

SOCIETY

Much interest to society here is the marriage of Miss Eudora Woodham...

The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All the Trains



WHEN AUNT EPPIE HOGG IS RIDING ON THE TRAILER (SHE CAN'T GET INTO THE CAR) THE SKIPPER ALWAYS UNCOUPLES THE TRAILER AT GOOSE CRICK AND TAKES THE LOAD OVER THE OLD TRESTLE IN TWO SECTIONS.

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RED CROSS LAUNCHES MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Seeks to Add Thousands of Names to Its Roll in Richmond This Week.

Booths for Acceptance of Membership Fees to Be Opened in Charge of Workers Attired as Red Cross Nurses.

Active efforts to add thousands of names to the Richmond chapter of the American Red Cross will be started today.

At 10 o'clock this morning speakers will address the pupils of a select public school on the importance of the Red Cross work.

Morton G. Thalhimer and Irving L. May are in charge of the speakers' bureau.

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The Weather

Forecast: Virginia - Fair Monday and Tuesday, slowly rising temperature.

Local Temperature: 12 noon temperature 52, 3 P. M. temperature 54, Minimum temperature 48.

Local Rainfall: Rainfall last twenty-four hours .008. Excess in rainfall since March 1, 1917 .001.

Local Observations at S. P. M.: Temperature 55, humidity 82, wind direction northeast, wind velocity 5 miles, weather clear.

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES: Asheville 52, High 54, Low 48, Clear.

MINIATURE ALMANAC: December 17, 1917. Sun rises 7:20, sets 4:52.

faith that when the cross of the battlements is over there will be a breaking down of the walls of denominationalism and a unity of Christendom.

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VOLUNTARY INDUCTION SUCCEEDS ENLISTMENT

New Regulations Are Issued, Under Which Registered Men May Join Army.

Local Board Must Give Registrant a Certificate Showing That He Is Not Within the Current Draft Quota.

Voluntary inductions of registrants in various branches of the service following the closing of the regular enlistment period Saturday at noon may be accomplished only in strict accordance with instructions received yesterday by Governor Stuart from the provost-marshal-general.

No registered men may be voluntarily inducted into either the cavalry, field artillery, coast artillery or engineer corps.

Men are to be sent in groups to camp by this method, even if it necessitates a delay some applicants as long as a week.

This method of voluntary induction takes the place of enlistment and, since men inducted are to be sent for great distances to considerable expense, Governor Stuart will direct local boards to use the utmost care in physical examinations, and to forward no man to any destination unless it is quite certain that he is physically acceptable for military service.

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Rally to Red Cross Is Davison's Plea

With Zeal of Concert, He Invites American People to Join.

WASHINGTON, December 16.—On the eve of the great Christmas membership campaign of the American Red Cross, beginning to-morrow, Henry P. Davison, chairman of the society's war council, issued this call:

"To the five million members working loyally with us to-day—stand by the colors:

"To the ten or fifteen million members who will join us before Christmas Eve—fall in!"

Mr. Davison told in his statement something of what he had learned about the organization and of its wonderful expansion to meet war conditions.

"To-day the American Red Cross is one of the modern miracles," he said. "It has accomplished the impossible in its national organization with volunteer workers; in the Junior Red Cross for children; in its chapter administration covering the whole United States map; it has mobilized America for action in the world emergency; it stands behind the American army and navy with supplies and with personnel for every field which they may make upon it. It works with President Wilson's approval in the task of preparing our people for mutual service to those among us who may suffer because of changes which the war has brought."

"The Red Cross has given me a new conception of America and the American spirit. It is with the zeal of a convert that I invite the American people to come in with me under President Wilson and make it the nationwide organization that is demanded by these times. We need your loyal and your efficient membership, in order that our organization may be truly represented."

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN OPENS IN NEW YORK: NEW YORK, December 16.—A great mass-meeting to-night at the largest theater in New York opened the Christmas week campaign to add 500,000 members to the American Red Cross in New York.

Former President Taft presided at the meeting, and Henry P. Davison, chairman of the Red Cross war council, was one of the speakers.

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200 ZIONIST LEADERS SEEK JEWISH ENTITY

Practical Reoccupation of the Holy Land Expected To Be Under Way Within Month or Two.

BALTIMORE, December 16.—Two hundred leaders of the Zionist organization of the country launched at a convention here to-day the movement to realize Jewish national entity as a result of the capture of Palestine from Turkey.

The outlines of an international Jewish fund of \$100,000,000 to make the Jewish reoccupation real and practical were given, and \$20,000 was raised to start the new Jewish state.

The \$100,000,000 fund is to be used for constructive and administrative work in the new Jewish state. The delegates were primed to return to their homes to form local organizations to raise funds for the national treasury.

A resolution of gratitude to Great Britain for the liberality of its declaration endorsing the re-establishment of Palestine as the national home for the Jews was passed.

Associate Justice Louis D. Brandeis of the Supreme Court of the United States, appeared unexpectedly, and extended his congratulations to the Zionists for the prospective realization of their dream.

FIGHT IN CANADA TO-DAY ON CONSCRIPTION ISSUE

Voters Will Decide Whether to Retain Borden or Hester-Laurier to Power.

OTTAWA, December 16.—With selective conscription as the great issue, the voters of Canada will decide to-morrow whether the new union government of Sir Robert Borden shall remain in office or whether Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the veteran leader of the Liberal opposition, shall be restored to power.

The campaign just ended is considered the most important as well as the most bitterly contested in the history of the Dominion.

There are approximately 2,000,000 electors, of whom about 250,000 are soldiers overseas. The military vote already has been cast in camps and trenches in almost every quarter of the world.

Prime Minister Borden and his supporters are standing squarely on the conscription issue and apparently have no fear of the result. They maintain that the soldier vote and that of women relatives of men in the service will cast almost solidly for them. They have contended in their campaign, that defeat for the union government would mean that Canada must drop out of the war for lack of men to keep her fighting forces up to the necessary strength.

Sir Wilfrid, as an alternative to the compulsory conscription law, has proposed a referendum. The Liberal leaders have asserted that under their leadership, the Province of Quebec, which thus far has offered comparatively few soldiers to the service of the Dominion, would provide more volunteers than could be enlisted by conscription. They professed to-night to believe they will have a majority of twenty-five seats in Parliament.

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WARE-FROST

LYNCHBURG, VA., December 16.—Rev. Ritchie Ware, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city, and Miss Cornelia Birch Frost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Frost of Plattsburg, Mo., were married yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the ceremony being performed at the residence of the parents of the bride by Rev. J. P. Pinkerton, pastor of the Christian Church at Bentonville, Ark.

Miss Lucile Frost, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Misses Myrtle Le Major, Helen Jones, Mattie Breckenridge and Eleanor Fry, and Misses Mary Jones and Jean Lorraine Flanders.

The ring was carried by Sallie Elizabeth Frost, a three-year-old cousin of the bride. Burwell Ward of Beckley, W. Va., a brother of the groom, was his best man.

The bride was a member of the 17 class at Randolph-Macon Woman's College. Mr. Ware has been pastor of the First Christian Church here for nearly eight years, but leaves next week for Knoxville, Ky., where he takes the pastorate of Fifth Avenue Christian Church.

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What a pity she doesn't know

Resinol would clear her skin

"She would be a pretty girl, if it wasn't for that pimply, blotchy complexion!" But the regular use of Resinol Soap, aided at first by a little Resinol Ointment, would probably make it clear, fresh and charming. If a poor skin is your handicap, begin using the Resinol treatment and see how quickly it improves.

Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment are excellent, too, for the care of the hair, discharging dandruff and keeping the hair soft and lustrous. The druggists sell Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment.

The Resinol treatment contains nothing that could irritate or inflame the most sensitive skin.

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Slipper Time

That's the coziest time of the whole day for father. Slipper and pipe and a book—and the Perfection Oil Heater to keep the drafts away and add an extra touch of comfort. The Perfection is good-looking, sturdy, reliable, and inexpensive both to buy and to operate.

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