

Y. M. C. A. WORKERS TELL OF ACTIVITY

Businessmen Explain Scope of Work in Foreign Countries

A delightful parlor meeting was held at 11 o'clock this morning with Mrs. John H. Weiss, 225 North Front street, to hear Louis E. Lachlin, representing the Y. M. C. A. work in Poo Chow, China, and E. J. Cooper, a prominent business man of Minneapolis, who has generously given up his business interest for one year, in order to devote his entire time to the magnificent work of the International Y. M. C. A. Mrs. Paul A. Kunkel, of the Woman's Auxiliary Board of Y. M. C. A., introduced the speakers, explaining that the women of Harrisburg having this fine opportunity to hear these men through the courtesy of Robert B. Reeves, secretary of her local Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Lachlin captured the audience with his first sentence. He said in substance that every reason which exists for having Y. M. C. A. work in Harrisburg exists also for having them in China, with a score of additional reasons, also. In the cities of this country, there are some 400,000 Y. M. C. A. buildings, and in China there are only 100. Education is one of the crying needs of China. Today a woman is merely a chattel there; she is often sold for as small a sum as 20 cents. Ideals, education, spiritual enlightenment, must be given to the Chinese.

The Y. M. C. A.'s are planned to be self-propagating. A model association is formed in the capital of the province, and the government and management of the association are placed, as soon as practicable, in the hands of the Chinese themselves.

Two months ago, the speaker said, the wife of the President of China was baptized and the leaders of "Chinese thought" are demanding Christian teachers. The number now is insufficient; at least six leaders must be sent this year or America will lose her grip on this opportunity. America cannot, dare not, fall in this crisis.

Mr. Cooper opened his remarks by paying a splendid tribute to the Commonwealth of America. He said: "We must see this war through. We must win. We shall. But we must conserve every atom of energy. The Y. M. C. A. is conserving energy. It is one of the potent factors for righteous and justice and victory in this world war."

Mr. Cooper left his business employing 3,000 men, at the request of Sherwood Eddy and John R. Mott, and took a leading part in raising the \$5,000,000 for the Y. M. C. A. Foreign work—work in Latin America and in China—must not be neglected to-day despite war conditions. Thirty-three trained men from India, South America and China have been called and sent to the Y. M. C. A. work in France. Hence their places must be filled and we must realize that home and foreign work is now inextricably mixed and there is no foreign work any more.

When the armistice is signed from India goes home, shall it not find there the Y. M. C. A. which ministered to it in the trenches? We must have the homes filled with boys for those boys when they return.

Joseph Guffey to State His Position Today

According to prominent Democrats here, Joseph E. Guffey, acting Democratic state chairman, will announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor to-day. A declaration for the "dry" amendment is anticipated.

Albert Miller, prominent railroad man, late yesterday filed his petition to be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor to-day. Miller is a nephew of the late District Attorney Albert Miller.

Prosecution of Delinquent Taxpayers to Be Asked of City School Board

City school directors at their regular meeting to-morrow afternoon will be asked to direct Harry F. Oves, tax collector for 1916 and 1917, to bring suit against any property owners who have not paid taxes for those years, in case payment is not made before May 1.

In the report of City Superintendent F. E. Downes the following recommendations will be made: Election of Dr. Douglas Royal as a substitute teacher in the Technical High school; election of Miss Alice Barker as regular grade teacher; Miss Annie G. Clouser and Miss Grace P. Reinert as substitutes; changing the hours of the school sessions at the Camp Curtin building, and authorizing Dr. Downes to attend the sessions of Schoolmen's week in Philadelphia.

Other business on the calendar for to-morrow will include action on resignations of Miss Ruth Holbert, Steele building, effective April 17; Miss Martha Treiman, Hamilton, April 12; exoneration of 1917 tax against Burton VanDyke, duplicate assessment; fixing days for annual inspection of buildings; resignation of P. L. Hoeker as a supervisor of school gardens; estimates from C. Howard Lloyd and M. I. Kast, architects, in favor of contractors for new Junior High schools; decision on employment of Professors Lindsay and Kees during the summer vacation.

INDUCTED INTO SERVICE Instead of waiting any longer to get into service through regulation

draft boards Harrisburg Board, No. 1, has received word that Charles M. Gidansky, 1322 North Second street, had been voluntarily inducted into service at Fort Slocum with the 45th Engineers. He formerly worked at the Frog and Switch Department of the Bethlehem Steel Company. His permanent home is at 519 Fourth avenue, Brooklyn.

PAGES SLACKER CHARGE William Grant, 14 Cowden street, faces a charge of being a slacker, as he failed to return his questionnaire. He was arrested by Detective Spese and Wills last night and will be turned over to the deputy United States marshal of this district.

STORE OPENS 8:30 A. M.—CLOSES 5:30 P. M.

A CLOUDBURST OF BARGAINS THROUGHOUT THE STORE!

This sale event will be a revelation to all economical buyers. The extraordinary values offered will surprise you, for the reason that such an opportunity to secure merchandise at prices less than present market quotations is indeed remarkable in these days of high prices.

A veritable shower of bargains will greet you at every department in the store. Come and see.

KAUFMAN'S APRIL SHOWER OF BARGAINS

Special "April Shower" Sale of Women's and Men's Umbrellas

300 Umbrellas in this lot, each \$1.69

Made of glory cloth, and guaranteed fast color; parasol ribs and steel rod frames. A splendid assortment of bone and Natural wood handles. A fine silk casing with each umbrella.

Soap: Oval cakes of "Hardwater" soap, each 4c. 7 cakes for 25c. FIRST FLOOR

Women's Union Suits: Swiss ribbed Summer union suits, knee and ankle lengths, lace trimmed, all sizes, Worth 75c. Special at 59c. FIRST FLOOR

Paper Diapers: Sanitary "Through-way" paper diapers, packed 25 to the box. Worth 25c. Special at 10c. SECOND FLOOR

Girls' Dresses: Made of fast color percales in striped and figured patterns. Only 15c. Worth 35c. Special at 27c. SECOND FLOOR

HOUSE DRESSES

New Spring models in women's percale house dresses; fast color; cut full and well made. Sizes 38 to 44. Only 15c. Special at 95c. SECOND FLOOR

Muslin Petticoats: Made of good quality of muslin, embroidered and lace trimmed. Sizes 36 to 44. Special at 47c. SECOND FLOOR

Women's Waists: Only 49 of these waists to sell. Made of best quality of Crepe de Chine, but slightly soiled. Sizes 36 to 42. Worth to \$2.95. Special at \$1.79. FIRST FLOOR

Girls' Dresses: Made of fast color plain and plaid gingham, guaranteed fast color. Only 200 dresses—all the newest Spring and Summer models. Sizes 6 to 14 years. 95c. SECOND FLOOR

Women's Handkerchiefs: White Swiss, hem-stitched handkerchief. Sale limited to 300. Value 5c. Special at 3c. FIRST FLOOR

Women's Hosiery: 200 pairs of black and white fiber silk hose with garter top. All sizes. Worth 29c. Special at 27c. FIRST FLOOR

Women's Combination Suits: Made of long cloth, embroidery trimmed and cut full. Sizes 36 to 44. Special at 49c. SECOND FLOOR

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SPRING SUITS AND COATS

Over 750 Newest Spring Suits

Women's and Misses' Spring Suits: Special Sale Price \$9.75

Women's and Misses' Spring Suits: Special Sale Price \$12.50

Women's and Misses' Spring Suits: Special Sale Price \$14.50

Women's and Misses' Spring Suits: Special Sale Price \$17.50

Women's and Misses' Spring Suits: Special Sale Price \$23.50

COATS! COATS! COATS! COATS! COATS! Over 500 Newest Spring Coats For Women and Misses

APRIL SHOWER OF BARGAINS IN BOYS' SPRING CLOTHING

At Unusually Low Prices

Boys' Norfolk Suits \$3.95

Boys' Rompers 49c

Boys' Odd Pants 90c

Men's Odd Trousers \$1.39

Men's Soft Hats \$1.49

Men's and Young Men's Spring Suits \$10.75

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Men's and Young Men's Spring Suits \$10.75

Men's Odd Trousers \$1.39

Men's Soft Hats \$1.49

Men's Neckwear 19c

Men's Shirts 65c

Men's Collars 11c

Men's Hose 25c

WINDOW SHADES

Dark Green Water color, 3x6 ft. 40c. Oil color, 3x6 ft. 60c.

Casseroles: Nickel-plated casserole, with brown and white filler 98c.

Door Mats: Rubber door mats, size 14x26 inches, good and heavy, each 25c.

Wash Boards: Galvanized double size wash boards. Large size, Special 25c.

Grub Boxes: Men's extra heavy tin dinner boxes—strong handles—good size, each 70c.

Lux Washing Powder: Washes woollens without shrinking, box 10c.

Toilet Paper: Eight big rolls of crepe toilet paper for 25c.

WINDOW SCREENS & SCREEN DOORS

Screen doors: walnut stained, each \$1.49

Screen doors: Natural finish, each \$1.98

Screen doors: fancy designs, each \$2.19

Screen doors: fancy and scroll designs \$2.39

Window Screens: Made of natural wood in the following sizes: 15x33 inches 39c, 18x33 inches 45c, 24x33 inches 55c, 24x37 inches 63c, 28x37 inches 75c.

BIG VARIETY OF LINOLEUMS

New Process Linoleum, full two yards wide; 39 patterns in the wood and geometrical designs; perfect goods; square yard 45c. Printed Linoleum—Wonderful durable quality; full two yards wide; newest patterns; 89c. Inlaid Linoleum; colors go through; handsome wood and hard stone tile patterns; special, square yard \$1.15.

KAUFMAN'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Display Your Colors on Liberty Day

Hang Out a Flag on Saturday, April 6th

AMERICAN FLAGS

Samson Bunting Flags wear better than wool and will not fade.

3x5 ft., \$2.95; 6x9 ft., \$5.95; 5x8 ft., \$4.95; 8x12 ft., \$7.50

PLAIN PRINTED COTTON FLAGS: 34x48 inches 49c, 3x5 ft. 69c

SERVICE FLAGS: With one star, fast color and well made. 2x3 feet 69c each, 3x5 feet 98c each

PLANT A VICTORY GARDEN!

Garden Tools at Low Prices

Straight Handle Weedeaters like cut, special at 18c

Spading Forks: with wood handles; like picture; 69c

Spading Forks: with wood handles; like picture; 10c

Electric Irons: Nickel plated electric iron, fully guaranteed, Special \$2.95

Laundry Soap: Swift's Pride laundry soap, Eight cakes for \$3c

Gas Irons: Gas Irons complete with steel tubing ready for use, Special \$1.95

DELTOX GRASS RUGS

Handsome new designs for bed room, living room, porches, etc.—All sizes.

18x27 in. 69c, 27x54 in. \$1.49, 36x72 in. \$1.95, 54x90 in. \$3.95

6x7 ft. \$5.95, 8x10 ft. \$8.95, 9x12 ft. \$10.95

Electric Irons: Nickel plated electric iron, fully guaranteed, Special \$2.95

Laundry Soap: Swift's Pride laundry soap, Eight cakes for \$3c

Gas Irons: Gas Irons complete with steel tubing ready for use, Special \$1.95

BED SPREADS: Crochet bed spreads, extra good quality, \$1.89

ALARM CLOCKS

Nickel plated alarm clocks—good time keepers. Special .98c

Bed Sheets: Linen finish, extra heavy muslin bed sheets, size 81x90. Special \$1.29

Pillow Cases: Muslin pillows, 42x26, good size hem. Special, each 17c

Percolators: Aluminum percolators 8-cup size—glass top, well made. Special \$1.19

Towels: Bordered huck towels, size 18x26, extra good quality, each 15c

KAUFMAN'S MARKET SQUARE UNDERSELLING STORE

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