

BUSINESS BUILDERS

AT THE home of the Victor Talking Machine—Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.—come in and have them play your favorite selection. All the latest records in stock.

LOST—A pocket book, containing some bills of money. The following appears in the back of the book: C. W. Robertson, in case of accident notify G. W. Robertson. The finder will please leave the same at this office and get reward. 21 pd.

ALL SIZES and styles of Victor Talking Machines and Victrolas at Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

FOR SALE—Fine good fresh young Jersey and Holstein cows. Matt Hines, Mount Airy, N. C. R. F. D. 5.

MAY LIST of Victor Records on display at Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

FOR RENT—A five room Bungalow on Cherry street. All improvements Dr. C. A. Baird.

HATCHING EGGS at reduced price. Balance of season, you can buy 15 pure bred hatching eggs for \$1.00 f. o. b. Mount Airy. White Wyandottes, Buff Rocks, White Leghorns. I keep only the best pure blood stock. Good layers, good payers. E. J. Mathews, 3 in 1 Poultry Yards.

FOR SALE OR RENT. My two story eight room house 192 Orchard street. Large basement, Good barn, large garden. Terms reasonable apply to W. E. Barnard of the Surry Mercantile Company, or write to me at 25 West Buffalo street, Concord, N. C. R. M. Taylor.

LEONARD Cleanable Refrigerators—all sizes and prices—Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

MEN WANTED—\$2.50 per day. About twenty good men are now needed at our mines near Round Peak postoffice in the northwestern part of the county. Apply at mine or at office in First National Bank building, Mount Airy. Tar Heel Manganese Company.

BUY ONE of our Leonard Cleanable Refrigerators—inside made of a solid piece of porcelain—no wood to come in contact with the food. Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

TOMATO PLANTS for sale. Early Anna variety. Ready for delivery. Price 10c per dozen. B. E. Edwards, Mount Airy, N. C. 21 pd.

JUST received biggest line of Leonard Cleanable Refrigerators ever shown in Mount Airy. Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

FOR RENT—nice five room cottage on Wilson street with all modern conveniences. Also a five room cottage on Taylor street, near South street, nearly new, water and lights. E. C. Foy.

WE RECEIVE weekly new lots of latest Victor Records, all the Patriotic Songs, vocal and instrumental. Come in and let us play them for you. Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

SEEDS! SEEDS! We have a limited quantity of choice seed beans from the best seed house. Varieties of Bush Ferrissee Green Pod, Lightning Valentine, Burpees Stringless Green Pod, Giant Stringless Green Pod, Dwarf Stringless Green Pod, Late Refugee, Pole Beans, Nancy Davis, and Kentucky Wonder. All our seed are fresh and true to name. I. W. West Drug Co.

MAN BUYS machinery to save labor—why not buy your wife a Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet also—it's a great labor saver. We have a big shipment on hand. Get them at Roberts-Walker Fur. Co.

To Conserve Wheat by Cleaner Threshing. Washington May 7.—To save wheat and other small grains at their source by clearer threshing a special grain threshing division has been created under the food administration grain corporation of New York.

In announcing the new agency tonight, the food administration said that it is estimated that three bushels of grain are lost in every 100 threshed. It believed that this amount can be saved by more careful methods and better mechanical condition of threshing outfits.

SEDITION BILL SENT TO WILSON FOR SIGNATURE

Gives Government Board New Power to Punish Disloyal Acts and Utterances.

Washington, May 7.—Final legislative action was taken today on the sedition bill, giving the government board new powers to punish disloyal acts and utterances. Adopting a conference report already approved by the senate, the house sent to the President for his signature the measure which has been before Congress for weeks, assailed as a menace to free speech and championed as essential to order at home during the war. The President is expected to sign the bill promptly, and through vigorous enforcement of its provisions officials of the department of justice say they will be able to do much toward checking the wave of mob outbreaks for which unpunished disloyalty and enemy activity are blamed.

Penalties of 20 years imprisonment or a fine of \$10,000 or both are provided in the bill for those convicted of uttering or printing disloyal, abusive, profane, scurrilous, contemptuous or abusive language about the United States or the government or the form of government, or the flag, and for those who are convicted of favoring Germany or her allies in the present war.

Opposed Only by Socialist. Debate in the house was nothing like so extended as in the senate and while some opposition developed there, only Representative London of New York, the socialist, voted against the conference report on the final test.

Representative London sought vainly to send the report back to conference because of the elimination of the senate amendment exempting from penalty those who in criticism of the government speak the truth with good motives and for justifiable ends.

Others opposed the bill largely because of their objection to conferring new censorship powers on the postmaster general, who is authorized to refuse the service of the mails to any person or concern using the mails in violation of the proposed act.

Representative Johnson of Washington attacked Representative London's criticism of the provision against using abusive language against the constitution of the United States and wanted to know whether the socialist member approved the activities of the Industrial Workers of the World.

"When a group of conscienceless employees refuse to recognize the right of people to organize they will have to deal with the I. W. W.," Representative London replied. "I believe the I. W. W. is the working out of the law of compensation."

"I am eternally opposed to having the constitution made over along the lines of a Karl Marx book or socialism," retorted Mr. Johnson, "and I am also opposed to making the Stars and Stripes into a red flag or revolution for the anarchists, or the I. W. W. or the socialists."

Representative Webb of North Carolina, chairman of the judiciary committee, and Representative Graham of Pennsylvania, republican, led the fight for the report insisting that powers proposed were necessary and would not be abused.

Conditions in Persia Described as Desperate.

Washington, May 7.—Conditions in Persia are described as desperate in a dispatch to the state department today from the American legation at Teheran. Famine is increasing and typhus, the message said, is prevalent in most of the cities.

The food shortage the legation reported has forced the population to eat dogs and even practice cannibalism.

Through American relief societies the United States has already done much to help the Persians. Sometime ago the state department was obliged to explain to the Persian government in response to a request for a loan that it was not possible for the United States to lend money directly except to a co-belligerent, but the department interested private parties who supplied more money than was asked for the Persians in the shape of a government loan.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE TOWN OF MT. AIRY. FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1918.

Table with columns for GENERAL TOWN FUND, April 1. Balance cash in Bank, Recd of T. D. Hatcher, chief of police forfeits, T. D. Hatcher, chief of police costs, etc.

Table with columns for EXPENDITURES, George Beasley, street work, T. D. Hatcher, Chief of police, salary, J. H. Carroll, police salary, etc.

STATEMENT MOUNT AIRY GRADED SCHOOL FUND

Table with columns for April 1. Balance cash and vouchers in bank, Dec'd J. L. Banner, tax collector, J. S. Patterson, County treasury, etc.

Table with columns for EXPENDITURES, Mrs. Hattie Stowe, teacher, Mrs. John Foy, teacher, Miss Jammie Hadley, etc.

Table with columns for Mrs. Sarah Spough, teacher, Miss Nellie Smoke, teacher, Miss Ruth Chapman, teacher, etc.

STATEMENT WATER LIGHT AND POWER PLANT

Table with columns for April 1. Balance cash in bank, Dec'd of A. V. West, sec., Light and Power rents, etc.

Table with columns for EXPENDITURES, I. W. Barber, supt. salary, U. G. Belton, s'ariff, water tax, I. W. Barber, check recording deed and war tax, etc.

STATEMENT BONDED DEBT INTEREST FUNDS

Table with columns for April 1. Balance cash in bank to pay interest on improvement bonds, Balance cash in bank to pay interest on school bonds, etc.

APPROVED E. C. Bivens, Mayor. Finance Committee: A. G. Bowman, J. E. Johnson.

Statement of Finances of Local Chapter of American Red Cross.

Table with columns for Balance in bank May 1st, Owing for working material, Owing National Headquarters, etc.

If this appeals to you, and you are interested in your local chapter, and in the National Red Cross, and cannot give your time and help to the good women who daily give their time and labor in making supplies for the men "gone over" and men to "go over," send your contribution at this time of need. C. C. Creveling, Treas.

Save Wheat! Don't Buy it!

By Biddy Bye. The supply of wheat is shrinking day by day. There is but one way to have wheat to send our own men and our allies—to save wheat here. Don't buy it! Here are tested receipts that help toward wheatlessness.

Cornmeal Waffles: Sift together 1/2 cupful of cornmeal, 1/2 cupful of flour, and 1/2 teaspoonful of soda. Add 1 teaspoonful of salt. Stir into the batter 1 cupful of boiled rice beaten with 2 eggs and 1 cupful of sour milk. Beat thoroughly and bake on well greased waffle-irons.

Quick Potato Rolls: Boil several firm potatoes in salt water and when cooked and mealy rub them through a potato ricer back into the water in which they boiled. To 1 cupful of this potato and water mixture add 1/2 cupful of scalded milk and 3 teaspoonfuls of melted fat. Stir in 1 tablespoonful of sugar and 1/2 teaspoonful of salt and while lukewarm add 1 cake of compressed yeast which has been dissolved in 1/4 cupful of warm milk. Add 2 cupfuls of corn flour and 1 cupful of wheat flour, enough to make a soft dough. Work the dough into a compact roll and set to rise in covered crock. When double in bulk shape the dough into small rolls and allow to rise again. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

Buckwheat Nut Bread: Mix and sift together 1 cupful of buckwheat flour and 1 cupful of rye flour, adding 1/2 teaspoon of baking soda and 1/2 teaspoonful of salt, and 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Dissolve 1/2 cupful of brown sugar in 1 cup of sweet milk and add to it 1 egg, well beaten. Combine the milk and flour mixtures, beating thoroughly. Add 1/2 cupful of raisins and 1/2 cupful of chopped nuts and beat against. Bake 1 hour in moderate oven.

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Oats Steamed Bread: Mix 1 cupful of uncooked rolled oats with a like amount of yellow cornmeal and sift in 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder and 1 teaspoonful of salt. Mix with 1 cupful of sweet milk 2 teaspoonfuls of molasses and 1 egg, well beaten. Add to the dry mixture and beat in 2 tablespoonfuls of melted vegetable fat. Turn the mixture into greased molds and steam like brown bread for an hour and a half.

A Symbol of Health.

The Pythagorians of ancient Greece ate simple food, practiced temperance and purity. As a badge they used the five pointed star which they regarded as a symbol of health. A red five pointed star appears on each package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and still fulfills its ancient mission as a symbol of health. If you are troubled with indigestion, biliousness or constipation, get a package of these tablets from your druggist. You will be surprised at the quick relief which they afford. Obtainable everywhere.

Cow Peas Wood's Seeds AND Velvet Beans

Save Fertilizer Bills, increase crop productivity, and make the best of Summer forage crops. Will improve land wonderfully, even after using crop for forage or grazing purposes. Can be grown to excellent advantage in your Corn crop, increasing yield of Corn and making a wonderful improvement to the soil. Write for prices and "WOOD'S CROP SPECIAL," giving information about all Seasonable Seeds. Mailed free on request. T. W. WOOD & SONS, Seedsmen, Richmond, Va.