

WILSON ISSUES APPEAL FOR RED CROSS SUPPORT

Americans Cannot Fold
Hands Because Peace Has
Come, Says Proclamation
of President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—President Wilson, in a proclamation made public today, calls on every American to join the American Red Cross during Christmas roll-call week, December 16 to 23, "and thus send forth to the whole human family the Christmas greeting for which it waits, and for which it stands in greatest need."

The proclamation, prepared before the president departed for Europe, follows:

"To the American People:

"One year ago 22,000,000 Americans, by enrolling as members of the Red Cross at Christmas time, sent to the men who were fighting our battles overseas a stimulating message of cheer and good will. They made it clear that our people were of their own free choice united with their government in the determination not only to wage war with the instruments of destruction, but also by every means in their power to repay the ravages of the invader and sustain and renew the spirit of the army and of the homes which they represent."

"The friends of the American Red Cross in Italy, Belgium and France have told and will tell again the story of how the Red Cross workers restored morale in the hospitals, in the camps and at the cantonments, and we ought to be very proud that we have been permitted to be of service to those whose sufferings and whose glory are the heritage of humanity."

"Now, by God's grace, the Red Cross Christmas message of 1918 is to be a message of peace as well as a message of good will. But peace does not mean that we can fold our hands. It means further sacrifice. We must prove conclusively to an attentive world that America is permanently aroused to the needs of the new era, our old indifference gone forever."

"The exact nature of the future service of the Red Cross will depend upon the program of the associated governments, but there is immediate need today for every heartening word and for every helpful service. We must not forget that our soldiers and our sailors are still under orders and still have duties to perform of the highest consequence, and that the Red Cross Christmas membership means a great deal to them. The people of the saddened lands, moreover, returning home today where there are no homes must have the assurance that the hearts of our people are with them in the dark and doubtful days ahead. Let us, so far as we can, help them back to faith in mercy and future happiness."

"As president of the Red Cross, conscious in this great hour of the value of such a message from the American people, I should be glad if every American would join the Red Cross for 1919, and thus send forth to the whole human family the Christmas greeting for which it waits and for which it stands in greatest need."

"WOODROW WILSON."

A new motor to provide power for ordinary bicycles, which is mounted over the rear wheel, driving it with a chain has only seven moving parts.

Importance of the ocean as a source of food supply is shown, in a report of the bureau.

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Three Shipments of Letters Are Coming

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Three shipments of home-bound mail from the American army totaling 8,500,000 letters, left France between November 28 and December 2. The previous week's mail numbered 6,000,000 letters. The increase is believed to be due to the "father's letters" which the men in the army had been asked to write on November 24.

New Paris, Ohio

Mrs. Estella Coblenz entertained with a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening, the guests were Misses Irene Timmons, Ruth Zos, Zelma Numa-maker, Florence Porter and Mrs. H. Perriett Wright. Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Melody and daughter were guests of relatives and friends Sunday. Mrs. Cloe Roberts, wife of Roy Roberts, near New Paris, died of influenza Wednesday morning. On Tuesday a baby daughter was born in this home and the little one died Tuesday evening. Besides the husband, Mrs. Roberts is survived by her father, Mr. Adams, three brothers and two sisters of Lynn, Ind. Miss Irene Timmons, Miss Maud King and Earl Wisenburger left for Hamilton Sunday and spent the day with Misses Adah and Hazel Heath. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. King and daughter returned to their home in Pittsburgh. Mrs. Elizabeth Reid of Portland, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Reid. Mrs. Ruth Hemphill returned Tuesday from a visit at Mt. Healthy, O. Miss Helen Sullivan will leave Friday for her home in Ashland, Kans., after a two months' visit with relatives and friends. Early Thursday morning Robert Smith was stricken with paralysis at his home on North Spring street. The stroke affected his whole left side. C. M. Wilcox is spending his week-end with his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Clark, of Cincinnati. Mrs. M. E. Beelman, who has been there for the past two weeks will return with him. Mr. and Mrs. Enos Hill of Waynesville, O., is visiting the Mills family. Wilson Mills has purchased the Fremont Reinheimer farm east of town. Harvey Haller was honorably discharged from Camp Sherman and arrived home Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. King and Mr. and Mrs. George Bogan will leave next Tuesday for Florida, where they will spend the winter. Rev. Myers, of Dayton will preach in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 10:30. There are near one hundred cases of influenza reported in Jefferson township but most of them are in a mild form. Mrs. Cora Richards of Cedarville, O., spent Sunday with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Northrop entertained Misses Helen Sullivan and Evelyn Northrop at 6 o'clock dinner on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Jones and daughters were guests of relatives in Troy Sunday. Miss Marie Kleeman of Richmond spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reid. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Zeek spent Sunday with his

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of the vital forces of the body, depleted in the struggle with acute disease, depends not upon superficial stimulation but upon adequate nourishment. The body needs to be nourished back to strength and power.

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daughter, Mrs. Buch of New Hope. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kirkpatrick and Fred Barton of Richmond spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reid were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Reid of Campbelltown. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crow and Mr. and Mrs. Wood Ellason of Centerville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Portfield entertained with a dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Vaughn, the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bice and Gertrude and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Reid and family. Omer Davidson is quite ill with influenza. The Tuesday club was entertained this week by Mrs. Fannie Ashman.

Boston, Ind.

Mrs. Clara Beard and daughter, Mary, Mrs. Clarence Prazee and Miss Susie Kitchel motored to Richmond Wednesday. Mrs. M. S. Stevens and children visited in Cincinnati Friday. Mrs. John Long spent Friday at Cottage Grove. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Station are the guests of relatives in Cincinnati. Mrs. Edwards, who has been nursing influenza patients in this vicinity, was called to Indianapolis by the illness of a brother. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kimball and son are the guests of relatives near Muncie. Mrs. Frank Jenkinson spent Thursday in Richmond. Mrs. Lillian Brattain, who has been visiting in Peru several weeks, returned home Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Robinson and daughter Marie and Miss Susie Kitchel spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkinson and daughter Mildred. Miss Stanley left Thursday for Kendallville, Ind., where he has accepted a position. Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Gabbert and son Gall visited with Mr. and Mrs. Decker of Richmond Friday.

The sugar cane area of 1918 in the United States is 533,500 acres, or 12 percent above the acreage of 1908.

It is estimated that the Maine sardine pack for the present season will be 2,500,000 cases of 100 cans each, a normal catch.



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C. Brehm and wife entertained Wednesday and Thursday his mother and sister, Mrs. Elroy of Germantown. W. T. Crail, a tobacco packer at the Schuster Bros. warehouse was called to his home in West Manchester Tuesday morning on account of the sudden death of his mother, who was burned to death. Mrs. Charles Floyd was called to the home of her son, Roy. A baby boy was born to them Monday and the mother is seriously ill with pneumonia. Mrs. John Longnecker and little son, Richard, are spending the week in Dayton with her husband, who is employed there. H. P. Smith was in Eaton Tuesday copying taxes for collectors at the local bank. S. L. Bunker and Frank Horn were in Richmond Sunday and attended the funeral of Geo. Bunker. Grant Schlotterbeck, who has been a select at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, has been mustered out of service and arrived home Wednesday evening. Mrs. E. G. Kart

and children and Georgia Rice were guests at Julius Singer's home in Midletown from last Thursday until Sunday. Rev. G. C. Stacy of Springfield will preach at Salem Lutheran church Sunday morning. Jess Warnke of Stithson, Ky., was home Sunday on a short furlough. Carrie Chambers of Pittsburgh, Pa., visited her parents, Henry Chambers and family from Friday until Monday. Forest Harry left Tuesday morning for Moline, Ill., where he will take a three-months course of training in the school of the Moline Tractor Co., preparatory to entering the company's service as a field man. Rev. Stomberger and wife spent Wednesday in Dayton. James Gates, Virgil Sweeney and wife and Florence Sweeney were Dayton visitors Saturday.

Taking the average depth of the ocean to be three miles, there would be a layer of salt 440 feet thick covering the bottom, in case all the water should evaporate.



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AVIATORS HOME

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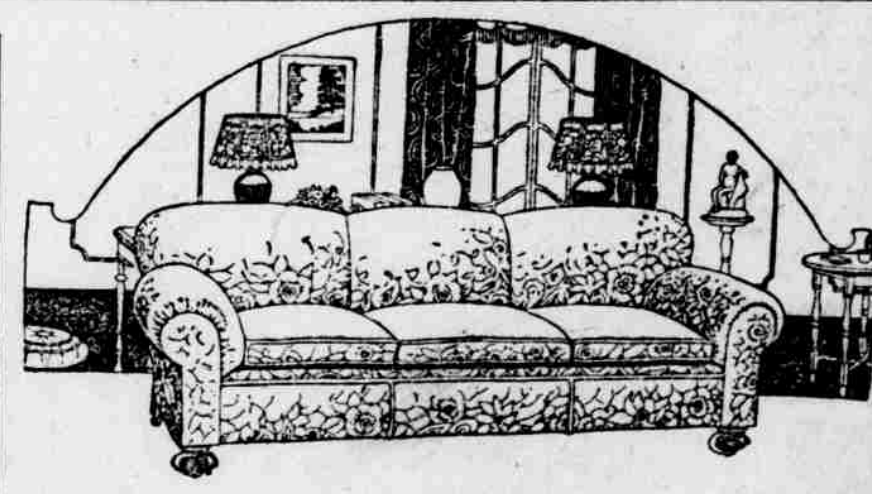
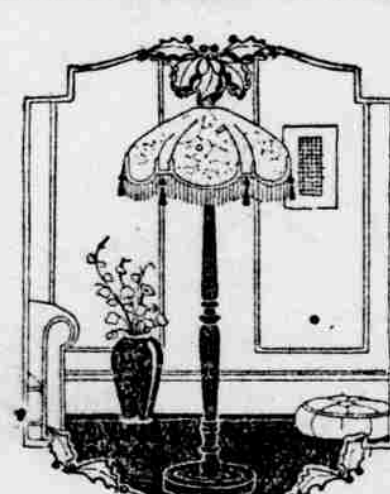
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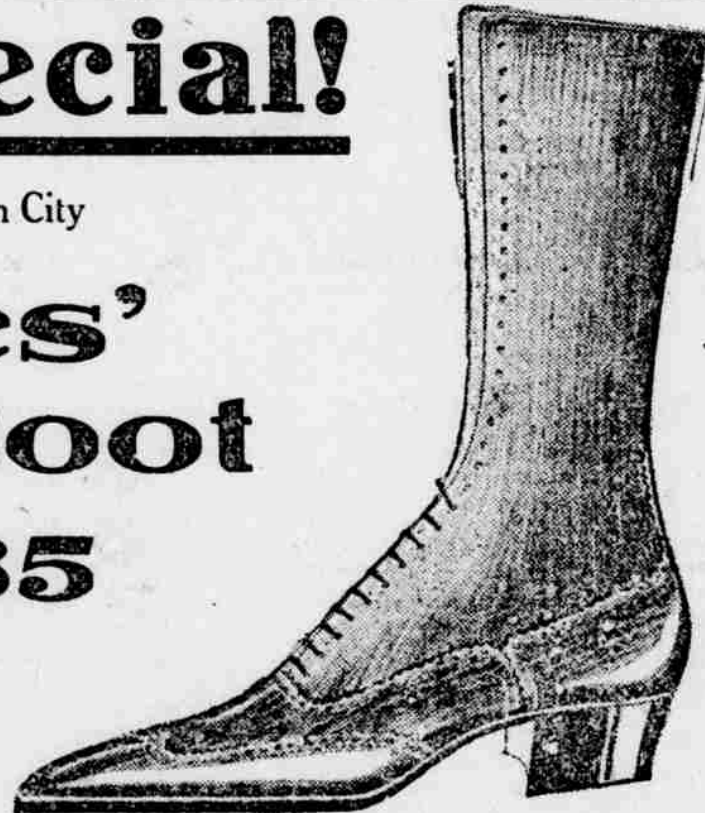
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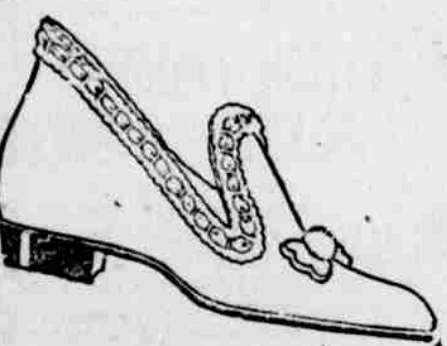


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