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### Graduating Girls to Help.

Washington. The graduating class-es of all women's colleges in the country and the graduates of the departments of home economics of all colleges and universities are being called upon to prepare themselves anickly for active service in co-operation with the Food Administration

Mr. Herbert Hoover has addressed a letter to the graduating women, mak ing a strong appeal, and has also wir-ed the presidents of all colleges in which women are being, trained point-ing out the vital necessity of education ing women students for this work. Mr Hoover's letter to the women is as follow=

The United States Food Administ tration calls you to its service. Our his own traveling expenses and he was up per diem. Dr. Cyrus Thomp-need is so great that we appeal to you son of Onslow county, was made and to enlist for the great work that chairman of the conference. must be done.

There will be a diversity of tasks Sugar Price Fixed at 10 Cents. and therefore diversity of takes. The following order, regarding the training can be used. All our oues, sale of sugar, has been received by tions now center in fool-its produc-tion, its distribution, its use, its conthese things, the more valuable you with regard to the retailing will be and the greater will be your of sugar: service to bumanity

we urge you to pursue studies dealing

The state board of education authorized an apportionment of the \$250, 600 per capita school fund among the of 281144 or 28 and a fraction cents per child

About February there will be distributed the equalizing fund for bring-ing the school terms up to the four months minimum fills fund aggregating about \$400,000 and being derived

from the state tax of five cents on the \$100 tax valuation of property The amounts that the various counties will receive, in the present distribution of the \$250,000 per capita fund follow Afamiciae \$2,630,10; Alexander, \$1 Amilia

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### 596 34, Yamey, \$1 529 70 Opposed Free Service

The conference of members of the selective service exemption boards of North Carolina assembled here developed such pronounced opposition to a resolution for free service of exemp tion board members as to cause Major Langston, aide to the governor, have the resolution withdrawn so that the board could devote its time to efforts to arrive at the most perfect and economical general policies possible for the administration of the work of the boards;

The attendance on the conference was surprisingly large, the great ma lority of the boards in all the local counties being represented. Their patriotism and zeal for their work was streased by the fact that every mem ber of a board present took care of

"State Food Administrator Henry A. Page announces the following reg-

The maximum retail price allowel "If you have not already done so, on sugar from this date is 10 cents... pound. Retail merchants who have we urge you to pursue studies dealing especially with feed, but these should purchased sugar on such a basis that they have not a reasonable profit with be re-enforced by courses in chemis, in this price may appeal to the fool try, physiology and economics. It will be well, too. If you have acquired the administration, stating cost price is detail, but none of these shall sell for knowledge to the people who so much need it. Fortunately most of our edu- have the specific written permission of the food administration. "Until further notice sugar must not be sold to city or town consumers in quantities in exerss of five pounds nor to consumers in the rural districts in quantities in excess of 10 pounds. "Any merchants refusing to conform to these rulings will invite prompt action by the food administration."

### EVEN THE CHILDREN WEAR GAS MASKS IN BEIMS



The course of a sould studing gauges with which the Tenfor an and times and the tester term of peeven the little children in the districts close to the light og timetour give masks to protect themselves from Han frightfulness. The fots in this group on their way to school in licius are pll provided with masks

# AIR FEATS OF THE LAFAYETTE MEN Walcott, Since Shot Down Over

German Lines. Tells of Comrades Daring

### MAKES DIVE OF 10,000 FEET

### Aviator Reaches Ground Safely Although All the Wires on His Machine Are Loosened - Spend Holiday in Air.

Washington,-Word pictures of the work of the members of the Lafayette Squadron and other American axiators in France are given in letters which Dr. Charles D. Walcott, secretary of the Smithsonlan institution, has re-velved from his son, E. S. Walcott whose airplane fell "somewhere be hind the German lines" along the west ern front. The allusions to the work of the American aviators contained in these letters are all the more interesting at this time in view of the fact that the men about whom Walcott wrote have just been commissioned in the American air service on the recautoendation of General Pershing.

Doctor Walcott has received a dissatch from Paris informing him that his son fell within the enemy lines December 12 while tighting three single-senters, after having demolished an enemy two-seater, and that his fate is uncertain. Inquiries are being made to ascertain, if possible, from Germany whether young Walcott was seriously infured or not.

In a letter dated November 13, in response to an inquiry about Campbell, an aviator from Chicago, who was reorted lost, young Walcott wrote as follows:

"Campbell was in the Lafoyette Es cadrille, and they are a member of the group as Squadron 84, so I have asked them about him. He was on a patrol with another chap; they attacked some Boches, and when it was over the other chap was alone. Campbell was brought down in German territory and so reported missing. I believe the chap he was with has seen and iniked to Compbell's father or some close rel tive since.

"Another chip named Bulkely was brought down in similar circumstances about the 1st of September. Ten days ago word was received from the Amerlenn embassy that he had commund ented with them, a prisoner in Ger-DEED DAY:

There are many similar cases where men brought down with crippled nuclines, or wounded, escaped de-struction by a miracle. The only surthing is when a nunchine goes down in flames or is seen to lose a wing or two For instance, there are two officers

metric pressure on the under side of they call it. Which opened my eyes a their wings. In some acrobatic manenters I was trying the other day I tion service after three years of var unde mistakes and caused the machine III another letter written December to stail and then fall in such a way 1 that the full weight was supported by the upper surface- by the wires which et functiones are supposed merely to support the weight of the wings 6 Line the machine is on the ground.

"Yes, the Spad is a well-built innchine, the nearest thing to perfection in point of strength, speed, and climbing power I've seen yet. Of course, it's, heavy, and that's why they put 150-230 horse power in them. The other school, that of a light machine with a light motor, depending for its success on lack of weight rather than excess of power, may suppleat the heavier ma-chine in time : I con't tell,

"Yesterday there was a review here in honor of Guynemer, and decorations for the pilots of the group who had e on them. Three Americans received the Croix de Guerre---members of the Lafayette Escadrille, Lufbery, the Lufbery, the American acc, carried the American day presented to the escadrille by Mrs. McAdoo and the employees of the usury department, headdes the two aviation emblems of France. He was called to receive his decoration for having in the course of one day held seven combuts, descended (six) one German plane in flames, and forced five others to hand behind their lines, (which means that he is officially credited with one-his thirteenth-and that the other five, though probably brought down, do not count for him because there were not the necessary witnesses required by the French regulation.)

Avlators are not very military. The chief of one of the escadrilles was comissioned to command the mechanics, who are plain soldiers with rifles and steel helmets, for the occusion. He is a bit of a clown and amused the entire gathering, kidding with the officers. The pilots of each of the five escadrilles were in more or less formation. must of them with hands in their peckets, for it was chilly, and presenting a mixture of uniforms unparalleled its beterogeneity. Every branch of the rvice represented endless personal ideas in dress.

### Spent Their Holiday in the Air.

"Because of the occasion, repose had prepared the way for a most remarken granted to the entire group for ably big bird called the turkey, barrithe afternoon, another group taking ended by chestauts. And then a plum over our patrols. So that after the pudding-a regular American one- and review every one had the afternoon to

### AN AIRPLANE CAMERA



sunny day which is quite Within a hulf unusual this month: hour every machine that was in work-ing order was in the air, forming into groups and then off for the lines, just ooking for trouble voluntary patrol. bit as to the spirit in the French asin In another letter, written December young Walcott says:

"I tried to give you some lifer of the strength of a Spad in a letter a while ago. At home people speak of a factor of safety, meaning the number of times stronger the machine is than is neces sary for plain fiving. The Spud is made that a man can't 'bust' it, no matter what he does in the air-dive as far and as fast as he can and stop as 1"ntally as he can, it stands the racket. Of course, notors do stop, and if It hotoens over a mountain range-well, that's just hard luck.

"Have had a few patrols since last I wrote. One at a big height-1000 to 4500 meters, considerably above the

clouds, which almost shut out the ground helow; a wonderfully beautiful sight, but heastly cold-and a couple when the clouds were low and The putrol stays at just the height of the clouds, hiding in them, slipping out right to look round. If it stays he low the enemy antihircraft guns pepper It whenever near the lines, and at a low altitude that is rather awkward, so the partial shows itself as little as possible

"It's lots of sport to try to keep with the patrol; be behind the chief of pa-trol, see him disappear, and then bump Into a fog hank, a low honging cloud, and not see a darn thing. Then down out of the cloud, wondering whether the other guy is right under-neath or not; dart out of the cloud and see him, maybe 500 yards away, going at right angles. Then back up and Then back up and turn around fast and give her the genr -full speed to catch up-and so on.

See a Boche regulating artillery fire. to maneuver into range. start rip; he's out of sight in the clouds, and the next you see he is beating it far back of his lines. Not very dangerous this weather, but lots of fun. In a letter from the front, dated November 20, the following passages (min'127)

Yesterday was Thunksgiving day and, praises by? the Lafayette bunch invited me and my partner to dinner, or rather to the feast. They have the st remarkable chef. Soup and fish as good as 1 ever tested. I sat at the table with Captain Themailt, Lieutenants Thow and Lufbery, and some Frenchmen.

"An early patrol this morning, de ofte low clouds. Lots of fun it was, ducking in and out of the clouds, keeping from hitting other machines in the clouds and from being the introl. Saw



**LESSON FOR JANUARY 27** JESUS FORGIVING SIN.

LESSON TENT-Mark 2.1-12 GOLDEN TENT-The Sen of Man h maning on earth to forgive sin M

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL 110 LACHERS-PR. 2. Luke Bill-M. 12 Math. 1.21, Heb. 755, PRIMARY MEMORY VERSE-Forget. s sur sing -Luke 113. INTERMEDIATE TOPIC-Jesus (sec). big cost and body SENIOR AND APULT TOPIC-1... meeting man's deepest need

This is one of the most dreman pectacular incidents recorded in -Bible. It is a good illustration to Sunday school tenchers of a story by imagining what the

naturally do. We ought to his scholars see with their imagi story of this lesson as thoug were eye-with sses of the whole The time was about May or June V 28, the second year of Jesus' minfew weeks following the last losduring which time he had been proing and healing in the surrouncountry.

I. Introduction. Jesus could test! in a home as well as before the mult tudes. Indeed it was after having totified in the home (v. 1.) that the rowds gathered about the doorway for it was not known that he was there until some days after he had been in the house. Luke tells us that the the house, crowds which came, came not only from Galliee but Judea and even Je rusalem. Jesus did his work so well In the home that wherever he was, the world wore a path to his doorway. Notice verse two; when the crowd gathered about, he spoke unto them "the word." In this we see a parable, Many a successful man, when he becomes popular, forgets to preach the pure Guspel, the Word of Life,

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II. An Impelling Need (vv. 3:4). This man who had parafysis, i. e., dis-abled on one side, was not only de-prived of his sensation but his power of motion. As to the cause of his diffi-culty, his previous character of life. there is no word of suggestion. We see abundant evidence today, however, to know that many such cases are the results of our own debaucheries and one would gather from the course which Jesus pursued with this man that perhaps his case was likewise the result of his carly sin. The teacher might well read in this connection Luke 16:11-19. Of course, this man may not have been a prodigal son. Nevertheless, he had as much suffering as though he had been and as far as he himself was concerned, he was helpless, a picture of all sinners. He, however, had friends, very enterpris-ing ones. And so putting him upon the double quilt or coverlet, which could be rolled together in a bundle of moderate size, they carried him into the presence of the master.

III. Jesus Forgives and Defends His Rights (vv. 5:12). The crowd was so great about the house that "they could not come nigh unto him for the press." They were not, however, discouraged; but leaving the crowd, they went the usual outside stairs, bearing the sick man with them unto the roof which "they uncovered"-literally they dug through the flat roof made of branches and twigs and covered with earth, and which could be as easily repaired. Travelers in eastern countries have often seen a similar act performed even in this day. They down the lad or mattress by the four edmers. The roof was so low that to cords were needed and those below received the man from the hands of the four upon the roof and placed himin front of Jesus, Jesus commends "their deed" as indigated in all three of the Gospel records. Not alone phys ml obstu was to slip up out of sight when the the attitude of the scribes (v, 7). Was natrol approached. Every now and it right, was it honest to break through the roof of a man's house? Wou' 1 they make it good? Was the owner glad to have had it done? Jesus did leave the place they were shooting not hesitate or speculate over such questions, but goes at once to the issue and said to the man sick of the palsy, "Son, be of good cheer, thy sins be (are) forgiven thee." See Matthew's (are) forgiven thee," See Matthew's and Mark's account, "Son," is a word of endearment; the word "be" is not us strong in the old form as the word "nre" forgiven. Jesus went at once to the unheated wound in the soul, the sense of unforgiven sin. Forgiveness is not of the judge who sentences "not guilty," but a father who welcomes nd restores one to sonship. It is restoration to life. The Bible story of he prodigal son and that scene pictured in the seventh chapter of Luke, the feast where Jesus dealt with a woman of the city, who ministers unto him, are good illustrations of the master's attitude of mind on this occasion The scribes charged blasphemy which is to slander God and speak treason against him. Blasphemy is practicaly uttered treason. He nerceived their amost thoughts and answered them (v. 9). To forgive sin, or to command the man to rise were both divine acts; he could do either; he proved one by the use of the other. command to the young man to take up his bed was a test to be proved by the man's faith. That the cure was complete we know, for he immediate To "arise" was a physical impossibility; to "take up his bed" permitted no relanse.

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knowledge to the people who so much cational institutions now offer courses which give the necessary training for this work, but to the others an appeni is being sent to provide such instructions wherever it is possible.

"More detailed suggestions and directions will be published soon. Today your country asks you to resolve to do what you can to this, the hour of extreme peril to the democratic peoples of the world."

Food means energy. Energy mean more efficient fighting. Efficient figh-Save food! ing will end the war.

Meatless days in the United Statemean a more efficient fighting force on the front and more speedy concluthe war. Overating is lend ing to the enemy.

The food situation in Europe, not only in the countries of our Allies bu: in the neutral countries, has reached such a desperate state that tens of thousands of women, children and men must starve during the next four months. The only supplies they can hope for are from America. Ad this country is releasing food for export only as rapidly as it is available above our actual needs. Save! Save! The person who hoards foodstuffs is in identically the same class as the 200,000 fighting me, will be saved for the firing line if we economize in in identically the same class as the

Save bacon until Berlin is taken. With a beautiful supply of "long sweetening" available in the form of sorghum syrup, we cannot see but that the people of North Carolina are in just a bit better shape to get along without the usual amount of sugar than those of almost any other state. ning the war as ammunition.

Genera' Apathy and Private Interare two enemies of our national welfare. Each is as dangerous as a Kaiser's agent and should be exclude ed from every American home and industry.

Wheatless and meatless days here at home mean defeatless days for our boys abroad.

The more fats we can send to the Allies, the slipperier will be the skida placed under German autocracy.

plant-food is just as essential in win. sugar. Let one lump suffice.

health and daily working. Several months ago they were on patrol to gether and collided in the air. One unchine cut the tail rigging completeoff the other plane, and then they separated, one plane without a tail and the other machine with various parts of a fall mixed among the cables and struts of one side of his machine They both landed in France, one on his wheels, followed by a capotage, or somersault turnover, the other guite completely upside down. Then a term the hospital, and back they are again. "Kenneth Marr. an American and a friend of Pete's, had the commands of both his controls cut in a combat, the

rudder and elevator, leaving him nothing but the alleron, the lateral balance control, and the motor. He landed with only a skinned nose for casualties, and got a decoration for it.

### Dives Vertically 10,060 Feet.

"Another chap, in an attack on cap-ive balloons, dived for something like will be used by American aviation corps men for reconnaissance work 10,000 feet vertically and with full mois attached to the airplane is operated by the pulling of strings or the pressing of buttons. The camtor on thereby gaining considerable speed, as you can imagine. He came ight on top of the balloon, shot and, era is almost automatic, as everything can be set in advance and the entire to keep from hitting it, yanked as oughly as he could, flattening out his operation of taking the picture is the pressing of the button or the pulling dive in the merest fraction of a sec-Imagine the strain on the maof the strings. The camera makes an und When he got home all the chine wires had several inches sag in them; the metal connections of the cables inwill be invaluable in the reconnaissance work of the army. The camera is to the struts and wood of the wing had bit into the wood enough to give the sag.

in the group who are in the best of This type of camera which no doubt

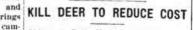
then their antiaircraft gams would bluze away a bit, but there was lots of them to miss and for us to USES OVERCOAT AS BANK



New York,-Monroe Smith, a negro. insisted in the court of special ses-sions that he had not stolen the overcoat of Leslie Davis while he enter tained Davis in his home. Smith said the coat was his own property and he had a right to pawn lt.

"I eren prove I own the cont," said "There is nine dollars sewed Davis, in the tining.";

Promptly the justice ordered the lining ripped open and the money was found.



### Chippewa Falls Park Board Forced to Stay Because of Cost of Keep.

Chippewa Falls, Wis,-An increase in the herd of deer at the public park almost perfect view of the terrain and in this city and an increase in the cost of food for the animals, has caused the park board to have five of the deer loaded with plates and a number of slain, and the venison placed on sale pictures can be taken successively with- in one of the markets. Permission out additional work. A British royal kill the deer had to be obtained from the state conservation comm

"Machines are built to stand imflying corps man is in the machine.