May 2.-Russians abandon Mush,

May 7.—Orders given to raise 11,000

engineers here for work in France.

May 15 .- New Italian offensive be

May 16.-Announced squadron of

persons in Dover and Folkestone.

ing China to maintain order.

June 12.-King Constantine of

June 13.-In greatest air raid so far

on London, 153 are killed and 430 in-

morphine fiend. Duma demands imme-

June 19.-United States Admiral

diate offensive by Russian troops.

subscriptions total \$3,035,226,850.

the hundred million dollars sought.

States army in France announced.

June 29.-Greece breaks diplomatic

June 30 .- Russians begin big offen-

July 1.-Washington announce

July 3.-Government tells of two

ing Pershing's men; one U-boat sunk,

Russia announces 6,000 more prison-

ers. Germans make vain five-mile of-

July 5.-Republicans and monarch

July 6.-Leaders of German spy sys-

July 8.-Wilson orders export em-

Germany. British foreign office states

German crops this summer will not be

to build 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 tons in

18 months, instead of the 2,500,000 to

July 9.—British dreadnaught Van-

July 10.-Germans in sudden drive

Yser river and capture 1,250 men.

3,000,000 originally aimed at.

killed.

ists battle 35 miles from Peking.

tem in United States arrested.

relations with the central powers.

on four-mile front before Lens.

ese empire re-established.

air raid on Harwich.

of 2,000,000.

sian armies.

trograd.

May 26.—Germany announces she

will sink hospital ships without

warning unless they obey certain strict

ment of Jews in Palestine by Turks.

the Aisne take 6,100 prisoners.

sia and civil war is feared.

sinkings are serious.

Armenia, to the Turks.

PRINCIPAL EVENTS IN THIRD YEAR OF THE WAR

000,000. U-53 arrives in a German Aug. 1, 1916.-Merchantman U-boat Deutschland leaves Baltimore homeward bound on first trip. Somme bat-4,731 in new offensive. tle continues. Russians in heavy battle after crossing Stokhod river. August 2.-Russians within ten

miles of Kovel. August 3.-French recapture part of Fieury, near Verdun. Sir Roger

Casement hanged in London for participation in Irish revolt. August 4.-French take Thiaumont,

near Verdun. August 5.-British overwhelm Turks

at Romani, near Suez canal, August 6.-Russians cross rivers Sereth and Graberka and take six vil-

ages from Austrians. August 8.-Italians take Gorizia bridgehead and capture 10,000 prisoners. Russian General Letchitzky takes two towns and many villages. August 9.-Gorizia falls to Italians

in great offensive. Austrians near Stanislau withdraw on wide front. August 10.-Russians take Stanislau.

August 11.-Allies seize Doiran in Balkan drive. August 13.-Austrians evacuate line

of the Strypa river. August 14.—Russians capture Tusto-

August 15,-Russians take Jablonitza, near Carpathian pass.

August 16.-Allies take three miles of trenches near the Somme. Announced Russians have taken 358,000 prisoners since June 4, 1916, when

drive began. August 18.-Russians advance three miles into Hungary.

August 20.-British advance on 11mile front at Thiepval, near Somme river. Allies attack on 150-mile front in Balkans. Two British light cruisers and one or two German U-boats sunk in North Sea battle.

August 22.-Announced big Russian contingent has landed at Saloniki. August 23.-The Deutschland reaches Bremep.

August 24.—Russians recapture Mush, Armenia.

August 27.-Roumania declares war on Teutons and invades Transylvania. Italy formally declares war on Ger-

August 29.-Kaiser makes Von Hindenburg chief of staff of all German armies in place of Von Falkenhayn. August 31.-Roumanians cross Dan-

ube and occupy Rustchuk, Bulgaria. Austrians fall back in Transylvania. September 2.-Roumanians, far in Transylvania, take Hermannstadt.

Zeppelins raid London and one is brought down in flames. September 3.-Allies take three villages on Somme. Roumanians capture

Orsova, Austria. Germans and Bulgars invade the Dobrudja. September 4.-French take five more of war aims.

is two days, 6,000, September 6.-Teutons take Danube city of Turtukai and 20,000 Rouma-

September 8.-Roumanians and Rus- of peace.

sians drive foe back a little in Dobrudia. September 10.-Teutons take Rou-

manian fortress of Silistria. September 11.-British drive across

Struma river in Balkens. September 12.-Allies capture three

mile line on Somme, Roumanians overwhelmed in Dobrudja. September 15.-British take Ger-

man Somme positions on six-mile front. Use "tanks" for first time in

September 18.-Allies take Florina, Macedonia.

September 19.—Serbs fight their way back onto their own soil.

September 21.-Russians and Roumanians announce they have thrown back the invaders in Dobrudja. September 22.—Announced allies

between July 1 and September 18. September 23.—Roumanians in Do-1tente, in supplementary note to Wilson,

pelins invade England; one burned, another captured. September 25.-Allies advance along German port with 469 prisoners, 15-mile front on Somme, Venizelos January 22. - Wilson makes his

leaves Athens to lead revolt against King Constantine. September 26.-Allies take Combles

and Thiepval in Somme battle. September 30.-Von Falkenhayn Russians are forced back near Riga. routs Roumanians at Hermannstadt,

Transylvania. October 1.-A Roumanian army crossed the Danube.

October 2.-Another Zeppelin shot down near London. October 4.-Mackensen drives Rou-

manian invaders of Bulgaria back to- President Wilson in address to senate ward Danube.

October 5.-Roumanians fiee across interned German warships. the Danube. Serbs cross Cerna river | February 4.-Wilson asks neutrals in drive on Monastir.

October 7.—German submarine U-53 visits Newport, R. I., on mysterious mission. Sinks five ships off Narragansett Light night of October 7-8. marine shelled lifeboat of British October 8.-Roumanians driven back steamer Eavestone.

to Transylvania frontier. October 10.-Roumanians in rout flee through mountain passes. October 11.-Greece turns over her

fleet to France on allies' demand. Ital- nia, one American aboard, sunk, unians, resuming Carso drive, take 5,- warned, off Ireland; 41 lives lost. 000 prisoners. October 22.-Roumanians in Do- ful.

brudia retreat hastily.

October 23 .- Teutons occupy Constanza, principal Roumanian seaport. affirming Prussian treaties with the Germans throw Russians back across United States, but he refuses.

Narayuvka river. October 24.-French take 3,500 prisoners at Verdun.

Sanadian Soldier Still Living Because He Had Volume in Pocket and Was Not Reading It.

clinations did not desert him when his by the book. family settled on a farm in western Canada. All through the war he has prove the occasion, G "beat him to it" breast pocket, and occasionally he does | best preaching manner started in: some preaching, with his comrades in

lacked the upbringing and the book of mons-as he ought to have been-in- and they are the best food that grows. sermons, but possesses a sense of stead of engaging in worldly conver-

October 25.—Roumanian city of Cer- Germany has asked parley with Unit- 8. Guatemala breaks off relations with avoda falls. Defenders blow up great ed States through Swiss minister at Germany. Washington and been snubbed. Germany masses five army corps to over- French armies in place of Nivelle. October 26.-Light craft clash in English channel. Six British drift-net | awe Holland.

France without delay. February 13.—British hem in Turks at Kut-el-Amara, Mesopotamia.

February 15. - Germany releases New London, Conn., on second trans-American Yarrowdale prisoners. February 17.-Learn German embassy gave orders for crippling of Ger-

man merchantmen here before publication of ruthless warfare note. November 2.—Germans evacuate February 20.-Austria backs Ger-Fort Vaux, at Verdun. Italians take many in ruthless warfare. Food riots November 3.—Italians take 3.495 in New York, probably stirred up by Germans.

German agents. February 22.—Germany torpedoe seven Dutch ships leaving Falmouth claim kingdom of Poland. Italians announce, have taken 40,365 Austrians in violation of her pledge.

February 23.—British stringently re-November 9.—Teutons driven back strict imports to fight submarine war. February 25.-Germans make "strategic" retirement on Ancre front. La-November 13.-British advance north conia, British ship, sunk unwarned off | ping building for her here.

Ireland; two American women killed. November 15.—England announces February 26.-President asks con- gins. gress for authority to arm American November 17.-News received of merchantcraft. British capture Kutwholesale deportations of Belgians for el-Amara.

February 28.—Germany's plot to ally week. Mexico and Japan with her against the United States and her promise of scription law, calling on 10,000,000 men, November 21.—Emperor Francis Jovealed. cis becomes ruler. Teutons take Crai-

March 1.-President Wilson con- 6,432 prisoners. firms story of German attempt to incite Mexico and Japan. Tokyo de- Corso offensive, taking 9,000 prisoners nounces plot. House passes bill to first day. German airplanes kill 76

arm ships, 403 to 13. March 3.-Russians take Hamadan,

Persia, from Turks. March 4-President Wilson denounces "willful men" in senate who rules about the courses they take. Anfilibustered against armed ship bill, nounced Italy has captured 22,414 Auskilling it by ending of administra- trians since May 14. tion term. British take over 25-mile Somme front from French. President dictator by royalists of China. takes outh of office for second term.

March 6.-President's advisers tell him he has power to arm ships with- General Brusiloff made head of Rusout action of congress. March 7.-Berlin admits sending in-

tercepted Zimmermann note to Mex-March 9.-President calls extra con-

offensive. gress session for April 16. March 11.—British capture Bagdad. Russian revolution starts. Petrograd

troops desert government. March 12.-German U-boat shells and sinks United States merchant tors arrive in France. ship Algonquin without warning.

relations with Germany. March 15.-Czar abdicates. Russia renounces throne, bringing publisher, arrives to co-ordinate Brit- knew. Romanoff dynasty to an end. Duma ish missions in United States.

in control. March 17.—Germans begin big re- Greece abdicates in favor of his sectreat on west front. Announced vote ond son, Alexander, at command of the of Russian people will decide form of allies. government.

March 18.-News received of sinkng of American ships City of Mem- jured. Pershing reaches Paris, Elihu phis, Illinois and Vigilancia by U- Root and American mission in Peboats: 22 men missing. March 21.-Wilson calls on congress

to both sides in war asking their aims. Twenty lost when United States tanker | Irish rebels. Healdton, bound for Holland, is sunk by U-boat in North sea.

mobilization of National Guard to pro- | nine months' imprisonment in Berlin | soil. tect property from German plotters. for extorting \$30,000 from the mother | July 28.—Serbia having agreed to

Navy ordered to get ready. March 27.-Fifteen thousand more National Guardsmen called out.

April 3.-Wilson asks declaration of state of war by congress. Germans drive Russians across Stokhod river, taking a large number of pris- off Ireland. oners.

April 4 .- Senate passes war resolution. 82 to 6.

April 5.-House passes war resolu ion 373 to 50. April 6.-President signs congress

resolution and proclaims state of war. port scores British civil and military Belgium. Government takes over German liners, leaders. Canadians within one mile April 7.—Cuba declares war on Ger- of Lens, great French coal center.

April 9.-Austria-Hungary breaks diplomatic relations with United States. British storm Vimv Ridge. taking 6.000 prisoners on first day of tween the entente nations and Gerbattle. Wilson joins fight to raise many. new armies by universal service prin-

April 10.-British prisoners at Vimy reach 11,000. Brazil breaks diplomatic relations with Germany, Brit- rensky leads attack. Haig gains mile Turkey. ish advance 50 miles beyond Bagdad. April 11.-Herbert C. Hoover, ac-

cepts offer to direct food supplies of United States. April 13.-British cut into Hinden-

burg line. President defines war zone in her offensive number 10,273. Chinoff coast. April 14.-House passes seven bil

ion war loan bill. April 15.-Wilson calls on nation to support him in war.

April 16 .- French in 25-mile offensive toward the "Ladies Roard" and | fensive at Verdun. in Champagne take 10,000 prisoners first day.

April 17.-Big war credit passes senate. German wounded die when U-boats sink British hospital ships Donegal and Lanfrano without warning. April 18.-French prisoners in ner

offensive total 17,000. April 19.-Fight is started for prohibition during war. American freight- 197. er Mongolia sinks a U-boat-the first American victory of the war.

April 20 .-- In confused night battle of destroyers in English Channel British and German vessels lock, and crews fight with cutlasses.

April 21.—Balfour commission from Great Britain reaches United States. April 24.-French commission arrives in United States.

April 25.-U-boats sink 64 British vessels in week, it is announced, causing alarm in Britain. Wilson tells Balfour United States will not make a separate peace. United States makes first foreign war loan-\$200,000,000 to

April 28.—House votes conscription February 12.-Announced officially army bill, 397 to 24, and senate, 81 to Halicz, Galicia.

Cheap and Good.

Mac (priceless old thing) have been distempers. Parsnips are cheap, good, Live on carrots for a week and you

April 29.—Petain chosen to lead July 12.—Widespread labor disorders in West caused by Industrial Workers Joffre asks United States army in of the World; German agents suspected. Chang Hsun, leader of Chinese May 2.—Announce first Liberty Loan monarchists, flies to Dutch legation in bond issue will be \$2,000,000,000. Sec-Peking. retary of State Lansing warns U-boat

Kalusz

July 13.—British bring down 30 German airplanes on west front in biggest air battle so far.

July 14.—Chancellor Bethmann-Holl-May 3.-News received of mistreatweg resigned and Dr. G. E. Michaelis succeeded him. Germans took French May 4.-French take Craonne from posts south of Courcy. House passed \$640,000,000 aviation bill. May 6.-French in second battle of

July 15. - French took important hills positions from Germans south of

July 16.-Russians took Lodziany May 10.-Critical situation in Rusfrom Austrians, but evacuated Kalusz. July 17. - French took German May 14.—Great Britain turns over trenches near Melancourt. Three ish and 18 German warships sunk. to United States 1,024,500 tons of shipmembers of Russian cabinet resigned; riots in Petrograd suppressed. Shakeup in British cabinet.

July 18.-Increased activity on Roumanian front. Russians took part of witz, capital of Bukowina, in great of-American destroyers is assisting the Novica.

July 19.—Great German attack be-British; U-boat losses sink to 26 in tween Craonne and Hurtebise partly capture Mecca; new kingdom estab-May 18.—President proclaims consuccessful. Chancellor Michaelis de- lished. clared for submarine warfare. Russeph of Austria dies and Charles Fran- three American states to Mexico re- aged twenty-one to thirty-one years, sians driven back in Vilna region. Teuto register June 5. Italians announce tons make advances in Galicia.

July 20.-Draft for American Na-May 25.—Italy launches renewed tional army held. Premier Lvoff of Russia succeeded by Kerensky. Germany called 2,000,000 of her youngest men to the colors.

> July 21.—Senate passed food control Galicia. and aviation bills. Russians in disorderly retreat, burning villages.

July 22.—German aviators raided England, killing 11 in coast towns, but were driven away from London. Siam June 3.—General Chang Hsun named declared state of war with Germany and Austria-Hungary.

June 5.—United States registers for the army draft without disorder. powers as dictator of Russia. Ger- down. mans lost heavily in attacks along the Chemin des Dames,

June 7.-British blow up Messines July 24-Goethals, Denman and White out of shipping board; Rear Ad- fers peace to her enemies. ridge; explosion heard in London; 5,000 prisoners taken on first day of miral Capps, E. N. Hurley and Bain- December 21. - President Wilson bridge Colby succeeded them. Mc- asks both sides to define their war June 8.-General Pershing, com-Adoo asked congress for \$5,000,000,000 aims. mander of American expedition, ar- more for war. Russians evacuated rives in England. Secretary of War Stanislau, their whole line periled. Baker plans for 100,000 American air- French defeated Germans on Craonne planes. One hundred American avia-

July 25-Division of traitrous Rus-June 9.-Wilson tells Russia what sian troops blown to pieces by own States enter world league at close of March 14.—China breaks diplomatic United States is fighting for. Japan artillery as part of General Korniloff's war. offended by United States note urg- measures to restore order. Lenine, Russian pacifist agitator, captured af- less submarine warfare on all ships, March 16.—Grand Duke Michael of June 11.—Lord Northeliffe, famous ter greatest man hunt Russia ever

100 MOST IMPORTANT **EVENTS IN GREAT WAR**

June 28, 1914.—Archduke Ferdinand, heir presumptive to Austria's throne, and wife assassinated at Serajavo, June 15.-Liberty loan oversubto meet April 2 instead of April 16. scribed. Great Britain frees all the Bosnia, by Slav student, Princip, giving the pretext for war.

June 17.—Doctor Ivers, who wrote July 23.—Austria delivers famous Germany's official reply to the Bel- ultimatum to Serbia, charging assas-March 25.—President orders partial gian atrocity charges, is sentenced to sination plot was hatched on Serb

of a soldier by threats; evidence all Austria demands save one, Austria shows he is a chronic drunkard and declares war. August 1.-Germany declares war on

Russia. August 3.-Germany declares war on France and invades Belgium.

Sims put in command of allied fleet August 4.-Great Britain declares a state of war by act of Germany. June 22.-Announced Liberty loan August 21-24-Battle of Mons-Char-June 25 .- American Red Cross camleroi: Germans victorious.

paign closes, with subscriptions over August 23.-Japan at war with Ger June 26 .- Official Mesopotamian re-August 27 .- Germans burn Louvain.

August 29.-Russians crushed in battle near Tannenburg, Prussia. September 5-10.—Germans turned June 27.-Arrival of first United back by French and British in the

battle of the Marne June 28.-Brazil joins in war by annulling her decree of neutrality be-September 12.-Battle of the Aisne begins. October 9.-Germans capture Ant-

> werp. October 21-31.-First battle Ypres. October 30.-Russia declares war on

sive in Galicia. War Minister Ke-November 1.-Germans sink Admiral Cradlock's British fleet off Chili.

United States is ready to equip army November 10-12.-Second battle at Ypres. July 2.—Russian prisoners counted December 1.-German General De Wet captured, ending South African

December 5.-Serbians defeat Aussubmarine attacks on transports beartrians.

December 8.—British sink German fleet off Falkland islands. January 24, 1915.-Naval battle in North sea; German cruiser Bluecher

July 4.-Eleven killed in German sunk. February 8.-Russians suffer second great defeat in East Prussia. February 17.-Germans begin sub-

protest. July 7.—Twenty-two German Gotha March 22.-Russians take Przemysl, airplanes, mounting four guns each, Galicia after long siege. raid London, killing 43 and injuring April 22.-Gas first used in war by

Germans at Ypres. April 25.-Allies land at Dardabargo on food, fuel and many other

things to prevent supplies reaching May 4.—Beginning of great German offensive against Russia. May 7.—Lusitania sunk unwarned by above 40 per cent of normal. United U-boat: 1,000 die, of whom more than

States shipping board states expects 100 are Americans. May 22.—Italy declares war on Aus-June 2.-Teutons retake Przemysl. August 5.-Germans capture War-

guard blown up; all but two aboard September 1.-Germany promises United States to sink no more liners along seacoast beat British back to without warning. September 8.—Czar succeeds Grand

Duke Nicholas in command of Russian Crisis over electoral reforms and war aims in Germany. Russians take armies. September 15.-Germans capture aviation bills.

SAVED BY BOOK OF SERMONS had a plous upbringing in his early a German sniper hit Private Mac in of his book of sermons, where, oh, grows. It is so healthful that it is it might be said in retort that they home in Scotland, and his religious in- the breast, the bullet being deflected where, my dear friends, would Brother said a steady diet of it will cure many are low-browed people who think so.

> At Last! "There is only one thing in this war that gives me any comfort," remarked

Mr. Cumrox. "What's that?"

GRAIN CROPS ARE PROMISING

Western Canada 1917 Crops in Good Shape.

by that time.

November 25.-Teutons cross Alt river and sweep rapidly through Roumania.

dosion; 200 killed.

bridge across Danube.

more prisoners.

since fall of Gorizia.

twelve miles in Dobrudja.

forced labor in Germany.

Macedonia.

of Ancre; take 3,300 prisoners.

food controller will be appointed.

November 19 .- Allies take Monastir,

ova in drive on western Roumania.

Imperatrita Maria sunk by internal ex-

November 23.—Russian dreadnaught

November 24.—Teutons capture Tur-

nu-Severin and Orsova from Rouma

one German destroyer sunk.

boats, a transport and a destroyer and

November 1.-Deutschland reaches

Atlantic trip with cargo worth \$10,-

November 5.-Central powers pro-

November 26,-Venizelos party declares war on Germany and Bulgaria. Teutons invading Roumania from north and south form junction.

November 27.-Teutons take Alexandria, Roumania. Zeppelins raid England; two downed by gunfire. November 29.—Beatty replaces Jellioe in command of Brifish fleet.

December 2.-French and Greeks ico. clash in Athens streets. Teutons win great battle for Bucharest. December 6.-Bucharest falls.

December 7.-Lloyd George becomes premier of Great Britain. December 8. - Twenty-seven thousand Roumanians surrender.

December 10.-Deutschland arrives

December 12.-Germany announces she is ready for peace parleys. December 14.-Russia officially rebuffs German peace offer.

December 15.—French under Nivelle

take 9,000 prisoners on seven-mile front at Verdun. Nivelle then leaves to become commander in chief of all France's home armies. Buzcu and all Wallachia lost to Roumanians December 18.-Russian troops take

over whole Roumanian front. December 19.-Lloyd George tells commons Germans must make restitution and reparation to get peace. December 20.-Wilson sends notes

December 24.—Switzerland officially indorses Wilson's plea for statement villages on Somme; allies' prisoners | December 25.—Teutons take 9,000 Russians in Roumania. December 26.—Germany replies to

Wilson, suggesting peace conference, but not stating own war aims or terms December 30 .- Allies in reply to German peace proposal call offer empty

and insincere and refuse conference. December 31-King Constantine of Greece thanks President Wilson for his note to the belligerents.

January 4, 1917.—British transport Icernia sunk by U-boat in Mediterranean: 150 lost. January 5.-House of representatives rules committee begins investigation of Wall street "leak" of Wilson

peace note news. January 6 .- Russians retreat across Sereth river in Roumania. January 8.—Russians launch offen-

sive near Riga. January 11 .- Allies in reply to Wilson note outline aims, but refuse to parley with an unbeaten Germany. January 17.-Learn German raider took 55,800 prisoners in Somme battle Moewe has sunk 21 ships and seized three others in South Atlantic En-

brudja driven back in disorder. Zep- amplifies war alms. January 19.-British steamer Yarrowdale, Moewe's prize, reaches a

"peace without victory" address in senate, demanding United States enter world league at close of war. January 24.-After initial successes January 25.-Mine sinks British aux-

iliary cruiser Laurentic off Irish coast. January 31.-Germany declares ruthless submarine war, revoking all pledges to the United States. February 3.-United States severs diplomatic relations with Germany.

outlines crisis. United States seizes to break with Germany, United States reserve fleet ordered in service.

February 5 .- Announced American seaman was killed when German sub-February 6.-Learned Germany is

holding United States Ambassador Gerard. February 7.-British liner Califor-Spain calls new U-boat decree unlaw-

February 8.—Germany tries to get Ambassador Gerard to sign a paper re-February 10.—Gerard finally allowed Great Britain.

to leave Berlin.

carried "Spurgeon's Sermons" in his and in a fair imitation of his friend's

"Oh, dear friends, what a blessed cheapest. There are carrots, salsify, thing it was that our dear brother parsnips, lettuce and such stuff. They

Some of the best foods are the says the Columbus (O.) State Journal.

wholesome. Anybody who doesn't win the prize offered for the best song like the taste of a parsnip has his on Ohio. palate put in wrong. Lettuce is cheap and a lettuce sandwich is royal food. Anyone who starves while these things are on the market, to be bought for a on life. There is more health in them

aile it is a little early to predict ant the Western Canada grain crop will produce there is every indication at the present writing that the 1917 crop will give an excellent return. Reports received from all portions of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta speak of good growing weather, a fairly advanced stage of all grains, with prospects as good as in the past two years. Should conditions continue as at present, it is safe to conclude that Western Canadian farmers, already free of debt, as a result of the splendid crops and prevailing high prices, expect from this season's returns to be in a position that will place them away beyond any fear

of the future. The acreage of Western Canada will be about the same as last year. Seeding was somewhat later than last year, but germination was quicker. The only possible drawback now would seem to be a scarcity of harvest hands, but it is felt by the authorities that the situation will be pretty well cared for

Land values are increasing, but there is room for a much greater increase than in the past, owing to the returns that farmed land will give when compared with its cost. In some districts land that could have been bought five years ago for \$15 an acre is changing hands at \$60 an acre, the seller satisfied that he is giving the purchaser good value for his money. And why not, when it is known that in a great many cases during the past two years crops have been grown on this land that have produced a profit of forty and fifty dollars per acre, over and above cost of production. These cases, while not general, were not exceptional.

In addition to the lands that are offered for sale by railway companies, land companies and private individuals, the homesteading areas offer great inducements for those who are willing to do a little pioneering for a year or two. By that time settlements would come into existence, and this means a condition similar to that enjoyed by many of the older settlements of today--schools, churches, railways, The land is of high-class quality, strong and vigorous, easily worked, and capable of producing the very best of crops.

The demand for all grains for some years will be great, and it will require all the resources of man, beast and March 11.—British capture Bagdad. soil to meet it. That the prices will March 11.-Russian revolution starts. be good goes without saying, but at the present time there is something more appealing than the lucrative prices that prevail. That is, the desire to April 3.-Wilson asks congress to assist in winning the world war. The man at the plow is doing his "bit," and April 6.—President signs congress the spirit of patriotism that prevails will lead him into a broader sphere of action. No matter where he may be he April 7 .- Cuba declares war on Gerwill look about him that he may find April 9.-Austria-Hungary breaks land to further develop the country's resources. It is possible that his own state may furnish the land, in which case he will be quick to take advantage of the offer. If land in his April 10.-Brazil breaks diplomatic own state is not available. Canada April 16.—French in great offensive (now our ally) will be glad to furnish it in unlimited quantity, as she is vitally interested in largely increasing the supply of foodstuff which is now as urgently needed and is as valuable as ammunition to the allied countries.

The appeal made by Mr. Hoover, United States controller of foods, and also by Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canadian controller, emphasizes the need of the tion of the waste in food, and bespeaks whole-hearted public co-operation, Speaking of Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium and their European allies, they say:

"For nearly three years their man power has been engaged in the direct work of war, and in some cases large areas of their most productive lands have been overrun by the enemy. Their food shortage and the food to supply the armies of Canada and the United States must be wholly provided from this side of the Atlantic. The supply must also be sufficient to cover losses at sea. Australia, New Zealand, the Argentine Republic and other countries are not now available to relieve the situation because of their remoteness and the shortage of tonnage.

"The crop of storeable foods grown in Canada and the United States suitable for shipment overseas threatens to be entirely inadequate to meet the demand unless the whole people determine by every means in their power. to make up the shortage. Every individual is under a direct obligation to assist in rationing the allied forces. There must be national self-denial and national co-operation to provide the necessary supplies."-Advertisement.

She Didn't Have One.

Mrs. Worrimore-Why can't you get up as early as the cook? You both occupy the same room with an alarm clock, but you're always at least an hour late.

Tilly, the Second Maid-Yes'm, but the alarm clock belongs to the cook an' I ain't got one.

Preliminaries. "I want, dear, to give a blow-out." "Then first, my own, we must raise

the wind." Often bric-a-brac is sold for junk, but more often junk is sold for brie-

Spain last year imported 16,383 tons of coffee, compared with 15,974 tons in 1915 and 13.873 in 1914.

Granulated Eyelids. Eyes inflamed by expo-sure to Sun, Bust and Wind quickly relieved by Muring Druggiste or by mail 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Tubes 25c. For Book of the Eye FREE ask Murine Eve Bemedy Co. Chi. CS Eye Remedy. No Smarting

a-brac.—Milwaukee Journal.

From the trenches on the western front by way of Canada comes the story of a soldier's narrow escape from arms as the congregation. death and the levity displayed by a comrade, illustrating how viewpoints

change when men get on the firing

humor. The two were in a group sation with sinful soldier men. For if Carrots have the rarest combination

Fearing that Mac was about to im- then?"

Private G of the same regiment wasn't a-reading of his book of ser- have not advanced in price very much, few cents, has not much of a claim Private Mac of an Alberta regiment resting and smoking when a shot from dear Brother Mac had been a-reading of food qualities of anything that think they are a low-brow food, but approve of Wagner opera."

than in porterhouse steak or oyster cocktails. Some people affect to on and Octond I Gen Michael Alexiell. Will receipts I the topect of clearing up its stilling i

France capture 25,000. October 5.-Allies land at Saloniki. October 9.—Germans occupy Belgrade.

September 24-25.-Allies in drive in

October 10.-Bulgaria attacks Ser-

July 11.-Russians see: town of Pinsk-high tide in invasion of Russia.

December 9.—Germany announces Serbia is entirely conquered.

December 19.-Allies evacuate Gallipoli. February 14, 1916.—Russians capture

Erzerum, Turkey.

February 23.-Germans open Verda offensive. April 18.-Russians take Trebizond, Turkey.

April 24.-Irish revolt in Dublin. April 28.—British besieged in Kut-el-Amara, Mesopotamia, surrender. May 30.-Battle of Jutland: 14 Brit

June 5.-Lord Kitchener drowned when cruiser Hampshire is torpedoed north of Scotland. June 17.-Russians retake Czerno-

June 20 .- Arabs rebel from Turkey,

June 27.-British and French in great drive in west.

July 9.—Submarine merchantman Deutschland reaches Baltimore. July 27.—Russians retake Brody, northern Galicia.

August 9.-Italians take Gorizia.

July 10.-Russians take Stanislau, August 28.-Roumania enters war on side of the entente, and invades Transylvania.

September 6.—Germany begins great squeeze on Roumania. November 10.-First great air bat tle of world's history; 67 British, July 23.-Kerensky given absolute French and German airplanes brought

> December 5.-Teutons take Bucharest. December 11.-Germany openly prof-

January 17, 1917.—News received German cruiser Moewe has taken 24 ships in South Atlantic. January 22.-Wilson asking "peace without victory," demands United

whatever nationality, in the war zones. February 3.-United States severs liplomatic relations with Germany. February 26.-President asks congress for authority to arm all Ameri-

can vessels.

January 31 .- Germany declares ruth-

el-Amara. February 28.—Zimmermann note suggesting alliance of Mexico and Japan with Germany against United States made public.

February 26.—British capture Kut-

March 17.—Germans begin big "strategic retirement" on west front. declare a state of war with Germany. resolution proclaiming war.

March 15.-Czar abdicates.

many. diplomatic relations with United April 9 .- British storm Vimy Ridge.

relations with Germany.

near Aisne river. April 19.-American freighter Mongolia sinks a submarine, this being the first American victory of the war. April 28.-Both houses of congress

pass selective draft army bill.

May 15.-Big Italian offensive in Carso begins. June 3.-Chinese royalists name Chang Hsun dictator; Germans assist allies, urges economy and the prevenplot.

army draft without disorder. June 7.—British blow up Messines ridge: explosion heard in London. June 8.—General Pershing reaches England.

June 12.-King Constantine

June 5.-Americans register

Greece abdicates; nation prepares to join allies. June 13.-153 killed, 430 injured in London by German airplane raid. June 15.-United States Liberty Loan closes, with billion oversub-

June 27.—Announce arrival of first American army in France. June 28.-Brazil joins in war. June 30.-Russians begin big offensive in Galicia led by War Minister

scription.

Kerensky in person.

injure 197, in London.

July 2.-Chinese empire declared re established; republicans prepare to remarine blockade, despite American sist. July 7 .- Twenty-two German airplanes of immense new type kill 43,

> July 8.-Wilson orders export embargo. July 12.-Chinese empire falls; Chang Hsun flees to Dutch legation in Peking. July 13.-In biggest air battle so far

British claim downing of 30 German

planes on west front. July 14.-Von Bethmann-Hollweg. German imperial chancellor, resigns and the kaiser appoints Dr. Georg Michaelis in his place.

July 19.-Russians in Galicia mu

tiny and are routed by Germans. July 20 .- Draft for American National army held. July 20.-Premier Lyoff of Russia resigns and Kerensky succeeds him. July 21.-United States senate

passes food control and \$640,000,000

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