

RED CROSS PLANS GREAT DRIVE FOR 38,000 MEMBERS

Fifteen Hundred Men and Women to Take Up War Work Here

Harrisburg's campaign to secure 38,000 additional members of the American Red Cross will open December 17.

The Red Cross hopes to secure fifteen million new members throughout the country. The quota for this district is 38,000.

William Jennings, chairman of the drive, said this morning that the membership campaign will be in charge of the indefatigable workers who, in every city, hamlet and township of Dauphin county, have made previous Red Cross and the two Liberty Loan campaigns so successful.

Many Give Time. "The membership of these committees," said Mr. Jennings, "is remarkable in that it consists of men and women who on numerous occasions have given whole days of their time in furthering patriotic interests."

Mrs. Lyman Gilbert, chairman of Harrisburg chapter of the Red Cross, explains the reasons for the national drive during December: "We have set Christmastime to attain the goal of 38,000 members," she said, "because we believe that the Red Cross and Christmas spring from the same spirit, and we wish to bring together these two great symbols of mercy, sacrifice and cheer."

Fifteen Hundred to Help. Mrs. Gilbert believes that in Harrisburg it will be possible to recruit to present one's friends with Red Cross memberships.

Nearly 1,500 men and women will assist in the Christmas drive. That will mean that each of them need secure only twenty new members to put Harrisburg over its 38,000 quota.

Committee meetings will start tomorrow.

Hummelstown Boy Now at Camp Gordon, Ga.



GEORGE A. RHAN

George A. Rhan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rhan, of Hummelstown, is located at Camp Gordon, Georgia. Mr. Rhan has a brother with the Sixth Cavalry at San Antonio, Tex.

Veterans Will Give Ball For Soldiers' Smoke Fund

Captain Howard L. Calder Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will unfurl a service flag in honor of its members now in the service.

Wednesday, December 12, points towards what promises to be a very pleasant and successful event for Calder Post, the first grand military ball to be held at Winterdale, to which the general public is invited.

Urges W. C. T. U. to Work For Suffrage

Washington, Dec. 6.—An appeal to Women's Christian Temperance Union members to work as hard as they can for the passage of a constitutional amendment as for nation-wide prohibition was made to-day by the delegates at the union's annual convention by Mrs. Deborah K. Livingston.

Four Face Police Court After Narcotic Debauch

Mayor Daniel L. Keister presided at police court this afternoon when the three negroes and one white girl arrested in a drug debauch at a house in North Seventh street Thursday night, faced a number of charges.

Haass an Alien Enemy; Department Seizes Papers

Boston, Dec. 6.—Clemens A. Haass, treasurer of a cordage manufacturing company, who Federal authorities charged with a dinner in Boston to celebrate the sinking of the Lusitania, was arrested here yesterday as an alien enemy and held without bond pending advices from Washington.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY

New York, Dec. 6.—Arthur C. Gilson and Peter J. Duffy, inspector of the Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army, indicted on Tuesday with four hat manufacturers for alleged conspiracy to defraud the Government out of approximately \$300,000 in contracts for Army service hats, pleaded not guilty when arraigned in Federal court yesterday.

AVIATORS FOUND AT SEA

An Atlantic Port, Dec. 5.—Two American aviators who had lost their way during a flight in search of submarines from a station somewhere in Europe were encountered at sea 650 miles off the Irish coast by a steamer which arrived here yesterday. The flyers started on the return trip to their station after being supplied with provisions and a new compass.

POLLECK OPENS FOURTH STORE

D. Polleck, who but a few months ago opened the first of his Cash and Carry Plan grocery stores, to-day opened the fourth store at 1537 State street.

RUSSIAN ENVOYS CHARGE EVASION ON PART OF HUN

Demand That Germans Agree Not to Remove Troops From Eastern Theater

Petrograd, Dec. 5, via London, Dec. 6.—British Admiralty per Wireless Press.—Representatives of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria met the Russian emissaries at Brest-Litovsk to discuss terms of an armistice.

The delegates of the Russian powers informed the Russians that they had power to negotiate only the conditions of an armistice, which a Russian official communication calls an "evasive declaration." The request of the Russian delegates that all the belligerents be asked to take part in reaching an armistice on all fronts was met by the enemy with the promise that such powers, the Russians then presented a project for an armistice on all fronts, the principal points of which were the promise that the Austro-Germans would not send forces from the eastern front to the fronts and that the Germans should retire from the islands around Moon sound.

The Russians were handed a proposal for an armistice on the eastern front which is now being examined by the Russians. The official communication then says: "The enemy delegation declared our conditions for an armistice were unacceptable and expressed the opinion that such demands could be addressed only to the promised country. On the categorical statement by our plenipotentiaries that they were treating for an armistice on all fronts, the enemy replied, 'We do not consider that they could not consider the question in such a manner because they were authorized at present only to negotiate with the Russian delegation in view of the absence of Russia's allies from the conference.'"

"Our delegates again replied their task consisted in drawing all belligerent countries into negotiations for the purpose of securing a general peace. Having regard for the evasive replies of the enemy, our delegates, as already stated, submitted the enemy conditions for an armistice to our military experts at their point of view and in order they may indicate in what respect modifications are necessary in the interest of our army and navy from the Black Sea to the Baltic."

28-Day Truce. "The first point regarding the proposed enemy armistice was the duration of the truce, which was first indicated as a fortnight to begin December 8. After discussion the German delegates expressed their readiness to accept a truce of twenty-eight days. This term may automatically be prolonged provided there is no refusal which must be given within seven days before the expiration of the armistice which is to begin December 10 if our delegation leaves Brest-Litovsk to-morrow but it leaves later, the armistice will begin later."

"Before the commencement of the official armistice it must be definitely established that hostilities shall cease."

"From the beginning our delegates insisted on a true record of all negotiations and their determination to publish them in their entirety. The minutes and language of the sessions are in Russian on our side and in German for the German side. A special commission was created to compare the minutes after every session. We have requested that the next meeting of the plenipotentiaries be held on the Russian territory and that there be an interval of seven days in the negotiations in order that our delegates may return to Petrograd."

SEVERAL KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Pittsburgh, Dec. 6.—An explosion occurred yesterday in the Heidelberg plant of the Federal Explosives Company, ten miles from here. Reports which accompanied calls, sent to Carnegie for physicians and unmarked graves at the T. S. T. plant had been destroyed and a number of persons killed.

BOARD TO MEET

The Board of Governors of the Motor Club of Harrisburg will hold its monthly meeting at the club headquarters, 109 South Second street, to-morrow evening. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock.

Endorse Plan to Build Military Road Between Harrisburg and Reading

Lebanon, Dec. 6.—Endorsement of the plan to construct a military road between Harrisburg and Reading, was given yesterday at a meeting of Chamber of Commerce representatives and business men. The State Highway Department was represented by W. A. Wynne, who outlined the cost of highway building and explained the federal government's offer to contribute \$10,000 to each mile of highway constructed.

Arrangements for another meeting in Lebanon were made and State Highway Commissioner O'Neil was asked to be present. Dauphin county men named on the committee for this conference are William Jennings, of the Williams Ferry Highway; W. L. McCoin, secretary of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce, and John E. Snyder, of Hershey. It is proposed to have Dauphin, Lebanon and Berks county go fifty-fifty with the state in the work.

Bishop Announces Lenten and Spring Appointments

Announcement of the Bishop's Lenten and spring appointments for the Harrisburg Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, were made last evening by the Rt. Rev. James H. Darlington. The appointments follow: February 1, St. Luke's Mechanicstown, 7.30 p. m.; February 17, Trinity, Tyrone, 10.30 a. m.; February 17, St. John's, Huntingdon, 7.30 p. m.; February 17, St. Mary's, Lewisburg, 7.30 p. m.; February 20, St. Michael and All Angels, Middle-town, 7.30 p. m.; February 22, St. Elizabeth's, Elizabethtown, 7.30 p. m.; February 23, St. Chrysostom's, New Market, 7.30 p. m.; February 24, Trinity, Chambersburg, 10.30 a. m.; February 23, St. Chrysostom's, Harrisburg, 7.30 p. m.; February 24, St. John's, Carlisle, 7.30 p. m.; March 2, All Saints, Williamsport, 7.30 p. m.; March 3, Trinity, Williamsport, 7.30 p. m.; March 3, Our Saviour, Montoursville, 3 p. m.; March 10, St. John's, York, 10.45 a. m.; March 10, St. Andrew's, York, 7.30 p. m.; March 10, St. Stephen's, Harrisburg, 7.30 p. m.; March 16, St. John's, South Williamsport, 3 p. m.; March 17, Christ Church, Newburg, 7.30 p. m.; March 17, St. Mary's, Williamsport, 3 p. m.; March 23, St. Paul's, Manheim, 7.30 p. m.; March 24, St. James', Lancaster, 10.30 a. m.; March 23, St. Yeates School, Lancaster, 3 p. m.; March 24, St. John's, Lancaster, 7 p. m.; March 25, Trinity, Steelton, 7.30 p. m.; March 25, St. John's, Catonsville, 7.30 p. m.; March 31, St. James', Muncy, 11 a. m.; April 14, Christ Church, Milton, 7.30 p. m.; April 14, St. Mark's, Sunbury, 7.30 p. m.; April 21, St. Luke's, Mt. Joy, 10.30 a. m.; April 21, St. John's, Marietta, 3 p. m.; April 21, St. Paul's, Columbia, 7.30 p. m.; April 25, Mont Alto Sanatorium, 11 a. m.; April 25, St. Mary's, Waynesboro, 3 p. m.; April 25, St. Andrew's, State College, 10.30 a. m.; April 28, St. John's, Bellefonte, 3 p. m.; May 14, St. Paul's, Lock Haven, 7.30 p. m.; May 15, St. Paul's, Lock Haven, 7.30 a. m.

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Lingerie Clasps ..... 25c, 50c, \$1.00
Bar Pins ..... 25c, 50c
Beauty Pins ..... 25c, 50c
Mourning Pins ..... 25c
Match Safes, 12 1/2c, 15c, 19c and 25c
Earring ..... 25c, 50c

Pure Candies For Christmas

- Milk Chocolate Bonbons, 1/2 lb., 25c
Almond Milk Chocolate, 1/2 lb., 25c
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Large Assortment of Plain and Fancy Candies, 8 or 12 assortment, 25c
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- Colgate's and Brown's Perfumes and Toilet Water, in fancy boxes ..... 25c and 35c
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Colgate's Weekend Packages, 35c
Young People's Box Perfumes, 35c
Soap Boxes ..... 25c and 50c
Toilet Articles in Old Ivory Finish, including Tray ..... 25c
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Ivory Finish Soap Boxes, 25c and 50c
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Bibs, 5c, 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c
Knitted and Flannelette Sacques, 25c and 50c
Flannelette Skirts, 25c and 50c
Shoes and Moccasins ..... 29c
Rattles ..... 10c and 25c
Comb and Brush Sets, 25c and 50c
Special lot of Novelties for Baby, 25c
Baby Birth Books ..... 25c
Baby White Dresses and Slips, 29c and 50c
Baby Plates ..... 25c
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Baby Knife and Fork Sets ..... 25c

BOYS' BOOKS

Boy Scouts, Boy Inventors, Dasher Dasher, 25c
Ocean Wireless, Motor Engines Series, etc., 19c and 25c
Books by Ellis, Hooper, Alger and Henley ..... 19c and 25c

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Ladies' Silk Hose ..... 25c and 28c
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Children's Black and White Hose, 22c and 25c
Children's Plain and Silk Lisle Hose, black, tan and white, 35c to 50c
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Christmas Booklets, Labels, Tags, etc., 1c, 3c, 5c, 8c and 10c
Post Card Albums ..... 39c
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Knives and Forks ..... 12 1/2c
Tea Spoons ..... 5c to 12 1/2c
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