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RENEW AT ONCE

We are this week sending out re-
minders to those whose subscriptions
have expired. We have carried some
of these on our list for some time
in hope that they would renew. But
we cannot continue to send the News
unless paid for in advance. It an
expense to us, besides we must have
money to pay our way else we can't
publish a paper.

Now my dear reader if you re-
ceive one of these reminders, please
renew at once or let us know when
you will renew as we are going to
revise our list after the 15th and
we will positively cut off all who are
in arrears.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE AT THE HELM

Democrats may fittingly contend
that President Wilson, in his recent
message counseling Congress as to
legislative action designed to correct
abuse and punish extortion in the
manufacture, distribution and sale of
food and clothing, performed a sig-
nal duty to the country and served
a solemn notice on the Senate by
reminding both that there can be no
stability in the United States or in

the world until the ratification of the
treaty of peace has ended the status
of war.

"Politically, economically and so-
cially the world is on the operating
table, and it has not been possible
to administer an anesthetic," declar-
ed the President in picturing the sit-
uation at home and abroad. The
courses which he proposes to Con-
gress and those accredited to his own
executive associates at his direction
will palliate but cannot cure the evil
from which not only the United States
but all the people in both the old and
the new world are suffering. The
war was not confined to the geograph-
ical limits of the nations by which
it was waged. Its effects spread
across international boundaries; into
the life and relations of every indi-
vidual in the great family of human-
ity. But a Republican Senate cares
nothing about that.

The President goes on: "There can
be no confidence in industry, no cal-
culable basis for credits, no confi-
dent buying or systematic selling, no
certain prospect of employment, no
normal restoration of business, no
hopeful attempt at reconstruction or
the proper reassembling of the dislo-
cated elements of enterprise until
peace has been established and, so far
as may be, guaranteed." The Senate
knows this, but the Republican lead-
ers have asserted that Mr. Wilson's
League of Nations "shall not pass"
and are making absolutely no effort
to terminate the present state of un-
certainty, unrest and dislocation. But
there is a duty coupled with respon-
sibility that must be fulfilled, with-
out further delay or evasion, else
the people of the country are going
to know the reason why.

President Wilson is deeply in ear-
nest in the recommendations he
makes by way of statutory processes
to mitigate present excessive costs,
and to prevent and penalize unlaw-
ful restraint of the trade, the im-
pounding of supplies as a means of
unreasonable prices and the various
practices of the profiteers, which will
undoubtedly bring relief if Congress

moves with promptness and earnest-
ness. The moral effect of the Presi-
dent's interest and interposition is
practically certain to be reflected in
the cessation of upward tendency, if
not in the actual reduction of prices.
Already the leaven is at work.

Wage-earners and consumers gen-
erally over the country are demand-
ing that something be done without
delay to check the constantly advanc-
ing prices of necessities. Prosecu-
tion of those in combinations and
conspiracies to exploit the needs of
the people; the revival of war regu-
lations governing the storage and the
marketing of foodstuffs; the label-
ing of commodities so as to indicate
profits which stand between the pro-
ducer and the consumer are among
the wholesome plans which the Presi-
dent urges Congress to remember at
this particular time. It will be diffi-
cult to reach every avenue of trade,
but the measures he proposes would
be effectual at least against the gros-
ser forms of extortion and are worth
the application of an acid test.

The President in his message goes
right straight to the meat of an aggra-
vating situation. Significant beyond
the purposes of the suggestions he
brings in the philosophy which sup-
ports them. He is apparently con-
vinced that the governmental powers
which were invoked to mobilize the
country's resources—fues, food, all
clothing, mines, railroads and men
and women—can very properly again
be applied to the hardly less serious
problems confronting us in the tran-
sition back to peace. And why not?

**SOUTHERN MAKES GOOD RE-
CORD**

In the campaign for on-time pas-
senger train service in the Southern
Region, the Illinois Central Railroad
in July again led all other lines, bet-
tering its fine June record by put-
ting 98.5 per cent of all its trains
into final slow connections. During
the month 6, 644 trains were operat-
ed by this road and 6,550 of them
reached their terminals in time, while

6,557 or 98.7 percent, maintained
schedule or made up time. These
percentages compare respectively
with 96.6 and 96.8 in June.

The general average for all rail-
roads during the month did not equal
the high records set in May and June
although it continued to be good in
comparison with earlier records.
There were 53,256 passenger trains
operated by the twentynine roads.
Of that number 49,248 or 92.5 per
cent maintained schedule or made up
time, while 47,774, or 89.7 per cent
arrived on time at final terminals.

Among the larger roads, the South-
ern, operating 15, 875 trains, stood
near the top of the list with 14,508,
or 91.4 per cent, reaching final ter-
minals on time and 14,964, or 94.3
per cent, maintaining schedule or
making up time.

**DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY
MEET**

The Transylvania Chapter of the
U. D. C. held its regular meeting last
Saturday afternoon. The feature of
this meeting was the election of dele-
gates to attend the state convention
of the organization which is to take
place at High Point on October the
eight. Delegates appointed to attend
the convention which lasts two days
were Mesdames O. L. Erwin, W. W.
Zachary and O. T. Crary with Mes-
dames J. M. Allison and J. A. Miller
as alternates.

Mrs. O. T. Crary was appointed
supply librarian.

After the matter of electing dele-
gates was disposed of the members
present discussed plans for the Hal-
lowe'en Party which is to be given at
the Chapter House on the evening of
October the thirty-first.

**"Mrs. Keach Tells How She Got to
Know Rat-Snap"**

"Have always feared rats. Lately
noticed many on my farm. A neighbor
said he just got rid of droves with Rat
Snap. This started me thinking. Tried
Rat-Snap myself. It killed 17 and
scared the rest away." RAT-SNAP
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following, quietly answer the ques-
tion.

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St., Brevard says: "Some years ago
I had a bad spell with my kidneys.
My back ached a good deal and
seemed to take the ambition out of
me. When I bent over I could hardly
straighten. I think being on my feet
so much and the jarring of the train
is what brought this trouble on.
Dizzy spells would come over me and
black specks would come before my
eyes. My head ached a good deal,
too. I was lame mornings and my
kidneys didn't act as they should.
Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got
a supply and soon I felt like myself
again."

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look them over and if you do
not need any of them probably
you will find something else in
our line.

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- * Castor Oil Tobaccos
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- * Flowers Sulphur Face Powders
- * Alum Absorbent Cotton
- * Copperas Adhesive Plasters
- * Blue Stone Talcum Powders
- * Paregoric Camphor Ice
- * Tincture Iron Liniments
- * Tincture Iodine Glues
- * Tincture Nux Vomica Inks
- * Aromatic Spirits of Amnomia
- * Sweet Spirits Nitre Shoe Polish
- * Spirits Camphor Combs
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- * Pencil Tablets Envelopes

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