

SIXTEEN VOLUNTEERS TO SELL BABY FANS HERE NEXT TUESDAY

Young Women Come as soon as Headquarters Opens at 1408 H Street.

CAPITAL FIRMS CONTRIBUTE

Furniture and Flowers Donated for Office, and School Taken Over Correspondence.

Baby Fan Day workers today opened headquarters at 1408 H street.

Within a few hours after the office had opened sixteen volunteers had signed up to sell fans next Tuesday for the benefit of the three camps conducted by the Summer Outings Committee.

W. B. Moses & Sons supplied the furniture for the headquarters, Blackstone is sending the flowers, and the Milton School is handling the correspondence for the Baby Fan Sale.

Announcement was made today that the Congressional baseball game will be played August 19 for the benefit of the summer camps. Congressman Clarence B. Miller, of Minnesota, is manager of the affair, and he is arranging the line-ups of the Republicans and Democrats who will clash on the diamond.

Miss Pauline Jerdone is in charge of the Baby Fan Day headquarters. Mrs. Edwin Sefton is managing the sale again this year, and she will meet all volunteer workers tomorrow at headquarters at 10 o'clock. Miss Sefton wants more than 200 young women to sell the fans this year, and it is hoped to dispose of the entire 25,000 in a day.

Those who were the first to volunteer were Miss Ruth West, Miss M. Weith, Mrs. Joseph Salm, Mrs. G. A. E. Kidwell, Miss B. Alexander, Miss Edith Curry, Miss Katherine Keller, Miss Helen Hoffman, Mrs. G. A. Kelchner, Miss Zedie Leith, Miss Nancy Milton, Mrs. G. Myer, Mrs. R. A. McGuire, Miss Edith Fitch, Miss Helen Sommers and Miss Katherine Williams.

Some of the Volunteers.

Among the young women who have volunteered to aid Mrs. Sefton are Mrs. Johanna Adler, Miss A. Alexander, Mrs. B. Alexander, Miss Kathleen Anderson, Miss Elizabeth Arms, Mrs. William Barrett, Mrs. W. B. Bayles, Miss E. R. Bell, Miss A. Beard, Mrs. Vinton Birch, Miss Dorothy Blout, Miss Anna Bogart, Miss Edith Brandenburg, Miss Dorothy L. Brooke, Miss Hortense Brylawski, Mrs. Julian Brylawski, Miss Burnatine, Miss Burnett, Miss E. Busha, Miss Callaghan, Miss C. Calvo, Miss Lucia Chamberlin, Miss Helen Condon, Mrs. Gertrude Craig, Miss Nancy Curry, Mrs. Daires, Miss Alice Deal, Miss Alice Dix.

Mrs. J. D. Eggleston, Mrs. R. D. Engel, Miss T. Eichberg, Miss Eisenman, Mrs. John Fenwick, Mrs. M. Fischer, Miss B. Fischer, Miss Edith Fitch, Miss Charlotte Hamilton, Miss Hanlin, Miss Hano, Miss Heller, Miss Helman, Mrs. Herman, Miss D. Hornman, Miss Horton, Miss H. Jacob, Mrs. S. S. Johnston, Mrs. Norman Jones, Miss Elsie Jones, Miss Kahn, Miss Esther Kann, Miss A. Kaufman, Miss M. Kaufman, Mrs. J. B. Kelly, Mrs. Kidwell, Miss Koehnberger, Miss Elizabeth Krueger, Mrs. W. Kroner, Miss Kronheim, Mrs. John S. Larcombe, Jr., Miss Lathrop, Miss Lawrence, Miss Maud Lechtenstein, Miss L. Lewis, Miss Zedie Leith, Miss Lineback, Miss Cleo Martin, Miss Martin, Miss M. Marr, Mrs. A. Marr, Miss Louise Maher, Miss Edith Madrox, Miss Edith Luke, Miss Luchs, Miss Mrs. Masters, Mrs. W. S. Mead, Miss C. C. Millward, Miss Nancy Milton, Mrs. George Minnegrove, Miss Helen Morris, Mrs. G. Myer, Mrs. Robert Myer, Miss Anna McCooch, Mrs. Macuregor, Mrs. A. McChure.

CLARKE TO SUCCEED HUGHES, IS REPORT

Cleveland Jurist Mentioned for Supreme Bench Vacancy.

There were persistent reports in official circles today that Judge John H. Clarke, of Cleveland, now on the District Federal bench there, will be President Wilson's choice as associate justice of the United States Supreme Court to fill the vacancy caused by resignation of Charles E. Hughes.

Those in a position to discuss the appointment would not comment on the Clarke possibility. It has been known for some time that the President favored selection of a man from New York or a Central Western State.

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Uncle Harry Explains How Army Is Managed

Joe Is Surprised That War Department Chief Is Not A Soldier—Uncle Harry Shows How Army General Staff Operates.

"When President Wilson called out the national guards and ordered them to the Mexican border, how did he do it?" asked Jimmy.

"I'm not sure that I understand just what you mean," said Uncle Harry.

"I mean how are the regular army and the national guard managed and who does it," added Joe.

"That's a very interesting and timely question, boys, and I'll be glad to tell you about it," said Uncle Harry.

"The President has a great many assistants," said Uncle Harry.

"I wonder if either of you can tell me who is President Wilson's chief assistant?"

"Is he the Secretary of the War Department?" asked Joe.

"Correct," said Uncle Harry, and the present secretary is Newton D. Baker, who was formerly mayor of the city of Cleveland.

"Then the Secretary of War isn't a soldier?" asked Jimmy.

"No, he is what is called a civilian," said Uncle Harry.

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"The Secretary of War doesn't make all these plans himself, does he?" asked Jimmy.

"Hardly," said Uncle Harry.

"You can see, is a tremendous job," said Uncle Harry.

"The work is done with the assistance of the general staff of the army, of which I told you a few minutes ago, and of which General Scott is the chief."

"This general staff is composed of about forty of the highest officers in all the different branches of the army service. Then, in addition to the general staff, Secretary Baker also has as his assistants the army officers who are the heads of the various divisions, or bureaus, of the war department. These bureaus have full charge of all such matters as munition, arms, food, transportation, etc., etc."

eral Bell will be located at Douglas, Ariz., on the border. As fast as the national guards reach the southwestern states Secretary of War Baker will assign them to the different commanding generals.

"You see, boys the national guards are State troops until they are called into the Federal or national service. Then under the United States laws they become Federal troops and are subject to the commands of the United States army."

"No arrangements for sending the state troops to the border?" asked Joe.

"First the President, acting through the Secretary of War, calls out the state troops," said Uncle Harry.

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TO BEGIN HOSPITAL WORK AT ALEXANDRIA

Building Committee Will Break Ground Tomorrow—Box Is Sent to Guardsmen.

ALEXANDRIA, July 13.—Ground for the erection of Alexandria's new hospital will be broken tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, at Duke and Washington streets. Leveling work has been in progress during the past ten days by its constructors, Richardson & Burgess, Washington contractors.

Breaking of the ground will take place in the presence of the board of trustees of the Alexandria Hospital, the building committee, the lady board of managers, the architect, and contractors. A number of physicians and members of the hospital nursing staff will also be present.

The first spadeful of earth will be turned by Worth Hulfish, chairman of the building committee, Mrs. H. W. Ballenger, president of the lady board of managers, will wield the shovel later.

Members of a joint committee from the city council, the Chamber of Commerce, and the Retail Merchants' Association met yesterday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce at the request of a representative of the Alexandria Hospital, who has been making an investigation as to what Alexandria has done to comply with the new regulations for fire protection. W. A. Arnold, jr., who is chairman of the committee, presided.

At the meeting of the Red Cross local chapter yesterday, besides the arranging for forwarding of supplies to the Virginia soldiers, the executive committee met yesterday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce at the request of the Rev. L. M. Ferguson, chairman; Mrs. Herbert Oliver, secretary; the Rev. E. B. Jackson, chairman of the civil relief committee; Mrs. H. P. Wilson, chairman of the military relief committee; Dr. E. A. Gorman, city health officer; Mrs. Julian T. Burke, president of the local chapter of the Red Cross, and J. T. Preston, vice president.

Headquarters have been opened for the receiving of supplies and cash contributions from citizens. Martha Washington Chapter, Order Eastern Star, has sent a box weighing 200 pounds to the Alexandria Light Infantry at Brownsville, Tex., in which was a pound box of candy, several bags of tobacco, and boxes of matches for each of the eighty-three members, besides several individual packages to different soldiers for their families.

Over 600 children attended the outing given at Hume's Grove by the First Baptist Sunday school. Mrs. Rebecca Hall, twenty-six years old, wife of Milton Hall, of Lorton, Va., died yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hospital. The body was removed to Wheatley's chapel, and sent to Burke Station, Va., for interment.

District Deputy Grand Patriarch N. J. Williamson has installed the following officers of Marley Encampment, No. 8, I. O. O. F. Chief patriarch, C. C. Trenary; high priest, E. R. Clark; senior warden, T. F. Spicer; junior warden, W. R. Studds; scribe, H. C. Clark; financial officer, R. M. Watkins; treasurer, P. M. Bradshaw; guide, A. J. Hall; inside sentinel, G. R. Gaines; first watch, G. W. Bonta; second watch, I. S. Groves; third watch, N. R. Davis; fourth watch, F. Chiles; fifth watch, G. R. Finch; second guard of tent, H. Mount.

ANACOSTIA.

The Anacostia Citizens' Association met in special session last night in the office of the George S. King Company.

LOCAL MENTION.

Chaplin in "Recreation" Va. Today—"Inspiration" 3c—always—5c.

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You know what this mark means—it is the signal for the biggest reductions of the season.

Our Great Clean-Sweep Sale

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In Nichols avenue, with James A. Watson presiding. It was decided to request the Commissioners to grade and improve Minnesota avenue from Good Hope road to Pennsylvania avenue; to establish electric street lights along Good Hope road, and to grade and open Mt. View place from Morris road to Talbert street.

Teachers in charge of the playgrounds at the Ketchikan School are desirous that the parents take a more active interest in the work being done at these grounds, and have asked the children to invite the parents to attend the sessions at the grounds.

Residents along Nichols avenue are complaining about the manner in which that thoroughfare has been left following what was supposed to be preparations for improvements. The top surface was removed several weeks ago, and was thought another would be placed there, but nothing has been done to improve conditions. It is said the avenue is in worse condition now than ever before.

The lawn fete at Congress Heights, under auspices of the members of the Catholic Church, is attracting large numbers, and last night was the best so far. Dancing on the large pavilion was enjoyed until late hour. The fete will be held tonight and tomorrow night.

THREE BURGLARIES REPORTED TO POLICE

Thieves Enter Homes in All Quarters of City.

Three burglaries were reported to the police early today. A gold watch and locket, valued at \$75, were stolen from the home of William A. Morton, 201 A street southeast, yesterday.

Thieves entering the room of Edgar K. Saunders, 418 Massachusetts avenue, northwest, were seen with jewelry and clothes valued at \$45.

Entering the house through a side window, a thief ransacked the residence of Louise J. Brown, a Fifty-seventh street, Grant Park northeast, about 10 o'clock last night. Articles valued at \$35 are missing.

Whitaker Denies Food Made Militiamen Sick

"It doesn't pay to believe all you hear," said Major J. C. Whitaker at the mobilization camp today, in speaking of the talk in Congress about investigating the militiamen's food.

Major Whitaker is responsible for the feeding of the soldiers, and he knows exactly what they are eating, and says it is "the best the regular army of the United States can provide."

"We asked that the date of the whole illness be given and this was done. Then we went to the regimental infirmary, looked over the records for the day named and found the company had five men on the sick roll. The cook had a slight attack of indigestion, and the other four were suffering from colds caused by getting their feet wet."

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15c

Two Summer Needs

Take the Elevator to the Fourth Floor for These

Screen Out the Menace of Flies

And all the dangerous germs they carry with them. This clearance sale enables you to provide window screens at small cost.

Nearly 350 rapidly moving electric fans make this a delightfully cool store for shopping during mid-summer!

Open 8:15 A. M. Close 5:00 P. M.

Kann's Daily Bulletin

A Hot Weather Drive on Wash Goods Results in an Unusually Big Assortment of Wash Goods Remnants

Kinds that have been selling up to 30c yd. from the piece; tomorrow at a yd. . . . 12 1/2c

Consisting of voiles, linens, khaki cloths, gingham, Devonshire cloths, French gingham, and some silk and cotton wash fabrics in good lengths.

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All Are Nobby Styles Remaining From Recent Big Sales, to Be Closed Out Friday, at a Pair—\$1.00

A radical clearance of samples, broken sizes, odd lot from recent sales, also all discontinued numbers from regular stock.

It Is a Fine Vacation-Preparation Opportunity

Styles Include: Oxfords, Colonials, Pumps, Slippers, and Satin Party Slippers in all colors.

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Screen Out the Menace of Flies. And all the dangerous germs they carry with them.

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DEFEATED SENATOR TO RUN NEWSPAPER

Lea Will Retire From Congress on March 3 and Go to Nashville.

Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, who was recently defeated for renomination for the Senate, and who will retire from that body March 3, 1917, is going back to Nashville to engage in his favorite occupation when his term is up in Congress.

He will run his newspaper, the Tennesseean, and has all arrangements made to that end. Those who know Senator Lea expect he will run it in a fashion that will make at least a considerable share of the Tennessee public read it.

Senator Lea was defeated for the nomination by Representative McKellar. He is one of the youngest men that ever sat in the upper house. In recent years, he has been a powerful force in Tennessee politics. His friends say that he will be a force in a new view of the fact he will control a strong newspaper at the capital of the State.

It will be recalled that when the brilliant Senator Carmack retired from the Senate he engaged in newspaper work, also while a member of the District subcommittee of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and has taken a stand in favor of friendly and liberal treatment of the District.

\$300 For Essay.

A prize of \$300 has been offered by the board of directors of the American Association to Promote the Teaching of Speech to the Deaf for the best essay on the subject of teaching small deaf children in the home.

All manuscripts should be addressed to the judges of the Alexander Graham Bell-Grovevernor Memorial Fund, Volta Bureau, 1317 Thirty-fifth street northwest, before November 1.

NAVAL BILL IS UP IN SENATE TODAY

Feat of Deutschland Enters Discussion and May Help Advocates of Big Fund.

The daring and surprising trip of the German submarine Deutschland to Baltimore will be discussed in connection with the naval bill, which opened in the Senate today with a speech by Senator Swanson, who is in charge of the measure.

It is expected that the Deutschland exploit will have a tendency to uphold the hands of those who want liberal appropriations for submarines in connection with the naval bill. It will be urged that the submarine has barely begun development.

The question of how extensive a submarine program will be adopted is only one of the many interesting questions to be considered in the naval bill. The Senate naval committee has recommended a program of construction of which four dreadnaughts and four battle cruisers are chief features.

The committee's own opposition to so large a program as it has agreed on but it believes it will win out in the end, so far as the Senate is concerned. Yesterday the Senate passed the agricultural bill and adopted the river and harbor conference report. The naval bill was then made the unfinished business. The Senate is expected to keep at this bill unremittingly until it has been passed. Then will come the army bill and other appropriation bills, including the District bill.

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