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# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

## What is CASTORIA

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## GUARD OFFICERS TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTION

Col. Hutchison Has Nearly Completed Plans For Three-year Educational Course

Colonel Joseph B. Hutchison of the Eighth Regiment of the National Guard of Pennsylvania, has nearly completed his plans for a three year educational course for his officers. The course of study will be open for officers, and selected noncommissioned officers.

Captain George C. Jack of the Governor's Troop, will have charge of the troop school.

To conform to the orders of the division of militia affairs of the United States Army, Major General C. Bow Dougherty, division commander of the National Guard of Pennsylvania, is determined to have his officers skilled in every phase of military training, so far as citizen soldiery can afford to give the time. He feels that the instruction which will be termed as the army schools, and under supervision of United States army officers on duty with the State as inspector-instructors, will make every commissioned officer capable, and to this end announces that certificates of proficiency will be awarded to those passing the tests at the final examinations.

Any noncommissioned officer selected by his immediate commissioned superior officer will also be allowed to take the course along with the officers, and if successful the examinations will be awarded certificates of eligibility for promotion to higher grades.

All officers who have been commissioned since the last school year will be required to take the basic course, those who have satisfactorily completed the basic course will take the regular course, and all officers who have satisfactorily passed examinations in given subjects of the regular course, or hold certificates of proficiency in all subjects of the regular course, will take the post-graduate course.

Questions for the final examinations will be issued by General Dougherty, and they will be held immediately following the completion of the given subjects. All officers below the grade of major are to be examined by a board consisting of three field officers of their regiment. All field officers of each regiment will be tested by the colonel, and the papers, after being marked, will be sent to the United States army inspector-instructor on duty with the regiment for his information and return as part of the regimental records.

A certificate of proficiency for each subject will be issued to each officer when he attains an average of 67 per cent. or better.

Any officer obtaining a mark of 80 per cent. or better will be exempt for a period of two years from the date of examination on the subject in the event of his subsequent promotion. Similarly an officer making 85 per cent. or better will be exempt for three years and those making 90 per cent. or better will be exempt for five years.

## Tree Ornaments Cost Twice as Much as Before European War

It will cost just twice as much to enjoy the sparkling sights of the annual Christmas tree this Yuletide as it did before the European war. Prices on tree ornaments have more than doubled since hostilities began, according to several merchants.

For example, glass balls that sold two for five cents last season are now selling for five cents each. Toys and dolls are selling at the same prices asked for last season. American manufacturers have supplied Harrisburg stores with a large amount of toys.

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## SPLINTER CAUSES DEATH

Special to The Telegraph  
Lebanon, Pa., Dec. 8.—Cyrus Long, of Reinehsville, a suburb of this city, died on Monday as the result of a slight wound on the finger, leaving a wife and eight children in destitute circumstances. Long, who was 42 years old, employed the Thanksgiving holiday in making a chicken coop, and in this operation his finger was injured by a splinter. Blood poisoning developed to a most pronounced degree before physicians were called and he died in great agony.

## HITCHCOCK WANTS NEUTRALITY LAWS OF U. S. EXTENDED

Special to The Telegraph  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—A radical extension of the neutrality laws of the United States was proposed here yesterday by Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, forbidding the shipment from any State of arms and ammunition to be used against countries with which the United States is at peace. Mr. Hitchcock also presented a resolution, which the Senate passed without objection, calling for information as to shipment of arms and ammunition to Europe since the outbreak of the war.

## FRANK IS DENIED WRIT

Special to The Telegraph  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—The Supreme Court of the United States yesterday, without opinion, denied the writ of error asked by counsel for Leo M. Frank, who was convicted in a Georgia court of the murder of Mary Phagan, a factory girl, in Atlanta in 1913. In the opinion of lawyers, yesterday's action of the high court ends all hope of legal redress for Frank, except pardon or commutation of sentence by the Governor of Georgia.

## GENERAL KILLED BY AVIATOR

Special to The Telegraph  
London, Dec. 8.—A Berne dispatch to the Morning Post says the Bavarian press reports that Major-General von Meyer, while entering a motor car, was killed by an arrow shot by a hostile aviator.

## POPE ASKS YULETIDE TRUCE

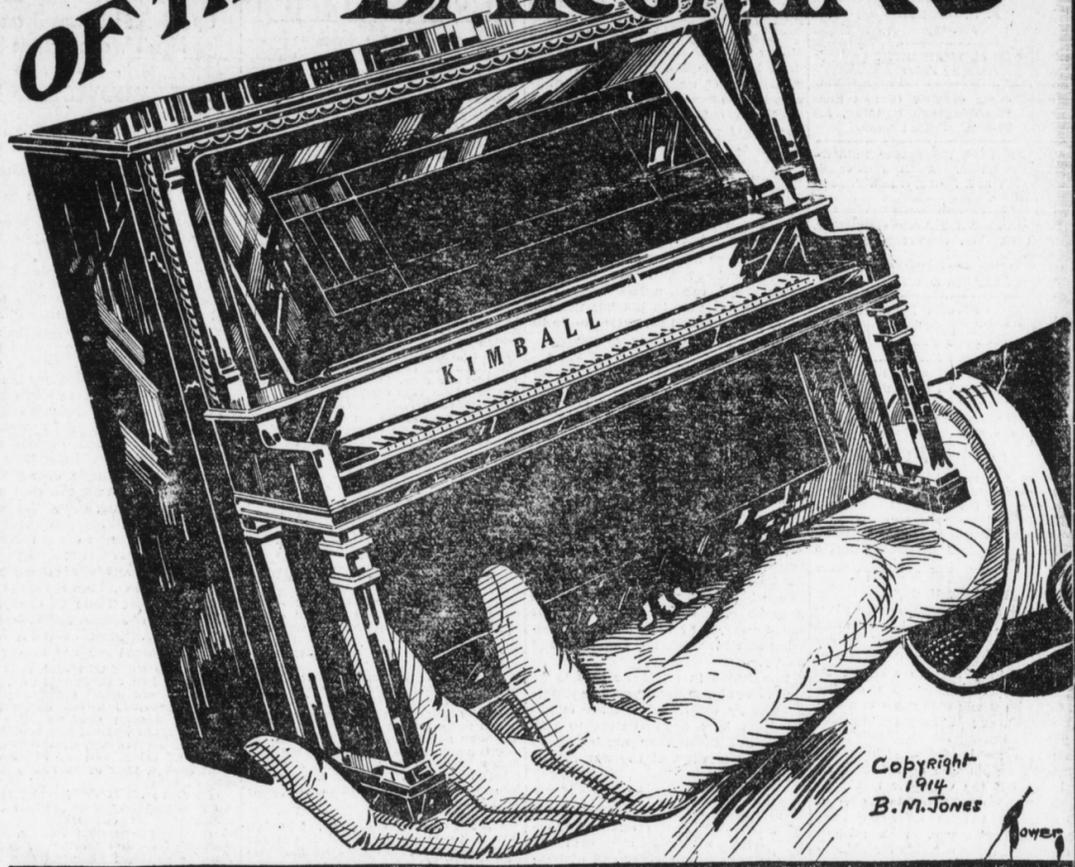
Urges Warring Nations to Suspend Hostilities During Holidays  
Special to The Telegraph  
Rome, Dec. 8.—Pope Benedict is urging that an understanding be arranged between the warring nations under which a truce will be possible during the Christmas holidays. It is said, however, that the Pope has little hope for the success of his efforts.

## SCHOOL BOARD REORGANIZED

Special to The Telegraph  
Dillsburg, Pa., Dec. 8.—Dillsburg school board reorganized by electing J. S. Kapf, president; D. W. Beitzel, vice-president. The other officers of the board, elected in July, are: C. W. Gross, secretary; W. P. Deardorff, treasurer.

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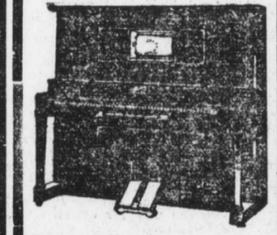
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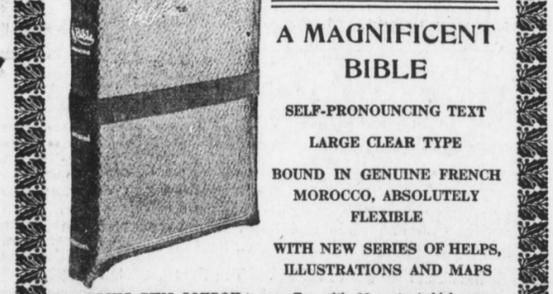
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