

BUTTE TO HELP SALVATION ARMY

The War Fund Drive to Start Soon—Possibly Early Next Month.

Butte citizens will probably be given a chance to contribute to a war fund which the Salvation Army is raising. A million dollars is needed by the army for work among the American soldiers during the coming year.

Instructions received by Ensign William H. Harris, in charge of Salvation Army work here, are not definite but Mr. Harris declared today that the drive will probably take place early in January. How great Butte's allotment will be has not yet been determined.

Great success has been met with by the Salvation Army in eastern cities. In Chicago, where the campaign is under way, 250,000 school children are participating, besides all of the police stations and part of the postal service. Already \$70,000 has been realized and the money is still pouring in.

The Salvation Army in Chicago expects to raise \$300,000, which will be unique by the fact that for the first time in the history of the country the United States mail carriers will assist in the drive. Not only have President Wilson and the war department endorsed the drive but Postmaster General Burleson has given permission for the Chicago letter carriers to unite in a one-night drive for the Salvation Army fund.

In Chicago an association which promises to have a tremendous membership at the front in the "Klan Kustung Klub" sport with one big "K". The members of the "K" promise not to use profanity and to confine their exploits to slams.

Over one million dollars has been spent by the Salvation Army during the course of the war.

The work is non-sectarian and its expansion means added comforts for the boys that this city is sending to fight for the nation. The influence of the Salvation Army lasses, the only women in the advance camps, is wonderfully beneficial to the morale of our soldiers.

The seven hutments recently completed in the advance camps are already extremely popular among our soldiers in France. They are equipped with extensive libraries, victrolas, game-tables, etc., one of the leading features being the files of "home town" papers that are carefully kept up to date. In addition to the material comforts provided, the spiritual well-being of the men is being cared for and scores of actual conversions are recorded in the religious meetings held, and Christian sentiment awakened.

Hundreds of men are signing the "Up the Pole League" pledge and binding themselves to refrain from the use of intoxicants during the period of the war.

The enlisted men want the Salvation Army and appreciate its good work.

Letter Shows Work

The following letter, showing the work of the Salvation Army in France, has been received in Chicago:

Ligny.—My Dear Colonel: The Salvation Army, in this its first experience with our troops, has stepped very closely into the heart of the men. Your hits have been open to them at all times. They have been cordially received in a home-like atmosphere and their many needs provided in your religious teachings.

Your efforts have the honest support of our chaplains. I have talked with many of our soldiers, who are warm in their praise and satisfaction in what is being done for them. For myself, I feel that the Salvation Army has a real place for its activities with our army in France and I offer you and your workers, men and women, good wishes and thanks for what you have done and are doing for our men. Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) G. B. DUNCAN, Brigadier General, On Pershing's Staff.

IN DREAMS IT HAPPENS



GEE! THESE ARE SWELL OYSTERS IN THIS SOUP!

WHAT ONE BOY'S DEATH HAS DONE FOR NAVY

Newark, O., Dec. 13.—Archie B. Leedy had a host of friends at home town long before he enlisted in the American navy. Now they purpose to prove their loyalty not only to him but to their country by trying to avenge his death.

He is believed to have been one of those lost when a German submarine sent the destroyer Jacob Jones to the bottom of the sea.

Since 15 boys, all friends of Archie, have enlisted in the navy, 10 of them going in a body to the recruiting office at Zanesville. Others say they also will enlist.

One Box of Cuticura Ointment and One Cake Cuticura Soap Healed Disfiguring Pimples.

"My face broke out with small red pimples that seemed to be caused from blackheads. They festered and were scattered over my face, and itched and burned and were very disfiguring. The trouble lasted about a month and a half.

"I tried several remedies without any result, so I sent for a free sample of Cuticura Soap. I used it according to directions and found it was helping me very much. I then bought a full sized cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment, and now I am healed. I shall always recommend the Cuticura Soap and Ointment."

(Signed) Jephtha King, Sweetwater, Idaho, Feb. 20, 1917.

Delicate, sensitive skins with tendency to pimples, redness or roughness should not be irritated by impure, strongly medicated soaps. Why not use on the face, and for every-day toilet purposes, Cuticura, a pure, gentle soap, reaching the first signs of pimples or irritation with Cuticura Ointment.

For Free Sample Each by Return Mail address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. H, Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25c and 50c.

The Old Reliable Best Set Teeth \$10

Crown and bridgework, per tooth, \$5.00
Gold fillings, \$1.00 to \$4.00
Gold inlays, \$2.50 up
Porcelain fillings, \$2.00 to \$3.50
Amalgam fillings, \$1.00
Painless extractions.

Only middle-aged, gentlemanly operators are employed, who are specialists in the treatment of diseases of the mouth and teeth. All Work Guaranteed.

The Montana Dental Co.

114 1/2 North Main St.
Office hours—8:30 a. m. to 8 p. m.
Sundays—11 a. m. to 1 p. m.
In Butte 25 Years.
THE OLD RELIABLE.

Finest Dental Work at Moderate Prices

Teeth extracted without pain; finest gold crown \$5 per tooth. No better dental work at any price.

Dr. F. A. Ironside

16 NORTH MAIN ST.
Largest dental office in Montana.

We Resharpen HONE AND STROP All Kinds of Safety Razor Blades

NEWBRO DRUG CO.

37 West Park St.

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Guarantees to cure diseases of men and women with his famous Chinese herbs. Dr. Pon is the first to introduce these medicines in this country. He has cured many chronic cases in Butte and will cure you.

POSTPONE MEETING OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Revival of Interest in Body is Planned for the Season.

Determination to inject more life into the Chamber of Commerce, possibly through the medium of resuming the monthly luncheon gatherings, was the feature of the meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce last evening. Nomination of officers was to have been made, but adjournment was taken to Dec. 23 and, in the meantime, a committee of seven will search for the very liveliest possible men to fill the vacancies.

Food conservation was discussed by William Lutey, A. R. Currie, W. H. Davey, Eugene Carroll, Emmet Thompson and others. A "censor" committee on all applications for local campaigns to raise money was named, consisting of C. J. Kelly, A. J. Davis and D. J. Charles. This committee will work with a similar committee from the Rotary club.

We do not know much. But we do know that things are not going to come your way unless you start them in the right direction.

COUGHING

annoys others and hurts you. Relieve throat irritation and tickling, and get rid of coughs, colds and hoarseness by taking at once

PISO'S

RAILROADS ASKING FOR BETTER RATE

The High Cost of Material and Labor Causes Them to Face Deficit.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Eastern railroads this fall renewed their request for a 15 per cent advance in freight rates partially to cover the large deficit in net earnings they say they would face at the end of the year because of the high cost of material and labor. It was estimated the increase would net about \$58,000,000, but at the last hearing railroad representatives said this would provide for only about one-third of the shortage in revenue and, whether or not the increase was granted, they would ask for another 15 per cent in class rates and an increase in coal and coke rates.

Whether the increase asked would solve the difficulty, the railroads maintained, best left to the congress. It was admitted by representatives of some shippers was questioned. Frank A. Vanderlip, New York banker, testified that it would not. Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania, stated that the roads but not shippers have the increase but that congress should provide that the government loan them money at 4 per cent.

Request Declined.

On June 29, 1917, the commission declined a request for a horizontal increase in rates of 15 per cent, maintaining that the roads at that time did not face so serious a financial problem as had been pictured. An increase of 14 per cent on certain class rates was granted. This, it was estimated, resulted in an increase of about 5 per cent in the gross revenues. The commission estimated then that the net operating revenues of the 28 systems involved would be approximately \$215,000,000 in 1917. In asking for a rehearing the railroads stated that the conditions in 1917 had changed radically from the decision to make additional revenue an immediate necessity.

Clifford Thorne, leading counsel for the shippers, met the railroad argument with the statement that during the first nine months of 1917 the net operating revenue of the lines was \$60,000,000 greater than the commission had estimated for the entire year. This alone, he stated, should influence the commission against adding burdens to many businesses affected during the war by the same agencies that prompted the railroads to seek more revenue.

Much was said during the last hearing of the effect on finances by lack of public confidence in railroad securities. Paul M. Warburg, vice governor of the federal reserve board, called by the commission in its own initiative to give his view of the situation, stated that the increase should be granted if for no other reason than for the effect on securities. If the public believed the government intended to be generous with the railroads, investment securities could be disposed of much easier, he stated.

While railroads in other sections have pending requests for certain additional rates, it was believed the decision in the eastern roads' cases would determine whether the others would ask for horizontal increases.

Ready Now at Old Prices.

Fresh lots (just received) of Foley's Honey and Tar are selling at before-the-war prices. This puts a well-known cough medicine, ready to use, in homes at less than it costs to buy and mix the ingredients yourself, and saves illness and mucus. Mrs. Mary Kibby, 2522 Princeton avenue, Spokane, Wash., writes: "I was sick in bed with lagrippe. I coughed very badly. I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped my cough and I got better. So now I am around the house again. Newbro Drug Co.—Adv."

STUFF TO LOSE SLEEP OVER.

WHO KNOWS—PROBABLY DIS STREET 155 MINED (YET)



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Convalescence after pneumonia, typhoid fever and the grip, sometimes merely apparent, not real. To make real and rapid, there is no other tonic so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands so testify. Take

PATRIOTIC GIRLS WILL STAGE BENEFIT BAZAAR

The Girls' Patriotic association will hold a bazaar Thursday afternoon at the Garfield school for the benefit of the Red Cross. Everything in the line of Christmas gifts may be obtained there. A Christmas program will be rendered. Everybody is welcome. The sale of Christmas articles begins at 1:30 o'clock.

HIS NEWEST! HIS LATEST! HIS FUNNIEST! HIS BEST!



CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN "THE ADVENTURER"

It is just one long laugh! Ask any one who has seen it—His best picture by long odds!

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BUTTE'S BEST PHOTOPLAY HOUSE 11 A. M. to 11 P. M.

BOY'S CHAPLIN CONTEST TONIGHT AT 8

BENEFIT PROGRAM FOR ST. JOHN'S PARISH HOUSE

Girls' Club Will Present an Entertainment on December 22.

The girls' club of St. John's parish will present a program at the parish house the evening of December 22 at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the "Parish House Fund." The program follows:

- 1—"A Boy's Dream" Dorothy Moyle
- 2—"Interpretive Dance, Dorothy Alkire
- 3—"Reading, "The Last Word," Elizabeth Parsons.
- 4—"Christmas page, "The Night Watch," Thelma Greenfield.
- 5—"Piano solos—Prelude by Bach; Autumn by Chopin; Elizabeth Congdon.

"The Glory of the World."

A Christmas play in one act by Carolyn Wells. Scene: Home of Father Time and Mother Earth. Characters in the order of their appearance:

- Father Time—Queen Siderlin.
- Mother Earth—Elizabeth Chapman.
- Sun—Alice Anderson.
- Moon—Winifred Sturgis.
- Stars—Halle Moyle and Zella Buckner.
- Snow—Margaret Parsons.
- Wind—Dorothy Akire.
- Rain—Elise Collins.
- Aurora Borealis—Juanita Fitzscher.
- Flowers—Ella Flaler, Martha Winchester, Thelma Greenfield, Dorothy Moyle, Sidney Blacklock.
- Butterflies—Katherine Evans and Marjorie Ralph.
- Harvest—Leola Harrington.
- Toll—Dorcas Childster.
- Liberty—Anna Nugent.
- Fame—Marion Fitzpatrick.
- Polly—Mary Mattison.
- Learning—Doris Lambert.
- Charity—Elizabeth Parsons.

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STUD POKER PLAYERS TO GET NEW TRIAL IN THE ALASKA COURT

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—Edward Johnson and A. C. Laird of Nome, Alaska, convicted on a charge of playing stud poker in the territory, will receive a new trial as the result of a ruling of the United States circuit court of appeals here. The court decided the United States marshal for the western division of Alaska had exceeded his authority when he hired a private detective, whom he paid with his own money, to obtain evidence against Johnson and Laird.

HONORS FOR AMERICAN HERO AT CAMBRIA FIGHT

London Dec. 17.—The distinguished service order has been awarded to Lieut. Walter G. Oakman, Jr. of Islip, Long Island, a grandson of Roscoe Conkling, for gallantry in the Cambria battle, where he was wounded for the third time.

GRANDMOTHER KNEW

There Was Nothing So Good for Congestion and Colds as Mustard

But the old-fashioned mustard-plaster burned and blistered while it acted. Get the relief and help that mustard plasters gave, without the plaster and without the blister.

Musterole does it. It is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It is scientifically prepared, so that it works wonders, and yet does not blister the tenderest skin.

Just massage Musterole in with the finger-tips gently. See how quickly it brings relief—how speedily the pain disappears.

Use Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



ART WORKS WERE TAKEN FROM ROCKEFELLER HOME

Fire Loss at Cleveland Mansion Will Reach \$100,000.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 18.—The removal a month ago by John D. Rockefeller of practically all the valuable paintings from his summer home at Forest Hill, East Cleveland, saved him hundreds of thousands of dollars early this morning, when the home was completely destroyed by fire. City and state fire officials today were investigating the origin of the blaze, which caused a property loss estimated at \$100,000.

Incendiarism is suspected by William H. Smith, superintendent of the estate.

HEALTH BOARDS WILL CONSIDER VACCINATIONS

A meeting of the city and county boards of health will be held tomorrow for the purpose of further considering the question of vaccination of the school children. According to reports, there is no decrease in the number of cases of smallpox and it is felt that something must be done to prevent the spread of the disease.

A LESSON IN MANNERS.

This is the way the agent got a lesson in manners. He called at a business office and saw nobody but a prepossessing though capable-looking young woman.

"Where's the boss?" he asked abruptly.

"That is your business," she asked politely.

"None of yours!" he snapped. "I've got a proposition to lay before this firm, and I want to talk to somebody about it."

"And you would rather talk to a gentleman?"

"Yes."

"Well," answered the lady, smiling sweetly, "so would I. But it seems that it's impossible for either one of us to have our wish, so we'll have to make the best of it. State your business, please." — Cleveland Plain Dealer

Path in ARTIST?

There's something hidden about you—your own "secret" things are so and people are true, even though all the world says otherwise.

The measure of success I have found in my profession I owe to faith. I have faith in myself, in my ability to serve the public well, and faith that my HONESTY OF PURPOSE will stand between me and the envious critic.

Patience, Perseverance, Examination, Firmness, Open-Heartedness.

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Miller's Red Can, M. J. B. Folgers' White House, 45c grade, per pound .40c

Face and fill Jonathan apples, per box .18.50

Fancy and extra fancy Jonathan apples, per box .22.25

Fancy and extra fancy Delicious apples, per box .33.35

Extra nice Idaho spuds, free from frost .22.25

Lyons' Best or Occident flour, old wheat, 49 pounds .33.75

Lyons' Best new wheat flour, 49-pound sack for .33.65

Best standard corn, can .15c
Per case .33.50

Tomatoes, 2 1/2-pound Wood's Cross or Star, per can .15c

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Know How Best-Class Res. City Where Prices Prevail

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Broadway Lunch 25c

MORGAN COLLECTION GOES TO MUSEUM OF ART

Dec. 18.—The presentation of the Metropolitan Museum of Art of the world-famous collection of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., is the first of the series, which carries out the plan of the collector, who suggested that his collection be placed where it would be "permanently preserved and made available to the people."

The value of the gift to the museum ranges as high as \$1,000,000, but many of the objects are of great value. The collection consists of 3,000 objects, in addition to the Great antiquary section.

BLOOD

Blotches and eruptions, and blood is kept in its natural state and is restored and the faithful use of

HAM'S PILLS

Medicine in the World. In boxes, 10c., 25c.