

EVERY NARBERTH SHOULDER MUST BE

AT THE WHEEL!

A clarion call for every man and woman in the Borough to come forth and actively participate in the PATRIOTIC FETE to be held under the auspices of the Civic Association at Narbrook Park on September 27 and 28, 1918! Now is your opportunity to pay hearty homage to the heroes! Now is the occasion to demonstrate that Narberth is well in the vanguard of national and civic endeavor!

The War is home to us!

And community-spirit such as we never had before is needed now!

Let there be no strangers in our midst!

Here, then, is the occasion on which Narberth will proclaim with unmistakable vigor the patriotic and civic faith which is within her and every man and woman in the Borough should lend a hearty hand!

And it behooves you to say right here and now the part that you shall take!

The program is as yet wide-open—it's pending while you declare yourself and tell what you can do best—and there's a host of things from which you can select!

Come forward, friend, and join the valiant throng!

And look at what this fine spirit is going to do for each of us who has selected this good Narberth-town as the place where he shall live! Forward, march, it must indeed be!

For, unquestionably, this sterling kind of co-operation effects more real progress than money ever did!

And you, older resident, with your long-time experience in Narberth affairs—

Shall we all of us have the excellent benefit of your very best, a full share of that particular effort which only you can make?

For the utmost of every one is essential if we shall make this expression of Narberth's conviction the tremendous success it has a right to be—and most cordially are the newcomers of Our Town requested to come along!

All together, then, and make ready a program which will teem with interest, vigor and patriotic tribute—let's ring the welkin as we have never done before—and remember that EVERY man and woman in Narberth, old resident and new, must take part.

*All Join 'Round for the Town Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. This Friday
Evening, August 30, 1918, at 8.15 o'Clock*

But if you can't possibly attend this week's meeting, please make sure to telephone Mr. Joseph H. Nash, President of the Civic Association, Narberth 675-W, and say that you will surely be on hand at next week's meeting.

**➔ The Active Support and Co-operation of Every Resident of Narberth
Must Be Secured**

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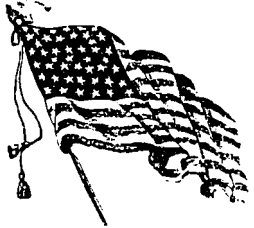
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THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 1918

EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS
 Fire, 350
 Police, 1250



A long pull, a strong pull, and all pull together for the Narberth Patriotic Fete.

Remember that 75 cents out of every dollar of profit made by the Narberth Patriotic Fete go to help war objects.

We've got the Hun upon the run; Our boys have done the trick. They'll chase him back across the Rhine

And do it mighty quick. And when the swine get over the Rhine

'Mid Yankee jeers and hoots They'll lick the only thing they can. And that's the Kaiser's boots.

The Narberth Patriotic Fete, scheduled for September 27 and 28, to coincide with the opening of the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign, appeals to every loyal instinct. Narberth is practically one hundred per cent. loyal, and success for the fete is assured in advance. We need only look back over the history of all previous efforts to help the good cause to realize this.

The Civic Association wants each and every citizen, old and young, to take an active part in obtaining a financial return that will do credit to our borough. Everybody can do something to help, as there will be such a varied program of activities. There will be something to interest and entertain all sorts and conditions of people. The money spent will yield a large return, either in useful articles or in entertainment, and three-fourths of the net proceeds will be for the benefit of our boys.

Every effort will be made to bring out a large crowd, and the enthusiasm of a crowd will be a great opportunity for launching the Liberty Loan successfully. The money that has been given and loaned heretofore has helped bring about the present favorable stage of the war, and now we want to press the advantage home.

make victory complete, and dictate an American peace that will forever lay the spectre of German arrogance, treachery and inhumanity.

GIRLS MADE REAL FARMERS AT WYNEWOOD

Allentown Recruit Tells Home Folks How Work is Carried On

A special from Allentown says: Allentown is creditably represented at the Wynnewood training camp of the Women's National Land Army by Miss Flora E. Amey, who now is home on a vacation. This camp is on the estate of Miss M. K. Gibson, where the sixty girls are taught scientific farming and also instructed in animal husbandry by an instructor from Cornell. Miss Amey is enthusiastic over the work.

"The Women's National Land Army," she says, "is composed of young women who have volunteered to give their services to the farmers and to take the place of gardeners, farmers, dairymen, etc., who have been called by Uncle Sam to help win the war. Three days a week half the group is sent out to farmers who have asked for the services of the girls, while the remainder of the class stays in camp to work in our own gardens and receive the formal instruction. Thus each girl gets actual working experiences simultaneously with instruction. Our camp is blessed with a sturdy girl chauffeur, who takes the girls to the farms to which they are assigned and calls for them at 5 o'clock."

Miss Amey says the routine of work is very agreeable and the social life extremely pleasant. The girls take to the work very seriously, and she herself, both in theory and practice has won the respect of Lehigh County farmers who have examined her as to what she learned at the Wynnewood camp.

THE WORKING MONKEYS

Monkeys actually are made to work in Malabar, India, which is perhaps the only place in the world where they earn their salt. The Malabar monkey is of the fine species known as the langur. It is very warm at Malabar, and there is a fan called the punka, which used to be kept in motion by a slave. It required a slave to work each punka, but now every punka in Malabar is worked by a monkey. It was an English officer who conceived the idea of making the langur work in that manner. The fan is a movable frame covered with canvass and suspended from the ceiling. The motion is caused by pulling a cord. The officer tied the hands of a langur to one of the cords, and then by mean of another cord put the machine in motion. Of course, the monkey's hand went up and down, and the animal wondered what sort of a game was being played. Then the officer patted its head and fed it with candy till soon the langur thought it fine fun to work the punka. The experiment was successful, and now thousands of monkeys are in harness.

THE LONGEST NOVEL

The longest novel in the world belongs to Japan. Its author is Klong Te Bakin. It was commenced in 1852 and published volume by volume as it came out, over a period of fifty years. Three are 106 volumes, 106,000 pages, 3,180,000 lines and about 38,000,000 words. A complete copy weigh 130 pounds.

LETTERS FROM THE FRONT FROM NARBERTH BOYS

From WILLIAM H. DURBIN.
 U. S. Base Hospital Unit, 20,
 Somewhere in France,
 May 12, 1918.

"I have not had a good chance to write since I wrote from the ship. Many things have happened since then, and I would like to tell you in full of my travels, but owing to the censorship it will be impossible. Will tell you all I think I can get away with. * * * Our ship approached its anchorage early on a foggy morning—days after setting sail and—days after seeing you. I was lucky enough to be on deck as we plowed our way at half speed waiting for a pilot. He soon came alongside in a small sail craft and put off in a dory which carried him to a ladder on our port side. As the fog lifted we could see the beautiful hilly shores of farm land on one side and rocky bluffs on the other. The night after anchoring I was sent ashore at about midnight on a detail of ten men to pick out our barracks bags and trunks. Bob Town was also picked for the tough job. We had been up at 4.30 that morning, got no sleep that night, had to work, nothing to eat but beans the next day; and the next night we were taken to a place called a rest camp, where we slept on boards under a canvas. This was an old camp or fort, surrounded by a high stone wall—built by Louis XIV, and was made famous by Napoleon. Were here—days and on a Sunday entrained at port of landing. We were given enough food to last us the journey. Traveling third-class, eight men in a compartment, for—I slept on the floor under one of the seats, which were like the seats on a summer trolley car. * * * After we arrived at our destination—a village of hotels in a part of France where the wealthy sick spend the summer months—in the—range, which are of a volcanic nature. * * * Can't say I greatly enjoyed the trip over. You will understand why not when I explain to you some time. Of course, I enjoyed it some, but the difference between the way I traveled and the way passengers travel first-class, brought down the trip from very delightful to be just enjoyable. Have seen many prisoners, Germans and Turks, all working under guard. * * * Have been able to speak and understand a little French—am learning fast."

May 20, 1918.

"* * * We have been very busy ever since we arrived. We took over a number of hotels which were filthy. We stored the furniture, scrubbed the woodwork and floors, and are now putting in our equipment. I have been put on the motor transport, which pleases me, and I hope to hold the job. * * * We have rigged up a shower bath in the garage by bending a lead pipe up overhead and tying onto it a can punched with holes. I think it is the only shower bath in the town outside of a couple of the larger bath houses. * * * Am feeling better than ever before in my life. We have very little recreation, but Sunday I climbed up a 'young' mountain to see an old chateau which was built about 700 years ago. It is wonderful."

May 21, 1918.

"Have intended to write several evenings this week, but when evening came, didn't have the 'pep.' Am work-

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 1268

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ing on a motor truck and have seen several other camps. Have been in many small villages, and they all seem alike to me. They are all far from modern, and quite different, I am sure, from the part of France you visited. Of course, I am seeing it under different conditions. I try to take in everything as I go along and learn all I can. Was in another town today of quite some size, but being on duty, did not have much chance to get around town. * * * We were paid today—and it came at a good time. We pay pretty high for luxuries here—and most of us were flat. We are very well fixed, and it seems we should share our luxuries with other boys in France who are not nearly so well fixed. An exchange now and then would satisfy all, but it is impossible."

June 10, 1918.

"Have just come in with one of the ambulances. Have been hauling blankets to the laundry. The owner asked us to have cafe with him and we gladly accepted. On Saturday I had the honor of bringing the first wounded man into our hospital. * * * Have been very well ever since my arrival, and have gained in weight. Bob Town has not been so well—went to the hospital about a week ago and was put to bed. He was very low for a couple of days, with symptoms of typhoid, but with a good nurse and good attention is now much better. * * * Am glad you spent my money for a Liberty Bond. * * *"

June 13, 1918.

"Just a line to let you know I am still well and happy. Yesterday had a trip and was lucky. Yester to pick up five nails in one tire. We must always keep the gas tank full and everything set, because all our orders come in a hurry. * * * Bob Town is better and is walking around. * * * I am still gaining in weight, and will have to start running in the evening, if I get any bigger."

It chanced, in the days before the war, that an Englishman in Berlin became acquainted with a young German officer. One day they were lingering over a tete-a-tete luncheon. The officer got up and said, "I will give you a toast." Raising his well-filled glass, he added: "I drink to 'His Day!'" and there was a smile on the lips which lingered at some hidden jest in the words.

His companion, the Englishman, looked at him quietly. "Indeed, Herr Lieutenant!" he said: "let me follow your toast with one of my own: Here's to 'The Day After!'"

They had just been married, but as they showed no disposition to leave the chancel the clergyman shook hands with the bride and then held out his hand to the bridegroom.

The latter stood with his hand deep in his trousers pocket and took no notice, but as he saw that the clergyman continued to hold his hand out he said in a very annoyed tone, and one that could be heard all over the church:

"Well, hang it all, can't you see I'm getting the money out as fast as I can?"

Have you a surplus supply of vegetables in your garden? If so, they will be greatly appreciated at the Holiday House. No amount is too small to send. Please leave them before noon, any day, on the back porch at 110 N. Essex avenue, the home of Mrs. Harry W. Derby.

THE WAR CHEST FUND

Your pledge for the War Chest Fund is due and payable to the Treasurer, Chas. V. Noel, or the Merion Title and Trust Company, at Narberth.

If you pay by check, make checks payable to the War Chest Fund, or mail direct to Chas. V. Noel, Treasurer.

Narberth Register

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 Loos, Fanny H. Piano teacher, Studio, Arcade Bldg. Phone, 316-J.
 Sjothorn, Miss Elna, Music Teacher and Accompanist, 228 Iona ave., Narberth.
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 Jefferies, J. H. 111 Narberth ave. Phone, 666-M.
 Tyson, Warren R. 200 Woodbine ave. Phone, 1202-W.
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 W. G. Cumber, Phone, 12-62 W. 210 Elmwood ave., Narberth.
 Walzer, Fred, 117 Winsor ave. Phone, 1247-J.
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 Fritsch, H. C. Phone, 252-W. See display advertisement in this issue
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 Nash, Robert J. Phone, 605.
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 Gara-McGinley Co. Phone, 1258-W. See display advertisement in this issue.
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 Shcp, 246 Haverford ave. Phone, 1225-J
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 Good Wear Shoe Repair Shop.
 Constantine, B. G. Y. M. C. A. Bldg.

"The Sea Wall of Democracy"
 Will be the Subject of Address at
UNION TWILIGHT MEETING
 OF
NARBERTH BAPTIST METHODIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES
 NEXT SUNDAY AT 7.00 P. M.
 On the the Lawn, Cor. of Woodbine and Narberth Avenues
 Last Meeting of Season—Y. M. C. A. in Charge
 GEORGE H. STREAK'R will speak.—Special Instrumental and Vocal Music

We Are Growing—Make New Friends
JOIN THE NARBERTH GUARD
 THURSDAY EVENING, FIRE HALL

The above department should be of the greatest use to the community, the list contains the name of every professional man, tradesman, mechanic, shopkeeper, etc., who does or can in any way serve his fellow-townsmen, and who is progressive enough to add name to list of Register. As it is difficult for those contributing their time and efforts to the production of "Our Town" to personally either know or interview all such, it would be most helpful if those not now found in the printed list would send in a memo of their names, address, phone numbers and business or professions for listing. This will cost as follows: 10 cents each line for 2 lines; 5 cents for each additional line.

Capital, \$150,000; Surplus, \$125,000; Undivided Profits, \$105,000

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News of the Churches

MERION MEETING HOUSE

Merion Meeting House is opened for worship every First-day at 11 A. M. Visitors are cordially welcome. A registry book is kept for visitors. All are asked to register their names.

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

Rev. R. F. Cowley, Rector

Early Mass on Sunday from April 1 to October 31 at 7 A. M. From November 1 to March 31 at 7 A. M. Late Mass, 9.30 A. M. throughout the year. Masses on holidays, 6.30 and 8.30 A. M. Weekdays at 8. Evening devotions and other services at regular times.

ALL SAINTS' P. E. CHURCH

Rev. Andrew S. Burke, Rector

The services at All Saints' P. E. Church, Montgomery and Wynnewood avenues, for next Sunday are as follows:

8.00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11.00 A. M.—Morning prayer and sermon.

Both the Sunday school sessions and the afternoon services have been discontinued for the summer.

The Rev. O. P. Steckel, of Mahanoy City, Pa., has charge of all the services during the absence of the rector, who is on his vacation.

Mr. Steckel is living at 211 Elm Terrace, and can be reached on telephone. Narberth 325-M.

The pews at All Saints' are all free, and strangers as well as the residents are most cordially invited to attend any of the services.

Church busses leave Narberth and Wynnewood stations at 10.40 on Sunday mornings.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"The Little Church on the Hill"

Rev. F. M. Gray, Pastor

Services for next Sunday, September 1, as follows:
9.45 A. M.—Sunday school for all ages.

11.00 A. M.—Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Life's Vocation." Special music by the choir.

7.00 P. M.—Union open air service at Narberth and Woodbine avenues. This will be the closing service of the summer season. Everybody welcome.

Last week the pastor was at the Epworth League Institute, at Collegeville, and conducted the class in foreign missions each morning. This institute was a great inspiration to all who attended. Mr. John Schaffer, the president of our Epworth League Chapter, and Miss Helen Cole, one of the vice-presidents, were delegates present all the week. Miss Miriam Ward, another vice-president, spent last Sunday at the institute attending the sessions of the closing day.

BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Rev. Avery S. Demmy, Pastor

Services next Sunday, September 1, as follows:

9.45 A. M.—Bible school. Missionary Sunday. The scholars of the school taking part. Classes for all ages. Ladies' and Men's Bible classes. Everybody welcome.

11.00 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Fellowship With Jesus."

7.00 P. M.—Union twilight service. Y. M. C. A. will have charge and the

speaker will be Mr. George H. Streaker.

Wednesday, September 4, 8 P. M.—Prayer service. Subject, "The Sufficiency of Jesus." First chapter of Colossians

Church Notes

Next Sunday will be Communion Sunday and every member should make an effort to be present at the Lord's table; also to welcome back our pastor.

The prayer meeting on September 4 will be the first prayer meeting after the summer, with our own members. Let us have a good attendance and receive an inspiration for the work the coming fall and winter.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister

Meetings for next Sunday:
10.00 A. M.—Sunday school. Mr. H. A. Banks will teach the combined Bible classes.

11.00 A. M.—Public worship. Rev. C. G. Hopper, pastor of the West Park Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia, will preach.

7.00 P. M.—Union twilight meeting. This last of these series of union meetings will be in charge of the Y. M. C. A., and a message appropriate to Labor Day will be delivered.

Church Notes

The regular church prayer meeting will be resumed next Wednesday evening, September 4, with the pastor in charge.

Mr. Van Ness is spending a few days this week at the religious conference in Stony Brook, Long Island. He preaches in the West Park Church next Sunday in exchange with Rev. C. G. Hopper.

ARE THEY ALWAYS MISTAKES?

The compositor is one of the most useful as well as one of the most exact of men, but he occasionally makes a mistake.

Dr. Jowett, the famous preacher, was his victim on one occasion. He was to speak at a mission at Birmingham, and handbills were issued to advertise the event. This was the last line on the bill: "Dr. Jowett and other friends will address the meeting."

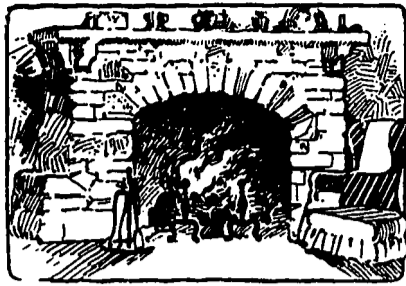
A local paper, in a laudatory notice of a V. C. who had been born in the town, referred to the hero, although he was well under 30, as "the battle scared veteran." The hero only laughed, for he had formerly been in the printing business himself.

At the coronation of King George a North country paper, referring to the crowning of the Queen, said that four knights of the Garter stood behind her "holding a dishcloth over her head." A rich cloth was what the reporter had written.

Perhaps the cruelest misprint ever perpetrated stated that some one in a public meeting rose to "propose the death of the chairman." This was bad enough, but was made worse by the following: "Loud cheers." A reporter who had set out to write a report of the visit of the bishop wrote: "When the learned prelate arrived the town was en fete," but the report read that the town was "in fits."

"I beg your pardon, I acted like a lunatic!"
"Not at all, sir. Your actions are quite natural."

Have you a surplus supply of vegetables in your garden? If so, they will be greatly appreciated at the Holiday House. No amount is too small to send. Please leave them before noon, any day, on the back porch at 110 N. Essex avenue, the home of Mrs. Harry W. Derby.



THE FIRESIDE

Betty Baxter's Gossip

THE Narberth Guard drills every Thursday evening in the Fire House, 7.45 to 8.45

Red Cross wool distributed at Red Cross Workroom in Y. M. C. A., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Miss Ethel Plank, of Forrest avenue, is camping in West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Siler and son have returned from Nashville, Tenn.

H. M. Chalfant and family are at Ocean Grove, N. J., for a fortnight.

Mr. Edward Bolich and family are spending their vacation in the Poconos.

When are those new signs to be erected at all the entrances of Narberth?

Do not forget the time you have promised to give to the Red Cross work rooms.

Mr. Allen and family, of 104 Merion avenue, have gone to the Poconos for their vacation.

Mr. C. P. Fowler, of Windsor avenue, has left town to join his family in Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Casner, of Narberth avenue, are in the Catskill Mountains of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Fenno are spending their vacation at Lake Casasuna, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Harris and family, of Narberth avenue, have returned from Chelsea, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Roylen J. Hunt, of Essex avenue, will spend their vacation at Haddonfield, N. J.

Miss Madeline McCoy, of 203 Chestnut avenue, has returned from a trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Miss Katharine J. Maguire, assistant postmaster, and Mrs. John J. Paul are spending a week at Cape May.

Mrs. James Wilson and Miss Eleanor Wilson, of South Narberth avenue, are spending August in the Catskills.

Mr. Harry Joslyn is spending his vacation in Maine, preparatory to his leaving for France with the marines.

When will Council get our property owners to cut off the low branches of the shade trees along the sidewalks?

Mr. and Mrs. William Carnint and daughter, of Woodside avenue, are enjoying the sea breezes at Atlantic City.

Mrs. S. Causland and Mrs. S. Hackett Turner and son, of Centreville, Md., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Downes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kramer, of

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PROGRAM

Week Commencing Monday, August 26

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"RIDDLE GWANE"

MAIN PRODUCTION STARTS AS NEAR AS POSSIBLE TO 10.15 A. M., 12.00, 2.00, 3.45, 5.45, 7.45, 9.30 P. M.

Forrest and Windsor avenues, have returned to Narberth after a sojourn at Asbury Park, N. J.

Have you bought your quota of War Stamps? After next Saturday. (Continued on Fourth Page)

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AT NARBERTH POSTOFFICE

F. M. Davis
Mrs. J. C. Jones
Miss Grace Johnson
Miss Jennie Owens
Mr. and Mrs. Purson
Mrs. Sarah Russell
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Charley, an Indian servant in the family of an army officer in Arizona in the early seventies, is described by Mrs. Summerhayes in "Vanished Arizona" as always being an astonishing sight to the occasional visitors. Tall and well-made, with clean cut limbs and features, heavy black hair plastered with Colorado mud, which was baked white by the sun, a small feather at the crown of his head, wide turquoise bead bracelets on his upper arm, naked except for the G string and knife at his waist, he was indeed an unusual servant.

Charley used to wheel the baby out along the river banks, for the officer's wife had had a perambulator sent down from San Francisco. It was an incongruous sight, to be sure. The Ehrenberg babies did not have carriages, and the village flocked to see it. There sat the fair-haired, 9-months-old boy, clothed in a linen garment, and there behind him stalked this wild man of the desert with his knife gleaming at his waist and his G string floating out behind, pushing the carriage along the sandy roads.

But Charley's duties as a nurse came to a sudden end one day when a friend rushed in, breathless, and said, "Well, here is your baby! I was just in time, for that Injun of yours left the baby carriage in the middle of the street while he went to look in the store window, and a herd of wild cattle came tearing down! I grabbed the carriage to the sidewalk, and here's the child."

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OUR TOWN will gladly print any news item about any subject that is of interest to Narberth folks, but in order to meet the printing schedule, all "copy"—manuscripts—must reach the editor by 6 P. M. Monday each week.

"SAFETY FIRST" A GOOD MOTTO

For Narberth Building and Loan Association

The stockholders of the Narberth Building and Loan Association will probably be surprised to know the amount of money that has been loaned on mortgages during the eleven and a half years of the life of the association. It is over five hundred and forty thousand dollars, and when they consider that it has not been necessary to take over a property during that entire period, they will realize the fine record the association has.

The committees appointed by the president have evidently looked into all mortgage loans very carefully and then each loan must be voted on by the entire Board of Directors before it is granted, which is an additional safeguard after the report of the committee.

"Safety First" is a good motto for a Building and Loan Association to have, as the directors are not only loaning their own money, but the money of their friends and neighbors, and they cannot be too careful in picking the safest and best mortgage it is possible to get.

When a man buys his home through a Building and Loan Association he knows he has just so much money to pay each month, the same as if he were paying rent, with the decided difference that he knows the rent will all be paid in about eleven and one-half years and that home will then be his, all paid for and no more rent. However, if he buys his home and takes a straight mortgage on it, when the interest periods come due he will pay the interest and think he hasn't enough money put aside to pay anything on the principal or that the next interest period he will make a payment, and as it is not compulsory he will probably keep putting it off until he suddenly finds that the time of the mortgage is up and he is requested to pay it off, when he will find that his home is no nearer paid for than when he bought it.

Suppose that you only want to use the Building and Loan Association as a savings bank, and take out ten shares of stock, paying ten dollars a month, and after paying on this stock for two or three years you find that you are suddenly in need of two hundred dollars, all you have to do is apply to the Building and Loan Association for a loan, putting up your stock as collateral, and pay the legal rate of interest as long as your loan runs.

Then again after paying into the association for three or four years you move away from Narberth and decide that you do not want to continue paying on your stock, the association will pay you the amount you have paid in with interest for the time it was in its treasury the same as a savings bank would do.

Come over to the fire house on Thursday evening from 7.30 to 9 o'clock on September 5, and you will realize how many of your neighbors are stockholders in the Narberth Building and Loan Association, then after you see the checks given out covering the first series that will mature that night, and the neighbors and friends of yours anxious to take out shares in the new series, you will decide that you have waited long enough and will have your name added to the list and become a stockholder in the Narberth Building and Loan Association.

One of the Members.

THE TWILIGHT HOUR

When the golden sun sinks low in the "west,"
And the song birds all have sought their nest;
When the "twilight" shades begin to lower,
It is then the day's most "sweetest" hour;
Then as we breathe our "evening" prayer,
Let us not forget "our boys" over there;
Let us ask that God's "sustaining power"
May be with "them" each day and hour,
And may "they" be kept from harm and sin.
Be the "prayer" we offer up to Him
G. Smith.
Narberth, Pa.

You may be morally vigorous and be mentally deficient.

Extracts From Letters of Sergeant Roy S. Ridge

Sergeant Ridge enlisted on October 12, 1917, in the Twenty-third Regiment, U. S. Engineers. After four months' training at Camp Meade, he sailed on the Leviathan on January 22, and landed in France on the 29th. Since that time he has been continuously at the front, building and repairing roads:

January 29—Arrived safely. Climate salubrious.

February 4—Spend many evenings at Y. M. C. A. These people are certainly doing everything in their power to help the boys see this through Health, tobacco, finances O. K.

February 4—Have plenty of everything. Received socks, helmet and sweater. Do not need them at present, as climate is very mild. Can not emphasize too greatly the influence of the Y. M. C. A. Do not hesitate to advise any one to contribute to their campaign fund. Keep letters coming: have received no mail yet. I might add that of all the degrees, Greek letters and other things that I can stick after my name, the letters, A. E. F. mean more to me than anything else. This one on Palm Sunday. Am writing this between trenches and big guns, where we have just had a service.

March 22—Since my last to you, have relapsed to childhood, and am in a field hospital with mumps. The hospital was a welcome change from work at the front, with clean sheets, different food and no hard work.

April 12—See Boche planes every day. Believe me, every time I watch them fight I kick myself because I did not at least make a try for aviation.

April 27—I've recently acquired a better job. Have an important sector of road to look after, over which considerable stuff is sent to the front, in-

Guerre man. Don't worry about food. We are eating splendidly.

July 21—No rest billet yet. All packed up and leaves were granted, when new drive opened. We were playing cards when the gas alarm sounded and everybody ran for his mask.

July 28—Have been very busy. Knocked off work and spent few days on drill. Then I packed up, entrained, and spent two days and nights on the road in box cars. We are now near the town where Maurice's relatives live, in a nice chateau owned by a man who went nutty over calculus. He wanders around, writing problems on the walls. Took a swim in the Marne yesterday. It's colder than Greenland. By the way, we all sport gold service stripes now, and are pretty "cocky" about them.

August 2—Have been assigned to an army headquarters. Expect to better my position from a military standpoint soon. Am rather glad to get back from the sound of big guns for a while, as six months straight at the front is enough at one time.

NARBERTH RED CROSS

The Red Cross room in the Y. M. C. A. is open every day from 9 until 5, except Saturdays and Sundays, also Monday nights. Wool for knitting may be obtained on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Narberth's showing in comparison with the other Main Line towns, both in quality and quantity of work, has been most favorable. The standard set is very high and each bandage, pad or dressing must be exactly right. This takes time and a few people cannot accomplish a large amount. There is a certain pride in seeing the orderly array of snowy bandages and dressings piling up. Come and do your share in this much needed work. The Narberth Red Cross is not satisfied to do as well as its neighbors. "Over the top" is the motto.

Many new residents of Narberth will, this week, receive, for the first time, a copy of OUR TOWN.

Of course, most of them will want the paper regularly. Many of the older residents, who have not kept up their subscriptions, will also receive a copy.

Of course, most of them will, once more, want the paper regularly. In both events OUR TOWN should be supported, and we ask your co-operation.

cluding iron packages, addressed to Bill H.

May 5—Have been over a French village at a Cape. The host took us over to his private house, where five of us ate thirty-six eggs and numerous "spuds." This is a diet not on the army list or menu. Keep up the letters. Remember, it's an awful disappointment not to be able to answer "here" when the mail arrives.

May 8—You know that I'm somewhat of a fatalist, insofar as shell-fire is concerned. If there's one marked with one's name and number, it will probably reach you, even though you are in Paris.

May 26—Have just bought a banjo-mandolin, and use it to add to the horrors of war. We are located in a large wood known as the Queen's Forest. Reminds you of camp in the Maine woods.

June 23—Get the Literary Digest of May 4, and read first article. It describes and locates much that is of interest to us all. (Location opposite Nancy, twelve miles north of Toul) (Inserted by Mr. Ridge from map in Literary Digest.)

July 8—Received letter from Maurice Du Marais, who is very safely situated by this time. The celebration on July 4 was one grand party, with ball games, boxing, tug-of-war, etc.

July 15—Had a big time on Bastille Day. Hiked to a village on the French front with a few French comrades whom I've gotten to know quite well. Their job is to keep in touch with the enemy at the listening posts out in No Man's Land. All speak German entirely. It has been five years since I have spoken any German, but it came back, after a little practice. One of the sergeants is a Croix-de-

BRITISH INVITE EDWARD BOK Editor Requested to Study Industrial Activities in England

Edward Bok, of Merion, editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, has been asked by the British Government to study industrial activities in England and also visit the battle fronts in France, according to a cable message that was received recently from the British Minister of Public Information.

As the guest of the government Mr. Bok will make the trip across the ocean in a British battleship and after making a careful study of the industrial and economic situations in England will go to France. As the guest of Sir Douglas Haig and General Pershing he will visit the battle fronts and before leaving the Continent will make a survey of American Y. M. C. A. work in France, Italy and Switzerland.

1918 VOTERS OF NARBERTH

The assessor will be at the fire house on September 3 and 4, from 7 to 9 P. M., to register new voters having moved to Narberth since May. This will qualify for November election.

Carsten Warner, Assessor.

NARBERTH WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 21

	High.	Low.
Barometer	30.42	29.95
Thermometer	88	52
Humidity, percentage	90	62

C. D.

THE FIRESIDE

(Continued from Third Page)

August 31, the price of War Stamps will advance one cent.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durbin and family, of Narberth avenue, have closed their cottage at Avalon, N. J., and have returned home.

Dorothy and Marion Bottoms, of Rockland avenue, are spending the week with their aunt, Mrs. I. W. Py... of Brandywine Summit, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Muschamp, of Woodside avenue, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Cole, at their farm, Brattleboro, Vermont.

Mr. William Bartlett and family, of Rockland avenue, have returned from Ocean City, N. J., where they have been spending the summer.

The chief cause of the non-delivery of mail intended for soldiers in the military camps in the United States is insufficiency of address.

Charles F. Stretch, son of James Stretch, has received a commission as lieutenant. He is now stationed at Valparaiso Training Camp, Indiana.

Mrs. Robert Coleman, 3d, and daughter, Betty, have left Narberth to take up their residence in Philadelphia, while Lieutenant Coleman is in France.

American citizens have sunk down in their pockets several million dollars in Thrift Stamps. The campaign has continued with momentum since it started. In Pennsylvania the per capita purchases for the Eastern district is \$4.66; Western district, per capita, \$4.82.

Patrons of the postoffice are urged to take the necessary steps to have their mail addressed to their box number. This is necessary in order to avoid delay. More than fifty additional postoffice boxes have been rented during the first week in the new office.

Never before have the children been able to see photoplays made exclusively for their amusement as will be shown at the Palace, Ardmore. "Jack and the Beanstalk," "The Trouble Makers," "Aladdin and His Lamp," "Babes in the Woods" and "Treasure Island" are booked consecutively on Saturday afternoons, commencing September 7, when every kiddie will be afforded a rare treat.

September payments to the War Chest, which are due next Sunday, should be paid either on Saturday or Monday, according to a statement issued by the War Welfare Council, which conducted the \$20,000,000 War Chest drive last spring. The September payment will be the third of the 12 installments which subscribers of this county agreed to pay to help the soldiers and sailors.

E. T. Stotesbury, president of the Council, states that payments thus far are very satisfactory, though there are some persons who have neglected to pay either July or August installments.

"It is to be hoped that these local Americans will make immediate payment of their pledges," Mr. Stotesbury said. "If a small percentage of the subscribers default, we will find the fund reduced by a tremendous amount. If the fund is reduced below the \$20,000,000 mark it will mean that the people of the five counties are not doing their share to provide comfort for the soldiers and sailors."

Mr. Stotesbury announced that many millions of dollars have already been appropriated to various organizations but if the subscribers do not make good their pledges the sums will have to be reduced.

The following appropriations have been made:

American Red Cross	\$6,750,000
War Camp Community Service	530,000
National Council, Boy Scouts	3,500
Travelers' Aid Society	25,000
Com. Protective Work for Girls	20,000
War Emergency Unit	10,357
Wallingford Chapter, Red Cross	5,000
Add. recreation facilities, Phila. Navy Yard	25,000
Total	\$7,368,857

Many others will be announced shortly.

SUFFRAGE NEWS

The September meeting of the Narberth Branch of the Woman Suffrage party will be most important, as plans will be made for the suffrage booth at Narberth's patriotic fete. Every member should be present to offer suggestions. The meeting will be held on the second Friday in September at 3 o'clock; the place will be announced later.

Have you subscribed to "The Woman Citizen?" Pennsylvania is down to 18 on the list in the circulation contest. Help your State up to first place and remember the Narberth Branch of the Woman Suffrage party receives a premium.

The First Gas Hospital Unit in France Sent by the National American Suffrage Association

The first gas hospital unit sent to France from the United States has been installed by the National American Woman Suffrage Association as one of the three units of the Women's Oversea Hospitals, U. S. A.

Women's Apparel Unit of the Women's Oversea Hospitals, U. S. A.

Seventy-five thousand dollars have been raised for the Women's Overseas Hospitals by the women of the garment trades all over the United States. The Women's Apparel Unit is made up of the editorial representatives of trade journals, of women manufacturers of women's wear, of buyers of big department stores, of advertisement writers, of leading women in specialty shops, and mail order houses. There are sixteen divisions in this well organized company. Each division has a General and an Adjutant General made up of one retail buyer and one manufacturer in each line. In this way the unit will represent the whole United States.

THE DREADNOUGHTS' CRY

Yet shall our turrets roaring greet
The U-boats nosing for the fleet,
We only ask and only hope,
One vision of a periscope!

Destroyers mark his crafty sign,
Patrol boats seek him in the brime,
Where headlands stand and seaweeds creep,
And tides turn inward from the deep.

For we, the Dreadnoughts, have a score,
They keep the records safe ashore,
Of lives and ships a multitude,
Strafed as a Hunnish interlude.

Oh, that our guns could find just one,
God! what day's work would then be done,
We'd thrill from stern to fighting top,
And rake him till the guns grew hot!

C. D.

NOTICE

The War Department office of Local Board for Division I, County of Montgomery, State of Pennsylvania, has made the following appointment for Narberth registrars for the registration of men from 18 to 45 years, which will take place in the near future: Horace C. Fritsch, James Foote, William J. Kirkpatrick, Raymond C. Jones, William C. Claghorne, John A. Miller, George B. Supplee, Charles Verna, Fred Walzer, Thomas C. Trotter, Harry B. Wall.

Chief Registrar Charles V. Noel.

Watch Our Town for particulars about the Baby Parade, September 28.

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