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The Government Needs Woman's Aid as Much as Woman Needs the Ballot

By SAMUEL COMBERS, President American Federation of Labor

MANY familiar reasons have been urged for the denial of the ballot to women...

THERE IS SOMETHING GREATER THAN FORCE—CREATIVE FAITH, THAT IS MORE ESSENTIAL TO GOOD GOVERNMENT...

Men Are Judged by Their Spiritual, Not Their Physical, Lives

By President WOODROW WILSON

WE cannot too often realize how deep the foundations of life are. By life I do not mean the physical life...

THAT IS THE RIGID AND STERN STANDARD TO WHICH WE HOLD EACH OTHER WHETHER WE REALIZE IT OR NOT.

Strict Discipline of Children May Stifle Their Development

By JOHN DEWEY, Professor of Philosophy, Columbia University

IT is impossible to lay down any general rule as to how a child should be disciplined because children differ so much in their response to various forms of discipline...

Americans Must Trust Their President in the Present Crisis

By Professor WILLIAM H. TAFT of Yale

THE planting of mines in the open sea and the use of submarines to send neutral vessels to the bottom without inquiry...

Municipal Opera Houses Would Encourage American Music

By RICCARDO MARTIN, Metropolitan Opera Company

WE ought to have in this country from seventy-five to a hundred opera houses, and there is a good augury of success for such enterprises...

AFTER ALL, WHAT IS THERE UNREASONABLE IN THE IDEA OF A MUNICIPAL OPERA HOUSE? WE HAVE LIBRARIES AND ART GALLERIES MAINTAINED FROM THE PROCEEDS OF TAXATION...

THERE IS STILL AMERICA LEFT TO SEE.



Test Farmers Make Profit Of \$11.01 An Acre Profit in Cotton at 7 1/2 Cents

That cotton can be produced and sold at a profit for 7 1/2 cents a pound, when the yield is three-fourths of a bale to the acre...

Opposition to Militarism Will Bring Peace to the World

By Miss JANE ADDAMS, Noted Settlement Worker

AFTER the war started about half of the members of the Seamen's International union entered the navy...

Back in Harness

My friends are hereby notified that I am again in harness—ready to make and repair harness and shoes in workmanlike manner...

Artists in Mother-of-pearl

The intrications of precious woods with mother-of-pearl is in Honolulu, an important industry...

Train and Track

Virginia has 924 miles of railroad. Spanish syndicates are considering building a railroad across northern Africa 1,864 miles long...

Facts From France

Duelling is forbidden by law in France, and duels are not only both civilly and criminally, but the laws are not enforced...

Men Must Stifle Their Individuality, Kill His Powers of Initiative and Destroy His Self Respect, and You Will Thus Establish Faults of Character Which Can Never Be Eradicated

On the other hand, if a child grows up with practically no external authority to guide its actions the faults of character which will develop under such circumstances are almost certain in the vast majority of cases...

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ROAD IN NORTH CAROLINA WORKED BY STAPOTE LADDER.

RAISING TURKEYS. Poultry Require Constant Care Until Eight Weeks of Age.

POULTRY and EGGS. DIARRHEA OF CHICKS. Sour Milk Recommended For the Bacillary Form of This Disease.

POULTRY and EGGS. DIARRHEA OF CHICKS. For some weeks past, except when it has been raining, there has been a haze in the air due to smoke.

POULTRY and EGGS. DIARRHEA OF CHICKS. Some of these fires were set for a good purpose and were kept under control but many of them served no purpose and were allowed to run without control.

Fires a Menace to the Forests. The Burning of Grass and Brush is Determinative to the Richness of the Land. By ALFRED AKERMAN, Secretary Georgia Forest Association.

For some weeks past, except when it has been raining, there has been a haze in the air due to smoke. Almost every night there has been a glow against the sky, first in one direction then in another.

Revision of Interstate Tariffs on Five Southern Railroads

An order of Interstate Commerce Commission, pursuant to requirements of Federal law, compels a general revision of Southern freight rates. It is proper that the people of the South should be informed as to the reasons for this revision and the principles upon which it is being made.

Excepting the Norfolk & Western, Chesapeake & Ohio and Virginian Railways, which lie in Official Classification territory, the railroads of the Southeast receive virtually no part of the five per cent increase in rates recently acquiesced in by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The original Act to Regulate Commerce forbade making of lower rates for a longer than for a shorter distance within the same line or route under substantially the same circumstances and conditions.

Obviously, the removal of inequalities condemned by the Commission, by reductions only, would result in disaster to the carriers. This fact is recognized by the Commission, which in its review of the situation, stated:

It is entirely clear that the revenues of a large percentage of the lines in the Southeastern territory would be so impaired by such a procedure as to make it impossible for them to meet their operating expenses, taxes and stockholders even a moderate return.

Hence in working out the order of the Commission such elevation of rates to the depressed points must accompany reductions to the much larger number of intermediate points as well as at least preserve the revenues of the carriers.

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Savannah & Statesboro R'y

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## For the Country Girl

From the Atlanta Constitution.

No advance movement in federated club work is more significant than the organizations being formed for the country girls. The farmers' daughters are beginning to recognize the fact that they are a part of a large social class that will have a discipline that will enable her to choose what she should do, concentrate her thoughts upon her work and use her intellect as well as her hands to such advantage that her work must be successful.

Attention devoted by the United States government to the welfare of the agricultural classes is ever increasing. The farmer is taught the best means of crop cultivation by lectures, demonstrations and bulletins. The farmer's wife profits by her share of the instruction. The boy has been exhorted, urged and bribed to stay on the farm. And now the farm girl comes in for her share of the attention, and clubs are rapidly being organized for her benefit.

When the well trained girls are persuaded to stay on the farm many of the problems that confront rural home life will be solved, especially those regarding the boys. Last year more than 50,000 girls were enrolled in the garden and canning clubs of the United States. Think of the number of girls made happier themselves and more valuable to this and the next generation through this great work, and contrast with the 50,000 girls claimed by the "great mysterious world of oblivion"—50,000 who simply dropped out of existence! We can safeguard the girls by giving them the active and intelligent occupation for their hands and brains; by cheerful and comfortable homes, and recreation of a suitable kind. Give them a wholesome viewpoint from which to look at life from this viewpoint will come a wholesome living that will insure the greatest contentment and satisfaction that this life has to offer. In the country club organizations the girl learns to work systematically and scientifically. Take, for example, the raising of tomatoes; she will learn to manage a hotbed or cold frame; she will learn the best variety of tomato to grow, how to plant, cultivate, spray, fertilize, stake and prune. She will learn about the soil and the length of the tomato season; how to harvest her crop, how to sell, and the best method of preserving her surplus crop for winter use. Finally, through association with other

girls in the canning club, she will learn confidence in her own abilities, expression and accuracy.

After such training no girl wants to go back to the old haphazard way of doing things. Her mind will have a discipline that will enable her to choose what she should do, concentrate her thoughts upon her work and use her intellect as well as her hands to such advantage that her work must be successful.

The giving of rewards in country club work is most commendable, as it not only stimulates a girl to do her best, but can be a means of further education. Cities are becoming more and more interested in the work of the rural communities, encouraging the workers by arranging places of exhibit, supplying money for prizes and co-operating with the federal state agents in the advancement of the work. Interesting trips and scholarships at colleges are rewards worth contending for.

We do not know what powers lie dormant in the minds of our girls until we try to develop them. The isolated life of the country tends to individualism that retards the growth of a girl's intellectual and social nature. Country club work is the remedy for this. It gives something for a neighborhood of girls to have in common; sociability is created and fostered by meetings where plans of work and methods are discussed; the good natured rivalry inspires and stimulates a desire to excel. Together with the country club, the telephone, parcel post, electricity and good roads will give the farm girl equal advantages with the girl in the city. Clubs work teaches a girl to rely upon herself and her own resources, and, if she is working toward independence, gives her the ability to be self-sustaining by opening up a way for her to work out her ideas. Every idea seeks to realize itself in action, and the club work is profitable in ideas. The girl will grasp them and carry on her work, first for the pleasure and profit of it, and then because she realizes that through it she is serving her fellow-beings.

Those who are promoting country club work say that it is difficult to get the country girl to take the initiative and push the work along. There is plenty of natural ability, but because of lack of training in that direction

there is a hesitancy to assume the responsibility of organization and management of a club.

Once started, clubs develop a working leadership. The best way to bring out this quality is to make the farm girl feel her importance to the community of which she is a part. Let her learn through federation that some of her life should be devoted to the welfare and social uplift of her neighborhood.

Such an influence in a community will have a tendency to give an uplift of soul, and a sense of joy and satisfaction in life worth striving for.

Through organizations for the country girls the best yet to come in agriculture and industry, economics and thrift, education and civics.

## About Georgia and Georgians

Items of Interest Concerning People and Things in the State

Atlanta, Ga., April 28.—Georgia may have an opportunity to see the famous Liberty Bell, emblem of the birth of national independence, without traveling either to Philadelphia where it is kept in Liberty Hall, or to San Francisco where it will be taken for exhibition at the Panama Pacific exposition.

Local chapters of the D. A. R. and the U. D. C. are untiring in an effort to have the Bell brought to Atlanta and exhibited for a day on kits day across the continent, so that everybody, and especially the school children, can see it.

Atlanta, Ga., April 28.—Georgia Masons are very much interested in an article which has appeared in the Annuity Messenger, telling of how a citizen of Lavonia with the Masonic sign saved fifty of his fellow citizens from being shot to death by German troops.

The group of citizens, of whom the Mason was one had been lined up before the firing squad, when he gave a Masonic sign. It happened that the officer of the firing squad was a member of the order, and the entire group was released.

The Annuity Messenger also carries the interesting fact that the Masons' Annuity, which aids the widows and orphans of Masons, has paid out up to January 1, 1915 nearly six hundred thousand dollars, and has assets of over eight

hundred and twenty thousand.

Atlanta, Ga., April 29.—Senator Hoke Smith's confidence in the immediate outlook for better conditions in the South, expressed on his recent trip to Atlanta, has done much to encourage the feeling in this section that hard times are over in Dixie whether the European war keeps up or not.

"The dangers which hung over us last August in a commercial way, caused by the war, have been removed," said Senator Smith, "and our foreign trade is steadily increasing. The balance is now in favor of this country, and our domestic trade is taking on new force and vigor as a result of changed conditions."

"We may well look forward to the coming year with hope and confidence. If the war ends this fall, next year should be one of the best years in the history of the country, and even if the war does not end, our business has been so adjusted to changed conditions that prosperity is assured."

Senator Smith also called attention to the fact that the federal reserve banks have been a great boon to the country, and to the south in particular.

Atlanta, Ga., April 29.—The "buy at home" movement which has attracted attention all over the

south is being indorsed by practically every community large and small in Georgia and surrounding states. It does not mean "buy in Atlanta," unless you live in Atlanta. It means patronize the merchants of the town where you do live.

It is an all-southern movement to keep southerners from sending their money for hats and shoes and agriculture implements and articles of every day use to some mail order house or through some agent which takes the money completely out of circulation so far as your own money is concerned.

The movement urges the individual to buy at the general store if he lives in a village or rural community, to buy in his home stores if he lives in Newnan or Griffin or Jackson rather than to come to Atlanta; to subscribe to the local paper; to advertise in the local paper where you live; to support local institutions and help the people who are a part of the community and who in turn make up the sum total of prosperity or lack of prosperity which reacts upon every individual.

Atlanta, Ga., April 28.—Mrs. C. N. Elliott who gave her husband a buttermilk shower bath because she didn't like his looks, and who is now suing him for alimony, was following a classic method of im-

proving him, though she probably didn't stop to reflect on it when she dashed the pitcher of milk in his face.

Cleopatra, the famous beauty of the Nile, was accustomed to bathe daily in the milk of wild asses, whole droves of which were kept to provide it. Caesar Borgia, the famous Italian cardinal of the middle ages, was accustomed to bathe in milk, on the advice of his physicians, to ameliorate a fiery skin disease from which he suffered in the spring of every year, and he medical properties of milk as at bath have been recognized by the ablest physicians from the time of Galen to Woods Hutchinson.

The husband, J. R. Elliott, however, failed to take this calm and scientific view of his wife's act, and filed a suit for divorce, which has now resulted in the cross bill for alimony.

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## STIRRING TALES OF EUROPEAN WAR PORTRAY ACTUAL COMBAT

### Riderless Steeds at Night Stop on Hearing the Rattle of the British Rifle Bolts.

APPENDED are human interest stories from the battle front in Europe. They depict actual scenes on the firing line.

### "Papa Was Very Sad!"

The Revue Bleue prints the diary of a German sergeant major who had charge of the telegraph service in the Verdun district, in which the following telegram sent by the German crown prince to his wife on Sept. 3 was preserved:

After a hard fight we have forced the passage of the Meuse, always finding the enemy fortified in new positions. This means terrible losses, but we advance. Papa, last night at Marville, was very sad. Von Wichel has been killed. Stony is beautifully situated, but has been severely destroyed. I am staying at a pretty house belonging to an old lady. Remembrance.

### Horse Sense.

A remarkable instance of horse sense shown by a number of riderless steeds, broken loose in the night, ignored a challenge to halt, but stopped on hearing the rattle of rifle bolts, is related in a letter from the front.

"We were on patrol along a dark road," says a British trooper, "when we were startled by the thunder of hoofs. The sound of galloping came nearer and nearer down the road until the

### Many Stories of Individual Heroism—Austrian Captive Goes Through Russian Lines.

many of our men as possible into it. At daylight on Feb. 21 there was a terrific explosion, which killed five of our officers outright, and another his horse died, and five more were wounded. A large number of the rank and file were killed and wounded. Lieutenant Patrick was probably fatally wounded. "The trench was completely blown in, and immediately after the explosion the Germans charged. Our reserves were called up, and assisted by those of the poor fellows in the trench who remained alive, we drove the enemy back with considerable loss. We had to re-entrench and were fighting for forty-eight hours."

### Superoptimism.

A glowing tribute to the courage and cheerfulness of the British wounded who recently passed through Holland is paid by Dr. Brock, chief of the



Photo by American Press Association.

### Dutch Red Cross at Maastricht.

Dr. Brock describes his feelings when seeing and those young men so dreadfully mutilated; then he continues:

"But, much as this spectacle hurt us inwardly, we could not let our feelings show in our faces, for their state of mind was quite contrary to our own. If their bodies were mutilated and their bodily strength diminished their spirit was strong and their appearance lively. Gladness rang in their voices when they thanked us for the refreshments offered them by the Dutch Red Cross. They smoked their pipes and sang 'Tip-top' as if they were setting out at a holiday instead of coming home this. In a blind man's violin playing there was feeling, but not sorrow. A man who lost both arms ate his biscuit and smoked his pipe as if he had always done it this way. At the writer this sums up his astonishment."

### A Brave Youth.

The self sacrifice of German youth for the fatherland takes other forms than death on the battlefield. The following letter from a young German in Madrid to a friend in Berlin which appears in the Vossische Zeitung gives an incident of such patriotism:

"You remember young Lederer, who was employed by a concern in Madrid. Lederer wanted to serve his fatherland and endeavor to reach Germany by way of Italy with several other young men. They were captured by the French and sent to Corsica. Five of them, including Lederer, tried to escape, but all were caught. They were tried before a court martial, which rendered a verdict that the originator of the plan be shot. But not one betrayed the other."

### The Mined Trench.

Lieutenant Herbert C. Archer of the Sixteenth Infantry, who is at London on furlough, explains the heavy losses in that regiment by telling of the mortality in one mined trench. Lieutenant Patrick of the same regiment, who had not much experience in trench fighting, obtained the consent of the commanding officer to make an attack on a German trench on Feb. 20. Lieutenant Archer continued:

"The trench which the lancers were ordered to occupy appears to have been mined by the enemy, but the British soldiers showed no concern. It for nearly four hours, this getting as

the outskirts of the town I found shelter in the home of a Jew, who concealed me in a snug little corner on the roof until nightfall. A Polish peasant nearby supplied me with civilian clothes and I was thus enabled to continue my journey to find my regiment. I had no shoes and marched from village to village in my bare feet. Finally I came to Fryszak, where I was again befriended by a sympathetic Jew, who gave me shelter and something to eat.

"Twice I was arrested by Russian soldiers as a spy, but I was fortunate enough to prove that I was a Galician farmer suffering from tuberculosis, who was waiting in the snow for the benefit of his health. Of course, the many hardships had left me very much emaciated, so that I really did look as if I had consumption. I passed through Jasio and Delia and finally reached Laskiska, but everywhere there were Russians, and it did not seem as if I would ever pass through their lines."

"I reached my regiment after another two mile walk in the snow and was able to report important information on the situation of the Russians, so that, after all, my being taken a prisoner was a blessing in disguise."

### A Gallant New Zealander.

Cecil Humphries, a New Zealander, has won the double distinction of gaining the distinguished conduct medal and of being promoted from private to sergeant on the battlefield.

He was on a visit to London when the war began. Joining the army service corps as a clerk, he was made a corporal and shortly afterward a sergeant before he was sent to France. Humphries' ardent desire to "have a go" at the enemy prompted him to apply for a transfer. By forfeiting his stripes



Photo by American Press Association.

### Austrian Infantry in Carpathian Mountains.

and better pay he was able to join the First Manchester regiment and was soon in the thick of the fighting.

In a letter to his mother Humphries tells modestly of how he regained his stripes and afterward gained the distinguished conduct medal. "I would rather not tell you how it was done," he writes, "I am only proud for your dear sake, and I feel happy to know that as a New Zealander I have done my little bit for my king and country."

British General Strickland assembled the men and, dismounting from his horse, shook hands with Humphries and congratulated him. Then amid hearty cheers the ribbon was placed on his breast.

### Place Light Value on Guns.

Declaring that there has been too much importance attached by the British public to the reports in the official statements of the frequent capture of German machine guns, the British "eagerness at the front" in a summary of recent events says:

"It must be remembered that to the Germans the loss of one or several machine guns does not represent what at the beginning of the operations it would have meant to us, with our then vastly inferior staff and proper number of these weapons. "It is believed that before the war commenced they had available altogether a stock of 50,000 such guns apart from any that may have been turned out by their arsenals. Their employment of them, therefore, has in a certain sense been prodigal and carried out with a disregard to loss, which is only comprehensible when the large reserve of these weapons in their possession is borne in mind."

"To the Germans a machine gun represents merely a piece of machinery of immense killing power, which has cost a certain sum of money, but it is less vulnerable and less valuable in every way than a number of men and rifles of equivalent killing power. "The one principle guiding its employment, therefore, is that, provided the gun has earned its keep or paid for its cost by the number of the enemy slaughtered, its loss or destruction does not count."

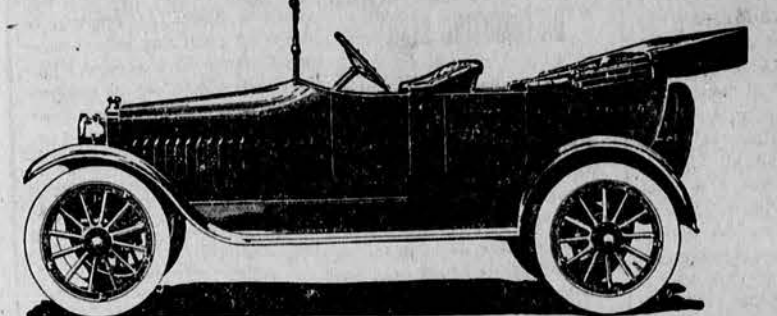
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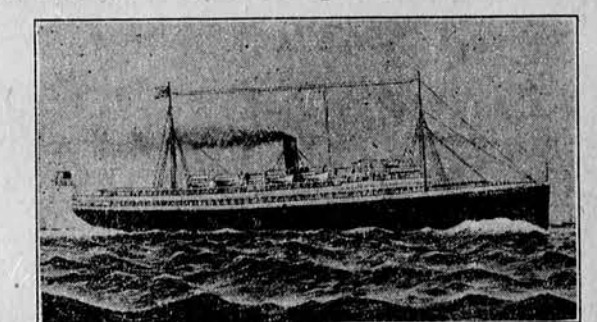
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4-years cash subscription in advance.....	10,000 votes
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### FREEMAN HARDISTY RE-CEIVES APPOINTMENT

As Official Representative of I. C. School of Scranton, Pennsylvania

Manager N. H. Vaughan, of the International Correspondence Schools, who conducted an exhibit here last week for that institution, has officially appointed Mr. Freeman Hardisty, one of their live wire students, as student representative in Statesboro and vicinity.

Mr. Hardisty has been appointed on account of his sterling qualities. He has been a successful student, receiving a high percentage on all lessons sent in to the expert instructors for correction.

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### Be a Booster

### KILLS HIS WIFE IN SAVANNAH HOSPITAL.

C. D. Burke, of Millen, afterwards takes Carbolic Acid and Shoots Himself—Probably Insane.

(From the Savannah Morning News.) Savannah, Ga., May 4.—Driven insane by what is believed to have been domestic trouble, C. D. Burke of Millen, shot and instantly killed his wife, aged 35, in Savannah Hospital, shortly after noon yesterday, and then shot himself. Believing the last shot he fired was not effective Burke drank a portion of carbolic acid from a bottle he had obtained for the purpose. He probably will recover.

An operation was performed at night on Burke, from which he rallied. He regained consciousness after the shooting, when he denied absolutely he had shot his wife.

When asked why he did it he said: "Did what?" "Why did you kill your wife?" he was asked. "Me! Kill my wife! I didn't do that, did I?"

When told that he did, he said, "Not me. That would be terrible." To other questions asked him along the same line he made practically the same reply.

The Burkes had been visiting their daughter, Miss Inez, who has been ill at the hospital for ten days. Burke said to his wife, according to a statement of his daughter to the police: "You've ruined my home." He then walked out of the room, saying, "Come."

As his wife walked out of the door Burke opened fire with a 32-caliber revolver. The first shot pierced her heart, causing instant death. Crazy by the sight of his wife stretched out on the floor, Burke fired three more shots into her body, all taking effect near the waist line, one on each side and one near the center of the body.

Deliberately walking into the room, with the pistol still in his hand, he faced his helpless daughter, lying in the bed. Evidently he intended to kill her, but she said: "Why did you do it?" The question probably caused Burke to waver in his determination to kill his daughter.

He again walked into the hall, shooting himself through the left side and, it is thought, at that time drank the contents of the bottle. He fell by the side of his dead wife. Sounds of the shooting, together with the screams of the daughter in her room, attracted the attention of the attendants of the hospital and the patients.

Police headquarters were immediately notified, Lieut. Bryant, Chief Detective Murphy and Motorcycle Officer Morse answering the call. Dr. Righton, the coroner was called. The hospital attendants, when they ascertained Burke had taken the acid, used a pump in taking the fluid from his stomach. It was then thought he would die. Bicycle Officer Dorsey heard the shot and started an investigation.

Dr. Righton examined the body of the dead woman, after which he ordered it removed to an undertaker's where it was prepared for burial.

The only interview obtained from the daughter was that by the police. To them she said jealousy was the cause of the shooting. She told them she knew there was a man in the case, but refused to mention his name although stating she would do so if she were

### W. M. N. OF BULLOCK COUNTY ASSOCIATION

At Olive Branch Baptist Church May 29th

The W. M. N. Association of Bulloch county will convene Saturday May 29th at Olive Branch Baptist church at 1:30 P. M. All members are earnestly requested to attend as several interesting subjects will be brought forth and ably treated. The following program has thus far been announced: Devotional Exercises, led by Mrs. J. M. Pope.

Roll call of societies

Enlargement of Our Training Schools—Mrs. H. S. Blitch.

Mary P. Willingham School—Mrs. H. B. Strange.

Our Baptist Hospital—Miss Mattie Cone.

How to Make the Society Meetings Interesting—Mrs. H. M. Geiger.

General Discussion and Adjournment.

compelled to testify in an inquest or court proceeding.

While in the hospital the daughter became a mother of a boy. Asked by the police if the father knew about her condition she replied that he did but had never worried about it.

Burke is a contractor and carpenter at Millen and his wife assisted by her daughter, kept a boarding house there.

Miss Burke arrived in Savannah Sunday spending the night with her daughter. Burke arrived early Monday morning. He first went to the home of his brother-in-law, D. A. Murray, No. 218 Huntingdon street, west, to inquire for his wife. He was informed she had gone to the hospital again.

Burke promised to return with his wife at 1 o'clock for dinner. He then left for the hospital. While there he talked with his wife and daughter after which he and his wife took a walk in the park. What took place there is not known though it is thought they were discussing their family troubles.

They had only been back in the daughter's room a short time when Burke made the statement about raising his home and called his wife into the hall. Circumstances surrounding the shooting show Burke deliberately planned the tragedy with the full intentions of killing both his wife and daughter and then end his own life.

He purchased the carbolic acid at a drug store shortly after he reached Savannah. He also bought a bottle of grape juice. He said he wanted to use the acid to wash out the mouths of his dogs. Nothing was thought by the clerk at that time of the purchase.

Mrs. Thompson, of Allenhurst, a patient at the hospital, was in a small room at the end of the hall when the shooting occurred. She heard the four shots fired and thought they were all the pistol contained. She waited then stepped out into the hall just as Burke fired the fifth shot into himself. She screamed and ran into her room.

D. A. Murray, brother of Mrs. Burke, was walking along the street when he overheard two women discussing the shooting. He heard the name Burke. He stopped them and when he found it was his sister he went to his home where he notified his wife after which he went to the Savannah Hospital. He said he did not know of any strained relations

between his sister and her husband.

Besides her husband and daughter, Miss Inez, Mrs. Burke is survived by two daughters, Leta and Ida, and one son, Waldon, all of the home, one sister, Miss Irene Murray of Millen, and three brothers, D. A. Murray of Savannah, and Elbie and Carl Murray whose present addresses are not known by members of the family.

The body was prepared for burial at a local undertaking parlor after which it was sent at night to Millen where the funeral will be held today. It was accompanied by William Burke, brother of the man who did the shooting and D. A. Murray, her brother.

### FOUR-YEAR-OLD CHILD RUN OVER BY STREET CAR

Margaret Elizabeth, daughter of Hon. R. J. Travis, of Savannah, Killed

Savannah, Ga., May 4.—Margaret Elizabeth, the four-year-old daughter of Col and Mrs. R. J. Travis, was run over and fatally injured by a car on the A and B belt at Fortieth and Drayton streets shortly after 6 o'clock last night. She died in Telfair Hospital an hour after the accident.

The little girl was horribly mangled. The right front truck of the car passing over her left hip, literally grinding it to pieces. The lower edge of her stomach was also crushed. A trained nurse was standing at the corner of Drayton and Fortieth streets waiting to board the car. She gave the child first aid treatment.

A physician who was summoned arrived in ten minutes after the accident. He took the child in his automobile and rushed her to the hospital. The extent of the injuries being determined, the physicians realized that the little patient had only the barest chance to live. She was given every attention, but she could not be saved. She was conscious from the time of the accident until she died.

The motorman and the conductor gave bond in the sum of \$1,000 each. Charges of involuntary manslaughter were docketed against them. They were not put under arrest but voluntarily went to police station and gave bond.

It was reported by the crew that the car was slowing up in order to take on the passengers at the corner. The car stopped before the rear truck reached the child. Col. Travis lives at No. 10 East Fortieth street, where the injured child was taken pending the arrival of a physician.

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But this gun would fall by eight miles to equal the average of the American 12-inch coast defense naval weapon, mentioned above, though it is also of 12-inch calibre, and fired at an angle of 45 degrees. The difference in the ranges (41,000 yards and 55,000) is caused by the different ballistic properties of the two weapons, the different initial velocities, weight of shell, and loading charges.

Plotted on a diagram arranged in blocks 5,000 yards to the inch, the lines, representing the trajectories of these American 12-inch coast defense weapons, the other of 41,000 yards range, and both fired at the high angle of 45 degrees, appear colossal when compared with the trajectory of the best American mortar fired at the same angle.

The range of this mortar gun, when fired at 45 degrees, would be 19,000 yards, or nearly 11 miles, and the highest point of its trajectory would be 5,500 yards, or about three miles. The trajectory of the 12-inch coast defense, having a range of 55,000 yards, is four times higher, and the range is almost three times greater than that of the mortar gun fired at the same angle.

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### NEW AMERICAN GUN CAN REACH 31 MILES

Is 12-inch Weapon, Such as Experts Figure the Germans Are now Using

(Special to The New York Times.) Washington, May 1.—The shots fired into Dunkirk Thursday from a large weapon, or weapons, from behind the German lines near Newport, at a range of about twenty-two miles, are said by American army experts to be the greatest long-range firing known in actual warfare.

Several instances are recorded of long-range firing with powerful artillery in time of peace. In England, during Queen Victoria's Jubilee celebration, according to statements made by an ordnance expert here today, a shot from a 9.2-inch gun was fired across water about twenty one miles. Several instances of long-range gunnery have been recorded on German proving grounds. But never before in war have missiles been hurled so far as in the attack on Dunkirk.

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With apparent defeat staring them in the face at the end of the first inning of the Statesboro-Millen ball game Tuesday, our home team won from Millen 14 to 11 after the gamest up hill fight of base ball that has been witnessed in many summers. Visibly smothered by a grim lead of eleven runs in the first, dismay was plainly stamped on the face of every member of the Statesboro team; errors galore and rank misplays seemed to be the order of the day with the Statesboro boys, but in the beginning of the second inning they gained their equilibrium and by first class air tight ball playing carried the victory they gained in the final test.

Excitement reached its greatest height in the seventh inning when with two men out and two on bases, a double right field by Denmark tied the score. Davis followed with a single which won the game for Statesboro. This is the kind of ball playing Statesborites will support. Let's help the home team to a good ball park.

### Death of D. F. McCoy

Mr. D. F. McCoy who has been confined to his bed for more than a year died at his home Tuesday. Mr. McCoy has been a great sufferer and his passing away was in a sense a relief granted him by his Maker. Mr. McCoy was reared in Burke county and a son of Milage McCoy. He is survived by a wife and five children, Bessie, Emma, Milage, George and Lehman.

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