

FIRST INFANTRY GAINS SEVENTEEN Maryland Officers Praise Times' Publicity.

CAMPAIGN ENLISTS 79 MEN Company K Holds Record for National Guard in This Vicinity.

Further results from assistance rendered by The Washington Times to the enlistment campaign being conducted by the officers of Company K, First Maryland Infantry, is shown by the announcement today that seventeen men have enlisted in the company since the meeting at Silver Spring on June 1.

Capt. Brooke Lee, First Lieut. E. Carroll Clavel, and Second Lieut. Frank L. Hewitt, who are in charge of the campaign, were enthusiastic in their praise of The Times today for the publicity given at different stages of the campaign.

Liberal quotations from several Times' news stories have been made in posters displayed throughout Montgomery county.

Capt. Samuel Riggs, of Rockville, who commanded the machine gun company of the First Maryland Infantry at Eagle Pass, and is at present without an assignment, has co-operated in the campaign.

Needs Twenty-eight More Men. To date seventy-nine recruits have been secured, bringing the company's roll to 125 men, and making it the largest national guard company in or around Washington.

The men in the company are representatives of Montgomery county, the Silver Spring, 37; Germantown, 19; Chevy Chase, 18; Kensington, 9; Damascus, 6; Clarksburg, 6; Lay Hill, 6; Laytonsville, 5; Bowie, 5; Burkesville, 4; Bethesda, 3; Gaithersburg, 2; Cedar Grove, 2; White Oak, 1; Brookville, 1, and Brightwood, 1.

The advantages of serving with officers from their home county rather than waiting to be conscripted and serve under officers chosen from several States is being pointed out to recruits.

Every officer of the company has had three years' or more training in addition to recent border service at Eagle Pass.

To Train in South Carolina. The company has been ordered into active service on or before July 25, and will remain in Maryland for two weeks, after which it will go into a training camp at a point somewhere in South Carolina.

Those who enlisted since the Silver Spring meeting are: Ellis R. Barber, Townsend Page, Raymond S. Hall, Paul Watkins, George E. Egan, Raymond Bergdorf, Auby Beall, Ernest T. Parsley, Hillery Rose, Lawrence Smoot, William T. Poole, William C. Larman, Bush Alsmith, Charles L. Young, Raymond Decart, William Mayne, and Elmer Que.

GERARD IS TERMED AGENT OF BRITISH Other Allies Planned to Drop Russia, Editor Says.

BERLIN, via London, June 7.—Georg Bernhard makes the following assertions in the Vossische Zeitung in reply to the denial of James W. Gerard, former American ambassador to Germany, forwarded to the legation at The Hague, of a statement he is alleged to have made to the Berlin editor with respect to President Wilson's attitude on the restoration of Belgium and probable German annexations in the east.

"I can very well conceive that my statement is embarrassing to Mr. Gerard, but he cannot dispose of it with a mere denial. He not only once, but repeatedly, delivered himself of expressions which absolutely tally with the statements contained in my editorial of May 24 under the caption 'Allies.'

"My conversations with Mr. Gerard were invariably very comprehensive and frequently extended over several hours. I discussed in detail with him, as well as with Mr. Penfield, the American ambassador at Vienna, during my visit to that city, the possibilities of a Wilson peace mediation. Both gentlemen were aware that I was averse to such mediation, and Mr. Gerard naturally endeavored to convince me that intervention on the part of President Wilson was bound to be favorable to us.

"In the course of the conversations I became more and more convinced that American and English interests were closely interlocked, and that in the event of a peace mediation, both sides would be benefited.

"To stop or prevent the fermentation or souring of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid which sometimes occurs as a result of indigestion, is a task which is best accomplished by the use of a powerful and effective corrector of acid stomach, and most effective when taken in a glass of hot or cold water before the meal, or whenever gas, sourness or acidity is felt. This stops the fermentation, sweetens the stomach and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments and is a perfectly harmless and inexpensive remedy.

An antacid, such as Bismarck Magnesia which can be obtained from any druggist in either powder or tablet form enables the stomach to do its work properly without the aid of dangerous artificial stimulants. Magnesia comes in several forms, but the one sold here and taken only Bismarck Magnesia is especially prepared for the above purpose.—Adv.

view of the intimate financial relations between the two countries Mr. Wilson's endeavors would lie in the direction of bringing about a peace favorable to England. Nothing was emphasized more plainly than American consent to German territorial annexation in the East in order to persuade Germany to renounce all claims for indemnity in the shape of money or territory in the west. This idea was invariably the kernel of Mr. Gerard's expositions, which betrayed utter indifference to the fate of England's Russian ally.

"Russia was to be sacrificed by England if only for the purpose of keeping alive the animosity between Germany and Russia, the benefits of which were bound to prove a valuable political legacy in the future."

DIXIE HYMN MAKES GREAT HIT AT REVIEW New Music Stirs Hearers as Marine Band Plays.

When the thinning gray line stood by President Wilson's reviewing stand today the feet of the gray-clad warriors of a departed age beat rhythmic time to a march written by one of their number for this special occasion.

"The Dixie Hymn," the words and music by J. Altheim Brown, thus made its debut in the National Capital. A salvo of cheers went up from the spectators who watched the line sweep past the reviewing stand, and President Wilson removed his hat in tribute to the veterans as they marched by to the strains of the new Dixie song.

Mr. Brown is a Confederate veteran. Before setting the words of his new hymn to music he recited the lyric to members of Camp 171, the local branch of Confederate Veterans. The members insisted on the words being set to music. "The Dixie Hymn" is dedicated to the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Any proceeds from the sale of the hymn will be devoted to the Red Cross war service fund, Mr. Brown said today.

The Marine Band played the sprightly air as the veterans came in sight of the court of honor, and the strains at once martial and reminiscent, continued until the band had passed the President's stand. Mr. Brown will arrange to have the song placed on sale at local music shops, where it will be a treasured addition to the list of military marches that have sprung into existence since the war.

443 BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED IN LAST MONTH Expenditure of \$1,805,200 Involved in May Operations.

Four hundred and forty-three building permits, involving an expenditure of \$1,805,200, were issued in May, according to the monthly report of Building Inspector Morris Hacker.

The permits include 28 brick dwellings, \$22,700; 90 brick repairs, \$59,444; 3 apartments, \$223,000; 4 stores, \$56,235; 1 hotel, \$750,000; 3 warehouses, \$265,000; 80 garages, \$25,215; and 33 frame dwellings, \$101,800.

Table with columns for Building Type, Location, and Amount. Includes rows for Northeast, Southeast, Northwest, Southwest, and Total.

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SUNDAY PUTS BAN ON LOAN SLACKER Would Admit Subscribers Only to Tabernacle. MAY SET UP BOOTH INSIDE Plans to Have T. R. Present to Help Boost Liberty Bonds.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Special passes and signed cards of admission of all colors and shapes will go completely out of style at the Tabernacle if Billy Sunday has his way. The one real entrant will be a Liberty loan button, and without this little prize insignia planned on your breast even standing room will be denied.

"If you haven't taken a Liberty loan bond you don't need to come back here," Billy shouted to his big audience last night. And while the crowd cheered and a few hundreds began to laugh, Billy scowled and glared to prove he meant exactly what he said.

"I'm going to turn this old tabernacle into the greatest Liberty loan center in America," he went on. "I think I'll have a subscription booth set up right here on the platform, and then if you don't do your part I'll ask for a squad of soldiers, and we'll close the doors, and then you can either buy or spend the night here. It's distressing beyond words to think American people have to be begged to feed and clothe the boys who are willing to die for our liberty."

Sends Compliments To Kaiser. And while Billy was at it he stopped long enough to send his compliments to the Emperor of Germany, who is fast usurping the place of the saloon keeper as Billy's most hated enemy. "Say, I wouldn't do anything in the world that would possibly let old Kaiser Bill get one good night's sleep," he asserted. "And it hurts me like the dickens to see him get even the least little chance to laugh and mock at us."

"Russia's uncertain position is the only thing that's worrying me, and I'm tickled to death that we've got Billy Root heading our commission over there. He'll line 'em up. But I'm not worrying anyway. Germany will have to lick 'em ourselves. And don't you forget we can do it, Bud."

Trail Hitters Total 1,363. In the afternoon Billy preached to some 4,000 people on "The Potter and the Clay." His call for trail hitters brought 268 forward. At night an audience that comfortably filled the great pine building heard his sermon on "The Atonement." His invitation for converts was answered by 1,096, making a total for the day of 1,363.

"The doctrine of universal salvation is a damnable lie that crawled out of the pit of hell," Billy asserted in his night sermon. "Christ died for all, but you must come to Him to be saved. If it wasn't for His atoning blood you might as well rip the roofs off the churches and burn them down. They wouldn't be worth the lumber it took to build them."

"A fellow once said to me, 'Say, Bill, I don't like your slaughter house religion.' I told him 'You can call it that if you want to, but if you want to keep out of hell the only way you can do it is by faith in the blood of Jesus Christ.' But let me tell you folks that I don't blame people half as much for believing in all these fake isms as I do the muts who are preaching them."

"And if any one tells me he has

TRINITY COLLEGE PATRIOTIC One Freshman Only 17 Enlists in Marine Service.

DURHAM, N. C., June 7.—A roll call of the classes of Trinity College finds among the absent students from commencement exercises Allison Page, a seventeen-year-old nephew of Ambassador Walter H. Page. He left college before the completion of his freshman year, and has enlisted in active service at Fort Royal, S. C. He entered the marine service against the advice of his college chums. He was thought to be too young.

John H. Small, jr., son of Congressman John H. Small of North Carolina, was among the senior class of Trinity College to enlist before receiving his diploma. He is in service at Fort Myer. Thirty members of the senior class of Trinity College have enlisted for training at Fort Oglethorpe.

NORTHCLIFFE COMES ONLY FOR BUSINESS Balfour's Successor Contemplates Only Strict Business. NOT ON BANQUETING TOUR Will Make First Call at British Embassy.

LONDON, June 7.—Lord Northcliffe is going to the United States for business. He is not going for a speech-making or banqueting tour, but means business, and will start his work at once from an office in downtown New York.

This is his own idea of his post as successor to Foreign Minister Balfour at the head of the British war mission. He explained his plans in an interview just prior to his departure, which is published today, now that England's famous publicist and publisher is about to arrive in America.

"I am not going on a speech-making or banqueting tour," Lord Northcliffe declared. "I propose taking of firsts down town in New York, where I can confer on the many business interests involved in the British and allied missions."

"The high honor conferred on me by the British government in probably due more to the fact that I am very much at home in America, and have countless friends there, than to any particular merit of my own. I am hopeful not only of imparting any war lessons which I may have learned from many visits to the war to my American friends, but also to derive ideas which are certain to be evolved by American natural genius for invention."

"I feel much diffidence in succeeding so important and charming a person as Balfour, but I shall do my best to harmonize the work of the allied mission and I may say to facilitate the enlistment of as many British subjects now in the United States as possible."

"On my arrival I shall, of course, first report at the British embassy in Washington."

Northcliffe's one expressed regret was that his post would prevent his being in Europe at the time of the forthcoming Irish convention, in which he has taken such a keen interest.

SEEK NEW HIGH SCHOOL Chevy Chase Citizens Take Up Subject at Final Meeting. At its final meeting of the season, the Chevy Chase Citizens' Association last night named Dr. D. G. Davis, chairman of the committee on public schools, to confer with neighboring associations relative to the establishment of a high school north and west of Rock Creek. At present most of the high school students of that section attend the Central High School.

A committee, headed by E. F. Coladay, was named to find out what, if any, building restrictions are in force in subdivisions adjoining Chevy Chase. The committee will report at the next meeting of the association, which will be the first Wednesday in October.

AMUSEMENTS NATIONAL TONIGHT, 8:30. MATINEE SATURDAY, 2c, 5c, 10c, 15c. ABORN. Comedy Opera & Musical Comedy Company. MILE TRINITY'S GREATEST SUCCESS. (NAUGHTY MARIETTA) Next Week—The Spring Maid. Boat Sailing.

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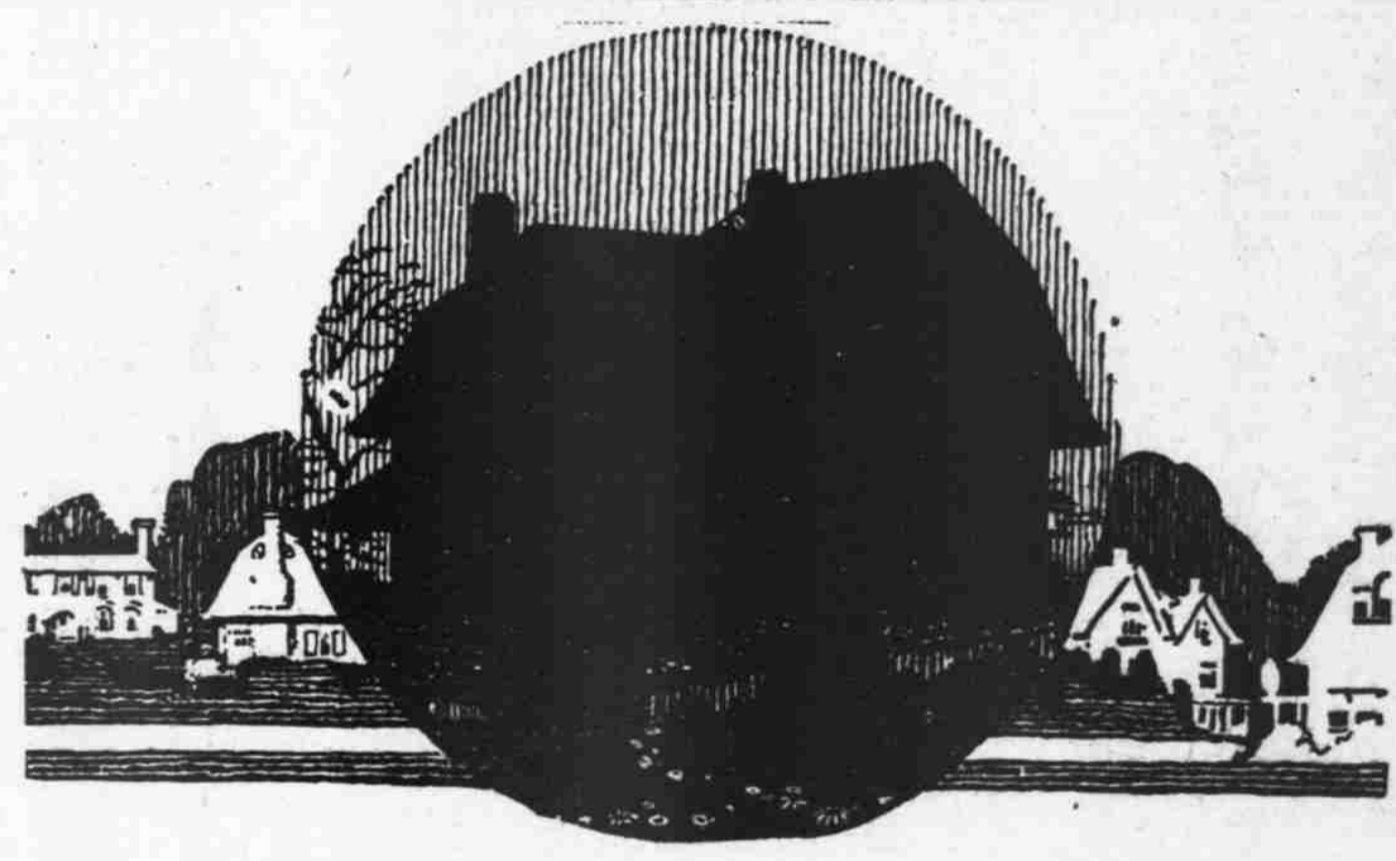
DOLI'S THEATER Tonight at 8:15 Mat. Tomorrow at 2:15. All Seats 5c. THE POPULAR The Famous POLI PLAYERS The Famous Southern Play. "The Warrens of Virginia" Next Week—"The Heart of Woman." NOTE—The entire gross receipts this week of the Poli circuit of 25 theaters will be converted into LIBERTY BONDS. Every cent of admission in every Poli Theater is a loan to Uncle Sam.

LOEW'S COLUMBIA Continuous, 10:30 A. M. to 11 P. M. Mon., Fri., Sat. 10:30 P. M. to 12:30 A. M. NOW PLAYING JACK PICKFORD in "Freckles" Extra—Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle in "A Reckless Romeo"

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will not count. A committee of men and women of national standing will act as judges. Your idea may win one of these prizes! Address your solution: Contest Department, Pathe Exchange, 6th & F Sts. N.W., Washington, D. C. No replies considered after August 12th, 1917.



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