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slope.

Business Conditions in **Country Continue Good.**

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Washington, May 2 .-- General business conditions throughout the country, the federal reserve board an- Prisoners are still being brought in nounced tonight in its monthly review today as a result of yesterday's have not been materially affected by French success between Beme and the entrance of the United States in- Moronvilliers and two fierce, though any Reserve Officers' Training Corps to the war, although in every district successful German counter-attacks to there is going on a process of read- the northwest of Monthaut. justment which is reflected in many - Combatants who have taken part lines. The report as to Richmond in the recent fighting declare that the duly authorized; Graduates of miland Atlanta says .:

ume, orders in wholesale jobbing stinate. A French assaulting wave plentiful for immediate shipment in of infantry found a deep cavern at the months and 44 years of age with or all lines, provisions and manufactur- foot of a steep cliff in Chivey ravine, ers active, building supplies in de- west of Craonne into which the gremand, stocks of merchandise limited nadiers threw grenades while their prices.

Atlanta-the nation's entrance into war has given a quickening impulse observed a column of smoke pouring educated men, and provided they have to all industries connected with war out of a hole on the summit of the demonstrated in business, athletics or activities and produced little or no plateau and soon afterwards a crow ! change in other lines.

OFFICERS' TRAINING CAMPS.

Eastern Department, U. S.

Army.

In order to provide for the forces to be authorized by Congress for service during the war, the War Department has announced the following

Fourteen officers' training camps will be established throughout the ammunition, haversacks, mess and United States in territorial districts cooking outfits, tentage, cots, bedding such camps to train candidates for and such other articles of a general commissions as officers to serve with nature, s may be encessary. the troops to be raised subsequently

in similar territorial districts. The course of training will be for three months beginning May 8th. Men official application blank. This form will be obligated to accept such ap-pointments in the Officers' Reserve "Officer in Charge, Officers' Train-Corps as may be tendered them by ing Camps, 19 West 44th Street, the Secretary of War.

From the men trained, about 10,000 If the applicant's papers are apwill to selected to officer the first proved he will be notified and directed ncrement of 500,000 troops which to report in person to an examining Congress is expected to authorize. officer near his home. Officers of Men trained but not chosen for this the army will be detailed at various service will, if found fit, he commis- points throughout the Eastern Desioned in the Officers' Reserve Corps partment to examine in person applifor service with later increments of cants for the camps and inquire into troops. This plan will be carried out under

the provisions of Section 54 of the applicant's physical condition. To National Defense Act. The plan is facilitate such inquiry and in order a modification, suited to war condi- that the applicant may ascertair in tions, of the Federal Military Train- advance his probable physical fitness, ing Camps for civilians as heretofore each applicant is strongly urged to maintained, including the intensive undergo preliminary physical exmethods of field training therein em- amination by a competent physician ployed. The plan also includes fur- or surgeon. A form for this purpose ther training for members of the Of- containing full instructions is providficers' Reserve Corps, and those who ed. The physician's report on this have been recommended for commis- form should be submitted to the exsions in said Corps or have hereto- amining officer when the applicant fore applied for such commissions. presents himself in person.

Location of Camps.

Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., for signment to a camp and must prompt-New York City and Long Island and ly report in accordance with such for Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, assignment. Massachusetts, Connecticut, and

Rhode Island. camps is for the training of officers Madison Barracks, N. Y., for reof the line and engineers. During mainder of New York state and Pennthe first month all attendants will sylvania (i. e., 10th, 11th, 14th, 15th, undergo a uniform course of instruc-16th .25th and 28th Penn. Congrestion in infantry and in those duties sional Districts.)

Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for North Carolina, South Carolina and Tenn. Fort McPherson, Ga., for Georgia, Florida, and Alabama.

Qualifications.

Men Eligible: The camps will be open to the following classes: Reserve Officers of the line (Infantry, Cavalry, Field and Coast Artillery) and Engineers; Members of ing Camps,

unit over 20 years and 9 months and other cadet students of the same age. Members of the National Guard when itary schools between 20 years and "Richmond-trade is in good vol- character and the resistence most ob." 9 months and 44 years; and other citizens between 20 years and 9 without previous military experience provided they are otherwise qualified The qualifications are those stated Corps Regulations: Men are eligible

When they arrived at the top they or undergraduates or clearly well other activities that they possess to unusual degree an-

sistence during the training period. All attendants at the camps are arged to furnish their own uniforms in advance, if practicable, as follows: Hat, Service,

Hat Cord, U. S. T. C. Coat, Service, O. D. Shirts, Flannel, O. D. Breaches, Sectice, O. O. l'air Leggin., Canvass. Pair Shoes, Marching.

The government will furnish rifles,

Manner of Application.

The applicant must apply on the New York City."

their individual qualifications.

This will include an inquiry into the

If accepted by the examining officer the applicant will receive an as-

The course of instruction for the

of officers which are common to all arms. Thereafter they will be assigned to the various branches of the make a corner on foodstuffs and buys of listing the taxes of the said Wards. service for which they seem best qual- up things to eat and holds on for an All parties subject to list either polls ified, for the purposes of training exhorbitant price. Solomon, who was or property will please come forward during the last two months. Address all inquiries for informa-

tion to and obtain application and physical examination blanks from

> 19 West 44th Street. New York City."

name." Congregation.

Worrell, Salem.

Reading, Elsie Welch, Oak Grove. Reading, Woodie Pruett, Salem. Song, Salem.

Say, Mr. Farmer:

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Do you expect to make a good crop of Tobacco this year?

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Curse For Him That Withholdeth Food.

Monroe Enquirer.

duced to writing, "He that withholdeth corn, the people shall curse him; "Officer in Charge Officers'Train- but blessings shall be upon the head of him that selleth it." The fellow who tries to make a corner on the corn market now will hear cussin' and a plenty of it.

(And the same applies to wheat The Mt. Airy Circuit of the M. E. and flour and other foodstuffs. There Church will hold its annual Sunday is a belief that the prevailing price School convention at Oak Grove Sun- of wheat and flour is due in part to day, May 13. The program follows, speculation; that while the price is Song, "All hail the power of Jesus' actually high on account of the Airy. Will take them from four scarcity of wheat and the extraordin- months old up to three years, not ary demand, that something is be-Speech of Welcome, Eva Caudle, ing added as a result of speculation. and buying cautious ownig to high comrades continued to advance up the in Section 57 of the Officers' Reserve Oak Grove. Response by Eva Joy By and by, it is believed, the government will reach people whose greed is extracting unreasonable profits in this time of stress, and when it does they will get all that is coming to them. Public sentiment will

List Your Property.

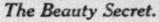
We the list takers for Mount Airy Wards No. 1 and No. 2 Mount Airy Township will be at Banner ware-A great deal is being said just house from the 9th, to and including now about the man who attempts to the 19 day of May for the purpose wise in the affairs of men but very foolish concerning women, said in quires that all polls and property some observations he made and re-shall be listed during the month of May. Please do not neglect to do this, as it will save all of us trouble.

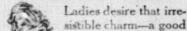
J. R. Patterson for Ward No. 1.

List Takers.

Cattle for Grazing Wanted.

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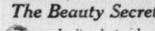




... A. L. Sparger, for Ward No. 2.

I will pay full worth in cash for all

J .C. Council.



Sunday School Convention.

Devotional Exercises, Pastor.

Children's Song, Oak Grove. -

Reading, Laurel Nichols, Laurel demand it .- The Landmark.)

turned his philosophy to good account prisoner. in practical life. For example, there A German officer was caught in the uppose Franklin endeavored to win hand. him? By doing him a kindneis? Not at all; but the exact contrary. He went to the influential citizen and asked to borrow a book which, as a the human face. Food, for example, five years, for men successfully comowner of it to do him the slight favor. Of course the book was loaned without hesitation and the lender + more interested in the philosopher and later gave him cordial support in sequence; if you do him a kindness, you are likely to think well of him in consequence and to do him another kindness." This lesson every leader must learn in order to lead. -Biblical Recorder.

Chinaman-"You tellee me where railroad depot?"

Citizen-"What's the matter, John lost ?"

Chinaman-"No. Me here. Depot lost."



all came out, having climbed 189 Why Franklin Borrowed a Book. Benjamine Franklin was one of the Benjamine Franklin was one of the

of Germans numbering about 200 in

French Beat Germans to

Hill; Took the Prisoners.

From Staff Correspondent of the

Associated Press in France May 2 .--

German positions are of the strongest

was an influential man whose op- act of telephoning to his bendgeny position he feared and whose support ters. He stipped, holding his arrest he very much desired. How do you up with the telephone receiver in one no man is eligible for appointment as el Bhaff

Changing our Faces.

And, as we know, the man who drinks liquor, or has become a dope fiend, tells it to the world through his face. There is no doubt, also, that one can a period of three months and agree to by sheer force of will so control the accept such appointment in the Ofrealizing his ambition. Truly, says facial muscles that the face may be- ficers' Reserve Corps, U. S. Army as Dr. Cole: "If you wrong a person, you come appreciably changed after a may be tendered him by the Secretary are likely to think ill of him in con- while. It is unquestionable, how- of War. ever that our thoughts and feelings

time, wearing it into greater and ment Headquarters. greater distinctness, till the observing world begins to learn what sort of travelers have passed that way; and

ability to Bluff.

shrewdest philosophers this country than the Germans had gone up the the severe physical work of drill and has ever produced. And generally be ment.

Age Limits for Grades.

Under present law and regulations 2nd Lioutenant after he has reached the age of 32 years, as 1st Lieutenant Schools, Pastor, 36, as Captain 40, as Major 45. It is expected that Congress will shortly be asked to raise these age limits by ploting the training in these camps.

Obligation.

Each man attending must enlist for Bluff.

At the date of this bulletin, owing change our faces far more than any- to the absence of specific approprithing else. "These," according to an ation, there is no authority to order expert psychologist, "have a way at Reserve Officers to active duty, but times of leaping into the face and all such are invited by the War Deproclaiming themselves to all the partment to attend these camps for world as from a housetop; more com- the full three months for purpose of monly, however, they stray thither training, and applicants who have without our knowing it, and this ten- been examined and recommended but dency becomes a fixed habit; they not yet commissioned will be admitcome and go and leave their tracks ted to the camps. Reserve Officers behind them; the same thought or and such applicants will receive the feeling takes the same path each necessary information from Depart-

Expenses.

The general plan contemplated for our faces, thus lined and written up- citizens' training camps in regard to on, become as epistles known and furnishing transportation, uniforms MOUNT AIRY, N. C. read of all men." Had you thought of it just this way before? We, as much as our ancestors, are responsible for our faces. —Biblical Recorder. The government will furnish sub- the

Reading, Lillian Gordon, Zion. Male Quartette, Oak Grove. Reading, Roy Willard, Epworth. Reading, Lucy Gardner, New Heron. Song, Zion.

Reading, Arthur Moore, Beulah. Reading, Clarence Sutphin, Oak Grove, Song. Reading, Hallie Parker, Salem.

Reading, Claudia Davenport; Laur-

Sestistical ethibit of the Sunday

Rending, Lettie Miller,, Zion. Reading, Nettie Westmoreland, Epworth. Song. Reading, Lonnie Jarrell, Beulah. Reading, Frank Gardner, New

Hebron. Song by congregation. Rending, Louella Short, Oak Grove. Reading, Sarah Lee Brown, Salem. Duette, Oak Grove, Reading, Elizabeth Terry, Laurel

Reading, Dick McMillian, Zion. Reading, Mamie East, New Hebron. Reading, Willie Vernon, Beulah. Male Quartette, Salem. Reading, Lundy Willard, Epworth. Reading, Essie Collins, Beulah. Reading, Irene Armfield, Oak Grove.

Children's Song, Salem.

Dinner. Organization, Male Quartette, Standard of Efficiency, Rev. W. R. Shelton, Sunday School secretary of the Western North Carolina Conference.

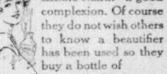
The Sunday School Teacher, William Graves, Mt. Airy. Song and benediction.

Parents Take Notice.

There is more Catarib in this section of the country that all other discass put together, and for years it was sup-posed to be incurning. The form wro-series discit restances scribed local rears with local ly failing to cure with local prenounced it lacus Pencina greater great

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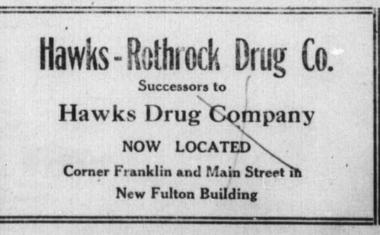


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