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Who can forget Irving Batcheller's Keeping Up With Lizzie, as fine a thrift drawing from life from his pen as an artist produces by his pencil? In The Prodigal Village is mirrored war madness, moral idiosyncrasies, and insanities expressed in dress, dancing and deviltry that has run a riotous race—and then the return of sense and to the church.

There is a fine taste to the sketchy chapters in Cape Coddities by Chatham (Houghton Mifflin). Everyone who loves the old Cape will enjoy it and its folks better by its readings.

There is a fine picture of The Southern Highlanders, those sturdy, Scotch-Irish pioneers, with their feuds and their faiths, their ignorance, their shiftlessness and their capacity. It is strongly painted by Horace Kephart (Macmillan).

We commend to every man who has to do with religious teaching the reading of My Son by Cora Harris (Doran). It is clever, instructive and grinds to dust the futile message of the men who substitute ethics for the Gospel and education for evangelization.

But here is a book for us all to read who would know the college man and have to deal with the subtleties, subterfuges, shams and sins of youth, Discipline and the Derelict written by Dean Clarke of the University of Illinois. Here are observations in plain English made by a dean who has dealt day by day with the silliness of college youths—and who has not yet lost his faith in their possibilities. Parents will find his chapters on the loafer, the athlete, the fusser, the persistent borrower and every form of delinquency and deviltry a dean meets in his disciplinary duties valuable.

Those who would write, and everybody who would write facts must have the ability to put a story, will find Charles Phelps Cushing's If You Don't Write Fiction the clear put principles of journalism teeming with live hints.

There is good sense, the story of costly experiment, keen wit and good corrective put by Irvin Cobb in The Abandoned Farmers (Doran). And most everybody dreams of a home in the country. Here is a dream and a delirium of spending and the joy of home making. Illustrated by Tony Sarg.

In Outdoor Men and Minds (Abingdon Press), W. L. Stidger, pastor of St. Marks, Detroit, the burly man known as "Angel Face" in France makes the men who figure in the Bible story stand out strong, strenuous and spiritual—a background to picture and paint scenes in putting the Bible before vigorous men.

Dr. Frank Crane says of The Next War by Will Irwin that it is "the greatest book of these times that may be the long expected Uncle Tom's Cabin that shall shock the paralyzed conscience of mankind to activity; that war shall cease." And Crane says too that if he had a million dollars he would put it in the hands of every teacher, preacher and legislator and have it taught in every public school. "It makes the American see the horrible ditch of war destruction. It is clear and dispassionate and written by a man who has been on the battlefield as a war correspondent, smelled powder and knows what he is talking about."

Bruce Barton's A Young Man's Jesus made the deepest impression upon the boys at the Florida HI-Y Training Camp last summer. They used it until it was worn out. Copies can be secured from the Association Press.

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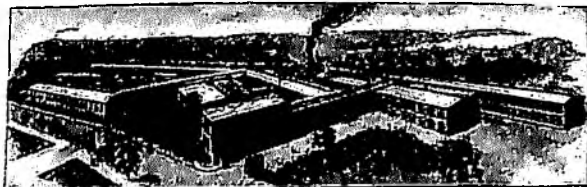
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In wide areas of its worst exhibition, sin means living in the present age upon the ideals and standards of an age gone by. "It was said unto you of old time," the Master repeatedly insists, "but I say unto you." The commandments which thus he supersedes are not precepts obviously bad; they are allowances of conduct that in the times of men's ignorance God winked at. "Thou shalt not kill," as a sufficient law of brotherliness; "Thou shalt not commit adultery," as a sufficient law of purity; "Thou shalt love thy neighbor and hate thine enemy," as a sufficient law of mercy; "An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth," as a sufficient law of justice—these old standards and ideals, now overpassed, Jesus discards. One way to be a sinner in his eyes is to live in his new day as though the old day were still here.

—Harry Emerson Fosdick.

THE LAST THREE PRESIDENTS of the United States have openly, and in a powerful way, expressed their love for and confidence in the Scriptures. President Roosevelt's great address at one of the Anniversaries of the American Bible Society, will continue to be read for years. President Wilson never made a greater address than the one to a vast audience in Denver, during the first year of his first term. He spoke on the Bible and Bible study, for nearly two hours, closing with an earnest appeal for personal reading and study of the Scriptures.

President Harding put himself on record, within the first month of his term of office. Jim Hicks, Superintendent of the Prison Bible Society, asked Mr. Harding for his views regarding the distribution of the Scriptures. He wrote a personal letter from which I gladly quote the following clear, simple message. "I have always believed in the inspiration of the Holy Scriptures, whereby they have become the expression of the word and will of God. I believe that from every point of view the study of the Bible is one of the most worthy to which men may devote themselves, and that in proportion as they know and understand it, their lives and actions will be better."

Experience is the Test of Bible reading and study. Those who have given time enough to the matter to get below the surface of the words of the Bible have found by rich experiences, the truth of the testimonies of great men through the centuries. Like religion itself, the Bible appeals for the fair test of intimate contacts, "Acquaint now thyself with Me, and be at peace. Thereby good shall come unto thee." This principle holds true in relation to Jesus Christ. To know Him is to trust Him. To trust Him is to love Him. Professor Glover's last great book, *Jesus in The Experience of Men*, enforces this principle in a variety of ways. "In one region and another, of experience, humanity has experimented with Jesus, constantly with new and unexpected results; it has explored Him with anxiety; it has enjoyed Him; and by exploring and enjoying Him it has found more and more in Him, and it has grown in the process."

Do You Know of an open-minded man, who is troubled and confused about religion? Get him to read *Realizing Religion* by S. M. Shoemaker, Jr., a little book recently published by Association Press. It gives in seven short chapters the steps taken in an endeavor to win an agnostic friend to faith in Jesus Christ. It can be read through in an evening, and will be read a second and third time by many an earnest man, if I am not mistaken. Such themes as, *The Fact of Sin, What is Conversion?, The Way Jesus Christ Helps*, are put in a fresh and convincing way, with frequent quotations from the conversations and letters of the inquirer, whose experience is the central fact of the book. It is a record of personal experience rather than a theological argument.

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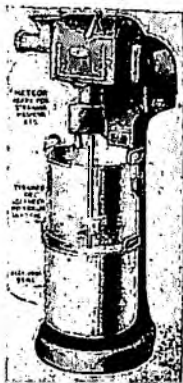
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have not recovered the lost ground. Some Associations which led in this fruitful form of evangelism five years ago are doing nothing to re-establish or replace it. Forty years of usefulness should not be forgotten. No equally feasible, practical, or universally adaptable method of taking the gospel message to "out-of-the-way-folks" has been devised. But the tide is turning, and I fully expect to see a revival of sane, aggressive, extension work in a modern religious work program. For example:

Aurora, Illinois, has tried an interesting experiment with a Discussion Bible Study group in The Richards Wilcox Shops. The leader used a black-board successfully. The interest grew to the end of the series—eight weeks—average seventy-five.

A Modern Parable. In connection with the International Examinations in Bible Study, in Prof. Horne's new book, Jesus The Master Teacher, one of the tests was, "Compose a parable suitable to the life in your community." A physical director in Indiana got ten points for the following:

"A man with a heavy suit case got off a traction car with about three miles to walk along a country road to his destination. He had walked a short distance when he heard an auto approaching. Surely they would pick him up, as there were only two in the car. But no, they passed by, at forty miles an hour. Another and another passed. He had just about given up hope when a man in a Ford came by, stopped and asked the man to ride. They journeyed on to the man's destination. Which of these showed the brotherly spirit? The spirit of Jesus? Which was thoughtful?"

At a Recent Gathering of the Baptists of Great Britain, in his opening address the president spoke a needed word, which has an application to the churches of America, and hence to the American Associations. "We are struggling with worn out forms of expression. Our spiritual currency requires reminting. We need, not the repetition of a bygone day, but new life for our own time. We have seen the Church formulating the faith, defending the faith, compromising the faith. The World looks for the Church to live the faith." The Associations have been defining religious work and Christian education and making religious work programs and developing methods and schemes long enough. Why not get thoroughly busy with some of the simple, old time methods which have proven their effectiveness? To illustrate, why not put fresh energy into the enrollment of men in The Morning Watch, or Comrades With The Book, or The Pocket Testament League? The materials for these methods are rich and abundant. Why not get groups of men, located near each other in the dormitory, to join, in an adapted plan of family worship, in one of the rooms, morning or night? I have been trying out a little book, arranged for 365 days, with topical selections from all parts of the Bible, most skillfully woven together, which can be read aloud, in less than five minutes. It is published by the Oxford Press, through Association Press. It is one of the best helps for family worship I have seen. The title is, My Counsellor.

The Evangelistic Bible Class, such as Robert McBurney, Edwin See, David Sinclair, and Robert Orr, conducted for years with great effectiveness ought to be established in every City Association in the Country. The discussion of social and semi-political subjects in a Forum on Sunday afternoon has been given a test, and has made good in numerous instances. On the other hand the Forum has, sometimes, taken the place of a real Bible class, which might be made a tremendous agency for winning young men to Jesus Christ. The larger meaning of the Glad Tidings, which its social implications have revealed, has given added appeal to the Gospel message. The individual conception of the Gospel, plus its social content, should make the Evangelistic Bible Class a greater force than it ever was in the past. We know better what real teaching may become, and we have a great variety of courses of study. Have we the vision, the enthusiasm, the courage and the evangelistic passion to try it?

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News and Comment

News for the August issue required in New York Office not later than July 11th

"The Annual Meeting is Coming Back" Knebel says after addressing nine of them with 100 to 160 at dinners. At Lansing, for instance, nineteen men who were doing things spoke in nineteen minutes—better than the old time report which took nineteen minutes to read. And Knebel says there is no sidestepping the religious objectives, no soft pedaling or petty evasions, and another thing worth noting is that so many of the city pastors were there.

National Father and Son Week is to be November 6-12, a change made at the request of the Sunday School and church leaders. Put it on your calendar for a program that is big enough to reach every father and son in the city. Detroit this year had 58,000 fathers and sons together—Protestant, Jewish and Catholic. In Minneapolis 100 churches observed it. Some cities in Europe took it up and the effort is to make it world wide.

Within five minutes on a Brooklyn street a group of men was passed who were shooting craps on the sidewalk, betting in bills of a dollar or more, then another group was passed of boys from fifteen to twenty betting in silver halves and quarters. In another block youngsters from ten to fifteen were betting nickels, "Nickel is right," and around the corner little fellows might be found putting up their pennies. Hugh Fullerton says that nine out of ten at a ball game are betting. We are a betting world and nobody is better for it.

In the Three Year Policy written by Troy's new president, the President of the great E. & W. Co., (No. 1) point is to secure the best secretary possible and pay him adequately; (2) Pay all outstanding debts—\$30,000 assumed by the Board; (3) Rotation of office in at least a change in three years; (4) Call freely on the State and International for advice and assistance; (5) Appoint representative Junior Board; (6) Extend industrial work.

Getting Men into the Right Place is a fine art for a man with the Christian heart. Not long ago Davison of Albany found an electrical engineer running a trolley car and got him in touch with a position in his line. He found a discouraged expert carpenter washing dishes in a cheap hotel and found a place for him. Years ago he found a now leading physical director working in a paper store at \$13 a week, and a now forceful secretary who had lost heart he had found going to seed on a farm.

An Anonymous Letter came to Edwards of Reading urging that dances be introduced. That night he asked four young men at his desk who danced, if dancing helped them to live a moral life. The answers were hesitant and doubtful. Would they advise it in the Association? They all said that its tone would be lowered by it. Edwards suggested as good a reason as any for not introducing dancing was that the Association neither had time nor place for it as two gymnasiums could be filled now by the regular work adding "Others may have the dance. For the present we have more important business."

On Mother's Day in Honolulu 17,000 enlisted men garrisoned on this mid-Pacific island, most of whom were blue and homesick, were given a day and a program that had home taste. Beginning at 9 A. M. Christian mothers of the churches met them, giving each a flower and gracious attention. The touch of home touched them. Strong men wiped tears away and many declared new resolutions. Fully one third of the men visiting the building that day had lost their mothers and had only a memory left to them to cherish. "We comforted them as best we could" wrote Williams.

Balloting by Mail brought out 65 per cent active member vote at Sharpsburg, Pa. With the ballot went a copy of the Paris and Portland basis and a stamped envelope.

Putting the Pressure on Collections and the searchlight on waste, taking up the slack and cutting out the useless, produce budget showings not to be ashamed of. The International budget is \$40,000 better

off than last year. The Foreign budget has cost by favoring exchange, economy and watchfulness \$116,520 less than 1920. Collections have been hard but in ten days, Cincinnati, Davenport, Detroit, Indianapolis, Minneapolis, Montreal, Rock Island, St. Paul and Titusville went ahead with campaigns, won increased gifts, new friends and contributions.

Cooper of Washington might well think his trip to Maine State Conference was worth while. When the cards were handed in, 53 decisions for the Christian life were shown, 21 to unite with the church, 16 to teach Bible classes, 24 to carefully consider Christian service as a life work, 37 signed for personal work, 34 to read the Bible and pray, 31 to give up some bad habits.

The Sunday Afternoon Meeting at Springfield, Mass. has a character all its own. It is built up on the belief that a Sunday afternoon public assemblage where the best in music and public addresses may be heard and enjoyed is good for the town. Boston Symphony Orchestra, Metropolitan stars and others furnish music. Attendance at twenty meetings reached 56,800 and often 2,000 people might be seen standing in line waiting for the door to open. The country's biggest speakers give their message but it is notable that the addresses on social and religious themes and the men with strong religious convictions, when they express them in vigorous modern terms get the heartiest hearing.

Facts by Figures tell the partial story of Wilmington's (N. C.) work for the first four months of the year:—attendance at 233 religious meetings, 9,734; attendance at 176 Bible Classes, 2,840; conversions, 90; joined church, 59; outside points reached by Yoke Fellows, 172; life problem interviews, 270.

When It Was Announced that a three-story garage would go up right next to the Association home, Richmond, Va. went before the Committee on Ordinances and secured approval of an ordinance forbidding "the erection or operation of a public garage within 90 feet of the main entrance of any department store, theater, auditorium, church, Y. W. C. A., Y. M. C. A., Y. M. H. A., or K. C. building."

Best in History was the year Charlotte, N. C. just closed, the outstanding item being the payment of a \$24,000 property debt. Outstanding indebtedness is now \$10,000, covered by pledges.

Association Men goes to every room in Milwaukee's dormitory. In six months reports say the morale of the dormitory has been raised, more men at Sunday breakfast, Bible class and more going to church. "It is no trick to pick up a carload of these men and take them to church. Association Men has helped to acquaint men with the Association ideals."

Ex-War-work Secretaries in Des Moines served lemonade to the soldier organizations Memorial Day. A school yard across from the cemetery gate was utilized, the red triangles were displayed, and seven tables established as headquarters for serving the drinks to the 15,000 in the marching contingents. Secretaries were in uniform.

The Kiwanis promise West Virginia to stand behind a State boys' secretary with financial and moral support. Ex-Governor Cornwall is Chairman of the boys' committee.

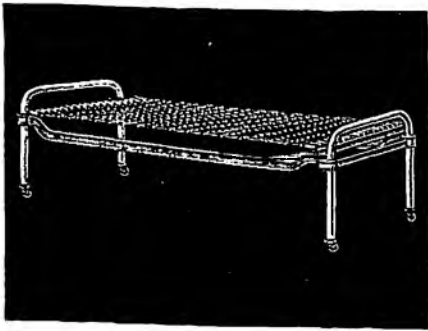
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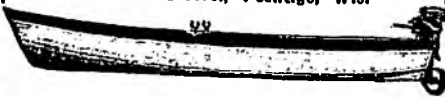
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The Hundredth Anniversary of the birth of Sir George Williams is October 11th. Shall we not plan a fitting celebration for that day? About this there will be more to say later.

The Church Federation at Milwaukee was having hard sledding when Modesitt offered to round up its finances.

Keeping in the Churches is valuable, Newport News, Va. finds. In May secretaries conducted 13 church services. Every Protestant church will be represented in a Sunday School relay carnival, each having a committee cooperating with the physical department.

A Christian Education Class is the good title West Side, N. Y. gives for its illustrated lobby talks after the men's meeting at 5:15 P. M. In a Frontiers of Faith series the American negroes and North American Indians and lepers were considered. The auto street meetings follow at twilight.

Steady Growth, no Campaigning, increased membership at Mobile, Ala., 44 per cent this year. The cost of operating this department was only 15 per cent of gross membership receipts. For the second time books were closed without current debt. Attendance at religious activities increased 45 per cent; physical, 30 per cent; social, 200 per cent and educational, 300 per cent.

All the Christian Educational Forces of Lansingburg, N. Y., ministers, Sunday School superintendents, presidents of young peoples societies, got together to form a community school of religious education. Ten churches responded registering 126 with a good weekly attendance which has profoundly influenced Christian purposes. This means a bigger school next year.

D. E. Luther's Broken Health has forced him to insist upon his resignation as secretary at Los Angeles. Here in fifteen years he has built up an Association with the largest membership on the Coast and a property worth a million. His previous service at Atlanta, Ga. was of high character.

Henry J. McCoy is Still Sick, yet improving and some who have called on him say he is the most cheerful man in all California.

With a Desire to do Bigger Things for the foreign field, Little Rock, this year, will raise \$3,000. In 1919, this Association gave \$100 and in 1920, \$912. Much of this year's quota has been secured.

C. G. Titus of Oakland, Cal., lays down the work there after a heroic struggle to take up Foreign Department finances.

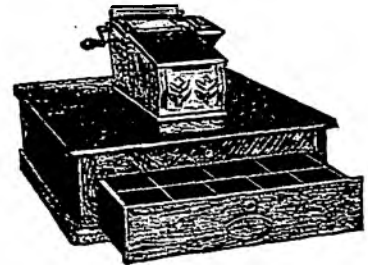
Enlisted Men in Honolulu were urged to join the churches by the entire staff of secretaries and Bible teachers on Easter Sunday. For the Protestant Church 72 signed up and many for the Catholic. Chaplains and ministers joined in the movement and interviewed and prepared men. The night before Easter there was a meeting, and the men remained in the building as guests of the Association. At six o'clock Sunday morning the party visited the Punch Bowl, the extinct volcano where on every Easter morning thousands of people hold a sunrise service at 8:30. Then they breakfasted together with the city ministers as guests, then songs and thirty little children conducted a pretty floral service. The groups headed by secretaries marched to the churches. All the movies and the music of the week had led up to this day, of which a sailor said, "More Sundays like this, then my blues are pau (gone)."

The Roll Call of ex-Secretaries would be too long for one issue, but let us mention George W. Mehaffey feeling fit and fine again after his long illness. He is enjoying "personal work" daily beside giving time to promote foreign work, keeping in touch with outside organizations with which he has been identified, and, of course, was an honored guest at the twenty-fifth anniversary of the vast educational work for which he chose Frank Speare. D. A. Budge is in Europe, always doing personal work; John Lynch (Emeritus) at Wheeling is standing by things, Walter C. Douglas is in Roanoke, Virginia, and C. B. Willis we shall all hope to see at Lake Geneva along with Uncle Robert Weidensall.

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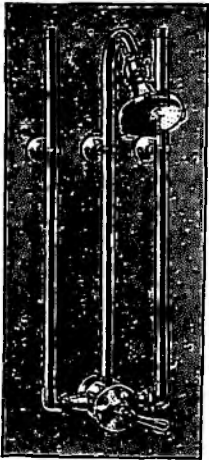
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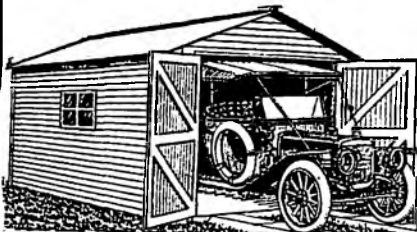


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Every preacher in Newport News asked to take a noon shop meeting for a month quickly said yes.

A Thrift Week Observance at Fort Jay started seventy accounts in city banks with deposits of \$2,925. Instead of having to borrow money to get home when unexpected furloughs arrive, the savers are ready for emergencies and are building up nest-eggs.

While a Church in Wilmerding was Burning the secretary served the firemen refreshments while they rested and offered the use of the Association auditorium to the congregation.

It is Fine to Get Such Words from ex-service-men subscribers. "Association Men is a mental tonic to me. I need it." A foreign farmer wrote "Enjoying it much. Can't be beat." A southern secretary says "Subscriptions have doubled because of the inspiration and information subscribers have received from reading it. The stories are such that inspire a reader to worth while things."

Somebody wants a motto to frame on gambling. Jack Rose says that he cannot put one strong enough that is fit to print. It is about as hopeless to convert the world with mottoes, and warnings, as with mimeographed, rubber stamped letters. Gambling is a passion as old as the human race. Still a framed sign might do good if the right idea could be framed. We have never seen a "God Bless Our Home" motto that would keep a pair of children-worried parents from scrapping.

Straight-Out Talks given by E. E. Jewett, a business man of Minneapolis, closed in a strong fashion with the signing of "decision cards." Of 65% of men addressed 28% made forward step decisions. The greatest gain was the appreciation of the need for sane religious guidance in the Educational Department and the consequent formation of a sub-rosa Inner Circle of instructors and students.

The Worst Report Coming from a Big Southern City is that it has been self-supporting and has not solicited a dollar for current expense for five years, yet the directors take pride in pointing to their "successful business management."

He had Lost First His Baby Girl, then his wife, then his incentive in life. After the funeral he had paid all his bills. With what was left of a savings account accumulated through years of careful economy, he had undertaken to drown his sorrow in drink. The savings were soon dissipated. So was the man. For want of food and sleep he found his way to the "Y" center of friendliness on the Bowery. The employment secretary guessed he had ability superior to that required for elevator running. He is filling a better position now. His wife had been a Christian. Now he is one. "The thing that holds me steady," he said, "is that I am 'approved unto God' and the assurance that some day I will again be with my wife and baby."

A Speaker at the weekly meeting of the Tampa, Fla., Rotary Club was a minister who had received the first copy of "Association Men." He evidently did not know that among the 100 men there perhaps fifty others like himself had received it and he illustrated his address on "Religion and Social Life" by the story which Jack Rose so well told about "Young Corbett." In telling of the story he omitted one very interesting detail. Immediately the President of the Board of Trade, who sat at my right, punched me in the ribs and called my attention to this error. At my left sat our former Mayor, who looked into my eyes with a knowing glance by which I understood that he, too, had registered the mistake the speaker had made, and as I gazed about the tables I am sure there were no less than 30 whose manner betrayed the fact that they had read the story and had detected the failure of the speaker to tell it correctly. I could not tell you how many men came to me immediately after the luncheon to thank me for having sent the magazine to their tables. Certainly there were enough to prove to me beyond any question that practically every man who is receiving it is reading it with keen interest.

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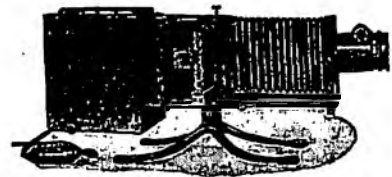
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A Loving Cup to Henry S. Ninde, the original secretary at Rome, N. Y., veteran of eighty-six, was a banquet feature. An ovation followed to this man held in highest esteem in his native town and the whole Association world.

That \$1,300 Friendship Fund given to Charles W. Wilcox after eighteen years service as State Secretary of Washington enabled him to move into a "nice little bungalow on my half acre farm sixty miles from Seattle." Just now Mr. Wilcox is helping lift the University building campaign.

"Pay the Dues from the Payroll" signed 142 men at Kellogg, Idaho, industrial drive.

General Hallway of the National Guards requested the Wisconsin State Committee to conduct work in its national camp of 15,000 to 20,000 men. A full program of movies, amusements, athletics and educational religious talks, etc., will be handled in two large tents.

Volunteers are Largely to Supplement the employed force at Geneva, N. Y., for the year, to save expenses, but will probably cost more in the end.

Vancouver Work is not Dead. It had 300 students in the educational classes and lately put on the finest gym exhibition it ever had.

The Biggest Gift the Bremerton, Washington, Navy Association is giving to the foreign work is its secretary Paul G. Brown who goes to Shanghai.

Chicago's Old Noon Day Meeting revived, brought crowds of men eager for its uplift, and clear cut conversions. Men who were in France are in the heart of it.

Melbourne, Australia, has just celebrated its jubilee. Two members of the "original twelve," who with George Williams started the Association in London in 1844 settled in Melbourne, Rev. J. C. Symons and A. J. Smith planted the Association there. Its first secretary was Rev. W. G. Marsh lovingly known for 52 years throughout Australia as "Dad." Mr. Marsh, now visiting America, was given a reception in his "dear old Boston."

Los Angeles Central claims leadership of the west in membership with over 6,000. It had 623 foreign boys enrolled and operated 8 camps. Classes for foreign born ex-service men were held in the International Hall, Japanese and Industrial Institutes, and with the Sons of America.

With no increase of Fees, 2,000 Reading, Pa., members pay 98% of the nearly \$100,000 budget, privileges are used by 90%; \$3,000 was spent for community work with no cash returns, and \$1,500 for China.

Photographs of the Four Presidents, members of the Washington Association (size 11 x 14), printed in the April issue, may be had of Harris & Ewing, Washington, at \$3.50.

Although 15,000 to 20,000 Government Employees will likely be let out in Washington soon, the Association is going on with increased budget and full program.

A New American Lincoln Penny was given every boy attending the Mother's Day meeting with his mother at Lille, France, and together they repeated in French Lincoln's words "All I am, I owe to my sainted mother." "Mothers are mighty precious in France for over half the fathers were killed in the war," Chesley writes. The first mother and son affair ever held in the war stricken country was at Lille, May 8th. It brought out 50 mothers and 80 sons. After the meeting the mothers watched their boys play for the first time such games as cage ball and volley ball, and races taught by the Y folks.

John F. Moore Spoke at Gloversville lately where thirty years ago he was general secretary. A business man crowded to see him with the word: "I date my entrance to the church and Christian service to the time you were here." In that period four members entered the Christian ministry, one who is now a bishop. Not a candidate for the ministry has come out of the town since.



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