

### FARM MANAGERS BEING TRAINED

#### Disabled Soldiers, Educated For Direction of Farms, Sure of Jobs

Washington, March 6.—A large percentage of men in the United States armies coming from farms or semi-rural environment have raised an interesting question in the training of disabled on the federal board for vocational education, as to how the background of agricultural information of these individuals can best be utilized. The general impression is that when a man has lost his strength his usefulness on a farm is at an end. The federal board does not at all subscribe to this and the course which has been evolved on "farm management" is proving one of the most popular with those men who have taken retraining. The small percentage of profits of inefficient management, of idle and incompetent management, makes thousands of farmers not living on their places very desirous to secure farm managers capable of inducing farm management, and to meet this growing need the course in farm management for disabled soldiers has been evolved by the federal board for vocational education, and indications are that the demand for these well trained men will considerably exceed the supply. Disabled men taking training are allowed a support fund of \$65 per month minimum, all expenses are paid and places found for the graduates. This training is mainly given in the land grant colleges of the various states.

### DISEASE KILLS 112 SOLDIERS

#### Total of 586 Names Are Included in War Department Lists

Washington, March 6.—One hundred and twelve Yanks are mentioned as dead of disease in today's casualty list which contain a total of 586 names, summarized as follows: Died of disease . . . . . 112 Wounded severely . . . . . 23 Missing in action . . . . . 2 Killed in action . . . . . 3 Died from accidents and other causes . . . . . 10 Total . . . . . 586 Pennsylvanians mentioned are: **WOUNDED SEVERELY** Sergeant Mervin J. Pauls, Wrightville. **DIED FROM WOUNDS** Private Camille Manni, Philadelphia. **DIED FROM ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES** Private Andy Bulanovich, Pittsburgh. **DIED OF DISEASE** Private Elmer Buss, Quakertown. **DIED OF DISEASE** William H. Steiner, Pittston. **DIED OF DISEASE** Private Robert McKeage, Clifton Heights. **RETURNED TO DUTY, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED DIED FROM WOUNDS** John J. O'Neill, Philadelphia. **WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED)** Sergeant John A. O'Donnald, Allentown. **Private** Joseph William Barteck, Bitumen. **Private** John Henry Bennett, Tyrone. **Private** Howard L. Bloomer, Paoli. **Private** Adolph Frederick Nordland, York. **WOUNDED SLIGHTLY** **Private** Joseph Wosnowski, Minersville. **Private** Homer L. Edwards, Beaver Falls. **Private** Elijah Cesswell Hewes, Erie. **Private** Robert L. Lipscomb, Philadelphia. **Private** Earl E. Martin, Avalon. **Private** George W. Mayers, North Catasauqua. **Private** Elzie G. Nedrow, Mount Pleasant. **Private** Herbert F. Schmidt, Erie. **WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED)** **Private** Folwell Lear, Gardenville. **Private** Carmine Camardella, Old Forge. **Private** Giuseppe Chemello, Mount Carmel. **Private** John M. Erickson, Plainville. **Private** Edward T. Hayes, Wilkes-Barre. **Private** Felix Francis Quinn, Philadelphia. **Private** Loretta Renzi, Philadelphia. **Private** Ernest P. Whitworth, Pittsburgh. **WOUNDED SLIGHTLY** **Lieutenant Colonel** Henry W. Coulter, Greensburg. **Lieutenant** Russell T. Kerschner, Wilkesburg. **Private** Alphonse Lang, Millvale. **Private** William M. Ringer, Delmont. **Private** Cooley G. Conrad, Coatesville. **Private** William M. Fischer, Lansdale. **Private** William F. Flaherty, Avoca. **Private** Harry Lohr Galbreath, Johnstown. **Private** Joseph Guyon, Seminole. **Private** John Loughlin, Reading. **Private** Joseph Miltenberger, Erie. **Private** Biogi Mioli, Dunbar. **Private** Myles Ness, York.

### CRIME SPREADS OVER ENGLAND

#### Result of Idle Hands Since the Signing of the Armistice

London, March 6.—Crime has been on the increase in England since the signing of the armistice and, in official quarters, particularly Scotland Yard, is attributed to a great extent to soldiers on leave. It is the natural result of idle hands, the officials say. Attendants at centers where leave men congregate seem to be of one opinion as to why soldiers now commit petty crimes. They say the bearing of the soldiers has changed since the hostilities ended. When they obtained a brief respite from the fighting they still felt that they were engaged, still had something to do and something to think about. People who are at Young Men's Christian Association and Red Cross centers say that now there is no interest for the soldiers at the front and little they can do in the cities, as few have much money. They are idle mentally and physically. There has been a tendency to blame overseas men for much of the crime, not Americans as comparatively few of them are on leave in England, but a Scotland Yard official has stated that the English troops are as much responsible as their colonial brothers.

### American Tonnage Menace to British Coal Export Trade

London, March 6.—American tonnage is described as undoubtedly a distinct menace to British coal export trade in a statement made by Alexander Lee, chief of the coal prices department of the board of trade, before the coal commission investigating this subject. At present England is just beginning to feel the effects of American competition, he said, because until January it had been agreed that American coal should not be transported to Europe. American competition, added Mr. Lee, was feared in the Mediterranean particularly, and the British would have to consider altering the export regulations to meet the situation. The Americans were already underselling the British in South America.

### Mrs. Fairbanks Gets Final Divorce Decree

White Plains, N. Y., March 6.—A final decree of divorce in favor of Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, wife of the motion picture actor, was signed yesterday by State Supreme Court Justice Young. The papers mentioned a co-respondent as an unknown woman. Under the terms of the decree the custody of a child, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., is given to the mother with the provision that the father shall be allowed to see him at frequent intervals.

### SENIORITY TO RULE IN HOUSE

#### Republican Leaders Will Follow Plan in Naming Committees

Washington, March 6.—Republican organization of the next House of Representatives is being pushed forward by party leaders, composing the committee on committees, with practically a final decision that seniority of membership would continue to determine committee ranks. This action, taken in respect to the eleven principal committees, applied to chairmanships, as well as to other leading places. Before undertaking to consider the question of membership rank, the Republicans decided on the apportionment of places on the committees between the two parties. Because of their margin of control of the next House, the committee decided to increase the majority appointment by one member with a similar reduction of Democrats or minority membership. The principal committee, having twenty-one members would under the plan adopted, be divided between thirteen Republicans and eight Democrats, while practically the same ratio would obtain with the committee of smaller membership. A decision to make possible use of the committee on departmental expenditures for proposed investigation of war expenditures and other inquiries of department activities led to the membership apportionment

### Mayberry H. Scott, Well Known Accountant, Dead

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the family residence, 904 North 18th St., for the late Mayberry H. Scott, well known accountant, who died suddenly at the Harrisburg Hospital Tuesday evening at 8:15 o'clock. The Rev. Winfield S. Herman, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, of which Mr. Scott was a member, will be in charge. Burial will be made in Baldwin cemetery, Steelton.

Mr. Scott, who was works accountant for the Harrisburg Boiler and Manufacturing Company, became ill suddenly in the office of his brother, C. Linford Scott, general superintendent of the plant, Tuesday afternoon. At first it was thought he was suffering with acute indigestion. He became unconscious almost immediately and was rushed to the Harrisburg hospital where the physicians pronounced the ailment acute kidney disease and he died a few hours after admission. Up to the time he became sick he had been apparently in the best of health. Mr. Scott was for twenty-five years accountant for the Bethlehem Steel Company. He was 46 years old and survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Theodore Brown, who resides in Philadelphia; his aged father, Charles E. Scott, and C. Linford Scott. He was a member of the Royal Arcanum and the Steelton lodge of Odd Fellows.

### SERBIANS KILLED ON LEMON HILL

#### Bodies Left Exposed to Dogs and Wolves by the Bulgars

Nish, Serbia, March 6.—Cumulative evidence has been given the correspondent of The Associated Press by many Serbian mayors or prefects, of a studied attempt by Bulgarians during their occupation of Serbia, to exterminate part of the civilian population. In the town of Bela Planca the number who fell victims to Bulgar massacres is placed by the Chief of Police at three hundred. At the invitation of this official, the correspondent visited the scene where many of these murders were carried out. He saw heaps of human bones, skulls and fragments of clothing. No effort apparently had been made by Bulgars to give their victims burial and their bodies were left exposed to dogs and wolves. Among the Serbians killed here was a seventy-year-old monk. The Bulgars placed a special guard about this place of slaughter which is situated high up on Lemon Hill, and forbade any Serbian going near it under penalty of death.

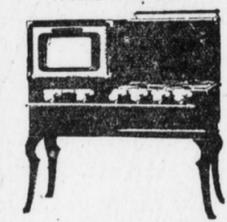
### Why Coal Prices Cannot Drop

#### The retail price of coal is made up of three elements — cost of mine, transportation and dealer's margins.

The cost of coal at the mine today, it is stated, is close to 10 per cent. higher than before the war. The transportation cost is about 55 per cent. higher. The advance in mining cost was necessary to take care of the higher wage scale and advanced cost of materials and supplies. Miners' wages will not be lowered by the operation — coal prices cannot materially change. **H. M. KELLEY & CO.** 1 N. 3rd St. 10th and State Sts.

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### Dying Wife, Poison Victim, Beggars For Absent Husband

Philadelphia, March 6. — Fully conscious and free from pain, Mrs. Sumner C. Evans, who lies dying at the Hahnemann Hospital after an attempt at suicide, begged physicians today to bring her husband to her. With the knowledge that only a miracle can avert death, the young wife, who swallowed poison when her husband, who she wants more than all else to speak to her husband before she succumbs. "I loved him," she said this morning. "I did not want to live after he left me. All I want now is to see him — once more before I die." Upon receiving his discharge from the army, he began working in the oil fields near Burketto, Texas.

### To Test Civil Service Status of Fire Chiefs

Philadelphia, March 6.—Judge Eugene C. Bonniwell, president of the Firemen's Association, announces that the executive committee of the Civil Service Reform Association of Pennsylvania has accepted a request of the firemen's organization to unite in bringing proceedings to test the civil service status of fire chiefs in second and third class cities. "The withdrawal on February 23 of the appeal pending before the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania," said the announcement, "from the decision of Judge Berger, of the Schuylkill county court, to the effect that fire chiefs did not come under the new civil service law for cities of the third class, as well as of the second class, has created a situation of disappointment among the firemen of the state."

### Hid Four Years to Escape the Germans

Paris, March 6.—The adventures of two French stragglers, Sergeant Lesquere and Private Levesque, who becoming separated from their units after the battle of Charleroi, remained in hiding for more than four years in German occupied territory are told in the newspaper La Victoire. In the early days of the war, civilians helped the two soldiers but as the German domination became weightier, they took to the woods. They owe their lives to an old Belgian poacher and smuggler who, throughout all the years of their adventures, helped them with provisions. They are now in a French hospital recovering from the effects of their privations.

### MEXICAN CABINET CHANGES

Mexico City, March 6.—Manuel Rodriguez Gutierrez, Under Secretary of Communications in President Carranza's cabinet, has been named secretary of that department. Leon Salinas has been appointed Under Secretary of Commerce and Industry; and General Alfredo Bredes has resumed his former post as Governor of the Federal District, succeeding General Arnulfo Gonzalez, resigned.

### Cotton Dress Goods For Friday

\$1.10 Silk Poplin, half silk, many shades, 36 in. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **95¢**  
\$1.25 Silk Cordis, 36 in., half silk, satin striped. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **59¢**  
35c Silk Muslin in solid shades, half silk. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **25¢**  
50c Madras Shirting, plain and fancy stripes. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **29¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.

### Good Silk Values For Friday

\$2.00 fancy stripe Taffetas and Plaids, 20 patterns. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **\$1.49**  
\$2.00 plain Taffeta, good evening shade of Maiz. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **\$1.00**  
\$1.75 Crepe de Chine in white and flesh, 40 in. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **\$1.39**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.

### Men's Handkerchiefs Reduced

Men's 20c linen handkerchiefs. Special Friday only **14¢**  
Men's 10c khaki hemstitched handkerchiefs. Special Friday only . . . . . **6¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Men's Store.

### Men's & Boys' Sweaters Reduced

Men's \$1.95 roll collar coat sweaters. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.35**  
Men's \$3.85 heavy roperweave sweaters. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$2.65**  
Boys' \$1.50 grey coat sweaters, counter soiled. Special Friday only . . . . . **65¢**  
\$2.25 black Cardigan jackets. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.79**  
10 white lawn band bows. Special Friday only **5¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Men's Store.

### Knitting Yarn at Friday Savings

85c to \$1.50 balls of Angora in red, brown, blue and pink. Special Friday only . . . . . **49¢**  
35c hanks of Saxony yarn . . . . . **15¢**  
29c balls Gloss knitting . . . . . **12½¢**  
75c laundry bags. Special . . . . . **59¢**  
\$1.25 satin upper soles with heels. . . . . **49¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Third Floor.

### Basement Specials For Friday

60 four-string brooms. Special Friday only, . . . . . **39¢**  
850 smokeless oil heaters, nickel-plated trimmings. Special Friday only, . . . . . **\$5.98**  
70c galvanized water buckets. Special Friday only, **48¢**  
Four rolls 5c crepe toilet paper. Special Friday only, . . . . . **14¢**  
69c iridescent glass berry or fruit bowls. Special Friday only, . . . . . **49¢**  
\$5.00 optic glass goblets. Special Friday only, dozen, . . . . . **\$3.00**  
Thin blown tumblers. Special Friday only, doz., **60¢**  
Heavy glass tumblers. Special Friday only, doz., **60¢**  
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### Friday Specials In Carpet Section

90c Art Cork Carpet. Special Friday only, . . . . . **67¢**  
\$1.00 Cork Linoleum, short lengths. Special Friday only . . . . . **67¢**  
85c and 75c new process Linoleum. Special Friday only . . . . . **57¢**  
\$1.50 blue Axminster Rugs, 18x36 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.29**  
\$2.50 waite grass Rugs, 36x72 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.69**  
\$1.75 waite grass Rugs, 30x60 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.39**  
\$2.00 Colonial Rugs, 30x60 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.57**  
\$1.50 Colonial Rugs, 27x54 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.29**  
\$1.25 Colonial Rugs, 24x36 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **98¢**  
\$4.50 Whittall's Axminster Rugs, 27x54 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$3.69**  
25c rubber stair treads, 9x18 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **19¢**  
22c rubber stair treads, 7x18 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **17¢**  
18c rubber stair treads, 6x18 inches. Special Friday only . . . . . **13¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Third Floor.

### Women's and Misses' Sweater Bargains

Women's \$7.50 zephyr yarn spring weight coat sweaters. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$3.85**  
Women's and misses' \$8.95 slip-on sweaters, straight line models. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$5.95**  
98c to \$1.69 cap and scarf sets. Special Friday only **45¢**  
50c to 75c brushed wool caps. Special Friday only **24¢**  
Women's \$3.50 short slip-on sleeveless. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.95**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Market Street

### Underwear Specials For Friday

Men's heavy cotton fleece lined shirts and drawers. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.00**  
Men's \$2.75 heavy grey cotton ribbed fleece lined union suits. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$2.00**  
Boys' \$2.25 to \$3.25 natural wool union suits. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.95**  
Women's \$1.25 white and pink silk camisoles. Special Friday only . . . . . **95¢**  
Women's \$2.00 white silk and wool union suits, low neck, sleeveless. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.65**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.

### Groceries Low Priced For Friday

Mrs. Schlorer's Mayonnaise . . . . . **12½¢**  
Pillsbury's Health bran, pkg. . . . . **13¢**  
Oat meal, white flaked, 7 lbs. . . . . **35¢**  
Saniflush, can . . . . . **19¢**  
Aunt Jemima's pancake flour . . . . . **13½¢**  
Macaroni and spaghetti, 3 lbs. . . . . **35¢**  
Vanilla flavoring, 3 bottles . . . . . **25¢**  
Heinz baked beans, can, 2 for . . . . . **25¢**  
Burnham's clam chowder, can . . . . . **10¢**  
Best gloss starch, 3-lb. packages . . . . . **23¢**  
Hecker's cream oat meal, 3 packages. . . . . **25¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Basement.

### Wash Goods Remnants—Half Price

A special lot of remnants of wash goods including gingham, percales, crepes, voiles, etc., will be offered Friday at Half Price.  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Basement.

### Colored and Black Dress Fabrics

89c serge; 36 inches wide; shades navy, Copen and green. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **69¢**  
\$1.25 all wool serge; 36 inches wide, six best shades. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **98¢**  
\$2.50 Santoy; 42 inches wide, full color line. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$1.98**  
\$2.25 French serge; 42 inches wide, ten shades. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$1.89**  
\$3.50 navy serge; 50 inches wide. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$2.69**  
\$6.00 men's wear serge; shades dark navy and navy. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$4.50**  
\$1.00 wool mixed plaids; 36 inches wide. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **89¢**  
\$5.95 plaid skirtings; 54 inches wide, six styles. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$4.50**  
89c black serge; 36 inches wide. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **69¢**  
\$2.25 black French serge; 42 inches wide. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$1.89**  
\$6.00 black men's wear serge; 54 inches wide. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **\$4.50**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.

### Friday Prices On Muslin

Short lengths of unbleached muslin, 39 inches. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **12½¢**  
33c unbleached muslin, 39 in. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **25¢**  
69c bleached sheeting, 2¼ yards wide. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **59¢**  
65c unbleached sheeting, 2¼ yards wide. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **59¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Basement.

### Combination Mattresses—Special

A Friday offering of 25 Combination Mattresses in all sizes. Special Friday only, . . . . . **\$5.95**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Fourth Floor.

### Friday Offerings In Footwear

Women's \$2.50 and \$3.00 patent colt skin shoes, button and lace style; your size may be in the lot. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.45**  
Men's \$2.50 gun metal calf button shoes, made on broad toe lasts with heavy stitched soles; sizes 6 and 8. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.98**  
Children's \$2.00 gun metal calf button shoes with black cloth tops, broad toe lasts with solid leather soles; sizes 8½ to 11. Special Friday only . . . . . **\$1.49**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor, Rear.

### Hosiery Specials For Friday

Men's 40c heavy cotton hose, seamless, black and cordovan. Special Friday only, . . . . . **25¢**  
Misses' 39c white silk lisle hose, seamless. Special Friday only, . . . . . **25¢**  
Women's 35c cotton and lisle hose, white and black. Special Friday only, . . . . . **25¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.

### Lining Specials For Friday

85c habutai; 36 inches wide, silk and cotton, eight shades. Special Friday only, yard . . . . . **69¢**  
39c satine; ten shades and black. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **30¢**  
85c fancy satine; 36 inches wide; good styles. Special Friday only, yd., . . . . . **65¢**  
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.