CARLISLE WILL FILL WAR CHEST

Campaign For Patriotic and Benevolent Fund to Be Worked With Red Cross

Carlisle, Pa., May 18.—After a week of preliminary work, the campaign for the Carlisle "war chest" fund from which will be answered all of the calls for war and local relief work during the year, will be formally launched to-morrow. It runs for one week, concurrent with the Red Cross campaign, and one-half of the $50,000 total, or about $2.45 per capita, will go to the Red Cross.

There are many unique features connected with the Carlisle drive. While other sections have filled war chests, this town is the first to attempt, it is believed, the combining of war and local aid, and the fund, "The Patriotic and Benevolent Fund," as it is styled, will be for all purposes, and eliminate the need for all drives with the exception of War Savings and Liberty Bonds.

Red Cross workers during the past week conducted a census of persons in the town on an employment basis. This will be used in the present and other campaigns. Of the money to be raised, half goes to the Red Cross, $8,000 to Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. war work, $4,000 to the Carlisle Hospital and the rest apportioned in varying amounts to meet all war funds and local calls. There is an emergency fund of $2,500 to remain after the budget is complete.

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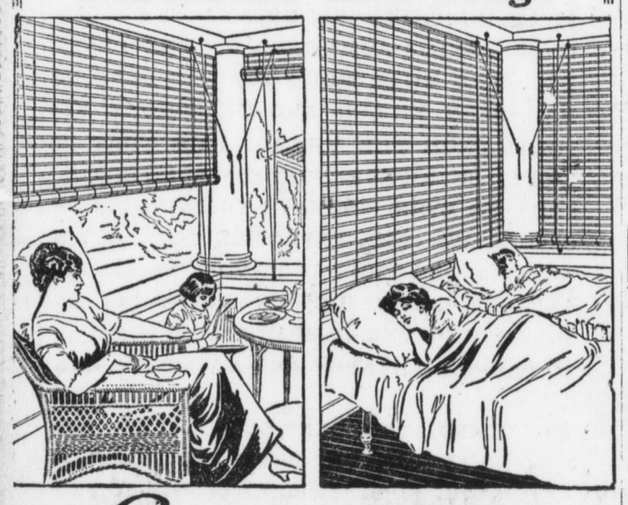

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NEWS OF WEST SHORE

Six Girls to Graduate at Enola High School

Enola, Pa., May 18.—Invitations have been sent out by graduating class of the Enola High school for the commencement exercises on Friday night, May 31, in the auditorium of the Summit street schoolhouse. The class night exercises will be held on Wednesday, the twenty-ninth. Miss Helen Markell, principal of the high school, said to-day that the honor students would be announced on Monday.

The class this year is composed of only six girls and is the first to complete the course since it has been raised to four years. The members of the class are: Romayne, Minick, Miriam Neurer, Nellie Gruver, Hilda Smith, Esther Shuman and Beatrice Peck.

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

New Cumberland, Pa., May 18.—Post 462, Grand Army of the Republic will have charge of the exercises on Memorial day. William Davis will be chief marshal. The patriotic orders, the band and schools will participate in the parade, which will leave for Mt. Olivet cemetery at 2 p. m.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

New Cumberland, Pa., May 18.—The third anniversary of the Church Of God, will be observed to-morrow with appropriate services. The Rev. J. C. Forncrook will preach at both morning and evening services.

Recital at Lemoyne by Miss Sherman's Pupils

Lemoyne, Pa., May 18.—A recital by pupils of Miss Edna P. Sherman, assisted by Elmira Bricker, was held in Trinity Lutheran Church last evening at 8 o'clock. Those taking part were: Gertrude Nebinger, Hazel Howard, Laverne Bowman, Alice Zeiders, Pauline Zimmerman, Janet Trostle, Sarah Arnold, Dorothy Frazer, Mary Baum, Florence Long, Sylvia Shur, Dorothy Boher, Irene Smith, Charlotte Brunner, Miriam Faust, Edith Bishop, Frances Bishop, James Wolfensberger, Albert Bard, Lester Brougher, Norine Martin, Olive Miller, Martha Bricker, Evelyn Rice, Florence Byrem, Arvilla Long, Katherine Rife, Pauline Wilbur, Jean McCleary, Janice Steinmetz, Mildred Bushey, Thelma Klugh, Anna Mae Snoke, Miriam Ilgenfritz, Mary Wierman, Helen Snyder, Daniel Bates and Harry Hoerner.

MARYSVILLE CHURCH SERVICES

Marysville, Pa., May 18.—No preaching services will be held in Trinity Reformed Church to-morrow the pastor, the Rev. Ralph E. Hartman being both morning and evening at Duncannon, where the fiftieth anniversary of the institution of the Christ Reformed Church, of which he is also pastor, is being observed. Senator Scott S. Leiby will be the leader at the Christian Endeavor in the evening at 6.45.

F. H. Gregory, of the Harrisburg Pennsylvania Railroad Young Men's Christian Association, will be in charge at the Sunday evening meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the Rev. S. B. Bidlack, pastor.

Selfdenial Sunday will be observed at the Keystone United Evangelical Church. At the evening meeting the pastor, the Rev. W. E. Yingling, will speak.

FLAGRAISING THIS EVENING

Marysville, Pa., May 18.—Special patriotic exercises will be held this evening at the Grier's Point school, about ten miles from thisplace, at which flagraising services will be a special feature. Senator Scott S. Leiby, of Marysville, will be the principal speaker.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

New Cumberland, Pa., May 18.—Church services to-morrow, Baughman Memorial Methodist Church, Sunday school 9.15 a. m., sermon by the pastor, the Rev. V. T. Rice; Epworth league, 6.30. The Reds and Whites are expected in full force in the third service of the drive. Preaching at 7.30.

Regular services will be held in Trinity United Bretheran Church: Sunday school, 9.15; Preaching, 10.30; Junior Christian Endeavor, 2 p. m.; Senior Christian Endeavor 6.30; Preaching, 7.30.

St. Paul Lutheran Church. Sunday school, 9.15; Preaching, 10.30 and 7.30, by the Rev. David S. Mather.

KING'S DAUGHTERS MEET

Enola, Pa., May 18.—The King's Daughters class of the Zion Lutheran Sunday school, taught by Mrs. M. H. Garland, held its monthly meeting Thursday night at the home of Mrs. William Smith in Columbia road. Those present included: Mrs. Vernon Coldren, Mrs. John Roth, Mrs. Warren Zeiders, Mrs. Paul Derr, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. Norman Whistler, Mrs. Ross Morris, Mrs. Clarence McCaleb, Katharine Famous, Mrs. I. N. Conclin, Mrs. James McCormick, Mrs. William Smith, Mrs. Garland, Martha Whistler, Mildred McCormick, Thelma Miller.

West Shore Personals

Mrs. D. W. Miller and son Kermit, of New Cumberland, Mrs. Amos Stiles and children, of Harrisburg, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. D. Stiles at West Fairview.

Mrs. Catherine Bowers, of West Fairview, who was in the Harrisburg Hospital with injuries received by being struck by a trolley car, has returned home.

Mrs. J. H. Books and daughter Susan, of West Fairview, spent a day with her sister, at Penbrook.

Mrs. F. S. Hoke, of West Fairview, visited her sister, Mrs. William Keffer,, at Harrisburg.

O. K. Eshenauer and Edward Stiles, of West Fairview, attended a shoot at Reading.

C. V. NEWS

The Rev. Hezekiah Cook, Dunkard Minister, Dies

Dillsburg, Pa., May 18.—The Rev. Hezekiah Cook, an 81-year-old minister of the Dunkard church, died at his home here yesterday at noon. The Rev. Mr. Cook is survived by three sons and five daughters, as follows: George Cook, Ohio; John Cook and Oliver Cook, Dillsburg; and Mrs. Benjamin Hoffman and Mrs. S. Bitner, Harrisburg. Six grandchildren will act as pallbearers. Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 9.30 o'clock, with burial at Woglemuth's Church. The Rev. Mr. Baker will officiate at the services.

Brother Performs Wedding Ceremony For Sister

Mechanicsburg, Pa., May 18.—Miss Daisy M. Zeigler and Clarence F. Yohn, both of Mechanicsburg, were married yesterday morning at the United Brethren parsonage at Shermandale by the bride's brother, the Rev. Roy Zeigler, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends. The bride, who was unattended, wore a white crepe de chine costume and carried white carnations. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served and the couple left for Mechanicsburg, where they will live in South York street. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Zeigler, of West Keller street. Mr. Yohn is employed at the Elliott-Fisher typewriter plant at Harrisburg.

PASSED EXAMINATION

Waynesboro, Pa., May 18.—A Barr Snively, Jr., son of Dr. A. Barr and Mrs. Snively, received a telegram stating that he had successfully passed the recent examinations for entrance to the United States Naval Academy, at Annapolis, Md.

AGENT FOR MELTING POT

Waynesboro, Pa., May 18.—Miss Victoria Beaver is acting as Waynesboro's agent for the Overseas Committee of the Melting Pot Fund, a fund that is devoted to the providing for soldiers who have been blinded in the war.

39 NAMES ON LIST OF WAR FRONT REPORT

Three Killed in Action; Seven Yield to Wounds and Disease; Fifteen Injured

By Associated Press

Washington, May 18.—The casualty list to-day contained 39 names divided as follows: Killed in action 3; died of wounds, 3; died of disease, 4; wounded severely, 5; wounded, degree not known, 1; wounded slightly, 9; missing in action, 12; prisoners, 2.

The following officers are included: Major Alexander Rasmussen, Sherwood, Oregon, killed in action; Lieut. Sherman De More, Chicago, missing in action; First Lieutenant Abraham J. Gordon, Newark, N. J., prisoner, but not previously reported missing.

The list follows:

Killed in action, Major Alexander Rasmussen, Sherwood, Oregon; Private Joseph S. Lietzan, Hammond, Ind.; Joseph A. Zihala, Newark, New Jersey.

Died of disease, Nurse Lucy N. Fletcher, 246 North Main street, Concord, N. H.; Sergeant Dan M. Storning, Menominee, Wis.; Private Ralph A. Johnson, Houston, Texas; John Peete, Holly Grove, La.

Died of wounds, Privates Charles W. Dubochet, Paris, France; Marvin W. Smith, Koshkonong, Mo.; Guiseppe Vinci, Fairhaven, Vt.

Wounded severely, Privates Edward C. Carter, Chicago; Philip Frost, Bradford, Vt.; Homer H. McAnnelly, Cincinnati, Iowa; Harry L. Miller, Hopkins, Minn.; Lemont Wi Ruffing, Paterson, N. J.

Wounded slightly, Sergeant William Thompson, Bristol, Conn.; Corporal Herbert Gillis, Sommerville, Mass.; Private Roy Boone, Alameda, Cal.; James Johnson, Reynolds Station, Ky.; Rodney C. McCallum, Stockton, Cal.; James G. Pipes, North Venice, Ill.; Joe Schroeder, Chicago; Raymond Williams, Edinburg, Ind.; Edward R. Woodfin, Alston, Mass.

Wounded, degree not known, Private Boyd M. Gillespie, Indianapolis, Ind.

Missing in action, Lieut. Sherman De More, Chicago; Sergeant Joseph P. Nolan, Hartford, Conn.; Corporal Sabatini, Brooklyn; Privates Lester R. Clark, New Haven; George E. Clover, New Haven; Ernesto De Martino, Hartford, Conn.; Herbert V. Johnson, New Haven; John T. McCartin, New Haven; Albert L. Mason, Friendship, N. Y.; Roy R. Mason, Gainesville, Fla.; Austin M. Ready, Jersey City, N. J.; John J. Milan, South Boston, Mass.

Prisoners not previously reported missing, First Lieutenant Abraham J. Gordon, Newark, N. J.; Private Paul L. Holder, Hasting, Neb.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

Shippensburg, Pa., May 18.—To-morrow evening the baccalaureate sermon will be preached by the Rev. S. N. Good in the Church of God. The class day and commencement exercises will be held on Monday and Tuesday. The following are the graduates: Dorothy Beattie, Margaret Beidel, Lucy Cressler, William Fackler, Palmer Franklin, Pearl Grove, Ruth Hershey, Lulu Heller, Katherine Rebok, Violet Keggerreis, Zelda Powell, Mary Strohm, Frank Squires, Mary Wanders, Ebbert Hassler, John Wynkoop, Herman Thrush. The first honor goes to Ruth Hershey.

ALUMNI RECEPTION

Hummelstown, May 18.—The High School Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting and reception for members of the graduating class on Thursday evening, June 6.

MIDDLETOWN

Columbia Commandery No. 132, Knights of Malta, will take fifteen members to Lancaster on Monday evening, May 27, when the Lancaster Maltas will confer the Red Cross degree upon the fifteen.

Annie Reves and Henry Wittaker are the two victims of smallpox at the old paint works, in Lawrence street. The former has been ill with the disease for the past three weeks. Mr. Reves and Mr. Whittaker are both employed at the Wells Construction Company. The house has been strictly quarantined and several watchmen have been put on. The Wood and Ann street school building where the children of Reves are pupils, has been closed and will be fumigated.

Marie Harley, aged 30, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harley, Market street, late Thursday afternoon from complication of diseases. She is survived by her parents, three sisters, Leona Harley, at home; Mrs. Ada Tucker, Delta, York county, and Mrs. Geneva Fortune, Atlantic City; two brothers, Jesse Harley, at home, and Chalmers Harley, a number of the National Army. Funeral will be held on Monday morning in the St. Mary's Catholic Church at 9 o'clock. The Rev. Jules Foin will officiate. Burial will be made in the Catholic Cemetery, East Middletown.

The funeral of Mrs. Samuel Shiley was held from her home in East High street on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The Rev. O. M. Kraybill, pastor of the Church of God, officiating. The pallbearers were: William Hill, Joseph Ebersole, George Eshenour and Albert Reese. Burial was made in the Middletown Cemetery.

Mrs. John Bryan was tendered a miscellaneous surprise shover by the members of the N. N. Club at the home of Mrs. Lee Good, Race street, on Thursday evening. She received beautiful gifts of cut glass, linen and silverware. After a social hour had been spent, refreshments were served to those present: Mrs. John Bryan, Mrs. Clarence Fisher, Mrs. Lee Good, Mrs. D. Belt, Mrs. Charles Rarich, the Misses Marion Hatz, Annie Eby, May Meashey, Fannie Hatz, Lena Selcher, Martha Belt, Sara Markley and Agnes Markley.

MIDDLETOWN CHURCHES

St. Mary's Catholic—The Rev. Jules Foin. High Mass at 8 and 10; vespers and benediction, 7.30.

Royalton United Brethren—The Rev. William Beach. 10.30 and 7.30.

St. Michael's and All-Angel's Episcopal—The Rev. Floyd Appleton. Services and sermon at 4.30.

United Brethren—The Rev. I. H. Albright. 11, "Humility;" 7.30, "The Use of the Tongue."

Church of God—The Rev. O. M. Kraybill. 11, "The Gospel of God;" 7.30, "The Bible and the Higher Critics."

Presbyterian—The Rev. T. C. McCarrell. 11, "The Compassion of Jesus;" 7.30, "The Knowledge Which Brings Peace and Good."

St. Peter's Lutheran—The Rev. Fuller Bergstresser. 10.45, "The Holy Spirit;" 7.30, "When Religion Loses Its Hold."

CENTRAL PENNA. NEWS

BIG TROUT CAUGHT

Sunbury, Pa., May 18.—Fishing along Penn's creek, in Paddy's mountains, Lloyd M. Isenberg and John L. Rohrbach, Sunbury, caught six trout, the largest of which was twenty-five inches long and the smallest twelve inches long. This is believed to be the record for big trout this year.

VOTED TO DROP GERMAN

Milton, Pa., May 17.—The Milton School Board has unanimously voted to drop the study of the Kaiser's language from the curriculum at once. Practically every school board in Northumberland county has now kicked the German mother tongue out of the public schools.

MEMORIAL SERMON

Liverpool, Pa., May 18.—The memorial sermon this year will be preached by the Rev. G. C. Cramer on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Evangelical Church. The members of the G. A. R., the P. O. S. of A., the Sons of Veterans and the Red Cross will attend in a body. Music will be furnished by the Liverpool Citizens' Band.

97 GUIDES LICENSED

Gettysburg, Pa., May 18.—The Battlefield Commissioners have announced that no more examinations for battlefield guide will be held during the year and as a consequence there will be no new qualified guides to take tourists over the field. Ninety-seven men have been approved and given license.

DRIVE STARTS MONDAY

Hummelstown, Pa., May 18.—At a meeting of the Red Cross Auxiliary last evening it was decided to begin the drive on Monday morning.

TALKED ABOUT FOOD

Northumberland, Pa., May 18.—One hundred and twentyfive women here held a banquet without food. The eating hour was taken up discussing war time menus.

RED CROSS OFFICERS CHOSEN

New Bloomfield, Pa., May 18.—At a meeting of the New Bloomfield Red Cross Auxiliary, on Thursday afternoon in their rooms in this place the following officers were elected: First chairman, Mrs. E. E. Moore; second chairman, Miss Emma morrow; enrolling secretary, Mary Mary Barnett; recording secretary, Mrs. W. H. Darlington; treasurer, Clarence Askins.

KNITS FOR SOLDIERS

Sunbury, Pa., May 18.—Mrs. W. S. Thompson, a society woman and wife of the division civil engineer of the Sunbury division of the Pennsylvania railroad, who is an ardent Red Cross worker, is being met halfway in her work by her husband. He has installed in his home a knitting machine, upon which he has made more than 400 pairs of socks for the Red Cross.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Lewistown, Pa., May 18.—Samuel Killian, one of the best known citizens of Mifflin county, has been taken to a Philadelphia hospital to receive treatment. He was taken some time ago with an attack of illness affecting his limbs and diagnosed here as locomotor ataxia.

SILAS W. SHULTZ DIES

Marietta, Pa., May 18.—Silas W. Shultz, 63 years old, died from an attack of pneumonia yesterday. He was a blacksmith by trade, and for years was employed by the Freeman Safe Company, at Lititz. His wife, five children, three brothers and a sister survive.

CONVENTION AT QUINCY

Waynesboro, Pa., May 18.—The tenth annual convention of the Sunday School Association of Waynesboro, Washington and Quincy townships and Mont Alto borough convened in the Lutheran Church at Quincy, yesterday morning.

THROWN INTO CREEK

Middleburg, Pa., May 18.—When an automobile and a horse and buggy collided head on on a creek bridge near Beavertown, Mrs. George Walter and her son, Rufus Walter, were thrown over the side of the structure into the water, each suffering bad bruises and a drenching. Mrs. Ammon Bowersox, of Beavertown, jumped into the creek when she saw the collision inevitable and suffered a sprained ankle. The buggy was demolished.

JUNIORS' LAWN PARTY

Mechanicsburg, Pa., May 18.—Last evening Miss Mildred Spangler, a member of the junior class of Irving College, was hostess at a lawn party for the annual function given by the juniors to the senior class. Japanese lanterns decorated the lawn and the girls enjoyed games and music. Refreshments were served. In addition to the class members, Mrs. Jessie Garman Ennis and Miss Katharine Wheelock, of the faculty, were present.

Suburban Notes

HUMMELSTOWN

Corporal Frank Keller, of Camp Humphrey, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Keller.

David Musser and Miss Elva Fox were married on Thursday at Hagerstown, Md. Mr. Musser left for Camp Meade, Md., to-day.

Mrs. Samuel Allwine and Miss Leda Hitz spent Friday at Harrisburg.

Miss Carrie Rudy returned home on Thursday after spending several months at Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker and son and Miss Carrie Blacksmith, of Harrisburg, spent Friday with Miss Mary Greenawalt.

Mrs. Edward Deimler visited Mrs. William Shuey at Linglestown.

PENBROOK

Mrs. Walter Curry has returned to her home at Hockersville after spending two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Shope.

The Borough Council will have the large room of the Town Hall fitted up for use by the Red Cross Auxiliary. Running water will be put in.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hicks have returned from Atlantic City.

Miss Emma Nisley, president of the Red Cross Auxiliary, is at Atlantic City.

lantic City. The Red Cross work is in charge of the vice-president, Mrs. A. L. Shope.

The Jonestown Road Literary Circle held a meeting at the home of the Misses Rauch at Progress. A review of the study of the poets in recognizing quotations was a feature of the evening. The prize, a beautiful bouquet of flowers from an "old-fashioned garden," was won by Mrs. J. A. Miller in having the largest number of correct answers. The work was in charge of Mrs. L. A. Hetrick and Miss Grace I. Henry.

The W. C. T. U. attended a meeting in Linglestown on Tuesday as guests of honor of the Linglestown W. C. T. U. Mrs. Marjorie M. Steese, county president of the W. C. T. U., made an address. The meeting was in the interest of the ratification of the Sheppard prohibition amendment.

Mrs. S. A. Fishburn is home from Reading, where she attended the women's missionary convention of the United Brethren Church. She also visited Philadelphia.

Miss Mae J. LeVan was the reader at Paxtang Presbyterian Church at a musicale given under the auspices of the Dunmire school.

NO GOVERNORSHIP BANNERS ALLOWED

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the nomination by all parties of 'dry' candidates."

Those Endorsed

The following candidates have been endorsed by the Dauphin County Ratification Committee:

REPUBLICAN
(First District)
Dr. C. I. Trullinger
H. A. Sherk
(Second District. Elect Two)
C. W. McCoy, Steelton
W. R. Bottomley, Williamstown
James R. Hoffman, Elizabethville

DEMOCRATIC
(First District, Harrisburg)
A. Ramsey Black
Dr. G. Willis Hartman
(Second District, Dauphin County Exclusive of Harrisburg)
C. W. McCoy, Steelton
W. R. Bottomley, Williamstown

Captain E. Laubenstein has been appointed chief marshal of the Monday evening parade and John W. Phillips, choirmaster of Grace Methodist Church, will lead the singing from the balcony of the Dauphin Building, Market street and Market Square.

First Withdraws From City Contest

W. W. First, one of the candidates for the Republican nomination for the Legislature in the Harrisburg district, announced his withdrawal last night and will throw his strength to Dr. C. I. Trullinger and H. A. Sherk, the "dry" Republican candidates. Mr. Sherk, who has been making an active campaign in the city, is highly pleased with the prospects and confident of the nomination of himself and his colleague. "The people of Harrisburg are interested in the 'dry' amendment and hope to see it ratified. I have been getting assurances of support from every ward for Dr. Trullinger and myself that are very gratifying," said he.

Dr. Trullinger has been conducting an active campaign and has found support for the "dry" cause everywhere.

In the county the campaign of C. W. McCoy, of Steelton, is said to be progressing very satisfactorily. Mr. McCoy says that the second Dauphin district is "dry" in sentiment and that he finds it gaining every day.

CORN FOR MINE EVERY TIME—says Bobby, when it's in the form of "POST TOASTIES"

SENATORS FIND ORDNANCE WORK AT HIGH PITCH

Official Visitors to Bethlehem and Midvale Are Pleased With Production

Washington, May 18. — Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, chairman of the subcommittee of the Senate Military Affairs Committee to inspect ordnance production, upon his return from a visit to the Midvale and Bethlehem plants, in Pennsylvania, declared that production in these establishments of guns for the Government was about reaching the peak. He said that he was greatly impressed with the complete organization, especially at Bethlehem, which he asserted has exceeded his expectations in vastness and multiplicity of production.

"The committee is satisfied that everything that human ingenuity can do is now being exerted by both employes and labor to produce guns on the western front," he said. "Of course, these plants are from three to four months behind in what the committee has been promised. It was because of this situation, the delay in production, that the committee determined upon a personal inspection of the plants and the production going on there. The War Department kept informing us that the plants were capable to produce what they had contracted to do. The mills, on the other hand, said that they were hampered by the constant changing of specifications and were not able to proceed after the contracts had formally been awarded.

"We are satisfied that there were many changes in specifications by the Ordnance Department which militated against normal production. Some of the plants had labor troubles and were unable to get prompt delivery of materials. No changes have been made in specifications since February last. Transportation facilities are now up to a standard and as a consequence these two plants have reached the point where they can proceed at maximum production.

"At Midvale we found that the first eight-inch guns had been shipped this week and that others will follow in great quantities. Conditions there are very good and from what we saw we were led to the conclusion that this plant will be able to produce its maximum in a very short time.

"At Bethlehem they are now turning out 123 three-inch guns a month. The maximum production is 125. As soon as the contract this firm has with the British Government is finished, in another week, work will begin making nine-inch guns for this country."

Different Version

Washington, May 18.—Government operation of the steel mills of the country may be sought if the joint steel committee appointed yesterday representing the War Industries Board and the American Iron and Steel Institute fails to agree on steps to increase production for Government and the Allies' needs and restrict nonwar consumption.

Chairman Baruch and his chief aids, J. Leonard Replogle, director of steel supply, and Alexander Legge, chairman of the requirements division of the War Industries Board, are understood to be prepared to ask President Wilson to take drastic action the moment they are convinced that is the only way to get increased steel production.

HUN GUNS POUND AMERICAN LINES

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ments behind the German lines are normal.

Two German observation balloons, east of Montdidier, were brought down to-day by a French airplane.

Additional instances of unusual bravery by American soldiers on the battlefront in Picardy have become known.

Lieutenant James Pellache, a Harvard man and son of a New York artist, and Lieutenant Stephen Fitzgerald, a Boston athlete, have been killed, but their deeds will live.

Lieutenant Pellache went out with a working party which was attacked by Germans. Pellache was mortally wounded, but continued to fight with his hands, and strangled a German. In so doing he encouraged and inspired his companions.

Lieutenant Fitzgerald was shot through the head while leading a platoon in No Man's Land in a day raid against a German machine gun. He refused aid and continued to lead his men when a second bullet felled him.

"Jack" Fritz, of Boston, led a platoon into No Man's Land. When attacked by superior forces he ordered his own men back to the trenches and remained alone in No Man's Land, fighting the Germans single handed with grenades and breaking up their formation. Fritz was wounded.

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And we took our losses feeling like any other business people, that we'd make up at least a part of them when the summer days come along.

Well, the summer days are here and with them the jitneys. Where were the jitneys in the winter time? Out of sight!

Now, when the street cars are running on schedule time, tracks, clear, weather fine as silk, we had hoped to make up some of the winter time losses!

The street cars take you to every point of the city and suburbs. Don't you think they should be used!

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