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Pig Clubs Are Thrift Schools

We have been urging our readers to practice thrift. This week we invite you to look at the demonstration of thrift on page 6 of this paper.

We recommend the boys' and girls' clubs. It will not take away from the higher appreciation of the really pretty things.

Being Loyal to One Another

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting the other night the leader spoke on "Loyalty". He developed the idea of being loyal to one another, having in mind particularly the student body of Berea College.

If the dishwashers slight their work; if the janitors do not keep the buildings clean; if those who feed and milk the cows are careless; if those who work on the farm and in the garden idle away their time;

But, this is not a condition peculiar to Berea College; for folks everywhere are very much dependent upon each other. If the man who makes our shoes, does poor work; if the man who sells our groceries handles them in an unsanitary manner;

MEXICAN INVASION

LATINS SAID TO WELCOME INDUSTRIAL LEADERS—BITTER FEELING MAY BE ASSUAGED.

Many Reports Circulated Are Merely Fiction—Some Assert That Mexican Nation Is Less Black Than It Has Been Painted in Past.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. New York—Early in February Mexico is to be invaded. A company of American business men will cross the border with the intention of reaching Mexico City and of remaining there for the greater part of the week.

CHURCHES GAIN 3,000,000 SOULS

America's churches have gained nearly 3,000,000 members since the last church census was taken in 1916, but there has been a marked decrease in the number of Sunday-schools and Sunday-school pupils, according to "the yearbook of the churches," which has been issued by the Federal Council of the Churches in Christ in America.

PRECIOUS ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS SHOWN



Secretary Lansing delivered an address on Americanism to the bicentennial chiefs of the state department, opening the original documents on the Constitution of the United States and the Declaration of Independence to emphasize his statements.

Kentucky News

Marysville.—James Boyd, 97, oldest citizen of Marshall county, died at his home north of this place.

Paducah.—Miss Vera Elsie Greif, 18, died at the hospital following an operation for appendicitis.

Maysville.—An advance in the cost of flour has caused a raise of one cent a loaf in the price of bread.

Hazard.—A postoffice will be established in Holliday, near Caney, with Harrison Holliday as postmaster.

Carlisle.—Mrs. Sallie F. Congleton, aged about 65, died of paralysis at her home in Arnold Heights, this city.

Richmond.—The council authorized the Cumberland Telephone Company to continue war rates until August 1.

Ashland.—The German 77-rifle, war trophy awarded to Ashland, has arrived and will be mounted in front of the postoffice.

Winchester.—The prohibition record for the last six months closed with the entry of only twenty-seven arrests for drunkenness.

Morganfield.—The Union County Farm Bureau, with 500 members, was organized with the election of A. K. Long president.

Flemingsburg.—Thomas D. Doyle and Mrs. Laura Ellen Doyle, who were divorced a month ago, went to Paris and were remarried.

Winchester.—Helen Fisher, 3, daughter of S. D. Fisher, was burned to death when her clothing caught fire from an open gas stove.

Middlesboro.—A squib fired too close to a keg of powder, which ignited, killed Henderson Myley, 18, and fatally injured William Myley, 21.

Danville.—A special term of the Circuit Court has been called for March 29, at which the famous Cecil case will be tried for the third time.

Cynthiana.—Lew Keller, former merchant, who has been in the Confederate Home for a year, suffered a stroke of paralysis and is helpless.

Versailles.—Mrs. Elizabeth Sublette Hawkins, 94, mother of Sheriff R. S. Hawkins, who died here, was the oldest citizen of this county.

Ashland.—The bodies of Helen Mae Sammons, 13 months old, and her infant sister, who died the same day, were buried in the same casket.

Maysville.—Bén Mains, tobacco grower, was killed when his team ran away and he was thrown in the path of a wheel, which crushed his skull.

Maysville.—The Rev. A. F. Stahl, pastor of the Christian Church, has received calls to the Clifton Church, Louisville, and a church at Fairmont, W. Va.

Nicholasville.—E. D. Hoover's buggy was wrecked by R. C. Duncan's auto in front of a livery barn, and Joe Lewis, in the vehicle, was seriously hurt.

Brodhead.—Garland Farris was shot through the left lung by a stray bullet fired by youths engaged in target practice. His recovery is expected.

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AMERICANS WIN FIGHT IN SIBERIA

Two Yanks and Five Russians Are Killed.

ATTACK HELD UNPROVOKED

Slav General, Six Other Officers and 48 Men Captured by the American Troops—Opposing Forces Manned Armored Trains.

Washington, Jan. 23.—As a result of a clash between a detachment of American soldiers and Semenov forces on January 10 near Pogoskaya, one general, six officers and 48 men of the Russian forces were captured and still are held, the war department was advised by Major General Graves, commander of the Siberian expedition.

The American casualties were one man killed, one man dead of wounds and one severely wounded, while five Russians were killed and one severely wounded.

The opposing forces were manning armored trains. General Graves said the Russians attacked 38 Americans, who fought off the Russians and then in turn attacked. The Russian car and its crew were captured.

General Graves expressed the opinion that the matter could be "adjusted peacefully with Semenov, who could not have been responsible."

Vladivostok Tells of Clash. Vladivostok, Jan. 23.—Factional fighting has broken out throughout Siberia.

A detachment of Colonel Morrow's regiment, which was preparing to move out from the Baikal district, was forced to intervene in factional disturbances, according to a report from the Czech staff.

The only Americans now remaining in the danger zone, where disorders are prevalent, are those belonging to Colonel Morrow's regiment. Their arrival here depends upon railroad conditions which daily are growing worse.

Clash With Czech-Slovaks. London, Jan. 23.—Admiral Kolchak is believed to be under arrest at Verkhne-Udinsk, a small town 240 miles west of Irkutsk.

Cossack chiefs and garrison commanders under the direct supervision of General Norvath in eastern Siberia have been notified by General Semenov of the new regime the latter set up.

Reports reflect a rather serious situation at Baikal, Kaltukshala and Misoval, in Trans-Baikalia, where Semenov soldiers have clashed with Czech-Slovak forces. Peking advices would seem to indicate that General Semenov has comparatively few troops and that they are apparently disorganized.

Recent official bolshevik statements have claimed that there had been uprisings in the Amur valley and in the Russian maritime province north of Vladivostok.

It is reported officially that 20,000 persons have left Odessa within the last three weeks, due to activity of bolshevik forces. Lack of transportation facilities makes it impossible to carry the large number anxious to leave the city.

ATTACK ITALIANS IN EGYPT. Corporal Killed and Privates Wounded by Rioters 85 Miles From Cairo.

Cairo, Egypt, Jan. 24.—Renewed disorders occurred at Tanta, fifty-five miles from Cairo. Rioters attacked an Italian patrol company with revolvers and bricks, killing a corporal and wounding two privates. The troops killed one and wounded several of the rioters.

ALBANIA QUAKE KILLS SCORE. Victims Are Buried in the Ruins of Their Homes in the Region of Janina.

Vienna, Jan. 23.—News has been received here that 20 persons were killed by an earthquake in southern Albania. The victims were buried in the ruins of their homes in a village which was partly destroyed in the region of Janina.

"FLU" EPIDEMIC IN CUBA. Many Cases of Influenza Reported on Island—News Report Total at One Thousand.

Havana, Cuba, Jan. 20.—Many cases of influenza have been reported in this city, but no authoritative statistics are available. A newspaper report states that 1,000 cases have been found here.

GERMANS AT LILLE GO HOME. Three Thousand Prisoners in Region Are Repatriated—All Seem Prosperous.

Lille, France, Jan. 23.—Repatriation of German prisoners from the Lille region has begun. Three thousand of these prisoners started for Germany yesterday. They appeared to be in excellent health and were wearing new boots and clothing. They took with them large quantities of cables.

World News

The first meeting of the League of Nations is being held in Paris and is engaged in the work of organization. All of the nations entitled to come by virtue of ratification of the treaty are represented by delegates.

The demand of the Allies made on Holland to give up the ex-kaiser has been refused. The Dutch plead the lack of any law requiring such action and the danger that would come from refusing asylum to political refugees.

It is reported that Japan has taken steps to return the former German territory in China taken by her in accordance with the terms of the treaty. The news comes from Tokio that the Japanese ambassador at Peking has been instructed to present the matter to China and express a desire for an early action.

A report of a Commission sent to Poland to examine the matter of mistreatment and murder of Jews in Poland has made it known that the acts are local and individual and are not to be attributed to the government. It is a relief to know this, as such acts would be counted a poor and unpromising beginning for the new Polish state.

The former leaders of the German war are deriving great profits from the sale of manuscripts to American publishers. Von Hindenburg is said to have got \$60,000 for one book and he has several to dispose of. These military histories many people read but accept with allowance as they appear in most instances to be apologies for defeat.

An important religious meeting is to be held in Geneva, Switzerland in August. It will bring together representatives from all forms of Christian bodies for conference in regard to possibilities of some form of closer union. Such a move is in harmony with the times and will be among the greatest of all the forces for the work of reconstruction. The moral and religious element is realized to be more needed than anything else.

A great many Russians in the United States are now asking that they be deported to Russia. They say they are in sympathy with the Soviet government and are desirous of casting in their lot with the people of their native land. The government however assumes no responsibility for any except for those who advocate the soviet system in the United States where there is no desire for it.

A new find of diamond lands in Bechuanaland, in South Africa, is arousing the miners to activity and they are preparing in great numbers to go there as soon as the section is open. The finds have been very rich and promise to equal or surpass the famous Kimberly district which is about a hundred miles farther south. In spite of warnings men are giving up good positions in order to take the chance. This is the miner spirit.

Ex-President Poincare, of France, has decided that he will not accept any official position in the government as he desires to devote his time to reconstruction work in the region of the Meuse, one of the badly devastated sections of northern France. This is a highly commendable action on his part and shows a spirit of service to his country and people.

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AN IMPORTANT SERIES OF ARTICLES

Allow us to call your attention to the series of articles on "Problems Facing a Stricken World," which began in The Citizen last week and will continue for some time. Mr. Comerford, the author, traveled thru Europe for the sole purpose of learning conditions as they are. He went among all classes and in many countries. He talked with people of all conditions and ranks. He got information first hand. These articles will be of interest to all.

Don't always call the aching joint "rheumatism," says the United States Public Health Service. Bad teeth are sometimes the real cause and it is always wise to consult both the doctor and the dentist. Have an X-ray made of the teeth.