

TOBACCO FIRST IN MINDS OF YANKS ABROAD

Smokes From Home Appreciated Beyond Measure by Fighting Men

The cost of meat went soaring up Beyond what he could make.

The cost of rent went mounting high Beyond his humble dome.

At last poor Jones himself went up And fared extremely well.

That line of Poet Wilson's verse is going pretty strong, but it seems to agree with what the Sams think of French tobacco.

the giver of a pack of smokes. "It adds to our few pleasures in this trench life," writes another, "and makes us happy to know that some one, somewhere, is thinking of us and doing his bit to help along the good cause."

Writes a third: "When you are in a God-forsaken country and you receive a gift of good old U. S. A. tobacco, and as your mind goes drifting back home and you know that they are thinking and dreaming of you just as hard as you yourself are dreaming of loved ones and sweet hearts, it is not so hard after all."

100 PUBLIC SALES.—More than 100 public sales of live-stock and farm implements will be held in Snyder county during March.

MRS. MARIA MICHENER DIES.—Mrs. Maria Michener, wife of the late Doan Michener, died here yesterday. Funeral services will be held from her residence on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GREAT CROWD TO HEAR BRITISH LABOR LEADERS

Doors to Be Open Wide, With No Requests For Tickets

SOME TRADES! W. A. Appleton, one of the British labor commissioners who will address the mass meeting in Chestnut Street Auditorium Friday night, is representative of not a few trades of various kinds.

All of these British trades are hard at work at the serious business of helping the allies win the war, and Mr. Appleton will tell how it is being done.

Contrary to an erroneous report which has been in circulation, no tickets are necessary to secure admittance to the mass meeting in Chestnut Street Auditorium Friday night, when British Labor Commissioners Appleton and Butterworth and others will speak.

The hundreds of people who have been requesting ticket information from the city newspapers and Central Labor Union heads will find the doors wide open Friday night, with no seats reserved.

Appleton and Butterworth have been informed by the local promoters of the mass meeting that they can go as far as they like in their talks—that Harrisburg wants to hear the truth about the war, and that the liberal dose of first-hand information given by Howard Heinz and George Wharton Pepper early last week was greatly appreciated.

That the labor commissioners, the Rev. Robert Bagnell, Lieutenant Blake and other speakers will handle the absolutely naked truth is a certainty. Revelations of the British labor movement are expected to be peculiarly timely and particularly interesting.

EDICT AGAINST LOAFERS HAVING ITS EFFECT

Police are authority for the statement that the edict of the Mayor prohibiting loafing in the city has brought about a better condition in poolrooms and other loafing places.

While only two arrests have been made, the police say a number of investigations have been conducted, and in a number of cases offending youths have been taken before the police chief or Mayor, with their parents, for investigation into their ways of living.

TO TELL OF THRIFT STAMPS.—Postmaster Frank C. Sites will discuss the sale of Thrift Stamps before a meeting of scoutmasters of the city to be held this evening in the Chamber of Commerce assembly room.

ENOS B. MYERS DIES.—Marietta, Pa., March 5.—Enos B. Myers, aged 66, a prominent blacksmith of West Willow, died suddenly from an attack of heart trouble.

WAR TIME LEXICON.—(Copyright, 1918, by British Canadian Recruiting Mission, which maintains depots in all large cities where men, except Americans, may volunteer.)

TRENCH FLARE.—Also called Star or Verry Shells, are similar to the rockets familiar to Americans.

TRUMPET.—A light trench gun with a range of between four hundred and fifteen hundred yards.

WHIZ-BANG.—The lightest shrapnel shells used by both sides.

SILENT SUSIE.—A German high explosive shell not heard until it bursts.

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MORE PETITIONS ON GAME 'CLOSE'

State Authorities Report Remarkable Interest in the Protective Plans

The march of the petitions to the State Game Commission to close counties to ruffed grouse, deer, quail and wild turkey hunting seems to be on "up."

Lately a concerted movement to protect the ruffed grouse by closing counties for two years has been started and many letters in support of the plan have been received together with some petitions.

As soon as weather permits steps will be taken by the game wardens, on instructions from the office of the Game Commission, to make some inquiry as to how the quail stood the winter and also how they were fed.

HAWKEYE CLUB TO SING.—One of the best concerts given in this city in a long while, will be presented at Stevens' Memorial Methodist Church this evening when the Hawkeye Glee Club will sing.

TO PLAY VOLLEYBALL.—An interesting evening will meet Lancaster businessmen when the local businessmen's team at the Central Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, in a volleyball match.

FLOUR IS SPILLED.—A truck load of flour was spilled about the streets at the Second street subway yesterday afternoon when a truck belonging to Evans-Burnett Company was struck by a street car.

HOME STUDY CLUB MEETS.—Middleburg, Pa., March 5.—The Home Study Club held its meeting at the home of Mrs. Thomas Shambach on Monday evening.

Made Corporal at U. S. Training Camp. Willow chairs \$3.95. Willow chairs, with broad arms, \$6.75.

OUR NEIGHBOR HAS HOT FIGHT

Many Indications of Strenuous Battle Between Sproul and O'Neil Men

Northumberland county is going to be a battleground for gubernatorial candidates this year.

Local leaders have already started work for him, while the O'Neil advocates, led by state administration workholders, declare that they will bring the miners into line with the "dry" advocates along the river.

Three candidates, Noble Clement, of Shamokin; W. W. Robertson, of Mount Carmel—who are seeking re-

election—and Joseph Fecker, of Sunbury, have opened their campaigns and have the assurance of support of the regular party leaders.

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gushed Pennsylvania, both of them sons of the late F. C. Moyer, who founded the Musical College in Freeburg.

Use McNeill's Cold Tablets.—Adv.

Mayor to Lead in War Garden Work

Mayor Daniel L. Keister, in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce, is laying plans for a recreation garden summer in the city.

Mayor Keister, who was one of the city's most enthusiastic war gardeners last year, will put plans into practice at his own home where the lawns and flower beds will be turned up for planting garden truck.

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Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart. New Spring Hats Just Unpacked. Attractive Styles, \$6.50, \$7.50. THE SPRING MILLINERY SEASON is on in earnest regardless of March winds and belated winter storms.

WE may all go back to Pork on Saturdays, according to news dispatches. But we are asked to save just a little more wheat for our men in Europe.

Gloves Are an Essential, Madame, In Completing Your Spring Wardrobe. Fine grades of kid, chamoiette and silk are shown in styles that are very pleasing.

First of the New Willow Furniture and Some Specially Priced Bedroom Pieces. Willow chairs \$3.95. Willow chairs, with broad arms, \$6.75.

Empey's New Book "First Call" and Other New Books Worth Reading. The book section is full of lively interest this week through the arrival of books that every consistent reader will enjoy.

Styles in Wash Goods Fashion Has Endorsed For Spring Dress Linens Dress Cottons. Patterns that are refreshingly new and offering a wealth of ideas for spring dresses.

Buy Ventilators For Your Windows at Night And Enjoy a Refreshing "Pure Air" Sleep. These new window ventilators overcome the necessity of sleeping in closed windows, or in a strong draft.

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