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Music and Motion Pictures Give Diversion to All.

Base American Flotilla in British Waters, October 25.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—The smallest American sailor in the whole European flotilla has the place of honor in the orchestra at the Sailor's Club House here, and plays the biggest base viol that has even been seen in Ireland. He comes from Chicago, and his instrument overtops him by a clean two feet when they are standing side by side. When he is seated, he is completely hidden beyond the instrument.

There are thirty-five pieces in the American orchestra, and by special arrangement with publishers in America, they receive proofsheets of all the latest American music and are playing it in their hut on the shores of Ireland almost before it has appeared in New York.

The orchestra leader is a pay-clerk on the flagship of the flotilla who devotes several hours each day to practicing new music with his ambitious musicians. They must learn a new set of music each week to go with the ever-changing bill of entertainment provided for the sailors. The leader is an organizer who has by sheer perseverance whipped into shape an orchestra that delights the men of the flotilla. British and American naval and British military officers of high rank are among the most appreciative in the audiences of every Friday and Saturday night.

Moving pictures are always a part of these shows, the comics being especially welcomed by the sailors whose loud guffaws are in themselves enough to produce a laugh. The newest feature by the orchestra leader, is the singing by the entire audience of the latest American songs. The words are thrown on a large screen and are sung with a will by the sailors.

In these audiences of between 500 and 600 there always is a generous sprinkling of British sailors and soldiers who are urged to avail themselves of all the privileges of the clubhouse. They can even sleep there overnight in large dormitories provided for all men in either branch of service who may have over-night liberty from ship or barracks. For a clean, comfortable bed and a shower bath the nominal charge of a shilling is made. The best food ashore is cooked on the premises and served at cost price.

New scenery made in London is the latest addition to the club. It was put in place by the flagship's carpenters whose handiwork is seen in many parts of the club. The ironworkers from the same ship have also done their first shore work since leaving the United States by erecting a steel hut to house the moving picture machine and its operator. The fire laws required this little detail.

The only discordant note in connection with the club comes from the native population because they are not permitted to view its wonders. They must be content to stand outside and listen to the music and the laughter of the happy men in uniform. It was explained to them that their own town council asked that the public be barred. The request was made at the behest of the proprietors of the town's two little picture theatres who saw a threatened loss of patronage.

Paris Hospital Open to Red Cross Workers

(By Associated Press).
Paris, October 25.—Arrangements have been completed by the American Red Cross, whereby members of the organization, who become ill or injured, will receive care and treatment. The American Civil Hospital at Neuilly has placed thirty beds at the disposal of the Red Cross staff. The hospital is one of the best equipped in France and occupies a beautiful location in the Paris suburbs.

America's First Fighting Airship.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The first fighting airplane, wholly made in America of American materials, has taken the air in successful test flights. In making this fact known today officials of the aircraft production board said few changes in the designs of either the plane or the Liberty motor are believed necessary and that production in quantity of the fighting machines soon will be in progress in many of the factories.

Gasoline Costs France \$100,000,000 Annually

Paris, Oct. 30.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Discussion of extravagance and wastage in war expenditure, during the recent debate on the appropriations for the fourth quarter of this year in the Chamber of Deputies developed the fact that France is paying the equivalent of \$100,000,000 a year for gasoline. The upkeep of cars placed at the disposition of the military authorities outside the war zone amounted to about \$500,000 a month during the year 1916.

Emanuel Brousse, who is sometimes called the "watch dog of the treasury," remarked that part of this waste was due to the fact that motor lorries intended to carry loads of from three to five tons were used to transport single cases weighing no more than a hundred pounds. Another speaker declared that discarded stallions belonging to the state were sold by the Agricultural Department at the equivalent of \$70 to private individuals who subsequently sold them to the war department for the equivalent of \$300.

It also was asserted that in purchasing 40,000 horses in America the government lost about \$5,500,000. It was claimed that these horses were bought in the United States at \$80 to \$85 a head and cost \$140 to \$160 when the freight and feeding were paid, but that the French government paid \$300 each for them.

Another deputy pointed out how some of the measures adopted with a view to economizing food products had involved extravagance. The appointment of millers in each department to supervise the distribution of the cereals allotted by the government, with a compensation of four cents a hundred weight for their services, it was calculated, would cost from \$40,000 to nearly \$400,000 in each department, and there are 87 departments in France. Thus a simple service of supervision, had the plan been carried out, would have made 80-odd fortunes for as many millers.

In spite of these isolated cases of persistent waste, it was declared on the other hand that the government has in most departments connected with the war effort realized economies running into hundreds of millions of francs a year.

Wool Said to Be for German Army

(By Associated Press)
London, Oct. 25.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Swedish army officials were accused of conspiring to furnish millions of dollars' worth of wool to Germany, in the course of an action in the Prize Court here this week.

The case concerned a shipment of 1500 bales of wool, consigned to the Swedish army, but destined, according to the Attorney general, for a German firm in Leipsig. The shipment is valued at \$700,000, being only one of several seized in route from the Argentine Republic.

Intercepted documents, produced in court, showed that the wool was not intended to remain in Sweden. That the Swedish army had no intention of using the wool was indicated, it was asserted, by the fact that its representatives made no appearance in the court and put in no claim to the cargo.

It was stated in court that the British authorities had in the past allowed several shipments of wool similarly consigned to the Swedish Army Administration to pass, in the confidence that the official nature of the consignees rendered it possible to accept their assurances.

"Is this a case where the wool was consigned to the army administration without its knowledge," asked the presiding judge, "or is it a case where some unauthorized person used the name of the department?"

The attorney general replied: "The court will be able to judge of the practicability of anyone using the name of an official department without some official in authority becoming aware of the fact. The intercepted letters show that this is a part of a very bad business, a deliberate scheme to pass wool into Germany at a moment when Germany is suffering from a great scarcity of that necessary commodity for war purposes."

The presiding judge, in giving his verdict, condemning the entire shipment as a lawful prize, said: "The intercepted documents show that the wool was intended for Germany. How

it came about that the name of a neutral government was used by the real consignee we do not know, and it is not for us to make observations in the matter. We can only express our surprise that the repute of a neutral government has been employed to get absolute contraband into Germany. We find that the destination of the goods was Leipsig, and they are condemned as contraband destined for the enemy."

Monarch Locals.

Who said wedding bells would ring tonight?

The book of Revelation, chapter by chapter, is the prayer meeting program each Tuesday night at Monarch church.

Mrs. W. L. Sparks, house 132, is on the sick list. Hope she will soon be better.

The W. M. U. met this afternoon with Mrs. J. S. Rogers.

Monarch school boys have clubbed together and got them a foot ball. Now look out for a high kick and a challenge to the State champions.

Mr. Jno. Hans killed a four hundred pound porker yesterday. Just think of the sausage, back-bone and cracklin' bread in it.

Mr. Glenn Johnson, the barber, and family are taking in the Fair today. Let your beard grow till he gets back.

Twelve cents a pound for sugar! We don't mind Uncle Sam's getting 10 cents out of every one of our dollars for the prosecution of the war and the support of the allies, but we do object to the swinish food speculators slipping up behind us and sneaking half of what's left.

Mr. Whitner of Hodges is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Green, today.

Mr. Jas. Meadors of Buncombe County, N. C., arrived yesterday afternoon to visit his father, Mr. W. Y. Meadows and friends. He will spend some days here. Report times good in the mountains and chestnuts ripe.

Mr. Vernon Askew of Tabor handed over to his friend, Mr. W. Y. Meadows, two very large sweet potatoes this morning weighing about seven pounds each. These potatoes will be duly roasted and tasted.

Messrs. John Duckett, Sam Crosby, A. H. Lavender and two sons went to Spartanburg yesterday with their teams to work at Camp Wadsworth. Frankie Franklin of Ottoray, after a relapse of some days, is again able to sit up.

Little Everett, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Teague, is quite sick with pneumonia.

Thanks for a ticket to the County Fair. We hope to use it.

Capt. Richard O'Neal of Columbia is in the city today.

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121 Acres 9 miles from Union on Public Road, in good white neighborhood, near schools and churches, 2-horse farm open, very good dwelling, barn and other out-buildings. Lays well, several acres branch bottoms, fine pasture, quite a good deal saw timber. Known as "The George Barnett Place." Price, \$25.00 per acre.

150 acres 1-4 mile from Cross Keys, on good road, the place lays well, has a good 2-story, 7-room dwelling, 2 good tenant houses. If you want a nice farm in a good neighborhood see this place quick. Known as "The Joel Betsell Place." Price \$4,000.00.

218 acres 4 1/2 miles South of Union on public road, good dwelling, 1 good tenant house, barns and out-buildings, good orchard, well, 2-horse farm open, pasture with running water. Known as the "Byrd Vaughan Place." Price \$10.00 per acre.

260 acres 5 miles from Jonesville, known as "The Norris Place," fine large 2-story dwelling, 2 real good tenant houses, (4 and 6 rooms) and all necessary out-buildings, 5-horse farm open, 75 acres fine bottom lands, good pasture, healthy locality, good land. Price \$32.50 per acre.

163 acres, 4 miles from Whitmire, on good road, daily mail, 1 mile to good school, a corking good 6-room dwelling, furnished throughout, an elegant barn, crib, cotton house and all other buildings, a good 4-room tenant house, all buildings are practically new except tenant house, 2-horse farm open, 35 or 40 acres fine creek bottom lands absolute safe from highwater, an abundance of timber with about 150,000 feet of good saw timber. This place is a beauty. Price \$30.00 per acre.

130 acres 4 miles from Union, good public road, 1 good tenant house, an abundance of timber, 5 or 6 acres very fine bottom lands, known as "The R. F. Harris Place" and joins the "Nick Harris Place" on the West. Price \$2,350.00.

910 acres 10 miles from Union on public road, 3 tenant houses, 2 large barns, 4-horse farm in cultivation; 100 acres very fine bottom lands, fenced and cross fenced—Price only \$6.50 per acre.

63 acres 1 1/2 miles from Jonesville on Bishop Road, 1-horse farm open, 4 acres fine branch bottoms, 1 small tenant house. This is a fine little farm. Price \$30.00 per acre.

77 acres 10 miles from Union, 1-horse farm open, good pasture, good 5-room house, good well and out-buildings, good pasture, a bargain at \$1250.00.

425 acres fine chocolate or dark red land 5 miles West of Jonesville, on West Springs road, daily mail, near good school, 8-horse farm open, balance in timber and pasture, 30 acres very fine creek bottoms, 6 good tenant houses, 4 good barns and all necessary out-buildings. Price \$17.50 per acre.

244 acres in Santuc Township, with good 4-room dwelling, new 2-room tenant house, barn and all necessary out-building, 40 acres bottom lands, 25 acres pine timber, 2-horse farm open. Price \$13.50 per acre.

50 acres, with good tenant house 3 1/2 miles from Jonesville, known as "The Dave Orr Place" at a bargain for quick deal.

50 acres, 1 mile from Kelton with good tenant house known as a part of the "Frank Hames Place." Price \$37.50 per acre.

200 acres, less than 1 mile from Jonesville on West Springs road, will subdivide to suit purchaser and sell at reasonable prices on easy terms.

The above is only a partial list. We have, or can get, exactly what you want. If you ever expect to buy a farm you had better "get busy," for people are beginning to realize the value of Union County Dirt.

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Maybe more of our prayers would be answered if we would ask for what we need most instead of asking for what we want most.