

MAJOR CASE IS HERE TO INSPECT SITE FOR DEPOT

He and Committee Are Going Over Ground at Middletown and New Cumberland

Major Case, of the United States Army, is expected in Harrisburg today to go over the proposed aviation and military depots to be erected near here.

From another source it was learned that Major Case had arrived in the city and has gone over the ground without calling on the Chamber's committee.

The committee to which Mr. Patterson referred went to Washington last week in the interest of the Middletown site.

World's Cereals Valued At \$30,000,000,000

Rome. Thirty billion dollars' worth of the six chief cereals used for food—wheat, rye, barley, oats, corn and rice—were produced by the farmers of the world, according to the Year Book, just issued here by the International Institute of Agriculture.

"We find," declared the author of the book, "that the ascertainable yield of wheat throughout the world exceeds a thousand million quintals (one quintal being 2.6 bushels) and represents at present value more than \$2,000,000,000.

The yield of potatoes is over 1500 million quintals and of beet sugar more than 500,000,000 quintals. Every year the world has at its disposal a total of 150,000,000 quintals of wine, \$10,000,000,000 of coffee, more than 3,000,000 of leaf tobacco, and nearly one million quintals of hops.

The vast consumption of coffee, wine and tobacco may be understood when it is estimated that their total value exceeds \$4,000,000,000.

Commission Charges Unfair Practices

Washington, Feb. 25.—Complaints charging unfair trade practices were issued today by the Federal Trade Commission against thirty-eight manufacturing firms as the result of a long and intensive investigation which has revealed "a very serious and unhealthy condition in certain lines of industry."

The thirty-eight firms cited today were given thirty days to reply and ordered to appear for hearing on April 8.

70,000,000 TONS IRON ORE

Duluth, Minn.—The iron ore output from Minnesota during the coming year will approximate the 1916 record of 60,000,000 tons, according to preliminary estimates of mining experts made public to-night.

Independent mine operators on the Lake Superior range are hopeful of an increase in price that will in a measure offset increased production cost.

MONDAY TALKS DISCONTINUED

Dr. Dixon's Illness Interrupts the Series of Chats on How to Keep Well

"Monday morning health talks" have been discontinued for the present by the State Department of Health, because of the serious illness of Commissioner of Health, Samuel G. Dixon, according to a notice issued to-day.

The notice issued regarding the "talks" is as follows: "Doctor Samuel G. Dixon, Commissioner of Health, is seriously ill in the University Hospital of Philadelphia.

"During his illness, covering in all, about six months, Doctor Dixon has been in daily touch with his office and has each week written his little 'Talks on Health' in which he is so much interested."

"For the present, however, his

physicians have requested him to conserve his strength, feeling that the writing of these 'talks' taken with his many other necessary duties was not fair to the treatment, and, as a consequence, the weekly talks will be sufficiently improved to permit his resuming the work without unduly taxing his strength."

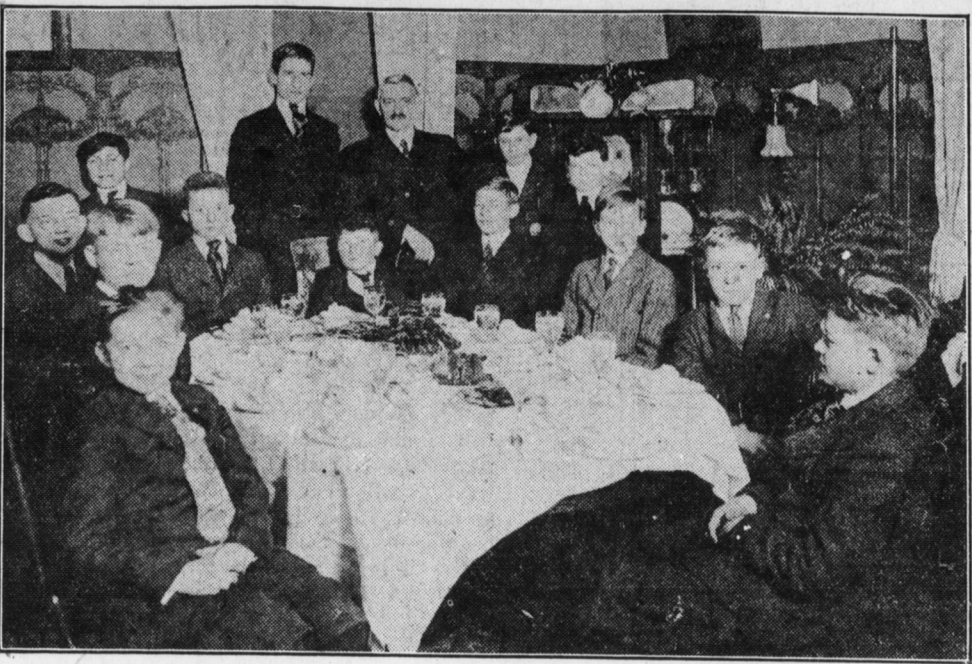
30,000,000 Soldiers Crossed and Recrossed Sea

New York.—Those who have been led by the loss of the Tuscan to consider the dangers attending the transportation of men across the water as something enormous will be surprised to learn that the chance of losing one's life at sea on a British or American ship is so small nowadays that, in comparison, the perils besetting a man living in New York make him seem almost a hero.

Nobody knows how many American troops there are in France. Assuming that there are 200,000, which seems a fair estimate, and taking into consideration the loss of life among soldiers on the Tuscania, Antilles and Finland, we find that the chance of an American soldier losing his life while on the sea is only 1 in 1,829.

On November 1, 1917, Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the British admiralty, in reviewing the activities of the British navy since the beginning of the war, stated that of 30,000,000 men who had crossed and recrossed the seas only 2,700 had been lost by the action of the enemy.

BOOSTERS REWARDED WITH BANQUET FOR FAITHFUL WORK



Mr. and Mrs. Telegraph Reader, meet these fourteen real, live Boosters. Perhaps you have already met one of this smiling party but at any rate you should know them all.

A Booster, by the way, is any wide-awake member of the Telegraph's circulation department. His duty is to serve you better than you can be served by any other newspaper organization.

2134 Derry street, Saturday evening, for a little party.

Mr. Kaylor is manager of the Elm street branch of the Telegraph at 1721 Elm street, and with the assistance of these smiling Boosters serves all Telegraph patrons on the north side of the Hill.

one is shown by the cameraman who caught the boys' expression a few minutes after the ice cream disappeared. Can you blame Mrs. Kaylor for smiling when she sees the expression of pleasure shown by each boy, each of whom insists that Mrs. Kaylor is really the very best cook in Harrisburg.

Those in the photograph are: Mr. Kaylor, Stanley Fellows, Edgar Erisman, John Carl, Arthur Erisman, Walter Eshenour, Paul Cover, David Demmy, Clifton Palmer, Edwin Clark, Elmer Place, Charles Moyer, Thomas Jones and John Graybill.

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart

Three More Days of Notable Value-Giving: Thursday the Last Day Of The Mill and Factory Sale and the February Furniture Sale

The work which we set out to do in the Mill and Factory Sale and the February Furniture Sale comes to an end with the close of business on Thursday. The homes of thousands of our patrons have been replenished and brightened with fresh new merchandise at savings which we may not be able to match for months to come.

Day after day there was an activity of buying which encouraged every section of the store to unprecedented value-offerings. Both these sales will be characterized to the end by the same kind of specials which marked their progress from the beginning.

'Lest We Forget' They tell us that four men are required at home to keep one soldier in good trim at the front. That's pretty safe backing for the man who has been called upon to do our fighting—it's safe if we keep that one man in mind as we go along our way.

Fact-Telling Books on the War Formerly Published at \$1.25 to \$2 Now 60c

Far more interesting than fiction to those who want facts; hitherto inaccessible as to price, now shown at low enough cost to permit everyone to possess them.

Uncommonly Good Towel Values In the Last Days of the Sale

Groceries For Meatless Tuesday

Quality and Big Saving Possibilities Ruling The Last Three Days of the February Furniture Sale

Colored Dress Cottons Ready For Sewing Rooms

SUNDAY SCHOOL 102 YEARS OLD Market Square Presbyterian Celebrates Special Event

Ceremonies and exercises commemorating the 102nd anniversary of Market Square Presbyterian Sunday School were held yesterday in the main auditorium of the church.

Memberships of the school is 1088, divided as follows: Cradle Roll, 129; Primary Department, 174; Junior Department, 162; Intermediate Department, 139; Senior Department, 492.

Ready For His Bath With Cuticura Soap

Several Thousand New Frocks For Morning In a Showing of Styles That Are Irresistible

Shantungs, Tussahs & Sports Silks in a Showing That Is Delightfully Fine

Cotton Bedding Materials at Low Cost