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# PRESIDENT WILSON TO MEET OFFICERS

## Generous Public Gives \$133 for Constructive Charity Work

Assistance of the public is invited for any or all of the following cases, which have been investigated by the Associated Charities and found to be worthy:

<p><b>OPPORTUNITY NO. 1.</b></p> <p>Widow with seven children—boys, thirteen, eleven and six; girls, nine, eight, four and two years of age. The mother, who is a good mother, is anxious to hold the home together. Children stand well in school and attend Sunday school regularly. Wanted, \$200.00.</p>	<p><b>OPPORTUNITY NO. 6.</b></p> <p>Widow with six children. Husband died some months ago, leaving an income. Ages of children range from two to nine years. This is an interesting family and worthy mother appealing to a generous public for support. Wanted, \$210.00.</p>
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Contributed yesterday:		Contributed yesterday:	
Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00	Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00
Cash	5.00	B. W. G. Hall	1.00
Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00	Mrs. W. Young	.50
B. W. Young	.50	Mrs. D. B. Tennant	10.00
Mrs. D. B. Tennant	10.00	S. Galeski	1.00
S. Galeski	1.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$18.50</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13.50</b>

**OPPORTUNITY NO. 2.**  
Husband an invalid, unable to do any work; cared for by his faithful wife. Physician holds out hope for recovery if proper care and nourishment can be furnished. Wanted, \$120.00.

Contributed yesterday:		Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00
Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00	Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00
Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00	B. W. Young	.50
B. W. Young		Mrs. D. B. Tennant	5.00
Mrs. D. B. Tennant	10.00	S. Galeski	1.00
S. Galeski	1.00		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13.50</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 8.50</b>

**OPPORTUNITY NO. 3.**  
Widow delicate. Three children. The father provided well for the family during his lifetime but they are now entirely dependent. Children go to public school and Sunday school. Wanted, \$120.00.

**OPPORTUNITY NO. 8.**  
Husband physically incapacitated. Wife and three children. Husband was a steady worker before being injured. This family highly recommended. Wanted, \$120.00.

**Contributed by Jerday:**  
Mrs. Ferriaday ..... \$1.00  
Mrs. W. G. Hall ..... 1.00

Contributed yesterday:		Mrs. D. B. Young	.50
Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00	Mrs. W. B. Tennant	5.00
Mrs. Galeski	1.00	S. Galeski	1.00
Mrs. D. B. Tennant	8.00	Total	\$8.50
B. W. Young	.50		
Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00		
Total	\$11.50		

OPPORTUNITY NO. 9.

Deserted mother with four children.

OPPORTUNITY NO. 1.

Old couple. Husband paralyzed. Wife delicate. This couple has no income. Very highly recommended. Wanted, \$120.00.

Contributed yesterday:

Mrs. Perlday, .....	\$ 1.00
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Contributions - Yesterday:		Mrs. W. Thagard	
Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00	W. H. McCarthy	5.00
Elizabeth Brown Whitlock	5.00	Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00
C. Dennon	5.00	B. W. Young	8.00
Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00	Mrs. D. B. Tennant	1.00
B. W. Young	5.00	S. Galeski	1.00
Mrs. D. B. Tennant	50		
S. Galeski	1.00		
<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>\$17.50</b>

Form \_\_\_\_\_ \$18.50  
 OPPORTUNITY NO. 5.  
 Widow with three children. Oldest  
 very delicate and sick from lack of good  
 nourishing food. Good family and well  
 recommended. The children's ages run  
 from eighteen months to seven years.  
 Husband physically incapacitated for  
 work for the past eighteen months. Wife  
 cannot leave him to go out to work.  
 Husband held responsible position  
 while able to work. This couple is now  
 entirely dependent. Wanted \$240.00.  
 Contributed yesterday:  
 Mrs. Ferriday \_\_\_\_\_ \$1.00

The mother does a little sewing to hold this family together. Wanted, \$120.00.		
Contributed yesterday:		
Mrs. Ferriday	\$ 1.00	
Mrs. W. G. Hall	1.00	
B. W. Young	.50	
Mrs. D. B. Tennant	8.00	
S. Galeski	1.00	
	<u>Total</u>	\$11.50
Total contributed yesterday		\$ 133.00

Total	\$11.50	Contributions to date	133.00
		Total amount needed	1,520.00

Contributions should be sent to The Times-Dispatch, addressed to "Ten Opportunities' Fund." Where it is desired to apply a donation to one case, the number of that case will be sufficient to indicate the contributor's desire. All money will be acknowledged through these columns and applied as directed.

## WINTER WHEAT ACREAGE BREAKS ALL RECORDS

area Seeded Promises Yield of 765,000,000 Bushels. Conservative

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<p>Estimate of Department.</p>	<p>Estimate of Department.</p>
<p>CONDITION IS NEARLY PERFECT</p>	<p>THEIR TOTAL DEATHS 147</p>
<p>Agricultural Bureau's Report De-</p>	<p>General Denching Cables General</p>

declares Season Has Been Favorable and Gives Crop an Average of 98.5 Per Cent.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, December 16.—The largest winter wheat crop ever grown in the history of the United States is estimated by the enormous acreage won this fall. The acreage is almost 10 per cent larger than last year's and

A crop of 765,000,000 bushels, or 80,000 bushels more than the best record, is forecast by the Department of Agriculture, as next year's winter wheat crop, allowing for winter killing and spring abandonment. Last

The United States Department of

the Thirtieth Division (North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee National Guard), were given as 1,623. The casualties were classified as follows: killed in action, 1,168; died of wounds, 253; died of disease, 15; died of other causes, 5; severely wounded, 1,181; wounded, degree undetermined, 1,181.

The same favorable season that permitted the amazing increase in acreage also given to the growing plant the best condition on record, 98.5 per cent, 805; slightly wounded, 3,973; missing or captured, 193.

General Pershing reported that the number of duplicated casualties discovered in the central records office since November 27 would not operate to reduce the total for the entire expeditionary forces, given in his summary.

The crop promise on the basis of present acreage and condition, with allowance for average spring abandonment due to winter killing, and assuming that the winter wheat harvest will be about the same as last year, is estimated to be 1,000,000 bushels. The report to-day from the American commander was in reply to specific questions asked by the War Department. In asking regarding the number of troops, the British commander said that the British had 10,000 men in the area, and that the American commander had 10,000 men in the area. The British commander also said that the British had 10,000 men in the area, and that the American commander had 10,000 men in the area. The British commander also said that the British had 10,000 men in the area, and that the American commander had 10,000 men in the area.

of 265,551,000 bushels of winter wheat, which is 50,000,000 bushels more than produced in any year of record, and 265,551,000 bushels more than the winter wheat production of this year.

"The rye acreage this autumn is slightly larger than last, being 6,520,000 acres, valued at \$708,000,000.

...disasters in the Northern Division, the department said there had been "much apprehension" here about the losses of this unit which helped the British army break the famous Hindenburg line.

**GIVE SOLDIERS UNIFORMS**

9.0 per cent compared to 84.1 per cent last year and 91.4 per cent average, the condition being held down by poor conditions in North and South Dakota. This forecasts a somewhat lower production than last year's record crop of 29,163,000 bushels.

## TWO LEADERS ARRESTED

After Found in Pocket of Portuguese President's Ambassador in Basis of Complaint.

(By Associated Press.)

LIBISON, December 18.—Dr. Brito macho, leader of the Unionist group of the Portuguese Chamber of Deputies, and Magalhães Lima, leader of the Republican party, have been arrested. Magalhães Lima was taken into cus-

ly because, it is alleged, a letter addressed to him was found on the person of the assassin of President Garfield.

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