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NOTICE TO ALL REGISTRANTS

Required to Notify Local Board of Any Change in Address Is Ruling of Authorities.

The following bulletin from the Adjutant General's Department at Raleigh, dated December 1st, 1917, warning all registrants to notify their Local Boards of Any Change in their Post Office Addresses has been received by the Warren County Local Board, and is given to the public through this channel. All registrants are asked to take notice and govern themselves accordingly:

The following telegram from the Provost Marshal General received by this office November 30, 1917, is published for the instruction and guidance of all Local and District Boards:

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29, '17
Governor of North Carolina:

Raleigh, N. C.

"Number 10948. Please cause the broadest and most extensive and continuous publicity to be given through the Adjutant General, Local and District Boards, the newspapers and by all other possible means of warning to all registrants who may have changed their places of abode and Post Office address to communicate immediately with their Local Boards where they are registered and furnish their present addresses so that Questionnaires which will begin to be mailed December 15th will reach such registrants without delay. Registrants are bound by law to keep themselves advised of all proceedings in respect of them and failure to do so may result in their losing right to claim exemption or discharge. Please request newspapers to give this warning broad and continuous publication from this time until the process of mailing Questionnaires has been accomplished. (Signed) Crowder."

Compliance with this telegram will greatly facilitate the work of classifying the registrants under the new regulations.

By direction of Lawrence W. Young the Adjutant General; By W. F. Marshall, Director of Military Enrollment.

MR. JOHN DAMERON TO MARRY

Miss Annie Sterling Fitts, of Knoxville, Tenn., Wednesday Afternoon at 2:30.

The following clipping from the Society column of a Knoxville, Tenn. paper will prove of interest to many friends.

Miss Fitts has a number of relatives in Warren, whom she has visited, and who rejoice along with her friends here that she is to make her home in Warrenton. The clipping follows:

"Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fitts announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Annie Sterling to Mr. J. A. Dameron, Jr. The wedding will take place Wednesday afternoon, December 5th at 2:30 o'clock at their residence, 127 Dameron avenue. Only near relatives and intimate friends will witness the ceremony.

Mr. Dameron is a young business man of Warrenton, N. C., where he will take his bride to reside after a southern wedding trip."

STUART WORTHAM EXPRESSES THANKS TO NEIGHBORS.

While away from home Sunday morning, Stuart Wortham a colored merchant of Warrenton, who lives on the Norlina road, had the misfortune of having his home catch fire. His wife and several small children were there, and immediately called for help. The neighbors and some Cotton mill men who were near his home at the time, went to the house and succeeding in extinguishing the fire after about \$100 damage was inflicted. This worthy colored citizen takes this method of extending his thanks to those who aided and kept the home from total destruction. The cause of the fire is unknown.

BEAUTIFUL WEDDING AT GARDNERS

Miss Kate White Gardner and Mr. Jesse Gardner Married at Gardner's Nov. 28th.

Gardner's Baptist church was the scene of a beautiful marriage last Wednesday at high noon when Miss Kate White Gardner became the bride of Mr. Jesse Gardner.

The church was beautifully decorated with long leaf pine, festoons of running cedar and masses of ferns and palms making a most effective background with the soft glow of candles.

Proceeding the appearance of the bridal party several musical selections were rendered by Mrs. John Taylor of Aurelian Springs, who also sang "At Dawning" accompanied by Mrs. W. I. Bowers, sister of the bride. As the bridal party entered, the wedding march from Lohengrin was used and during the ceremony Schubert's Serenade was softly played.

The first of the party to enter the church were the two groomsmen, Messrs. J. H. Gardner and A. L. Gardner who were followed by the dame of honor Mrs. B. L. Rawlings, of Richmond, sister of the bride, handsomely gowned in blue chiffon velvet, wearing a large picture hat of black velvet and carrying an arm bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. Next came the bride with her brother Mr. Simon M. Gardner who gave her away. She wore a handsome going away suit of taupe with accessories to match and carried a bouquet of orchids and valley lilies. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man Dr. John M. Gardner, of Gibson, brother of the groom. Rev. J. P. Harris, pastor of both the bride and groom performed the impressive ring ceremony. As the party left the church the wedding march from Mendelssohn was played. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gardner left for Washington and other northern cities.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gardner, of Macon. The groom is a popular young business man of the same section.

On Tuesday night before the marriage an informal reception was given at the home of the bride's parents.

Those attending the marriage from a distance were: Dr. and Mrs. John M. Gardner, of Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Rawlings, of Richmond, Mr. J. C. Gardner, of Beaufort, Mrs. John Taylor, of Aurelian Springs, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barnes, of Littleton.

SEND KNITTED ARTICLES HERE

Chairman Knitting Committee Desires All Completed Articles by December 11th.

Mrs. Adele Jones requests that those doing knitting for the Red Cross at Norlina, Ridgeway, Wise, Macon, Arcola and Warrenton send in all completed articles by December 11th.

A box will be shipped on the 12th and it is desired by Mrs. Jones that all work be promptly sent in order that it may be shipped at this time.

You are asked to deliver these articles to Mrs. Adele Jones' home, corner house opposite Farmers Warehouse on South Main street.

FRIDAY NIGHT "STUNT NIGHT" AT MACON HIGH SCHOOL.

Friday night, December 7th, "Stunt Night" will be observed at Macon H. School. Each grade in the school will be represented in some activity or "stunt." There will be charged ten cents admission for children and fifteen for adults. Come for an hour of fun and pleasure.

After the entertainment by the school, oysters will be served. Proceeds taken at the door and from the sale of oysters will go into the school fund.

President Wilson subscribed \$15,000 for the Second Liberty Loan.

BAN ON PREVENTABLE DISEASES

State Board of Health Asks All Mothers to Cooperate With Co. Quarantine Officer.

Nobody knows what it means to have a sick child like the mother, therefore, the State Board of Health asks the mothers of this county, especially, to cooperate with their county quarantine officer, and by all working together, to keep down those preventable diseases like whooping cough, measles, scarlet fever and diphtheria, as far as is possible.

Some old fashioned mothers used to believe that whooping cough and measles were like taxes, just had to come, and the sooner they "came and went," the better. But mothers now know different. They know that even if children should have these diseases when they grow up it goes less hard with them then, and they are more likely to recover without defects and impairments. Why, when a mother's baby, has measles if it is less than five years old, she never knows whether it is going to be left blind, deaf, lame, or with weakened heart or kidneys, for life. The safest plan is to take no chances with any of these so-called children's diseases. Children don't have to have them, and why not protect them?

Some of the things mothers can do to keep down whooping cough, measles, scarlet fever, infantile paralysis and diphtheria in their homes and communities are, first, to suspect the disease and keep home the children having the first symptoms, such as sore throats or head colds, particularly if any contagious diseases is in the community. Second, in case a physician is called to attend the child, the mother should see that the disease is reported at once to the county quarantine officer who will then tell her what to do and how to treat the case. The law requires her to do this. Third, every mother should respect the Quarantine Law. It may inconvenience her slightly but what will a few days of inconvenience mean if it saves a child's life or even if it saves him from a life long defect like blindness which is often one of the after-effects of measles. The mother who disregards the Quarantine Law is not only an undesirable citizen to have in the community but is an enemy of little children.

The number of cases of contagious diseases in this county last month reported by physicians were none.

COMPANY H. RECEIVES VICTROLA

Entire Company Expresses Appreciation for Victrola and Records From Home Folk.

The following letter from Captain Price of H. Company is of interest to Warren people:

Company H. 120th Infantry, Camp Sevier, S. C., Thanksgiving. Editor of the Warren Record, Warrenton, North Carolina.

Please insert the following in the next issue of your paper:

I wish to thank the people of Warren county, the Warren Record and the young ladies who particularly interested themselves, for the Victrola and records presented to this organization a few days ago. The music has been much entertainment and pleasure, especially during the tedious days of the quarantine when other sources of entertainment are not available. I assure you of the full appreciation of the entire company.

E. C. PRICE, JR.,
Captain 120th Infantry Commanding Company H.

TOBACCO CONTINUES TO ROLL IN TO WAREHOUSES HERE.

Tobacco continues to come in to the Warrenton market. Yesterday and to day two large breaks were on Warrenton warehouse floors. Farmers are satisfied with prices and give this market their endorsement.

Over two million pounds has been sold here this season.

800 NEW RED CROSS MEMBERS

Warrenton Chapter to Secure 800 New Members as Part of Ten Million Drive.

The following open letter to the Warrenton Chapter American Red Cross deserves the attention of all:

The biggest job yet is now before us! A drive for ten million members in the United States by December 25th, is on. This is not a campaign for money, but for a real expression of approval of The Red Cross from the whole Country. This is to be our National Christmas present to the "Boys in the Trenches."

The whole world is looking to us in this hour. Our allies are confident of our ability to do things, so much so that should we work right and day, we could not meet their expectations, nor reach the heights upon which their simple and beautiful faith has placed us. Our enemies say we are not in earnest. They said we should fail in the First Liberty Loan—in the Red Cross Drive for One Hundred Million Dollars—in the Second Liberty Loan—they were prepared, we are told on accurate authority, to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars in newspaper publicity in South America,—telling of our failures—But we did not fail,—we must not,—we will not fail now!!

The first step we are asking you to take, is, in consultation with your Executive Committee, to appoint as Campaign Manager for the Red Cross Christmas Membership Drive, in your Chapter, the strongest man possible, to have complete charge of your Campaign. This man must be resourceful, popular, and in every way a leader in your community. He must, also be able and willing to sacrifice time until the Campaign is over on December 25th. We will notify him of a conference to be held in some town near you, where we will meet the Campaign Managers from all chapters of your section, to give full instructions. Please call a meeting of your Executive Committee at once! Appoint your man, secure his acceptance and wire us immediately. The Time Element is the most important thing just now.

Your Chapter cannot and must not fail to take advantage of the impetus of the National Drive and to do its share in securing our Divisional quota of four hundred thousand new members and in reaching the national goal of 10,000,00 by the twenty-fifth. Kindly give this matter prompt attention as already requested wire me immediately the name of your Campaign manager. Yours very truly,
GUY E. SNAVELY, Chm.

P. S. IMPORTANT—Your Chapter is requested to secure from your jurisdiction of Warrenton and Warren county with a population of 21,000 people. * * * *

The National Membership Drive requires personal effort in each and every one of us in order that our quota of 800 additional members be raised by December 25th. With the united effort of our Auxiliaries at Ridgeway, Norlina, Wise, Macon and Arcola in addition to the good work expected of the new auxiliary to be organized on Friday night among our colored people, surely we cannot, must not fail to measure up to the requirements of our Southern Division and to meet the responsibility resting upon each one of us as a part of a great nation who in her need rightfully claims our loyalty.

Is there not one man in the County who will undertake this work for the honor of Old Warren and the good of the cause?
KATE PENDLETON ARRINGTON,
Vice-Chairman of Red Cross Society.

DOUBLE MARRIAGE AT COURT HOUSE SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Chas. I. Smith and Annie L. Pegram, and Mr. Edward Backner and Hattie B. Duke all of Petersburg, Va., were married in the Court House here Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. E. W. Baxter, officiated.

LITERARY CLUB MEETS WITH MISS E. CHANDLER TONIGHT.

The Literary Club of the Baptist Philathea Class meets with Miss Ethel Chandler at the home of Mrs. Hal T. Macon tonight at 8 o'clock.

DEC. 9TH TUBERCULOSIS SUNDAY

Preachers Asked To Observe This Day and Present This Subject to Congregations.

Ministers of every denomination, both white and colored, in the State are being asked this year to observe December 9th as Tuberculosis Sunday. Letters and literature have already been sent to 3,200 preachers in North Carolina asking that they present this timely subject to their congregation on this day. It is expected that more than 100,000 churches and other religious organizations in the country will observe Tuberculosis Sunday, this making the eighth annual observance. Fifteen hundred state and local anti-tuberculosis associations are planning programs that will bring the subject of tuberculosis to the greatest number of people on this day.

"This request is made of the churches and their pastors," says the State Board of Health, "for the main reason that a large part of the human misery to which the churches and ministers and over one seventh of all the funerals at which their clergymen officiate, are caused by this great plague. Another reason is the church is always looked to as a light-bearer. It is expected to embrace those causes making lighter the burdens of the afflicted and relieving suffering wherever it is found. The various organizations of the churches through their work of mercy and relief have a wonderful opportunity to spread the gospel of the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

"This was a work of enough importance in normal times," says the Board "but since war so intensifies this disease, greater responsibilities come to every agency that is able to fight against it. The physical examination incident to the selective draft uncovered tuberculosis in the lives of thousands of men who never suspected they had it; it is continuously being discovered at the cantonments, and yet another stream will be those returned from France who broke down with the disease under the strenuousness of war. War increases tuberculosis and increases our responsibility to keep it down."

BUYS 10,000 RED CROSS SEALS

Reviews Worthiness of Cause and Gladly Gives \$100 Check for War On Tuberculosis.

The Jefferson Standard Life Insurance company of Greensboro bought ten thousand Red Cross seals a few days ago.

In transmitting the check of the Company to Mrs. James R. Young, Chairman of the Red Cross Seal Committee in Greensboro, Mr. C. C. Taylor, Secretary of the Company, has the following to say:

"I know of no more worthy cause to which any man or corporation can contribute than the work in which you are engaged now, namely, the sale of Red Cross Seal Stamps.

"Self-preservation is the first law of nature, and in view of the fact that 75 percent of the sales of these stamps will be kept in the county of Guilford to fight tuberculosis, it should commend itself to everyone, and therefore, I think every individual and business corporation should purchase as many as possible. I am, therefore, pleased to hand you the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company's check for \$100.00, purchasing 10,000 of these stamps."

Many Supreme Courts have ruled that it was proper for corporations to use their money in this way, and it is a paying investment for any corporation that employs labor.

The Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company is progressive along many other lines, one of which we will mention at this time: It gives to every employee and policy holder an annual physical examination. In the examination of its employees last year it found two with incipient tuberculosis and paid their expenses at the State Sanatorium for six months.

IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO SAVE

Food Experts Report That It Is a Matter of Absolute Necessity To Save All Food.

Raleigh, December 3—That the food situation is much more serious than even the experts have considered it until just recently and that the critical period of the war is the next few months is the authoritative information brought to Raleigh by Dr. R. L. Wilbur, Food Administrator Herbert C. Hoover's able lieutenant, who was in consultation with officials of the State Food Administration and others leaders in conservation during the past week.

The greatest danger that threatens the Allied cause and human liberty is that there may be a collapse in France or England or Italy as a result of a food shortage. That this is a real danger is frankly recognized by those who are directing the war for the Allies. The United States and Canada are the only countries from which the Allies can draw for supplies. The transportation problem is of such a grave nature that the utmost endeavor will be required to enable the authorities to transport even from America the amount of foodstuffs that will be required. The shipping problem, in fact, is giving the authorities almost as much concern as the food problem itself.

Just how grave the food situation is may be judged from the fact that within another week we will have exported to our Allies as much wheat as our normal margin amounts to. The same is true of beef and pork products, and fats. A large quantity of sugar was long since exported. All that we can send to our Allies and to the neutrals of Europe from now on will be what we can save from our normal consumption through economy and through the substitution of vegetables and other cereals for wheat, fish, poultry, game and nitrogenous vegetables for meat. The fats and sugar we send must come through reduced consumption of these products.

The supply of these exportable products is being carefully gauged by the Food Administration experts and exports will be made as rapidly as they can be not to endanger the supply required by our own people. The first consideration of the Food Administration of course, is the welfare of the people at home and their welfare will not be endangered by shipments which will draw too heavily upon the supply which they will require. At the same time every individual is being urged and entreated to reduce his consumption of the exportable products to the very lowest possible minimum to the end that the supply available for shipping may be increased every once possible.

Not only does the success of the war depend upon the cooperation of the American people in the matter of foodstuffs but the fate of several hundred thousands of European neutrals is at stake. In fact, Dr. Wilbur brings the startling information that despite the very most that we can do, tens of thousands of neutral people in Europe will no doubt perish from starvation during the next few months. If the American people through economy and substitution save more than sufficient foodstuffs to barely suffice for our Allies the balance will be diverted to the neutral nations to save as many as possible of their people from starvation.

Every man, woman, or child in America who saves the smallest quantity of beef or pork or mutton or sugar or fats can have the satisfaction of knowing that he is not only helping to save our friends and Allies but that he is helping to save the innocent people of neutral Europe from actual starvation and death.

The old man insisted that they bury his Ford with him. Nothing would appease him until he had obtained this promise. "But why" asked loving relatives. "Well, I 'ain't never got in a hole 'twouldn't pull me out."

In the world's broad field of battle,
In the bivouac of life,
Be not like dumb, driven cattle;
Be a hero in the strife.—Longfellow

Forget others faults by remembering your own.