

MURDOCK GREAT FINDER OF MEN

Furnished Thousands With Special Qualifications For United States Army

Pennsylvania furnished 216,049 men for the United States army and navy service under 213 calls made by the provost marshal general, announced Major W. G. Murdock, chief draft officer, to-day.

The calls ranged all the way from while men qualified for general military service to telephone operators, who spoke the German language. Among the last calls were for foresters, stewardesses, boiler-makers, typists, stewards, engineers, auto mechanics, boatbuilders, draftsmen, woodworkers, quarrymen, carpenters, typographers, caulker, shoemakers, farmers, lithographers, instrument makers, cabinetmakers, concrete workers, powdermen, riggers, tailors, millwrights, wagonbuilders, camp helpers, steam shovel and pile driver foremen, brakemen, locomotive repairmen, trackmen, conductors, steam fitters, colored and white bricklayers, gas plant workers, canvass workers, airbrake inspectors, sheet metal workers, plumbers and helpers, mechanics, teamsters, cleaners, wheelwrights, gunsmiths, cobblers, car inspectors familiar with steel cars, yardmasters, acetylene workers, bargemen, gas mask inspectors, weather observers and many others specially qualified.

SPANISH INFLUENZA MORE DEADLY THAN WAR

Said That Epidemic Cost More Lives Than American Loss in Battle. Danger Not Over. Great Care Necessary to Prevent Further Outbreak.

The appalling ravages of Spanish influenza in this country are perhaps best realized by the statement recently made, that more deaths have resulted in little more than a month from this disease than through our whole eighteen months participation in the battles of the European War. Our greatest danger now, declare authorities, is the great American tendency to forget easily and to believe in the possibility of a return of this disease and there should be no let-up throughout the winter months of the following easily observed precautions, remember that influenza is far easier to prevent than cure.

Only 3 German Warships Yet to Be Turned Over

Basle, Switzerland, Dec. 4.—It is reported from Berlin that the surrender of the German warships under the terms of the armistice has now been carried out with the exception of the battleship Koenig, the cruiser Dresden and a torpedo boat which will be taken to England early this month.

Those of us who are past middle age are prone to eat too much meat and in consequence deposit lime-salts in the arteries, veins and joints. We often suffer from twinges of rheumatism or lumbago, sometimes from gout, swollen hands or feet. There is no longer the slightest need of this, however, as the new prescription, "Anuric," is bound to give immediate results as it is many times more potent than lithia, in ridding the impoverished blood of its poisons by way of the kidneys.

Send to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a ten-cent trial package.

CHESTER, PA.—"In March 1916 I was taken with rheumatism in my right knee. I could not walk for ten days, and had to use a crutch and a stick for more than two months. After trying different remedies and getting no relief, I then bought a bottle of Anuric in the papers. (I then lived at Snyder, Texas.) I sent for a trial package as I could not get Anuric at the drug stores. Before I had taken all of the trial package I saw it was helping me. I then bought two bottles of Anuric Tablets. Before I had taken half a bottle I could walk without a stick. I continued to take them until I had taken nearly two bottles (dusting my knee as directed) and I was well. My knee has given me no more trouble since. I cannot say too much for Anuric." W. M. BELL, 323 Rose Street.

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Snyder County's Girl Band



Beaver Springs, Dec. 4.—Snyder county has been delighted with the appearance of a new girls' band of Beaver Springs on the local concert platform for the first time. Now-a-days when the young women gather in the Odd Fellows Hall here for their weekly practice there are usually scores of people who drop in to hear the melodious strains of music pouring forth.

CUMBERLAND IS A STATE LEADER

Made the Best Showing in the Corn Crop, Declares State Bureau Summary

Figures compiled by the statistical bureau of the State Department of Agriculture show that fourteen counties led by Cumberland averaged better than forty bushels to the acre for the corn crop recently harvested.

DIVINITY STUDENT KILLED IN ACTION

David M. Thornton Dies in Closing Days of the War



David Miles Thornton, a member of the Machine Gun Company of the 16th Infantry, was killed in action some time in November, according to an official telegram received yesterday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David M. Thornton, who reside near Shiremanstown.

The bulletin just issued says: "Cumberland county carried off the individual honors with a county average per acre of 48.4 bushels. Lancaster was second with an average of 48 bushels with Schuylkill third with 46.5 bushels. Philadelphia county finished in fourth place with 46.3 bushels and the other four counties were: Adams, 45.5; York, 44.9; Delaware, 44.7; Franklin, 44.5; Center, 44; Westmoreland, 43.6; Chester, 42.9; Bucks, 40.6 and Milton, 40 bushels.

The early potato crop was a failure in most sections, but a fair yield was obtained through the late plantings. Last year thirty-one counties showed an average production of over 100 bushels to the acre and Schuylkill and Dauphin counties carried off the high yield averages with 125 bushels to the acre."

Smart Hosiery For Gift Suggestions

Black stockings with white embroidered clocks, \$2.50. White stockings with black clocks, \$2.50 and \$4.50. Women's drop stitch hose in white, black, gray and gold, \$4.00. Italian silk hose in plain black and white; also fancy black, fancy brown and gray, \$3.50.

Thread silk hose in black, white, Cordovan, Russian calf, beige and feldmouse, also gray, \$3.00. Thread silk hose with lisle tops in block, Cordovan, Russian tan and gray, \$1.75.

Thread silk hose, in black, white and all shoe shades, \$1.25. Thread silk boot hose in all colors, 89c. Silk lisle hose in black, white, Cordovan, Russian tan, and grays, 59c, 69c and \$1.00.

Women's cashmere hose in black, and white, 69c and \$1.00. Misses' silk lisle hose, in black and white, 50c and 65c. Boys' heavy ribbed hose, 50c and 65c. Infants' silk and wool hose, 75c. Infants' silk hose in white, 75c. Infants' silk lisle hose, 35c. Children's silk socks, 79c and \$1.00.

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Our Entire Lot Of Suits In Special Clearance Sale. Arranged In Four Lots Reduced To The Following Prices: \$22.50, \$29.50, \$38.75 and \$54.50. Included in this sale specially priced from \$60.00 to \$125.00 are the remainder of our exclusive suits regularly selling up to \$125. It's hardly necessary to mention the "whys" and "wherefores" of this event. The values will convince you. Fabrics are new and styles are all that could be expected and more—the usual Bowman quality kind.

Three Lots of Dresses Specially Priced at \$14.95 \$21.75 \$27.75. The saving these prices gives you are the largest we've offered this year. Scores of pleasing models are embraced in this splendid offering, and every dress is desirable in style, in quality and in every other detail.

Fancy Turkish Towels Towel Sets And Bath Sets Suitable And Practical For Christmas Gifts. These towels made up in pretty designs and desirable colors are most acceptable presents to almost every individual on account of their practical utility and attractive showing.

SHIRVAN RUGS Average size, 3ftx5ft. \$25.00 each. MOSSOUL RUGS Average size, 4ftx6ft. Some larger, some smaller—\$52.50 and \$60.00.