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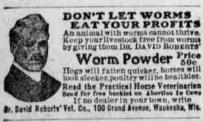
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Atlanta is to have a negro Y. M. C. A. building to cost \$15,000.



sweep over the enemy trenches, takes strong nerves, good rich blood, a good stomach, liver and kidneys. When the time comes, the man with red blood in his veins "is up and at it." He has iron nerves for hardships-an interest in his work grips him. That's the way you feel when you have taken a blood and nerve tonic, made up of Blood root, Golden Seal root, Stone root, Cherry bark, and rolled into a sugar-coated tablet and sold in sixty-cent vials by almost all druggists for past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic, in liquid or tablet form, is just what you need this spring to give you vim, vigor and vitality. At the fag end of a hard winter, no wonder you feel "run-down," blue, out of sorts. Try this "Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce's. Don't wait! To-day is the day to begin! A little "pep," and you laugh and live.

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1-It is by means of heavy guns such as are shown in this picture that the Italians hope to convince the Teutons along the River Piave that in the twentieth century civilization right only is might. 2-Laborers and soldiers are continually repairing the highways leading to the fighting front wrecked by German shells and heavy traffic. 3-The result of a trench raid; a squad of German prisoners captured by the French and brought into the wire-fenced prison camp.

NEWS REVIEW OF THE PAST WEEK

Japan Offers to Land Troops in Siberia If Allies Say the Word.

EMBASSIES LEAVE PETROGRAD

Traveling Through Bandit-Infested Siberia to Reach Safety-Austria Cannot Break Away From Her Alliance With Germany.

Japan has asked for permission to land troops in Siberia to prevent the many is ready to forgo ambitions of vast quantities of munitions and other military stores at Vladivostok and lor's speech are regarded as conclusive along the lines of the Siberian railroad from falling into the hands of the Germans. It was feared that the Germans might attempt to force the bolsheviki to deliver these stores to the Germans as a part of a peace agreement. Japan announced her willingness to undertake such an expedition by herself or in connection with troops sent by other of the ailied na-

While all officials at Washington are silent and disposed to minimize discussion of the subject it is known that exchanges of opinion are going on with the object of a perfect understanding between Japan, the United States and the other co-belligerents which would

oughly alarmed lest the vast quantities | tween the statesmen of the beilig of supplies piled up at Vladivostok, countries has been looked upon with bought and paid for with American approval by leaders of thought in this cash, should fall into the hands of the | country on the theory that no chance

Japan to play a larger part in the war at the same time there has been a feel-Is said to have been influential in bring- ing that the continued peace talk may ing about the negotiations.

Our boys have had their first taste

ing of any kind gas shells began bursting among the men of an American artillery regiment on the western front, and more than 200 men were down befor they could put on gas masks. Eight men died within a few minutes and 200 been supplied with gas equipment and with gas shells for the field guns they had never been used. American commanders feeling that they could not bring themselves to so violate all eviof warfare. The gassing of American troops has, however, convinced our commanders at the front that they must fight the Hun in his own way, brutal and inhuman though that way a taste of their own weapons.

The strain between Austria and Germany is undoubtedly increasing. Austria's refusal to again attack Russia in spite of Germany's renewal of the war tenseness of the situation existing between the two governments, and it was reported that Germany had practically ordered the Austrian government to send troops into Russia, and that Austria had refused. Austria also refuses to continue the war against Roumania so long as there is a possibility of concluding a peace arrangement with that nation. Poor Roumania, cut off from every possible source of assistance from the outside, without munitions or adequate guns can seemingly do nothing more than accept such peace terms as the Huns may offer.

The most encouraging thing for the future of both Roumania and Russia is the statement made for the allied governments to the effect that any peace that may be forced upon these two countries by the Tentonic nations will not be considered as final, and paricularly so if such a peace involves the session of any territory to the nations

Russia would mean simply preparing the German people for a repetition of The speech of Count von Hertling.

German imperial chancellor, before the reichstag, in reply to President Wilson's most recent address before congress regarding the war sims of the United States, is not regarded by leaders in the United States or England as increasing the chance for peace. Count von Hertling professed acceptance of the four principles of a democratic peace enunciated by President Wilson and disclaimed any intention of conquest but these protestations have not convinced President Wilson and his advisers, it is said, that Gerconquest. Other parts of the chancelproof that Germany Intends retaining control, in one form or another, of nearly all the foreign territory that she now occupies.

Count von Hertling's reference to Belgium is far from satisfactory. While hinting that Germany does not contemplate annexing Belgium, the chancellor proposes to impose conditions which would restrict the freedom of action of the kingdom and place it at the mercy of the Teutonic empire.

The entente point of view was expressed by one distinguished diplomat who declared that von Hertling's speech has effectually closed the door to further peace talk. "Belgium is a question of honor," he declared, "It cannot be discussed. So long as the enemy refuses to do justice to Belgium they cannot be expected to perform justice in any other instances."

While the long-distance debate beof effecting a peace on terms accept-Criticism at home of the failure of able to the allies should be overlooked, have a harmful effect upon the public morale in the allied countries. There has been a determination in Washingof the deadly Hun gas. Without warn- ton not to permit any peace discussions to delay war preparations for one minute, and the only harmful effeet, it is declared, would be upon the spirit of the people.

While there are still conflicting opin ions as to whether Germany will unwere taken to hospitals where they suf- dertake a real offensive on the west fered every conceivable torture while front this spring, reports coming inthe doctors worked over them in an directly from Germany indicate that effort to get air into their lungs. White the German public is being prepared the American troops in France have for the tremendous losses that must result if such an offensive is attempt-Dispatches from Stockholm declare that the German high command has given the executive committee of the reichstag the confidential informadences of civilization by such a method | tion that the contemplated offensive will cost Germany a million men. For this staggering price, It is declared, General von Hindenburg and General von Ludendorf have absolutely guaranteed success. Leaders of the majority in may be, and the Boches will be given the reichstag are said to be reconciled to the offensive as the only thing left for Germany to do, but there is a widespread feeling of pity and horror that a million lives should be sacrificed when victory, however great it may be, will not force peace. The Germans, it against the bolsheviki has increased the | is declared, at the most, expect that a big military victory will convince America and England that Germany is attitude toward President Wilson's unbeatable and to make the western world amendable to suggestions for a

While the allied commanders realize that the expected German offensive will be a staggering blow to withstand, they are confident that the western line will hold, and that the Hun plans will result in defeat for the central powers. America will soon have half a million men on the western front, England has added nearly half a million more men to her vast army under General Haig. and while the French army is not any larger in numbers than it was, it is stronger in guns and munitions, and the determination of French troops to defeat Germany is stronger if possible, than it was during the long mouths of the Verdun campaign.

Both the English, the French and the

of the central powers. The allied na- American forces occupy splendid po tions are committed to the terms of sitions throughout practically the enno annexations and no indemnities for | tire line. They are in nearly all cases Germany or her cohorts. To permit on the high ground, and it is these Germany to seize the best provinces of strong defensive positions against which Germany must throw her shock troops in massed battalions. The their attack on the world's freedom in | price these troops will pay for even an attempt to break through will be terrific, and in all probability more than the million men von Hindenburg has prophesied. It is not likely that even the iron discipline of the German army will withstand such losses.

Possibility of a disagreement be tween the United States and Spain because of the refusal of the latter country to supply certain war materials to General Pershing was removed by the signing of an economic agreement, under which General Pershing which the road passes. will get mules, army blankets and oth er materials from Spain in return for cotton, oil and other commodities from the United States. Success of these negotiations was welcomed by officials in Washington as ability to buy supplies in Spain will save ship tonnage and enable General Pershing to build up his reserve stores more rapidly. The United States was able to bring pressure to bear upon Spain by refusing fuel to Spanish stemmers in American

The German invasion of Russia mysteriously slowed up and on March first it was reported from London that the forward movement of the Huns had been stopped on orders from Berlin. At the same time reports from Petrograd were to the effect that the bolsheviki were preparing to make the best possible defense of that city if It was attacked.

On February 28 It was reported from Petrograd that the allied ambassadors had left the Russian capital for Siberin. It is unlikely that they will be process of organizing a nation-wide able to reach the Pacific coast at buying system, Vladivostok in less than close to three Members of the central advisory weeks, and the probabilities are that they will be seriously molested by the mobs of armed bandits that are roaming the country from the Ural mountains to beyond Lake Baikal. The bolsheviki have practically no control of any kind beyond the Ural mountains, though it claims to have suppressed the so-called Siberian republic.

Every report received from Austria indicates that that country would willingly seek peace on any fairly rensonable basis offered by the allies, if it were possible for her to do so, but she is so dominated by German influence that it is hardly possible for her to break away. The hold of Germany is maintained through the Austrian army which has been very largely Germanized since the war began.

So it is believed that Austria will have to remain in her unholy partner ship despite her war weariness. has lost 3,500,000 men, her food situation is desperate, and the future, even if Germany could win, is dark for her, for a greater Germany would only mean a more impotent Austria, but she cannot break away. She must continue in the war under pain of being stamped on by the nation that has her in its power.

That is how our allies regard the Austrian situation, and is the explanation of their lukewarmness toward the American effort to widen the rift between the kniser and Em-

The German socialists have not taken kindly to the German government's last peace message. During the debate in the reichstag on von Hertling's speech Philipp Scheidemann, socialist, took the emperor to task for his reply to the address of the burgomaster of Hamburg, in which the emperor said

"We desire to live in friendship with neighboring peoples, but victory for the German arms must first be rec ognized."

"The imperial chancellor frankly stated yesterday that he accepted President Wilson's four principles,' said Scheidemann. "This declaration is all the more important when one considers that President Wilson emphasized that his principles were ac cented everywhere except by the German military and annexationist party Well, this party, fortunately, is in this country no longer of decisive impor-

and hard to obtain.

BILLION FOR THE RAILROADS

Centralization of Control Under John Skelton Williams.

THREE EXPERTS TO ADVISE

Setween \$1,000,000,000 And \$2,000,000, 000 Will Be Used This Year In Buying Locomotives, Cars And Rails.

Washington.-Partial centralization of the purchasing of between \$1,000,-000,000 and \$2,000,000,000 worth of railroad supplies and equipment this year under Government supervision is involved in a plan for organizing the Railroad Administration's division of finance and purchases, announced by Director-General McAdoo. John Skelton Williams, as head of

this division, will be assisted by a central advisory committee of three expert rallway purchasing agents, and egional purchasing committees will be created for the Eastern, Western and Southern operating regions. Through the central organization

will be bought loccometives, cars and steel rails, the principal big-quantity purchases of railways, and an effort will be made not only to economize by wholesale buying methods, but to standardize equipment and supplies. Coal and other fuel will be bought

mainly by individual lines to supply their individual needs, but under the supervision of the regional committees. In New England fuel is to be purchased by a special committee Cross ties and lumber are to be bought principally by the roads along their own lines, but may be ordered through the central organization if they cannot be bought in the territory through All other supplies needed for cur

rent operations will be purchased, for the time being," says Director-General McAdoo's statement, "through the purchasing departments of the respective roads, but all contracts for riods of six months or longer must be approved by the regional commit before completion." As fast as possible all purchases

will be centralized, and the regional committees are to draft recommendations for the accomplishment of this. In addition these three regional bodies will be expected to report details of costs and contracts to the Railroad Administration with a view to giving all the roads the advantage of the efficient method which may have been developed. Railroad Administration officials be-

fleve that eventually they can save more than \$100,000,000 a year by centralized purchasing, although no definite predictions are made for this year owing to the necessarily slow

committee and the regional commit tees will be appointed soon. All will be practical purchasing agents or vicepresidents of railroads. The regional bodies, to be composed of three or more, are to have beadquarters re spectively in New York, Chicago and Atlanta, and are to work in close cooperation with the regional raff executive directors, with headquarters in

CALLS FOR 5,000 NURSES.

General Gorgas Wants Volunteers Before June 1.

Washington. - A call for 5,000 nurses between now and June 1 for service in military hospitals at home and abroad has been made upon the Red Cross by Surgeon-General Gorgas, of the army. Nearly 7,000 nurses already have been supplied by the Red Cross, but the need for more grows imperative daily. Of the 80,000 or 90. 000 registered nurses in the United States, General Gorgas estimates that approximately 30,000 will be needed for service in army hospitals during this year. Miss Jane A. Delano, Red Cross di-

rector of nursing, issued an appeal to the country's nurses to volunteer. She pointed out that such nurses would be eligible to participate in the army and navy insurance at nominal rates.

ROOSEVELT AT HOME AGAIN. Intends To Rest Three Weeks And

Oyster Bay, N. Y .- Col. Theodore

Roosevelt returned to his home on Sagamore Hill here after being for several weeks in New York City. where he underwent operations for ear trouble. Mrs. Roosevelt accompanied him home. He said he expected to regain his strength and be his own self in a short time.

37 RESCUED FROM STEAMER.

Susquehanna Goes Ashore Near At lantic Port. An Atlantic Port -A steamship, the

Susquehanna, believed to be the ves sel of that name owned by the Great Lakes Transit Corporation, went ashore on the coast near this port Coast Guard rescuers removed the 27 members of the crew.

NO MORE WHEAT EXEMPTIONS.

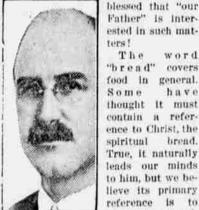
Washington -All exceptions to the Food Administration rule requiring the purchase of an equal amount of substitutes with each purchase of wheat flour were revoked because of he necessity of conserving wheat for the Allies. The entire country thus is put on a parity in regard to buying wheat flour. Exceptions to the rule had been allowed in certain localities where substitutes are little known

Our Daily Bread

By REV. L. W. GOSNELL Assistant Dean, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT-Give us this day our daily bread Matthew 6:11.

This petition takes a new meaning today when the world's food supply is limited. How



ested in such matters! The word "bread" covers food in general. Some have thought It must contain a refer ence to Christ, the spiritual bread. True, it naturally leads our minds to him, but we believe its primary reference is to material bread.

Here is a plain encouragement to preent our physical needs before God, although it is to be kept in mind that six petitions out of the seven in the Lord's Prayer are taken up with spir-We ask God to "give" us our bread.

Let us keep in mind that it comes from him. There is an old story of a man who met a boy in the village street, carrying a loaf of bread. He asked the boy where he got the loaf, and the boy replied: "From the baker." "But where did he get it?" "He made it." "How did he make it?" "With flour," "Where did he get his flour?" "He ground the wheat." "Where did he get his wheat?" "He got it from the farm-"Yes, but where did the farmer get his wheat?" "Oh, from God," said the boy. "Then," said the man, "you got your loaf from God!" Back of the loaf is the snowy flour,

And back of the flour the mill.

And back of the mill is the wheat and the shower And the sun and the Father's will, Although God gves us our brend,

yet we must labor for it and the scriptural provision is, "If any will not work, neither let him ent." The fact that we toll assures us that God will feed us, for does he not feed the fowls of the air, which neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns? And as Luther says, "Even to feed the sparrows God spends more than the revenues of the French king would buy." How this petition sanctifies our toil! What man could cheat or steal or be idle after he has asked God to give him his bread! Again, since God gives us our bread,

we should thank him for it. How beautiful is the picture given us of the apostolic church, that "they are their ment with gladness." But how neglectful we are of the duty and grace of thanksgiving." We pray that God would give "us"

our bread, considering our brother's need as well as our own. If we pray aright we shall not shut up our heart of compassion against the poor. Nei ther shall we make the poor man cry for bread in order to enrich our-How God Fed a Widow and Her Chil-

It is to be noted that Jesus directs

us to pray for bread for "this day" only. This implies that we are to trust our Father for the morrow and to be unanxious. Dr. H. C. Trumbull tells of a poor widow and her children who lived near his boyhood home, One night, when she put her little ones to bed, she knew she had nothing to eat for the morrow, yet kneeled in faith and presented her needs to God. The next morning, she set the table as usual and then sent the children to the seashore to get sand for the floor; it was used in those days instead of carpet. While they were gone she prayed earnestly to God for food for breakfast. The children soon came back in glee, bringing a fish which had been left in a hollow of the beach by the retreating tide. While the mother was cooking it a neighbor called and explained that years before the widow's husband had done him a kindness which he now wished to repay; he left a bushel and a half of cornmeal. The mother proceeded to make Johnny-cake and then told her children how the fish and meal had come just in time in answer to prayer. With what gratitude to God they sat down to that breakfast! The neighbors heard the story, and saw to it that this good woman and her children were never again in want.

The word "daily" is found nowhere in the Greek Testament save in the Lord's Prayer. There has been much discussion as to its meaning. The best scholars incline to the view that "daily bread" means bread sufficient for our existence, which we actually need to sustain us. What a rebuke to luxury The most spiritual men of the day tell us that they fear luxury as they fear but few things; it has a subtle power to sap spiritual strength. Our Heavenly Father only engages to meet the modest needs of his children. These needs vary considerably in the case of a king, for example, as compared with a peasant. But in every case, God will hear the prayer of his children for their "daily bread." How unhappy the state of those who

do not know God as their Father in

Spiritual Gifts.

There are three degrees of spiritual gifts for the children of God. First, "Ask and ye shall receive." This is the simplest. We get it by simply asking. Second, "Seek and ye shall find." A little more difficult. Many have to seek a long time. Third, "Knock and it shall be opened." This requires some effort and some patience, but may admit us into a realm where we can get anything and find anything for little asking and little seeking.

Only as we are true to ourselves can we be true to our friends. God's love must be perfect in us in order that we may love others perfectly.-E. V. H.

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REVENGE FOR GAS ATTACKS American Artillerists Destroy German Emplacements From Which Poison-

ous Fumes Had Been Directed. Photographs taken by aviators show hat the American artillery pulverized the German gas emplacements from

which poisonous fumes were sent against the American troops, The suddenness of the gas attack and the possibility that It might be followed by an infantry assault made

This was responsible for the casualties, which were light, considering conditions.

Additional casualties developed, and the total of dead was raised from three to five. There were artillery duels and American artillery effectively shelled

German working parties. A direct hit was attained upon German dugout. An increasing movement of troops artillerists.

it necessary for masked Americans to | is observed behind the German front man the fire-steps of the trenches. Different uniforms have been seen in the German trenches. The new troops are apparently more cautious than the old ones, although a band was Air observers report an increase in

> the train movements behind the German front.

A German observation balloon which was observed opposite the American front was compelled to descend by the accuracy of the American