

The Store and the Community.

When the little town was started a good many years ago, the need for a store was important in the minds of the people in the community and finally one came and located. This store when it came into town brought capital, the result of savings elsewhere and in other lines perhaps. It added wealth to the community and increased the population of the community, but the most important thing it did was to bring that community a service—a brand new stock of goods to be sold at reasonable prices so that every one in the community might walk into the store, see the goods, and select his needs. This was truly a service very much appreciated.

The need for that new store is just as apparent today as it was when there was no store there. But the fact that it is with us, that we see it every day, makes it easy for us to forget its benefit—the service it renders to the community. It gathers the goods from the great central markets, places them on display where they may be had at a moment's notice and, by so doing, at a reasonable profit, which profit is exacted for service and is a community enterprise and benefit. It gathers the goods from wherever they are produced and not wanted and brings them to the point where they are not produced and are wanted. This is the function of the merchant and in this sense he becomes a producer and the profit which we pay to the merchant is for performing this service.

More than that, the store makes the community a more desirable place in which to live. It adds to the conveniences of the community. The store pays taxes in proportion to its investment, the taxes go to support the schools, the roads, paying the officers, township, county and state, and becomes a financial asset to the state, county and community as well as a service asset. Then the merchant, through the fact that he is a good merchant imbued with the spirit of service, adds another element to the community. He supports charity, the improvement of schools, the chautauques, the lecture courses, young people's enterprises, the entertainments, the forces that give life and stability to the community.

The merchant is a community builder as well as a business builder and the fact that he is a community life in the retail business in this community without getting rich is ample evidence that he has rendered a service which has not been recognized. The store is a part of one of the important institutions of the community, state and nation—business. A community cannot prosper, grow and prosper as it should grow and develop unless all of its institutions grow and develop in proper proportion and relation to each other. Business is the heart of the institutional life of any community, and so it behooves us in every community to give full credit to the merchant of the local store for the good it does and the good it has done, and to continue our loyal support that it may continue as a dominant and important factor in community life and development. We need the store just as we need the bank, the church, the elevator, the school, the hospital, the fire. We should support each and all of these because each and every one of these institutions need to make up prosperous, happy communities, fit to live in.

Depth to Seed Wheat.

Considerable difference of opinion exists among wheat growers as to the proper depth of drilling wheat. The Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station has conducted tests for five years comparing various depths of drilling and broadcasting. The yield of wheat in bushels per acre for wheat drilled one inch deep was 28.7 bushels; drilled two inches, 28.7 bushels per acre; drilled three inches deep, 28.5 bushels per acre; sown broadcast, 24.9 bushels per acre. During the last few years, cross drilling wheat has been advocated, but experiments do not show this to be profitable, since it requires twice as much work and the yields have been but little higher. Recently drills have been put on the market which sow the seed only four inches apart. The ordinary drills sow the wheat in rows from seven to eight inches apart. Experimental tests from the two types have not shown any advantage in favor of the new type.

Three years and fourteen days ago a dark murder in Sarajevo spilled blood on Europe that has since that time spread to engulf in its red flood seven-eighths of all the world. The civilized nations which remain neutral in all the world's strife may be counted on the fingers and toes. From the Balkans the war flames spread to nearly all of Europe; then to the Orient; to Asia—and finally to the American hemisphere. Today not a continent of the world exists that does not hold a nation either at war or not on speaking terms with some other nation.

Sixty-Four Men Accepted for Army.

Out of the 450 men whose names were the first to be drawn in the lottery and from whom Huron county's quota for the conscriptive army was chosen, says the Norwalk Register of Saturday, 63 have been declared physically fit for Army service by the physicians who have had charge of the physical examinations. Out of this number, however, there are only 60 who have no exemption claims.

The physical examinations started Wednesday morning and were not completed until late last night. The examination papers returned by the physicians to the draft board last night show that out of the number examined, 114 were found to be physically disabled in one form or another. The draft board was today mailing discharge papers to those who failed to come up to the physical standard required of the men who serve in Uncle Sam's army. The majority of these discharges are absolute while others are conditional and their holders may later be called upon to take another examination.

Out of the 336 who successfully passed the physical examinations, 272 are men who have no claims for exemption, making a total of 272 exemption claims which must be considered by the draft board. The remaining 64 who have no exemption blanks and Monday morning the draft board will begin investigating the cases of each man who has filed papers asking to be excused from service.

Men who have already filed exemption claims with the draft board and who have been notified that they have failed to pass the physical examination, need no longer bother with the exemption claim as they are automatically released from all draft liability when their medical discharge papers are given them.

Among those from Plymouth who passed the examination were rejected or filed exemption claims are the following: Accepted—Lester Pickering, Clayton Williams.

Rejected—Roeloff H. Wilson, Walter Singler, John Newmeyer, Frederick Williams.

Claim Exemption—Harry E. Silliman, Frank Latone, Joseph O'Hara, Rolla R. Dick.

THEY ALL DEMAND IT.

Plymouth, Like Every City and Town in the Union, Receives It.

People with kidney ills want to be cured. When they suffer from the effects of an aching back, relief is eagerly sought for. There are many remedies today that relieve, but do not cure. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought lasting results to thousands. Here is Plymouth evidence of their merit.

H. A. Thomas, machinist, Bell St., says: "My kidneys were out of order and I had pains in the small of my back. I felt languid and was miserable in general. My kidney secretions were retarded at times, then again too free and highly colored and contained sediment. I heard Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended for kidney disorders of all kinds, so I got some. Two boxes cured me and I have felt fine ever since."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Thomas and Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Many Fakirs are Abroad.

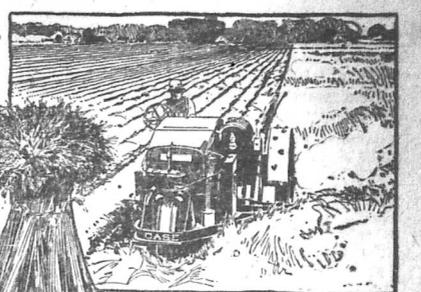
Complaint comes from all over of well dressed beggars visiting homes and endeavoring to secure funds for this, that or the other charity—mostly of a war nature. Instances have been reported where they exaggerated as to other neighbors donating, and induced people to give under false pretense. Some of them become abusive when refused. Another form is the illegal "chain letter" in which the recipient is asked to contribute for war hospitals. The plan is to have each writer contribute 24 cents; 500 original letters are sent out, and the rest of each one sent out four, and thus to build up 500 rounds. This would bring in, at the rate suggested, and if carried out more than \$2,500,000. Watch your step on charity work and let it be confined to home enterprises or home-conducted charities. There is need for all you can give.

DAYLIGHT LAKE TRIPS.

The C. & B. Line is again maintaining daylight service between Cleveland and Buffalo. These trips proved very popular last season, and this year promises even greater patronage.

From Cleveland, Steamer "CITY OF BUFFALO" leaves New East 9th Street Pier every Saturday during the summer season at 9:30 a. m., arriving at Buffalo 7:30 evening the same day. From Buffalo, the Great Ship "SEABREEZE" leaves wharves at South Michigan Street Bridge every

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Ralston Hardware and Furniture Store.

Must Register All Dogs.

According to the new dog law recently passed by the legislature, all dogs must be registered at the auditor's office between December 1st, and January 1st, and receive a registry. A fee of \$1 for male dogs and \$2 for female dogs will be charged. The law also provides for the disposal of all unregistered animals. The sheep indemnity law has also been changed and anyone wishing to present claims for sheep killed, should make inquiry of the county authorities before filing their claims, for it will be returned if filed under the old law.

Legal Notice of Bond Sale.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Village of Plymouth, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon on the 11th day of August 1917, for the purchase of bonds of said village in the aggregate sum of \$10,250.00 dated March 1, 1917. Said bonds are issued for improving North Street from its intersection of said North Street with Sandusky Street; thence east on said North Street a distance of about 1500 feet, under Sect. 2812 of Gen. Code (General Code of Ohio, and under and in accordance with the Resolution declaring the Necessity of said improvement passed April 2, 1914, Ordinance Determining to Proceed with said improvement passed May 20th, 1916, Assessment Ordinance passed March 13th, 1917 and Ordinance Authorizing bond for Village's portion for the cost of said improvement passed March 13, 1917. The bonds for \$500 Bond No. 1 is due and payable 1 to 10 and for the aggregate amount of \$5000.00, each bond is in the sum of \$500.00. Bonds No. 2 and No. 3 are due March 1, 1919, and thereafter on the first day of March of each succeeding year, to and including the year 1927, two of said bonds become due.

The bonds for the Village's portion are eight in number. Bonds No. 1 to 8 inclusive are in the sum of \$130 and No. 8 is in the sum of \$130. Bond No. 1 is due and payable March 1, 1918 and one bond in consecutive order is made payable on the first day of March of each succeeding year until all are paid.

All of said bonds are dated March 1, 1917, and bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and September of each year. Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder or bidders for not less than par and accrued interest.

All bids must state the number of bonds bid for and the gross amount of the bid and accrued interest to the date of delivery. All bids shall be accompanied with cash or certified check on some bank, other than the one issued payable to the Treasurer of the Village for not less than five per cent of the amount bid for, upon condition that if said bid is accepted, the bidder will receive and pay for such bonds as may be issued, as above set forth, within ten days from time of award, said deposit to be made to be retained by the Village, if said condition is not fulfilled. The Village reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids shall be sealed and endorsed "Bids for Bonds for the Improvement of North Street, Assessed Portion," or "Bids for Bonds for the Improvement of North Street, Village's Portion," as the case may be.

R. W. TRATOR, Clerk of the Council of the Village of Plymouth, Ohio.

Pressing Trousers. "In pressing trousers," said a tailor, "the first thing you want to do, before ironing in the creases, is to take out the bagginess at the knees. To do this you turn the trousers inside out and press each leg from the ironing board, not as you lay them to press the creases, but exactly the other way, crosswise, from seam to seam, and then you lay on the damp cloth and press in the usual fashion with the iron. By this pressing you shrink the wool fibers of the cloth together again, where they have been pushed out on the knees; you take out the bagginess and then you turn the trousers right side out again and press for the creases."

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Hated to Play With Him.
 At the club Thompson and Taylor were discussing the peculiarities of certain of the card players when Thompson said:
 "There are two men here—Parker and Perkins—I surely hate to play with."
 "Oh," said Taylor, "I know Parker's always a hard loser, but what's wrong with Perkins?"
 "He," said Thompson, "is always an easy winner."—Puck.

THE TRUTH ABOUT ECZEMA AND PILES

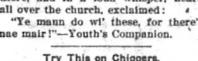
Thousands and thousands of people, says Peterson, are learning every week that one 2-cent box of Peterson's Ointment will abolish Eczema and hemorrhoids and the relief comes every day are worth more to me than money.
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Took Him Literally.
 A clergyman in a remote part of the Scottish Highlands was speaking at length to his congregation of the many things round us that are shrouded in mystery and of which we know little. As he warmed to this theme, he became eloquent, and frequently repeated the oft-quoted saying of Goethe, "More light! Oh, for light!"
 His surprise may be imagined, says the Scottish American, when, after one of these utterances, the old beside, who had been dozing since the commencement of the sermon, woke with a start, then got up, tiptoed softly into the vesty, seized two additional candles and, ascending the pulpit stairs, placed them beside the two already there, and in a loud whisper, heard all over the church, exclaimed:
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Packing Jams in the Home.

Or prepared specially by the United States Department of Agriculture.
 The fruits which are so plentiful in many parts of the country this season may be saved by preserving as well as by canning. Preserves and similar products differ from canned fruit in that much larger proportions of sugar are used in preparing them, in that they are cooked longer, and in that special sterilization in containers is not necessary in all cases. Because of this many of these products may be packed in large-necked bottles and glasses, and sealed with cork, paraffin, etc. Tight-sealing jars thus may be saved for canning.

Preserves, jams, marmalades, etc., differ among themselves in the proportion of sugar used, the degree of cooking employed, and the consistency of the finished product. Though less economical to prepare than canned fruit because of the relatively large amounts of sugar used, preserves and similar preparations furnish a variety in the ways of putting up fruit and make valuable additions to the winter ration of sweet foods.

Syrups in Preserving.
 When preserves are properly made the fruit keeps its form, is plump, tender, clear, and of good color, the surrounding syrup being also clear and of proper density. In making preserves the object is to have the fruit permeated with the syrup and this can be accomplished only by careful procedure. In order to prevent shrinkage it is necessary to put fruit at first into this syrup and increase its density slowly by boiling the fruit in the syrup or by alternately cooking and allowing the product to steep in the syrup. If at any time the fruit shrivels or wrinkles the syrup should be made less dense by the addition of water.

To make these syrups boil sugar and water together in the proportion given below until sugar is dissolved. Strain all impurities out of the syrup before using.

- Syrup No. 1—Fourteen ounces sugar to one gallon water.
- Syrup No. 2—One pound, 14 ounces sugar to one gallon water.
- Syrup No. 3—Three pounds five ounces sugar to one gallon water.
- Syrup No. 4—Five pounds, eight ounces sugar to one gallon water.
- Syrup No. 5—Six pounds, 15 ounces sugar to one gallon water.

If no scales are available, the amounts of sugar may be approximated by measuring, using one pint for each pound and 10 teaspoons for the half-pint. For the recipes which follow all measurements are level and the standard measuring cup holding eight pints is used.

For fruits like peaches, pears, watermelon rind, etc., preserving should be begun in syrup not heavier than No. 3. Juicy berries can be put at the beginning into a heavier syrup, about No. 4, because the abundant juice of the fruit quickly reduces the density of the syrup before shriveling can take place. When the preserves are finished and ready for packing, the density of the syrup should have reached that of No. 4 or No. 5. Syrup made with very acid fruits can be made heavier than pure sugar syrups without danger of crystallization because the acid lowers some of the sugar, changing it to a form which cooking will not crystallize readily.

Cooking.—Since long cooking injures the color and flavor of fruits, it is desirable to cook delicate fruits such as berries for as short a time as possible. Cooking rapidly after cooking gives preserves a better color and flavor than can be secured when they are packed hot. Standing in syrup after cooking also helps to plump them. If berry preserves are covered for a brief time before removing from fire and the vessel left covered while cooling, the preservation will be even better.

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Making 'Em Bite.
 A street car passenger stooped to pick up something from the floor. "Who has lost a dime?" he asked. At once half a dozen passengers began fumbling in their pockets, until one of them held out his hand and declared that he had dropped the coin. "Does it bear the date—1807?" inquired the finder. "Yes, certainly." "Is one side rather worn?" "Just so." "Here you are, then," said the finder and handed him a trowsers button.

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 Appropriates \$10,000,000 to enable the president to buy and sell fertilizer to farmers.
 Appropriates \$152,500,000 to carry out the purposes of the bill.

Delinquent Tax Law Abolished.
 A law enacted by the last legislature giving taxpayers four years of grace in which to pay their taxes, provided the sum of eight per cent interest is paid on the amount from the time they become delinquent, will be good news to hundreds of Huron county taxpayers who have at some time or other found it impossible to meet their tax payments at the time named by law.
 Many people believe that under the old law a great injustice has been done when persons either overworking or unable to pay their taxes at the time specified have been compelled to pay a large rate of interest to professional delinquent tax buyers in order to save their property.
 The new law abolishes the delinquent tax sale but provides that taxes when left unpaid for four years shall act as a mortgage against the property. In some quarters the law is opposed by treasurers and auditors on account of the fact that at first the collection of taxes will not be made as promptly as before but viewed from the standpoint of honesty and fairness it can be seen that a poor man or the one temporarily pressed financially will greatly profit instead of sharks who make a business of buying delinquent taxes and then holding up the property owner.
 In the beginning it is true that the workings of the new law will make a shortage, as compared with former years in the amount of taxes collected, but eventually the matter will right itself insofar as taxes are paid and will protect the property owner.

Many Slackers Still Missing.
 Tuesday, the tenth day after the official notices were sent to the men whose names were drawn for service in the first Huron county army draft was the last in which the men who failed to appear for physical examination when ordered to do so by the board could be examined. After Tuesday their names will be turned over to the federal authorities and they stand liable to be treated as deserters.
 Up until Tuesday afternoon there were still 22 alleged slackers who had failed to answer the summons to appear for examination or explain to the draft board their reasons. Some members of the board tried to get in touch with them but all to no avail. It is believed that all of these men, with possibly one or two exceptions, know their names was in the first draft and they will be shown no leniency when taken into custody.
 The draft board Tuesday afternoon was flooded with exemption papers. The work of considering these exemption claims has started but it will probably be two weeks before it is completed. The board has not as yet completed the work of checking up the physical examination blanks and has not returned a decision on any of the exemption claims, therefore not a single man has as yet been released from liability to service.

A few years ago the slogan "Protect our infant industries" was often heard. The food speculator of an earlier era is something of an infant, also, but no one is shedding much brine because he is a "new one." He is as fat as a butterfly, and as fat as a butterfly is an advertisement.

Personal Mention.
 Mrs. George Tyson is the guest of her uncle at Ripley, Ohio.
 Mrs. Charles Stewart spent the week end at North Fairfield.
 Mrs. G. A. Moore of Norwalk, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Root.
 Mrs. Eliza Sykes and granddaughter, Betty, are spending the week in Cleveland.
 Mrs. A. A. Shadle and sons spent Wednesday with her brothers at Mill, Ohio.
 Floyd Powers and family were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. C. J. Powers.
 Miss May Page is spending her vacation visiting with relatives in Harrisburg, Pa.
 Walter Webb of Mansfield spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb.
 Miss Jessie Trauger will enjoy a week's vacation with friends in Mansfield, going today.
 Mrs. F. C. Raver and Mrs. B. Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Raver.
 Oscar Loveland and family were visitors on Wednesday at the home of his cousin, Mrs. C. J. Powers.
 Miss Amanda Thrasher of Oakwood, O., has been the guest for a week of her friend, Miss Grace Tinsler.
 Mrs. Edgar Hummel and children of Pittsburg, Pa., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Spear and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hills and sons, and Mrs. E. C. Raver and family, spent Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. Hills' sisters.
 Harlow Hart and wife of Caledonia, and A. G. Kibler and family of New Washington, spent Sunday with A. F. Donenwirth and family.
 Mrs. Nellie Fast and son, Wade, of Cleveland, were guests of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McFadden the first of the week.
 Mrs. Ed. Barr and daughter, Gladys, left Thursday morning for Ashland, where they will be the guests of relatives for a few days.
 Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Flegle of Tiffin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Sourwine and other Plymouth relatives the first of the week.
 Mrs. Elia Cuykendall and daughter Edna of Richmond, Ind., have returned home, after a six weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. F. P. Willert.
 W. S. Kimball and wife of Delphos, accompanied by Frank Holiday of Columbus, Ga., motored from Delphos Saturday last and are spending a week with Plymouth relatives.
 Mrs. Durt Anderson and children, were over Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Kochenderfer, returning home Monday, accompanied by her niece, Josephine Willert.

Methodist Notes.
 The Every Member Canvass will be made September 2.
 Very good reports of the work of the year were heard at the Fourth Quarterly Conference held Wednesday evening. A unanimous vote was taken requesting the return of the pastor for another year.
 Five Sundays remain before the annual conference. The pastor will preach next Sunday morning and in the evening a union meeting will be held with the Epworth League, on the church lawn.
 Is it worth while to give to Missions? What your money will do. Your money is your money. It will support a teacher or two village schools a year in India. \$60.00 will pay the salary of a native kindergarten teacher. \$50.00 provides scholarships for two girls in China or Japan. \$25.00 cares for a child in India and one in Africa.

The Mimosa.
 The little yellow tufted flower known as mimosa is really a species of acacia—the Acacia dealbata—and in Australia, its native country, is known as "the silver wattle." Some of these acacia trees attain a height of 100 feet. The wood is extremely hard, and the bark is useful in tanning leather.

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"Diapies" Soes Tears in Her Fortune.
 Delightful indeed is the bit of human interest introduced in "Kitty Mackay," the Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature with Lillian Walker in the title role. This production, which will be shown this Friday evening, at the DeLuxe Theatre, for the benefit of the Red Cross, is laid in the quaint land of the third, Lillian Walker, as a young lady of nobility, is entertaining her friend at an afternoon tea. As a prank, they decide to tell their fortunes by the leaves in a tea cup.
 Having drained her cup, captivated "Kitty" gazes fearfully into the bottom to find—tears, only tears. And the fortune comes true, too, for only a few hours later she is startled by the discovery that the man with whom she is in love is her brother.
 After days of darkness the skies clear, however, and the supposed truth of her birth is proven false—she lives happily ever after.

Nevertheless We Love It.
 A newspaper writer gives this definition of an automobile:
 "The automobile is a large iron and rubber contrivance for transforming gasoline into speed, luxury and obituaries. It consists of a handsome leather upholstered carriage body mounted on fat rubber tires and containing a gizzard full of machinery suffering from various ailments. It has run over a hundred miles and ten thousand people. It can transport seven people from the front porch to the police station, the bankruptcy court or the golden gates in less time than any other known method."

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 Mrs. J. S. BURNETT.**

LEGAL NOTICE OF BOND SALE
 Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Village of Plymouth, Ohio, until 10 o'clock noon on the 25th day of August, 1917, for the purchase of bonds of said Village in the aggregate sum of \$10,

JAMES RUDOLPH GARFIELD

NEWS OF THE CAPITAL ACTIVITIES OF STATE DEPARTMENTS & OTHER HAPPENINGS

GOVERNOR GIVES OUT STATE GOVERNMENT WHICH CHEERS OUR SOLDIERS.

WAR DEPARTMENT CONSENTS

Buckeye Boys Will Go To Camp Together at Montgomery, Alabama—Executive of That State Promises Hospitable Treatment.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Columbus.—Having been given personal assurance from the War Department that the Ohio Division of the National Guard has been recognized, Governor Cox spoke of the matter for the first time Thursday. He issued a statement in which he expressed his gratitude at the result. The Governor said:

"Nothing has been said from this office since the effort was begun to have a division made of the soldiers of the Ohio National Guard. It is with genuine satisfaction, however, that the announcement now is made officially that Ohio will have her division. General Mann, of the Division of Militia in the War Department, gave me information to General Wood to be personally conveyed to the Governor.

"This means the Ohio boys will go into training camp in Alabama, and if they will remain a unit on foreign soil, if they should be called there, they will winter in Montgomery, Ala., one of the most beautiful cities of the South.

"It is most attractively located—the capital of the state, and has many charming features. Our assurance is that the Ohio boys will be alone at this camp.

"Too much can be said in praise of the officers and men of the regular army. They have made the achievement possible. When they step on foreign soil they will be together and the world will count them. When Secretary Baker gave us the assurance that Ohio could have the division if the necessary funds were filled, the guard entered upon the task with an enthusiasm which has made the result possible.

"The state is to be congratulated upon the distinction. Every community should realize what we owe the boys of the guard for what they have done.

"If there is anything Alabama can do to contribute to the comfort and care of Ohio Guard troops who soon will be here at Montgomery, Ala., Governor Cox has but to ask it of Governor Charles Harrison, of Alabama. The Alabama Executive, in a letter to Governor Cox, says that he will be glad to take to the Ohio guardsmen as properly cared for, and he expressed regret that the 5,000 Alabama troops could not fraternize with the Ohio troops, since they will be moved from the camp being prepared for the Ohio troops to Macon, Ga.

TO ORGANIZE STATE POLICE Reserve Battalions Will Take Place of Ohio National Guard.

Columbus.—It is probable that as soon as the Ohio National Guard leaves for the South, reserve battalions will be organized at once.

This will give the state upward of 8,000 guardsmen, a greater strength than the guard had in the past arms in 1916. This will nearly obviate any necessity for any home guards such as have been contemplated.

While waiting for the regular service the reserve battalions will act as state police in the same way that the national guard did before it was called to Federal service.

Department Must Be Enlarged.

Columbus.—In his annual report to Governor James M. Cox, Superintendent of Insurance William H. Tomlinson asserts that the department must be enlarged to satisfy the insurance interests and enable it to fulfill its duties to the public. Tomlinson expects much benefit to accrue from the new laws enacted by the General Assembly at its recent session. He complains that the salaries paid to employees are not large enough at present.

Right to Practice Forfeited.

Columbus.—Dr. James J. Holden, former Mayor of Zanesville, was sentenced to the State Penitentiary for operating an illegal practice. Following an overruling of his motion for new trial in Common Pleas Court, Judge Kinkaid stated, in passing the sentence, that he would suspend the license of the physician if he failed to pay the fine. Judge Kinkaid expressed the opinion that this was sufficient punishment.

Tri-State Organization Is Formed.

Cedar Point.—A merger of the Michigan and the Indiana Photographers' Association was effected Thursday afternoon during the completion of the joint convention of the two organizations being Tuesday. The new tri-state organization will be known as the Tri-State Professional Photographers' Association, which will include in its ranks the members of the Michigan Photographers' Association, which has withheld its sanction in the past owing to the failure of the Indiana photographers to get together on the question of affiliation.

Columbus.—(Special)—Goodby, national guard.

The Ohio National Guard passed from existence Aug. 5, and an Ohio division of more than 8,000 soldiers is placed at the sole disposal of the United States. The draft of guardsmen into the federal service became effective midnight Aug. 5.

The state is bereft of troops responsible to state authority. The state administration has now taken up the question of the Ohio militia of the future, and of home guards. Gov. Cox has been assured by Secretary of War Baker that Ohio will not be without the protection of federal troops for some time to come, and in the meantime steps will be taken to establish a new state militia.

State Fights High Prices.

Ohio will act at once to smash down high prices of food if it takes an special session of the general assembly and emergency legislation to do it. The legislature will be called into extraordinary war time session unless it is found the power of price controls rests now in the governor's hands.

Stirred by the upward trend of Ohio food prices and by charges of extortion that are pouring in from the state, Gov. James M. Cox squared away for drastic measures. The administration is determined to see that prices are regulated and the Ohio consumer protected from exorbitant charges. The governor believes he has authority under the constitution to move effectively.

Wet and Dry Fight.

In accord with the spirit of the time, Ohio wets and dries are preparing for war. The dries have filed their petitions asking that a proposal to amend the constitution be put to a vote. The wets have filed their petitions asking that a referendum be held on the question of the manufacture and sale of intoxicants be submitted to the electorate in November. The petitions are 175,000 signatures and are filed in the office of the secretary of state when Gen. J. A. White of the Ohio dry forces took them there. The wets are almost as high as the leader himself.

Just to indicate that they were not in ignorance of what was forward, and to show that they were not in a position in the head of petitions bothered them not a whit, the wets at once issued a field piece at the drys and Gen. J. A. White, the secretary of state, manager of the Ohio Home Rule association, gave the order to fire.

By way of view of the anti-Saloon league has forced its propaganda at Washington," said Gibson, "to the extent of holding up the food conservation bill and the general prohibition to the people, it is not surprising that the same organization would precipitate a bitter contest in Ohio that is bound to cause strife at a time when unity of action of all the people is most desired."

The initial statement in behalf of the liberal indicates two things. One is that the anti-prohibitionists intend to link the name of President Wilson with their opposition to the drys.

"President Wilson," as the type-written document given out for publication in Gibson's name, "realized that the prohibitionists were a danger to the people who would seriously hamper him in a successful prosecution of the war and frankly said so. Nor was the president himself in any way in violation of prohibition would have upon the revenue of the government."

The other point indicated in the liberal declaration is that the wets try to make the question of revenue a leading issue in their fight.

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Gets Constitutional Pardon.

Ernest Zimmer, Chardon farmer, who, on Jan. 17, 1914, shot and killed William Eggleston, a neighbor, was granted a conditional pardon from the Ohio state penitentiary, on condition he remain for his four children and re-home away from Gosau county.

This action ends countless efforts on the part of Zimmer's friends to obtain his release. Eggleston was killed by Zimmer because of alleged friendship for Mrs. Zimmer had lodged comment. At his trial Zimmer testified he shot in self-defense.

After his conviction, Zimmer told him when he went to protest against Mrs. Zimmer's friendship for Eggleston.

In spite these statements and the appeal to the "unwritten law," Zimmer was convicted and given a life sentence. He was pardoned on parole in 1915 were denied by the parole board, but Gov. Willis' sympathies were aroused and he directed a re-hearing in October of that year.

Subsequently Mrs. Zimmer was arrested in a vice raid and her children taken from her.

Returns Three Warrants.

Now appears Dr. Holston Bartillon, member of the state board of dental examiners, to join the grand jury, who those pledged to save the people's money in the conduct of state affairs.

In this, Dr. Bartillon somewhat in the territory of Dr. J. A. Donahy, who is willing to be described as the original guardian of the public purse. Dr. Bartillon returned three warrants to Judge Lester at which the statement that he had not earned all the money tendered him therein, and that the state did not feel right about accepting it.

Submits Report to Governor.

Substantial enlargement of the state insurance department is asked by Superintendent of Insurance W. H. Tomlinson in his annual report to the governor, just issued.

"This department is growing so rapidly," says Tomlinson, "that with the enactment of the rating bureau, agents' qualifications and reciprocal insurance laws, child and family insurance, mutual fire, permitting insurance companies to act as trustees, and various other new requirements, the examining force of this department should be very materially increased."

The report shows \$226,450,883.92 in fire insurance losses paid in 1916, an increase over 1915 of \$11,751,628.97. These losses also are given: Life, \$54,614,461.91; assessment (life and fire), \$929,538.52; fraternal benefit associations \$82,167,814.80—making a life and accident total of \$228,225,908.23, an increase of \$20,789,674.00 over 1915. The department's income for 1916 was \$1,726,782.72, an increase of \$157,137.17 over 1915. The cost of the department for 1916 was \$1,498,756, an increase of \$1,113.33 over 1915.

Gives All Omissions a Chance. Ohio candidates for officers' commissions are going to the officers' training camps, are to be afforded the opportunity of positions as lieutenants, captains, majors, and other regular army if they will pass the examinations for commissions. They will have assurance of the best chance for promotion.

The war department at Washington, through a circular sent to the commanders of the various officers' training camps, has directed that Gen. G. B. Bliss, acting chief of staff, made this announcement.

It is expected that there will be thousands of men now in the camps who will fall to obtain commissions, the department has adopted this plan to give them for their efforts to qualify as officers.

After the lists of successful applicants for commissions are announced, the names of the successful candidates, the state board of education and a commission to select a site for a national institution for the education of deaf-mutes in English and French.

This is the membership of the new state board of education, provided for by the act to amend the constitution, and the members of the board are: W. H. Winans of Cleveland, head of the employment department of the National Carbon Co., former city commissioner; Dr. J. M. Whitrow of Cincinnati, educator; Dean Alfred H. Vivian of the University of Cincinnati; Superintendent of Schools W. S. Edmund of Medina, representing the teaching interests of the state; and Dr. L. L. Lindquist, representative among women educators, and S. J. McCune of Brilliant, general merchant in Jefferson county and familiar with rural conditions.

Winans, Edmunds and McCune are announced as the Democratic members of the board.

An important change from the former board for selecting a crippled child's hospital site is the appointment of Walter H. Brown of Toledo, former Progressive leader and now one of the Republican state advisory committee.

Brown succeeds H. H. Timken of Canton, whom Gov. Cox credits with having been a moving spirit in the project. The work to date has been done by the board.

Other members of the board are John A. McDowell of Ashland, W. D. Haines of Cincinnati, the governor and state superintendent of education.

Recognized as Full Division. Ohio's National Guard is finally recognized as a full division. This was the statement made by the governor in receipt of word that the Ohio guard is to go into training by itself.

Adj. Gen. George H. Willis, who went to Washington, and who was received by Gov. Cox for major general, has wired his office that the Ohio guard will also go to the location and training camp at Montgomery, Ala. The West Virginia guard is to be sent to Hattiesburg, Miss.

Tightens Up on Exemptions. County and city attorneys of Ohio are drafted to protest dependency claims for exemption filed by men drafted for military service by the local boards of the state. Draft board headquarters has sent notices to county attorneys and city attorneys to advise local boards apprising them they are to undertake the work. The secretary of the state board of education expressed by Washington to tighten up on exemptions. The state is sending out a circular word to local boards to scrutinize claims.

MAJ. GEN. MAURICE BAYS AMERICA MUST TAKE RUSSIA'S PLACE IN THE FIELD.

FLANDERS FIGHT A SUCCESS

Chief Director of Military Operations at London War Office Says He Obtained His Objective Easily.

London, Aug. 4.—"Looking from the broader aspect at the events of the last fortnight in Russia," said Maj. Gen. Maurice Bays, chief director of military operations at the war office, on Thursday, in his weekly bulletin, "it will necessarily mean a prolongation of the war. We cannot longer afford to pay a great material assistance from Russia. This means a greater burden on our entire empire, and for the United States it means that the United States must come into the field as soon as possible and with the greatest possible force."

Major General Maurice in commenting on the Flanders battle, said: "This week the battle in Flanders was an entire success. Gen. Sir Douglas Haig made a definite line of objectives and the general body of the army attained it successfully. On the southern third of the front he attacked and gained his objective easily. On the northern third the enemy's resistance broke down so completely that General Haig felt justified in permitting his troops to go well beyond the objective of the central third of the front. A little short of the objective owing to stubborn enemy resistance."

General Haig's next move was to determine another objective and then, after the customary process of preparation, to proceed similarly to achieve it.

"In cases of this kind," said the general, "the objective line depends mainly on the range of the artillery. The attacks must be patient and methodical. In this way we can gain ground and inflict heavy losses on the enemy without heavy losses to ourselves. That is the system we used at Arras and at Messines and the one now being used in Flanders."

"In this way we have co-operated with the French. There were about six times as many British troops as British soldiers. Of the British fourth army were purely English and one-fifth Anzac (Australians and New Zealanders), Welsh and Scotch. No Irish or Canadian troops participated."

Opponents of Selective Service Law Spread Terror in Three Counties of Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 6.—Organized bands of negroes, tenant farmers and Indians, whose purpose is to defeat the selective service law in Oklahoma, have spread a reign of terror through at least three counties in the central part of the state, damaged two bridges, abandoned their crops, severed wire communication, planned raids on ranches and stores and threatened to burn the houses of the selectees, according to reports received at the office of Governor Williams here.

The affected counties are Seminoe, Hughes and Nowata, and the sheriff and prosecuting attorneys from each of them are forming posses, in an effort to forestall the rioters. Seventy of the rioters were captured by the posse.

RAISE WAR TAX TO 2 BILLION

Senate Body Decides to Get More Revenue—Increases Tax on Dividend Stocks.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Increase of the pending \$167,000,000 war tax bill to a total of \$2,008,000,000 was decided upon by the senate finance committee on Tuesday. This will be an increase of \$338,000,000. Increases on corporations, normal income taxes, on incomes of individuals of \$15,000 and over and a further increase of \$1 a gallon on distilled spirits and 50 cents a barrel more on beer, with a few other minor tax increases, will make up the additional levy.

Austrian Premier Will Stay. Amsterdam, Aug. 3.—According to the Vienna Allgemeine Zeitung, Dr. von Seydewitz, Austrian ambassador, has informed the leaders in parliament that he will be entrusted with the formation of a permanent cabinet.

Kaiser Honors Hindenburg. Amsterdam, Aug. 4.—Kaiser Wilhelm has conferred the cross and star of the Royal Order of the House of Hohenzollern on Field Marshal von Hindenburg.

American Schooner Is Sunk. London, Aug. 4.—It was announced here that the American schooner John Hampton, carrying 100 tons of gunpowder, was sunk by the gunners of a German submarine. All the members of the schooner's crew were saved.

Waiting for Him to Recover. St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 4.—"To hell with America," shouted G. Herzogerman, secretary of the German consulate, in a waiting box. Federal authorities are so waiting for him to get out of the hospital.

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BAINBRIDGE COLBY

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RUSS STILL RETREAT

AUSTRO-GERMANS FORCE BLAVS BACK IN GALICIA.

Two More Towns Captured, But Dispatch From Seventh Army Says Situation Is Hopeful.

London, Aug. 2.—A dispatch to the Post from Petrograd, referring to the Russian retreat in Galicia, says it is conservatively estimated that more than 2,000,000 Russian troops are steadily marching rearward. These constitute the Eleventh and Seventh armies, with reserves. The Russian army has suppressed ruthlessly. Three divisions of cavalry have taken positions across the whole front of retreat.

Deserters are shot and attempts to spread panic are suppressed by prompt execution. Deserters, spies and agitators who enjoyed complete immunity under the old system are hanged on the highways. A paper pinned on the corpses reads: "Here lies a traitor to his country."

3 ATTACKS ON TROOPSHIPS

Secretary of Navy Sends Report of Rear Admiral Giesse to Senate Committee.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Details of the attacks by German submarines upon the first expedition of American troops sent to France became known for the first time when the report of Rear Admiral Giesse, commanding the naval convoy, was made public on Wednesday by Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

The first attack was made on Admiral Giesse's flagship, leading the first group of the expeditionary force, and at least two submarines were indicated to have been engaged.

The second expeditionary force was attacked by two submarines, one of which apparently was sent to the bottom by a bomb dropped from an American destroyer.

There is disagreement among officers of the third group as to whether they were attacked, but much evidence is presented to indicate that they also were assailed.

Secretary Daniels made the report public, with certain military information deleted, after he had sent an unqualified copy in confidence to the senate naval committee.

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