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When you hear men say we cannot defeat the Germans you—well, you know what kind of a man he is.—Anderson Mail.

Lots of men are thinking more about making a fortune out of the war than about winning it for the world's democracy.—Wilmington Star.

"Man is made out of clay," runs the motto of the Hopkinsville (Ky.) News a negro paper, "and, like a meerschau pipe, is more valuable when highly colored."—Macon Telegraph.

Ask Your Grocer

CHEEK-NEAL'S COFFEES

Best By Every Test

JONESVILLE

Jonesville, March 30.—Sergeant Walker Porter of Fort Moultrie is spending a few days with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Porter.

Sergeant Milton Page of Fort Moultrie has been spending some time with his parents near Jonesville.

Henry Hames has been at Fort Moultrie for the past week with his son, Private Johnnie Hames, who has been quite ill.

Mr. Austell has moved his family to Spartanburg where they will make their home in the future. They had lived a number of years in Jonesville and will be greatly missed.

Hamilton Hill of Erskine College is spending some time with his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Wood.

He had the misfortune to be hit by a baseball while at practice play and was severely hurt. However, he is rapidly recovering his strength.

Miss Annie Corkhill is spending sometime with her sister, Mrs. H. H. Hames, who has been quite ill.

A masquerade party was given at the auditorium of the high school last evening and was a very pleasant affair. The program included an old fashioned cake walk, fortune telling, music, and informal addresses.

The Red Cross society of Pacolet presented "The Suffragette Convention" to a large audience in the auditorium of the high school. It was a delightful entertainment and a financial success.

"The Idler."

The Truth About the War

Here are some things that you might as well get firmly fixed in your mind, for they are true:

If Germany loses this great battle, the war will be over.

If Germany wins this battle, the war will not be over.

The allies are going to win this war if it takes fifty years, and if it takes, the effort of men and women yet unborn.

The world will not be dominated by the Prussian spirit. The world will keep on fighting until it is crushed completely.

It begins to look as if there may be a long struggle ahead of us, but there is not the least bit of doubt as to the final result will be.

The only doubt is as to how long it will take win a complete and final victory.—Anderson Mail.

A SOLDIER'S LIFE

It's not all uniform an' pomp, it's all dress parade;
It's far more drilling in the sun than resting in the shade;
It's dirty work, an' greasy work, and jobs you'll dread to do,
But though a soldier's tasks are tough he always sees them through.

It's not for you to pick an' choose, you get your orders plain,
It isn't very pleasant standin' guard out in the rain;
But some one has to do the job, an' it's a soldier's way
To do his duty, fair or foul, without a word to say.

Oh any sort o' man at all can do the work he likes.
A coward can be cheerful when he's takin' pleasant hikes,
But the test of every soldier that is fightin' for the States
Is the way he does his duty when he sees it with his mates.
—Edgar A. Guest.

IN FIVE MINUTES! NO INDIGESTION, GAS OR SOUR, ACID STOMACH

The Moment "Pape's Diapiesin" Reaches the Stomach All Distress Goes.

"Really does" put upset stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness due to acid fermentation in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapiesin the largest selling stomach antacid and regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments and turns sour, you belch gas and eructate undigested food or water; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapiesin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin is worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest antacid for the stomach in the world.

That German mystery gun has done the allied armies no damage, but the kaiser has the pleasure of knowing he has killed some more women and children.—Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

SAYS HER YEARS HAD BEGUN TO TELL ON HER

Mrs. Butts Declares She Felt Badly in Every Way

HEARD ABOUT TANLAC

After Taking It Says She Has Praised It to Her Friends.

Regarding the relief Tanlac gave her from kidney and liver trouble and indigestion, Mrs. Mary E. Butts, of Union, gave this statement on March 17 in endorsement of Tanlac:

"I suffered from general weakness and my general health was bad. Indigestion caused a lot of suffering and heartburn caused a great deal of trouble. My liver was sluggish and I suffered a lot with headaches. Really I felt badly in every way. Kidney trouble caused me a lot of suffering. I am 68 years of age, and my years had begun to tell on me. Then I began taking Tanlac, for I had heard so much about it being such a fine tonic. The Tanlac gave me a good appetite and strengthened my system and helped the indigestion right away. My stomach was built up and regulated and so were my nerves. The Tanlac helped the kidney trouble a great deal, too. I have told several people about Tanlac, and I have praised it to them. I think it is a fine medicine for troubles like I had."

For sale by Palmetto Drug Co., Union; Buffalo Drug Co., Buffalo; K. D. Bailey, Carlisle; B. G. Wilburn & Son, Cross Keys; Jonesville Drug Co., Jonesville; Lockhart Mills Store, Lockhart; R. J. Fowler, Monarch.

Rural Carrier Examination

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the county of Union, South Carolina, to be held at Union, S. C., on April 27, 1918 to fill the position of rural carrier at Sedalia, S. C., and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above-mentioned county. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. This form and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington at the earliest practical date.

A WISH FOR THE WORLD.

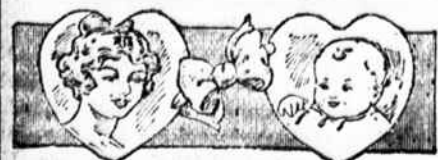
Thank God we can see, in the glory of morn,
The invincible flag that our fathers defended;
And our true hearts repeat what the heroes have sworn,
That war shall not end till the war-lust is ended!
Then the bloodthirsty sword shall no longer be lord
Of the nations oppressed by the conqueror's horde,
But the banners of freedom shall peacefully wave
O'er the world of the free and the lands of the brave.
—Henry Van Dyke.

Von Hertling is putting it mildly when he says the world merely is "prejudiced" against Germany.—Newark News.

Deaf in one ear he can hear his country calling; blind in one eye, he can see his duty, and he will do it.—New York Morning Telegraph.

The Perfect Baby Of The Future

A Simple Method That Has a Wonderful Influence upon The Future Infant.



Before the arrival of baby knowing women for over half a century have used with regularity the time-honored preparation, Mother's Friend.

Here is a most wonderful application for the abdomen and breasts. It penetrates the muscles, ligaments and tissues, rendering them pliant to readily yield to nature's demand for expansion.

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If there is any trace of Scrofula, or other impurities in your blood, you cannot enjoy the full physical development that a healthy body is capable of until your blood has been thoroughly cleansed and purified of all traces of impure matter.

S. S. S., the wonderful old purely vegetable blood remedy, has no equal

for removing the last trace of Scrofula and other blood taints, and there is no case that it does not promptly reach. S. S. S. will thoroughly cleanse and remove every disease germ that infests the blood and give you new life and vigor. It is sold by all druggists and you should get a bottle and begin its use to-day. Write a complete history of your case, and you can obtain expert medical advice free by addressing Medical Director, 30 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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Biscuits and Music

The girl who can play light music may be the most interesting during courtship, but the girl to marry is the one who can make light biscuits.

—Greenville Piedmont.

There is no reason why a girl may not play light music and make light biscuits too. But, sad to tell, there are many girls who can do neither.

—Newberry Observer.

Peace propaganda here is only another brand of poison gas.—Wall Street Journal.

We'll say this for Hoover: He's killed off a lot of incipient cases of indigestion.—Detroit Free Press.

Girls! Its Your Step That Attracts!

Says women pay too much heed to their face instead of their corns.

Watch your step! A brisk, lively step is what charms more than a lovely skin, but your high heels have caused corns and you limp a little. That's bad, girls, and you know it. Corns destroy beauty and grace, besides corns are very easy to remove. Rid your feet of every corn by asking at any drug store for a quarter of an ounce of freezone. This will cost little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

Memory

(By Berton Braley, in Columbia Record.)

I remember, I remember
The days that used to be
When porterhouse was eighteen cents
And soupbones given free.
When milk was five cents by the quart
And butter twenty-four
And bacon fifteen cents a pound.
In those brave days of yore.

I remember, I remember
When one could hire a maid
For three or four or five a week
And when she came, she stayed
But now they are haughty clan
Who cost you eight or nine
Who come to you at 10 o'clock
And then at noon—resign.

I remember, I remember,
When gentle working men
Would come when you asked them to
For life was simpler then,
But now, although your pipes are burst
And troubles leave you vexed
You cannot get a bit of help
Until week after next.

I remember, I remember
(Oh why must visions fade)
When there was sugar sold to all
And coal men sought your trade,
But now the times are altered
And there is little joy
In thinking of how cheap things were
When I was but a boy!

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