UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING VOTES

176 Congressmen and 42 Senators Are Recorded for Measure by Security League.

The National Security League announces today that it has recorded in favor of universal military training 176 members of the House of Representatives and 42 members of the Senate. The figures in the canvass which the League has been conducting stood 179 in the House of Representatives and 45 in the Senate in its last announcement. These figures were reduced by the retirement from Congress of three New York representatives who were committed to universal military training—viz, Congressmen Griffin, who was elected sheriff of Kings county; Murray Hulbert, appointed dock commissioner by Mayor Hylan, and Congressman Bruckner, elected borough president of the Bronx. The advocates in the Senate were reduced by three by the death of Senators Brady of Idaho, Newlands of Nevada and Hughes of New Jersey.

GIRL! ITS YOUR STEP THAT ATTRACTS

Says Women Pay to Much Heed to Their Face Instead of Their Corns.

Watch your step! A brisk, lively step is what carms more than a lovely step is what charms more tlfan 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.

A few drops applied directly upon a tender, touchy corn relieves the soreness and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out without pain.

This freezone is a gummy substance which dries instantly and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding skin.

Women must keep in mind that cornless feet create a youthful step which enhances her attractiveness.

Adv. 4.

FOLLOWING FALSE GODS

By S. STANWOOD MENKEN,
President of the National Security League.

Just as the test of the individual is best found under the stress of great trial or play of passion, so nations prove themselves in time of war and are able to judge, not alone of the qualities of which their peoples are composed, but also the measure of confidence which should be placed in their leaders.

S. Stanwood Menken

It has been said that Americans don't have to prove that they are the "greatest people on earth" for they admit it; and yet, when we look back over our history and consider how we have met great problems—such as slavery, by a great war; tariff, by fourteen bills and a like number of panics; conservation, currency, banking, anti-trust and railroad questions, by making the same matters of politics—it may be doubted whether we are quite as great as we think we are.

In considering how we exercise our judgment, we should remember the extent to which we have devoted ourselves to the education of the young and the large sums we have spent at all times for public schools and for colleges. When we look back and see the mistakes we have made, it would almost appear as if we had failed to apply much that had been taught us in school and college, or that perhaps the school and college had not taught us how to solve great political measures. Then, again, the thought comes to us of whether or not we have not had false leaders, and have not clung to false gods.

Corporation Wrongs.

We all remember the outcry against vested interests of the capitalists. There have been great wrongs done by many corporations—some of their franchises have been obtained by corruption and theft and great injuries have often been done to the rights of the people; and so, when we found times hard and things going wrong, we have vented our anger upon corporations and upon the capitalists who controlled them. In many cases we allowed ourselves to become angry with a class or with certain individuals and expended our strength on our temper, rather than upon a study of the cure of the conditions about which we complained; and in many instances we punished corporations for the wrongs of their predecessors in ownership, much as sins of parents are visited upon their children.

Demagogues, knowing the public mood, appealed to prejudice and ignorance in discussing public matters and made issues like currency, anti-trust laws and the railroads political footballs, just as if the question of whether money could be saved by joining together companies and providing for economy in purchases and sales was political. Of course it was a matter of economics (which is the science of commerce). Such matters call for a conference between representatives of farmers, laborers, scientific students of world conditions, and manufacturers and purchasers of goods, to consider and determine how goods can be produced with a fair wage to the employee, a fair profit to the employer and the maximum benefit to the public.

Future Problems.

In Europe they have taken these questions up in this careful way and the result has been of great benefit. Now, and in the future, America will have to deal with countries that are short of resources through the exhaustion of war and have, of necessity, to get down to rock-bottom. The thrifty, intelligent, industrious European is apt to be a good merchant, and we are going to have a hard time competing with him for commerce and for world position, so we must consider all of our problems more carefully than ever before and cast aside those men who attempt to lead us away from a thoughtful, dispassionate view of great questions.

Graft and neglect in local communities of political duties by the average citizen are responsible for the misgovernment that breeds disrespect, where we should have pride because of the efficiency of our people. The first concern of the citizen in every community must be to see that it is governed in a way that will assure the approval of clean thinking men and women. The mechanics governing a city require the same kind of clear thought and careful work as that given to shop work or farm planning, and every good American must feel that at this time there is nothing more worth while.

If we do these things well, we will not have to worry about the foreign-born loving America, because living conditions here will be so excellent that they simply cannot help it, especially when they are given not alone good government and healthy conditions surrounding home and work shop, but also education, opportunity and a charter of liberties which will mean happiness to them, if we perform our duties as citizens.

HELP WANTED

We can use at once, several families, can give work to either day or night workers.

Can work either men or women, boys or girls.

Good houses, electric lights, good water, a desirable place to live.

Wages are paid on basis of war and increased cost of lifing.

Come to see us or write, we can interest you.

Apply at the Mill.

CHERAW COTTON MILLS,
12 J.L.FONVILLE, Superintendent.

All American

Your Red Cross is an all-American, largely volunteer organization, authorized by Congress, headed by President Wilson, audited by the War Department, enthusiastically approved by your Army, your Navy, and your Allies.

The work covers both military and civilian relief in every war-torn Allied country and full reports of all expenditures are continually being published, or are available through the Chapters.

It stands beside our boys in training here or "over there."

It watches beside the pillows of battle-broken men, and offers rest and sympathy to war-torn fighters on brief respite from the front.

It carries food and clothing to hungered mothers and little ones in ruined villages.

It helps rebuild the scattered pile of brick and stone they once called "Home."

It brings back to hopeless mother's arms her long-lost child.

It helps care for the orphans of the men who died that civilization might live.

It helps care for the thousands that have fallen prey to dread tuberculosis.

It nobly represents in deeds of mercy, relief, and restoration the more than twenty million members that have made its great work possible.

Will You Do Your Share to Keep This "Hand of Mercy" At Its Work?

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross is spent for war relief. All administration costs, relief work for other than war purposes (such as the Halifax and Guatemala disasters) are taken care of out of membership dues, and the interest accruing from the banking of the War Fund has made available for war relief at least $1.02 for every $1 contributed. . . . .

This Space Contributed to The Red Cross by—

D. H. LANEY PHARMACY

TAX SALES

Under and by virtue of the authority of certain executions issued by W. A. Douglass, county treasurer, and directed to me, I have levied upon the following real estate, to wit:

1 lot, 1 building, in Marburg school district, known as Edw. Cutner property.

1 lot in Marburg school district, known as Martha David lot.

9 acres in Marburg school district known as Dave Amos estate.

2 lots, 1 building, in Marburg school district known as H. A. Morrison lots.

65 acres in Cheraw, outside, known as H. S. Leak land.

65 acres in Bay Springs school district, known as W. M. Goodwin land.

275 acres of land in Bay Springs school district, known as L. L. Drake land.

17 acres in Vaughn school district, known as W. S. Vaughn land.

20 acres in Juniper school district, known as M. V. Purvis land.

130 acres land in Shiloh school district, known as T. L. Watson land.

2 lots in Chesterfield school district known as T. L. Watson lots.

17 acres, 1 lot, 1 building in Chesterfield school district, known as D. H. Laney land.

1 lot, 1 building in Chesterfield school district known as T. E. Davis lot.

1 lot, 1 building in Chesterleld school district, known as Mrs. Edna Laney lot.

2 lots, 2 buildings in Chesterfield school district, known as Mrs. M. E. Perkins, Jr., lots.

And will sell same for cash to the highest bidder before the Courthouse door at Chesterfield on the 1st Monday in June, 1918, between the legal hours of sale. May 6, 1918.

D. P. DOUGLASS, Sheriff

HOW THE MOTHER KNEW

A Welsh soldier wrote at the head of his letter, "Braich yn dagrau," and the censor, evidently assuming this to be a Welsh motto, allowed it to pass. The man's mother, however, was able to read the phrase as "arm in tears," and from it she gathered that her soon was somewhere near Armentieres.

Lloyd's News, London.

CALOMEL DYNAMITES A SLUGGISH LIVER

Crashes into sour bile making you sick and you lose a day's work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It's harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it. Adv. 4.

ALLIED FOOD SHIPMENTS REACH LARGE TOTAL

A general idea of the quantity of food sent to European allies by the United States from July 1, 1914, to January 1, 1918, is given by figures just announced by the U. S. Food Administration. In that period the United States has furnished complete yearly rations for 57,100,933 people. In addition there was enough extra protein to supply this portion of the diet for 22,194,570 additional men.

The total export of wheat and wheat flour to the three principal allies is equivalent to about 384,000,000 bushels. Pork exports for the 3½ years amounted to almost 2,000,000,000 pounds. Exports of fresh beef totaled 443,484,400 pounds. The amount of food exported to Russia is negligible compared with that sent to the western allies.

ONLY AMERICA CAN HELP.

"On your side are boundless supplies of men, food, and material; on this side a boundless demand for their help.

"Our men are war-weary and their nerves have been strained by more than three years of hard, relentless toil.

"Our position is critical, particularly until the next harvest, but the United States can save us.

"You Americans have the men, the skill, and the material to save the allied cause."

SIR JOSEPH MACLAY,
British Shipping Controller.

GIRLS!. LEMON JUICE IS SKIN WHITENER

How to Make Creamy Beauty Lotion For a Few Cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it. Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. Adv. 1.

HE'S MILLIONAIRE THROUGH MANTONE

If Health is Wealth, For Batts Gained Wonderfully On Great Tonic.

"If health is wealth, L. C. Batts has been made a Millionaire by Mantone.

"When he started on Mantone Batts was physically down and out. He had indigestion so that he couldn't eat meats, sweets or even eggs. The little food he did force into his stomach clogged the system, caused gas and belching. There was a sourish taste in his mouth. His weight was down to 128 pounds. He had pains in his back so bad that he could 't stoop or do much walking and his strength and energy were low.

"Three weeks after starting Mantone my weight increased 20 pounds," he said. "Now I can eat any food set before me for my digestion is perfect. My bowels are in first class shape, pains have left my back, my feet is sound and rest producing. Mantone has made me feel good all over and I gladly praise it to other sufferers," ended Mr. Batts who is a well-known farmer of Stanfordville, N. C.

Mantone—"Makes You Feel Good Over," is sold by all druggists and drug dealers in this section.

MILITARY PRECISION

A colored drill sergeant is reported as saying to his squad: "Now when I give de word of command, 'Eyes right!' I want to hear every sargeant's eyeballs click."

Apropos the story is told of Grant when offered a battalion of Buffalo soldiers. He admired the fine physique of the men, but had his doubts about their training.

"Colonel," said Grant, "I'd like to see your men at work. Call them to attention and order them to march with shouldered arms in close column to the left flank."

Instantly the colonel shouted to his troops: "Boys' look wild, thar! Make ready to thicken and go left endways. Tote your guns. Git!"

—Boston Transcript.

EVOLUTION OF A HERO

A Battle Creek woman danced three times with a good looking lieutenant and then said:

"Pardon me, sir, but your face is somewhat familiar. Haven't I seen you somewhere before?"

"Yes, madam, you have," the officer responded. "I was your milkman more than three years."

—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.