and the United States Deness of several months. She was up partment of Agriculture cooperating. going around until a few days before and be a producer of food, and thereby help to feed a soldier-that soldier her death. Mrs. Tidwell was in her forty-first year. She was born and raised in Oakman, Ala., but came to There are thousands of good, bright South Carolina with her father in 1901 boys on the farms of South Carolina, practically all of whom should be and lived in this State until her death. Prior to her marriage she was Miss enrolled as members of the Boys' Corn Kemp and Jan. 12, 1907, was married and Pig Clubs, and secure the splento Mr. Frank Tidwell of her home community. Mrs. Tidwell_leaves one uable lessons taught them through the sister, Mrs. R. H. Wilson, of Bishopstudy of the soil, cultural methods, ville. She was a member of the Methodist Church since childhood, a good splendid profits that may be derived Thristian woman and loved by many. Funeral services were conducted by If you are interested, either get the pastor of the Methodist Church, in touch at once with your County Rev. Mr. Watson. She was buried by Demonstration Agent, who will be glad the side of her father in the Bethlehem to enroll you, furnish you with all

cemetery near Bishopville. necessary information, and assist you in getting good seed corn and a good India leads all countries in the impig, or you may have your teacher forportation of cotton goods. ward your name to the County Agent

DR. R. E. STEVENSON



Camden, S. C.

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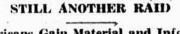
L. L. Baker. Supervising Agent Boy's Club Work.

asking that you be enrolled. I am

sure he or she will take pleasure in

assisting you. You should not delay

this matter, as the season is getting



Americans Gain Material and Information But No Prisoners.

With the American Army in France, Monday March 11 .- (By the Associverely, was placed on Harvey Lock- ated Press.)-An American raiding lier, of Columbia, flagman on train party entered the German trenches 18. operated from Greenville to Co- along the Toul sector at 6 o'clock this lumbia, by William Maxwell, superin- morning after an artillery bombardtendent of the Spartanburg division ment of forty-five minutes and

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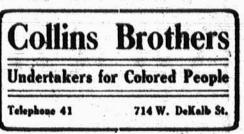
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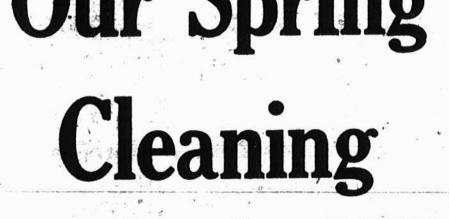


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of the Southern railway, under whose brought back much material and in road commission.

The flagman, contended the superintendent, had failed to observe the adopted by the Southern railway for did "not display good judgment" in blowing the flagman, Locklier, in, when the rules required him to pro-

STRANGE LIGHT IN NORTH

Aurora Borealis Observed Over The United States.

Atlanta, Ga., March 8.-For the first time in many years the aurora borealis was observed in Dixie last night. The phenomena was visible for several hours at many points, according to reports today. Telegraphic and telephonic communication was but slightly interrupted.

The intense glow of the northern light was observed from many points in Georgia. At Rome, many persons thought a great forest fire was raging. Although the sky was overcast by clouds in the vicinity of Atlanta, a number of people noted a display of lights in the north.

At Tampa, Fla., it is reported that the Aurora Borealis was plainly visible and caused considerable excitement. Many citizens thought that Dade City. a town forty miles to the nort, was afire. It was the first time within the recollection of the oldest citizen that far south.

The phenomena is reported to have interrupted electrical service at Nashville, Tenn. Strange lights in the northern sky were observed all over the state. Tradition says that once before, about the time of the civil war, the Aurora Borealis was visible in Tennessee, causing great excitement.

The campaign to raise a second \$100,-000,000 has been announced by the American Red Cross for the week beginning May 6. To date nearly \$90,-000,000 has been appropriated for war relief work.

supervision the accident occured, formation, but captured no prisoners this afternoon at an investigation here It was the first raid undertaken by conducted by the South Carolina rail- the Americans without the aid of the French. The raid was highly successful as

the enemy withdrew many men from flagging rules promulgated by the the front line when the bombardment general managers, association and indicated that a raid might follow. The raiders reported that American the guidance of the employes of the gun fire had created destruction in transportation department. He also the German positions and had torn claimed that Engineer B. Frank Nice- gaps in the enemy barbed wire enly, of Columbia, and Conductor J. A. tanglements. The German batteries Mercdith, of Greenville, of train 18, came into action, but accomplished nothing toward disturbing the progress of the raid. The Americans entered the enemy

tect against train 42, operated from trenches behind one side of a "box' Spartanburg to Columbia, which col- barrage, which moved forward in front lided with the rear of their train, al- of them. They found numerous Gerthough, he said, this whistle signal mans hiding in the dugouts. In the did not absolve the flagman from flag- hand-to-hand fighting which 'followed ging against the Spartanburg train, a number of the enemy were killed as it was due in less than 10 minutes. and wounded and left in the trenches Going far beyond their objective the The commission reserved its decision. raiders penetrated the German line

300 yards. A few fights developed on the way, but the Germans were driven off. The Americans failed to find most of the Germans, who had been withdrawn hurriedly from the front line, although they searched for them.

In the hand-to-hand fighting the Americans used their automatic pistols and rifles. During the raid the American machine guns placed a barrage in the enemy back areas in order to prevent a counter-attack.

The Americans' fought so fast and did their work so hurriedly that the medical men who accompanied them had little to do. Every American who left the front line returned.

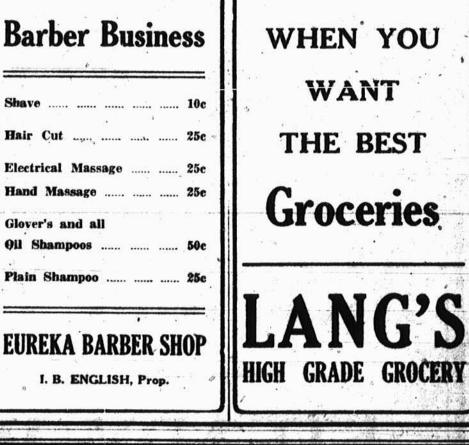
On their way back the Americans encountered a German listening post, which fired at them. In less time than it takes to tell it the Germans in the

post were silenced. The Americans reached heir own The Americans reached herr own lines without a German shell having fallen anywhere near them, for it was all over so quickly the German bat-teries did not have a good chance to get into action. The Americans were inside the enemy lines for fifteen minutes.

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