

LOCAL ITEMS

(C. B. W.)

The ruling by the chairman of the county fuel administration that hard coal would not be delivered until January 1, which appeared in last week's issue of *The Theocrat*, has been modified, and Zion Fuel Yards are now permitted to deliver hard coal up to 65 per cent of the amount used from March 31, 1916, to March, 1917, on all orders filed with them and approved by L. P. Erskine, Chairman of Lake County Fuel Administration. Those who have not already done so should call at once at the Grocery Department or at the Fuel Department and fill in and sign the application form.

All copies of "The Present Great World Crisis" by Apostle Willis F. Jordan, recently advertised in the *Leaves of Healing* and *The Theocrat*, have been sold; also nearly all the tracts, "The Terrible Things That Are Now Being Recorded in the Newspapers, and the Literal Fulfillment of Many Bible Prophecies," by the General Overseer, only a small supply remaining on hand. Several thousand of each have been sold at the reduced prices within the past two weeks; in fact, the former was cleaned up within a week from the time the offer was made.

Zion Baking Industry (together with some other manufacturers over the country) has been notified that the further production of hard bread for the army is unnecessary. Notwithstanding this, Zion Baking Industry is enjoying a very heavy general business and will continue to run an extra night shift in order to take care of customers.

A turnip, measuring 22 inches in circumference and weighing 4 pounds and 1 ounce, has been on display in the Realty Department, Administration Building, for several days. It is

in almost perfect condition and was raised from seed sown by Mr. F. M. Kesler.

Zion Apron and Handkerchief Factory is very busy and several more machine operators are needed at once in order to take care of the regular business. Over 150,000 yards of percale and gingham material have been received within the past few days.

In order to avoid shortage in receiving back articles of clothing from Zion Laundry, everyone must enclose a slip with their laundry showing itemized list of contents; otherwise, the laundry will not stand responsible for losses.

Mrs. Olive Merrill, with her little son, Paul, has arrived in Zion City from Hackensack, New Jersey, and will make her home with her parents, Deacon and Mrs. N. J. LaRose, 2412 Elim avenue.

Ralph Wagner and family have moved into the property at 2325 Elim avenue which they recently purchased from H. A. Gruman, the deal having been consummated through the Zion Estate.

Paul Mayhak and family have moved from Kenosha, Wisconsin, to Zion City, locating in their property at 2319 Gideon avenue.

W. H. Pefley has traded his 20-acre tract with the Zion Estate for property at 2409 Gilboa avenue.

Miss Tilda Schurter and Miss Bertha Boehmke have taken employment in Zion Apron and Handkerchief Factory, as machine operators.

The new concrete road will be opened to the public south of Zion City as far as Beach on Thanksgiving Day.

George Hollingsworth, of Chicago, visited his mother, Deaconess M. S. Hollingsworth, of Zion Home, over Saturday and Lord's Day.

Mr. L. E. Stancliff, of Erie, Pennsylvania, attended services in Shiloh Tabernacle on Lord's Day.

William Sefton has taken employment with

Zion Printing and Publishing House as pressman.

Calvin LaBelle has taken employment in the sausage room of Zion Meat Department.

Marshall Moulton has accepted employment with Zion Livery as taxi driver.

News of The World

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AMERICAN NATION FACES PROBLEM OF FEEDING HUNGRY WORLD

As one cartoonist puts it, Uncle Sam, at the close of the war, finds a lusty infant, labeled "Hungry World," left on his door-step.

"The American people do not yet realize that the armistice brings the United States face to face with a gigantic problem in food production and conservation which dwarfs all previous accomplishments in that direction," says Thomas E. Wilson, chairman of the packers' committee supervising cooperation of the meat industry with the government.

"Peace will not add a single pound to our stock of food," he adds, "but it is adding more than 200,000,000 new mouths to feed, either wholly or in part. Now and for a considerable period after final peace terms are signed, food will be in greater demand than ever before."

J. Ogden Armour—who, as one writer expresses it, "sits on the roof of the economic world, as banker, farmer, manufacturer, jobber and industrialist, and, through the myriad of corporations he controls, feeds more people than any other man"—sees no prospect of lower living costs, or at least of cheaper food, in the near future, and no probability of material relief within the next three years.

President Wilson, immediately upon the signing of the armistice, promised that he would take up with the allies, at once, the question of sending supplies to the starving peoples of Ger-

many, if assurances could be given that order will be maintained and equitable distribution of food guaranteed.

The President, in a message through Secretary of State Lansing to Chancellor Ebert, expressed the opinion that by the use of the idle tonnage of the former central empires it ought presently to be possible to lift the fear of utter misery which now oppresses the populations of the war-stricken districts.

According to a London dispatch, of November 17, the allied food council, composed of the food controllers of the United States, France, Italy and Great Britain, has allotted the world's available food supplies not to the purse or power of the allied nations but according to the actual needs. Just as a united naval and military command decided the terms of the armistice, so will the allied food council present a united front in deciding the degree of assistance necessary in each case.

PRESIDENT WILSON TO ATTEND OPENING SESSION OF PEACE CONFERENCE

President Wilson will head this country's delegation to the peace conference, according to a Washington announcement of November 18. He expects to sail for France within a day or two after December 2, the opening of the regular session of Congress.

The statement adds: "It is not likely that it will be possible for him to remain throughout the session of the formal peace conference, but his presence at the outset is necessary in order to obviate the manifest disadvantages of discussion by cable in determining the general outlines of the final treaty, on which he must necessarily be consulted."

"He will, of course, be accompanied by delegates who will sit as the representatives of the United States throughout the conference. The names of the delegates will be presently announced."

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ZION APRON AND HANDKERCHIEF FACTORY needs immediately about one-half dozen machine operators. Pleasant work, under ideal conditions. Apply at once to A. E. Sach, Zion Employment Department.

FOR SALE: Hubbard squash, 10c and 15c apiece. Phone 175-W.

FOR SALE: Second-hand 9x12 rug, 2 burner Perfection oil stove; also several kitchen chairs and sewing machines. E. L. Brown, 2412 Gideon Avenue. Phone 115-R.

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Lumber and other building material, house-moving, house-raising and general mill-work.

SPECIAL NOTICE

There will be no meeting Wednesday evening, November 27th.

There will be a **THANKSGIVING SERVICE**, NOVEMBER 28th, beginning at 9:30 A. M.

BAND CONCERT

THANKSGIVING EVENING, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28th, beginning at 8 o'clock. Zion Senior Band will give a concert.

All welcome. All seats free.

BIG REDUCTION IN PRICE

The tract by the General Overseer entitled, "The Terrible Things that are Now Being Recorded in the Newspapers, and the Literal Fulfillment of Many of the Prophecies in the Bible" now has been reduced from 10c a copy to the following prices:

1 copy postpaid	\$0.05
100 copies	3.00
500 "	12.50

ORDER NOW!!!

Subscribe for THE THEOCRAT

Mrs. Theresa Schleter has moved from 2305 Gilboa avenue to The Bethel.
Miss Bessie Ison has moved to Zion Home.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Gallagher, of 2807 Elizabeth avenue, on November 19, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliot of 1910 Hermon avenue on November 10, twin girls.

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