

# THOSE DEMANDING MEN OF COURAGE

Too Many Expecting Aid from Government. Warning from Dial.

By Hugh W. Roberts in The State Washington, April 29.—This country needs men not laws, according to Senator N. B. Dial of South Carolina.

Men of two types are needed, he declares—one in public life who has sufficient courage to turn down petitions for pensions in favor of able bodied soldiers, and another with sufficient courage to earn a living without crying to the government for assistance.

The situation has become serious, according to the senator. After pointing out that the average pension now paid by the government amounts to \$443.13, whereas in 1917 it amounted to only \$242, and predicting that the proposed bonus would cost the government approximately \$1,000,000,000, Senator Dial said:

"I was in South Carolina the other day. One member of the legislature from my county is a blind man, the only blind member of that body. He has served my county well for the last two years. He announced the other day that he was a candidate again, and I was struck by his announcement. He said he wanted the people to vote for him on his merits and because he had served them to the best of his ability, and he said further in that announcement that he did not want a single vote through sympathy. That is the kind of people we need in this country. That is the kind of spirit that has made this country great.

"I went on from the capital of the state to my home town. The next day a poor fellow came into my office. I have known him a long time. He is a hard working, honest man. He is hobbled in, not on one crutch but on two crutches, and yet he performs his daily duties, attends to his business, runs a little farm and makes a living. He is a man of very limited means. He spoke to me about this legislation in Washington. His eye was clear, and he looked at me and said he thanked God every day of his life that he had never accepted charity from the people, notwithstanding his crippled condition.

"We need more of that spirit in this country. After a while we will have practically a dependent population, people who have no more manhood than a sparrow, going around whining, asking for some public pap. We will destroy all of the initiative, we will destroy all of the ambition, we will destroy all of the incentive of the American people that has made this country great since we founded it; and it does seem to me that senators, people who are big enough to be elected to the United States senate, ought to stop and remember that there is somebody else in this country besides the people who are forever knocking at the door of the treasury.

"I do not believe it is so much those people who want this legislation as it is some members of congress who act in fear, and want to dole money out of the public treasury. I do not believe that 5 per cent of the honest people of the United States would approve of this kind of legislation, even in the states where they get a large proportion of it. I do not know how we are going to stop it. I confess that I am alarmed. . . I have thought that perhaps it would be necessary to amend the constitution. I have not studied the matter from a legal standpoint, but I do not know now whether we are permitted under the constitution to make many appropriations and donations that we do make. If we are not, the time has come when some man should rise up in the United States and go to court and get an injunction against it; but if we are allowed to donate to every thing that comes along, and if we are not going to have a backbone and the manhood to say 'No,' then I do believe that the people of this country will rise up and pass a constitutional amendment whereby we will be prohibited from contributing the money of the public in this way, and I would say, 'God speed the day.'

"I have never questioned the stability of the government of the United States; that thought had never entered my mind until the last few years. When I see the laxity with which we administer our trust, I confess that I am getting a little nervous, and I feel that unless we stop, great disaster will disturb the prosperity of the country."

**Chinese Condemns Bribe.**  
There is a famous oriental saying condemning bribery. It is said that an ancient Chinese sage who lived in the second century was offered a bribe. His silence being accepted as hesitation, he was assured that he was perfectly safe, as no one knew it. He replied: "Heaven knows it. Earth knows it. You know it. I know it. How can you say that no one knows it?"

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## LANFORD NEWS

Lanford, May 1.—Death has again entered our midst and claimed the sweet spirit of one much beloved and respected by all, that of Mrs. J. D. Johnson. She had been in declining health for some time, but was thought to be improving when she was taken suddenly ill Saturday morning, when friends, doctors, nurse, neighbors and relatives did all that could be done for her. She quietly passed away Tuesday at 7 o'clock, just at the close of day. She was 77 years old and has a large family connection. She was a daughter of Mr. John Lanford, deceased, and sister of Capt. J. W. Lanford and Mrs. L. M. Cannon, who still survive her. She is also survived by her husband and two sons, Messrs. B. W. Johnson manager of Arcadia Mills store in Spartanburg, and J. Vance Johnson a traveling salesman.

The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock at the Baptist church, being conducted by her pastor, Dr. Graves L. Knight, assisted by Rev. C. M. Griffin, of Fairforest, and Rev. C. D. Boone, of Woodruff, who were former pastors and friends of the family. The pall bearers were six of her nephews and the six little flower girls were her great nieces. She was a good Christian woman, a faithful member of the Baptist church. We will all miss her council as a good friend and kindly neighbor, but it is in the home that her life shone brightest. Here her gentleness and kindness will be a monument to her memory and a heritage to her loved ones, with whom we all deeply sympathize.

The Sunday school of the Methodist church celebrated Children's Day with very appropriate exercises and music, after which Mr. Boyd, from Central Methodist church in Spartanburg, made a most able address in the interest of the Centenary drive. The younger people met Sunday afternoon to organize an Epworth League, enrolling a good many interested young people. Miss Smith, of Greer, made a talk for them. The Gray Court league is expected to give them a program real soon.

Prof. Joe N. Burgess, of Greer, visited his sister, Miss Jennie Burgess, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. D. Patterson and Miss Josie Williams were guests of Mrs. J. R. Patterson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Byers and Mrs. Frank Randall, of Hendersonville, N. C., and Mrs. Othello Payne, of Greenwood, who attended the funeral of Mrs. J. D. Johnson, have returned to their homes. Among others here for the funeral were Mr. Belton Lanford and Mr. and Mrs. Grist of Greenville, Mr. J. E. Johnson and family of Gray Court, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lanford, Mr. Henry Parson, Mr. Van Lanford and family of Woodruff, Mr. Richard Moore and family, Misses Nannie Mae and Ruth Lanford, with others from Arcadia.

The school closes Tuesday night with a very interesting program.

Mr. LeRoy Patterson is at home from Marion, N. C.

Messrs. J. W. Johnson and C. C. Cox spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mr. Walter Cox, of Laurens, spent the week-end with Messrs. Vernon and Gilbert Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Higgins and Mrs. M. W. Fowler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Drummond, last Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Harmon of Laurens visited friends here Sunday.

## SHILOH NEWS

Shiloh, May 1.—The school of this place closed last Saturday with an all-day picnic. On account of the cool, rainy weather there was not as large a crowd as usual. Those present enjoyed the talks made by Mr. W. Carl Wharton and Rev. C. W. Watson. The other two invited speakers, Mr. R. T. Wilson and Mr. P. D. Huff failed to be with us. This marked the closing of a very successful year's work, with Misses Young, Langston and Wolf as teachers.

A very interesting Children's Day program was given at the church Sunday morning. We always have a large crowd on Children's Day at Shiloh.

Quite a large number of our Sunday School workers attended the Sunday School convention at Friendship Sunday afternoon and won the banner for the best representation.

The Epworth League held its regular meeting Sunday night. A very interesting program was carried out. This meeting also closed a contest among the members, which has been creating a great deal of interest and enthusiasm for the past four weeks.

The delegates from the missionary society and young people's society of this place are expecting a great day at Dials, at the Missionary Rally next Saturday.

Rev. C. W. Watson and Mr. R. C. Wallace dined with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wilson Sunday.

## CARNEGIE HEROES

ARE ANNOUNCED

Charlotte Man Among the Twenty-Three who will Receive Awards.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 28.—Eight of the 23 heroes officially recognized today by the Carnegie Hero Fund commission lost their lives while endeavoring to save some unfortunate. A pension of \$960 a year was granted to the dependants of one hero, and \$4,000 will be applied by the commission for the dependants of five others. For those who survived their heroic efforts the commission awarded \$11,200 for educational purposes and in six cases awards aggregating \$5,600 were made for other worthy purposes. Six silver medals and seventeen of bronze were given.

The deceased:

Charles H. Bennett, 69, Swezey street, Patchogue, Long Island, tried to save Mrs. Louis W. Heath, off Fire Island, July 3, 1921.

David Nesbit Hamilton, 217 Washington avenue, Vandergriff, Pa., tried to save Glen H. Elrick from drowning at Campbells Mills, Pa., May 30, 1921.

Timothy R. Connor, 1 Ames street, Worcester, Mass., mail carrier, tried to save James Dorsey from drowning at Worcester, December 20, 1921.

William Thomas Ball, Harper, Kansas, saved Carl E. Yoder from being run down by a train at Harper, December 19, 1920.

Phillip S. Land, 310 Iowa street, Cedar Falls, Iowa, tried to save two women from drowning at Cedar Falls May 22, 1921.

Thomas H. Robinson, thirteen year old school boy of 505 Fairview street, Camden, N. J., tried to save a companion from drowning at Gloucester City, N. J., June 11, 1921.

Gardner B. Aubrey, 56 Chauncey street, Watertown, Mass., tried to save Francis X. Gradle from drowning at Cambridge, Mass., May 30, 1921.

Joseph Cimino, 1407 Fourteenth street, Fairmont, W. Va., tried to save Robert T. Hawkins from drowning at Weston, W. Va., June 12, 1920.

The living:

Frederick W. Ronbeck, 1167 Dean street, Brooklyn, N. Y., saved unidentified man from drowning at Oakbeach, N. Y., July 4, 1919.

Charles G. Schlabbig, 108 South Franklin street, Dubois, Pa., saved Helen J. Martinson from drowning at Sabuda, Pa., July 8, 1919.

James M. Waters, Morrisonville, Ill., saved Agassiz B. Walker from being killed by a train at Morrisonville, February 24, 1920.

Roy F. Barnes, 801 Forty-first street, Moline, Ill., saved Milo A. Leflingwell, from being killed by a train, January 9, 1920.

John H. Harper, West Tulsa, Okla., saved John M. Jones from suffocation in tank car at West Tulsa, May 18, 1920.

Thomas A. O'Brien 318 Spring street, Latrobe, Pa., saved one girl and tried to save another from drowning at Darlington, Pa., August 3, 1919.

Dona A. McCullough, a sixteen year old stenographer, of 926 Rose street, McKeesport, Pa., tried to save Mary J. Hays from drowning at Zellenople, Pa., August 21, 1921.

John Edward Laughery, fourteen year old school boy, of Mill Run, Pa., saved Bertha C. McCormick from drowning at Mill Run, July 20, 1921.

Otto Reid, twelve year old school boy of Running Springs, Kentucky, saved a companion from drowning at Oneida, Ky., June 17, 1919.

Powell T. Lindgren, 600 North Church street, Charlotte, N. C., saved Edith B. Taylor from drowning at Asburg Park, N. J., May 29, 1920.

Howard F. Willard, 216 Central street, Georgetown, Mass., saved Henry F. Bexter from drowning at Georgetown, February 12, 1919.

Wesley N. Fain, Grand Prairie, Tex., a fourteen year old boy, saved Edward W. Passino from drowning at Glenn Allen, Miss., July 27, 1918.

Herbert Aaron Friedlich, Cooper-Carlton Hotel, Chicago, saved Raymond Kraft from an impending fall in Glacier Park, Mont., August 6, 1919, assisting him to a place of safety under the most perilous conditions.

George T. Gerrard, 350 East Morris street, Indianapolis, Ind., saved two boys from drowning at Marion, Ind., January 9, 1919.

Alex Neshkin, 2370 Sixty-first street, Cleveland, Ohio, saved a school boy from drowning at Cleveland, February 22, 1916.

**Few Insects Harmful to Man.**

Relatively speaking, very few species of insects are harmful in any way to man and his works. The injurious species amount to less than 1 per cent of the whole. On the other hand, a great many species are beneficial to mankind. Pollination of crops like clover would be impossible without insect visitations, and the same is true of many garden flowers and important fruits.

**"Ballistic Wind."**

The "ballistic wind" is a fictitious wind assumed in computing the flight of projectiles to express the total effect of the winds that actually occur. Its use was introduced during the World war.

## Cramer-Kurz Trio at Chautauqua



The Cramer-Kurz Trio, three gifted entertainers—a soprano, a character interpreter and a pianist—will give a delightful program at the coming Redpath Chautauqua here. Possessed of rare ability and striking personality, their entertainment offerings are always hailed with delight.

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