Local Overseas Veterans Group Offers Important Program For Fall And Winter.

At Tuesday evening's meeting of the Delaware chapter of the American Overseas Veterans of World War I, at the local post headquarters, Conley's Grocery, in the basement of the Odd Fellows Lodge, 301 E. Market Street, the general subject was "Veterans and Their Families in the Development of Peace." Capts. S. A. Brown, W. G. Reisner (both from Milford) and J. B. Marsden (from Lewes) were the speakers.

A new chapter of the American Overseas Veterans of World War I has been organized in Delaware. The new chapter is affiliated with the American overseas veterans organization, is made up of men who served in all branches of the armed forces in World War I. The organization is open to all veterans of World War I who wish to become members.

No Delaware men called up under the Selective Service during the war. Instead, they were willing to make personal sacrifices for the war effort. This is one of the reasons why Delawareans are so proud of their war heroes.

According to the latest government figures, the war continued for a total of 4 years. Of the men who served, 10 percent were killed in action, while another 10 percent died of injuries. The war had a total cost of approximately $300 billion, making it one of the most expensive wars in history.

On the evening of November 11, the Milford American Legion Post 100 will host the Delaware chapter's annual wreath-laying ceremony at the Delaware State Capitol. The ceremony will include speeches by local dignitaries and a moment of silence to honor those who gave their lives in the war.

Teddy Roosevelt, the 26th President of the United States, was a prominent figure in the early days of the American overseas veterans organization. He was a strong supporter of the organization and its efforts to help veterans and their families.