TABULATION OF REGISTRATION OF LOCAL WOMEN

Many Trades and Occupations Represented in Registration of Local Womanpower

Council of National Defense.

The many trades and occupations represented will give an idea of the was a ha'nt in an old dilapidated caaid Downers Grove women can give bin near our place and this ha'nt used in this war.

Woman's Committee-Council of Nation! Defense

Desistration Summery

Registration Summar	y
Illinois Division, Downers Gr	ove Un
Total Number Registered	82
Agricultural	
Dairying	4
Farming	6
Fruit-raising	2
Gardening	9
Poultry-raising	11
Stock-raising	33
Clerical	
Accountant	18
Bookkeeper	
Cashier	40.4
General Clerical Work	
Filing	
Office Assistant	
Office Manager	13
Private Secretary	25
Twperwriter	81
Twperwriter	
Shipping clerk	
Stenographer	
Rate clerk	
Comptometer	8

Domestic Care of Children Cleaning Cooking Housekeeping

Laundress Seamstress Waitreas Industrial

Dresamaker Needle trades Leather trades

Hat trades

Paper and printing

Retail dealer

Professional Laboratory worker Poriegn languages 131 Lecturer Librarian Musician Trained nurse Photographer Teacher

Pharmacist

Statistician

Public Service Inspector Institutional manager Postmistress Social Service Camp work Charities

Club executive District nursing Hospital Industrial welfare Dancing Relief visiting Settlement Unoccupied women 10

Red Cross and Allied Relief

Volunteers for the general Red Cross work with the Downers Grove unit 322 Surgical dressing, instruction wanted, Surgical dressing, can instruct, . . . 8 Dietetles, instruction wanted ... Dietetics, can instruct,2 Elementary Hygiene, instruction

Elementary Hygiene, can instruct, Garment making, instruction wanted, 5 Garment making, can instruct, 6

Contributions

"THE GHOST HOUSE"

Jack Pickford and Louise Huff Featured in Creepy but Good Lasky

Production

"We never had ghosts in Georgia," exclaimed Louise Huff, the charming co-star with Jack Pickford in speaking of "The Ghost House," in which they will be seen at the Dicke Theatre on Thursday, Dec. 27. "We had 'ha'nts' witches and little voodooisms. We had an old darky cook who used registration cards of Downers Grove and her kinky hair was kept all tied first prize in the second month's com-

witches. "According to the old mammy there to come out nights and parade up and

full of bones, dried snakes, living our food and money. frogs and other horrible things. She To conserve we should buy no more had all the darkies so intimidated that than we can consume. We should obway and smoke a horrible old pipe and two days is very great. areaten dire vengence on any of the poor old darkies who failed to bring They can be made into trench candles.

"I was brought up among these Try to forget candy for awhile to imagine that I saw little green Liberty Loan bread will take the place lights and other very queer things or white bread and does not contain whenever I got awake at night. Since so much wheat, wood, and some of the people up here must be in Europe. We hear of carare just as superstitious as they are loads of potatoes going to waste in

ture Mr. Jack Pickford and myself If we can't assist in the war, we deshave made for Paramount, is on un- erve to be ruled by the Kaiser. unual story and gets Jack Pickford. We should learn to eat more corn enough for our soldier's shows. and myself into amusing complica- muffins in place of the wheat muffins; tions, so I hope everyone will like it. to use substitutes for sugar; to cut

who with her sister inherits an old to eat more perishable and less nonfrom an uncle. We go there to live moderately. and the very first night I eatch Jack breaker, getting in a window. In re- not better than the other part. ality he is a college student being initiated by having to spend a night a- pose by taking the money we would

things begin to happen, both tragic out the cigara, too. and amusing. It is truly one of the most unusual and interesting productions I have ever known about.

"Boy!"

"Mam!"

deafen un?"

the noise."-Life.

dollars for Christmas.

"Well, why not?"

ville Courier-Journal.

event."-Buffalo Express.

raising hid.

the price tag.

jumples.

present you wanted.

broken eardrums.

chosen than gaudy jewels.

ring in quite a few gifts.

seems to be the pocketbook.

A device that emplies a man to tached by turning a bicycle pedal has been patented by a California in-

Christmas drum! Do you want to

"Yes'm; then you won't mind

"I'd like to give my wife Afty

"I ain't certain that I could coaz

it away from her again."-Louis-

A Sign of Age.

"Just when does a woman grow

"When she ceases to regard the

hanging of the mistletoe as an

All He Remembered.

member the poor on Christmast

The Preacher-And did you re-

Little Albert-No. I didn't re-

member nothin' much, except

about pa catchin' me with my

hand in the box where ma had the

Up-to-Date Xmas Maxims.

Never look a Christmas gift in

There is nothing so rare as a

A ton of coal is rather to be

Beware of mistletoe; it grows

Better broken toy drums than

Christmas spirit seldom intosi-

cates, but it generally bankrupts.

Christman belles manage to

Just now the most popular book

Never put a gift olgar in the

Christmas gifts are somewhat

like babies—you can't always get

what you want, but wisely be contented with what some Non

on the border of matrimonial

SECOND MONTH'S PRIZE ESSAY OF EIGHTH GRADERS

Ellsworth Bogart Wins First Place With Valuable Talk on Conservation

Below we print the summary of the to see a new haint every few minutes! Ellsworth Bogart was awarded the women which has been sent to the up in little knots to ward off the petition for the best essays in the seventh and eightn grades.

Conservation

"We are now engaged in the greatest war known in history. We know. down the road and there wasn't a by actual fact, how near the Allies darkey in the place who would go have come to defeat. Men, money down that road after ten o'clock at and food are needed just at present. We Americans have been living in

An old voodoo woman lived about luxury. Now the time has come when it two miles away in a little hut filled we must be more careful how we use

they would bring her lood every day serve meatless and wheatless days. and all she did was to sit in her door- The amount of food saved on those

Scraps of paper should be saved. used in cooking in the trenches.

stories of ha'nts and ghosts and used Figs and dates can be substituted.

came North, however, I had forgot. Then we must save in order to ten all about it and that is why I was make up for the food that has been so amazed to find out that there is a sunk by the submarines. We have no haunted house right here in Holly- idea how terrible the food situation railroad vards. People responsible for "The tihost House," the latest pic- such acts should be shot as traitors.

"I am supposed to be a poor girl, down the amount of meat we consume; profit by the experiences of others. house that is supposed to be haunted, perishable foodstuffs and to eat more help win the war."

Some people throw the crust of the the judges, picked the above essay as Pickford, whom we take to be a house- bread away. That part is as good if the best.

We can use money to a better purlone in what they think is an empty spend at the movies and other amusements and donating it to the Y. M. C. "Then some real thieves appear and A. or the Red Cross. Men can cut

Italy's failure can be traced back to a shortage of coal. We can save coal by sifting ashes and regulating the furnace. Our coal shortage is on of the sensational photoplay, "The account of a shortage in cars in the Honor System," which will be seen at

shoes in order that there may be

Good Old Soul.

I'm waiting," said Santa Claus,

Christmas Anticipation.

"I don't believe the approach of

"Don't ehf" replied the savage

backelor. "Listen to my secret.

That youngster on the third floor

is sure to get a fin trumpet for a

feet. Don't you call that a joyous

A Long List.

Parke-Have you decided what

to give your wife for Christmas?

The Canny Scot at Yule.

A commercial traveler had

taken a large order in Scotland

for a consignment of hardware

and endeavored to press upon the

canny Scottish manager who had

given the order a Christmas gift

"Naw," he replied, "Don't try to

bribe a man. I cudna tak them,

and I am a member of the kirk."

"But will you not accept them

"Well, then," said the traveler,

suppose I sell you the cigars for

a merely nominal sum-say, sin-

of a box of Havana cigars.

as a Christmas present?"

"I cudna," said the Scot.

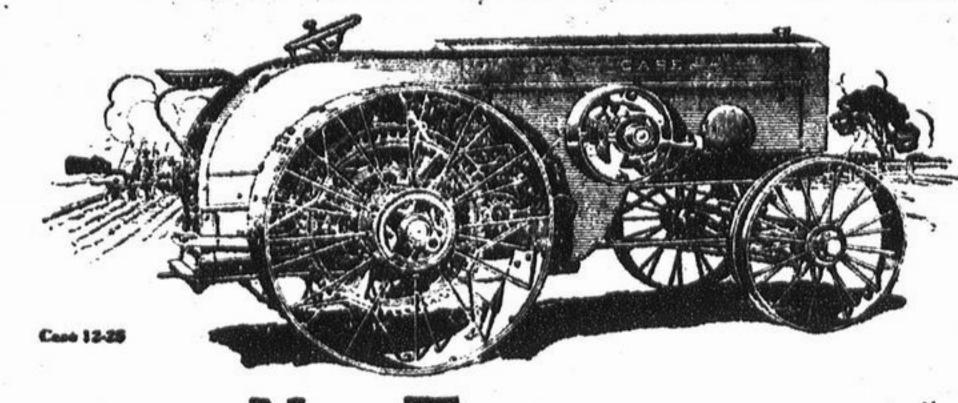
The regular exchanges,"

asked him,

young thing.

"Yes."

anticipation f



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JOSEPH V. DIETER

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THE REAL WEST IN THE

HONOR SYSTEM

Border Town Raid and Life in Latest Big William Fox Film Thrill the Spectators

Much has been said about the value the Curtiss Theatre, Christmas, and in The Government has asked shoe the general human sympathy aroused manufacturers not to use the thicker from this angle one might lose sight of the other great and distinguishing d qualities of this master drama which R. A. Walsh directed and which Wil-

liam Fox is presenting. Eliminating the great moral story, the powerful record of human love and sympathy, and judging it from the viewpoint of a spectacle, one is forced to the conclusion that it is one of the finest pieces of realism the motion pieture stage has yet seen.

True, no great cities tumble, and no heavens fail, and the bowels of the earth are not exposed to view, but this Why haven't you gone," they photoplay shows more real, flat-on-the earth, human existence than any film "To your enous mountain story that has yet been made for the amusement of the public.

There are scenes depicting the frontier life of Arizona which are without parallel on the screen. Mr. Walsh was born and raised in Arizona and shows it first in his selection of types. Christmas brings you a single for He positively uses no Bergen, (N. J.) one anticipation," said the sweet cowboys, and, after all, that's a good start. His men of the west, breath, snort and fight Western fashion. And

they love that way, too. The most moving scene is when the cowpunchers and rangers of one town dash madly on their mustangs and "Then he will get careless and cayuses to the rescue of their pals in leave it on the hall floor. And another border town. It has been then I shall step on it with both raided by Mexican bandits, and Mr. Walsh's seene makes Villa's Columbus raid look like a game of croquet. The word has been brought to the boys of Lariat by Joe Stanton, the hero, In a whirlwind of passion they ride across Lane-Not yet. There are so the desert, the American flag at the many things I can't afford .- head, and save the town.

Penitential Psalms.

The term "penitential psalms" is applied to a group of seven penims on account of the marked penitence they show. They are the Sixth, the Thirtysecond, the Thirty-eighth, the Fiftyfirst, the One Hundred and Second, the One Hundred and Thirtleth and the One Hundred and Forty-third. The distinction of these from other psalms began in the early Christian times.

Efficiency of Ether. Ether is the tenuous, highly elastic fluid that is assumed to fill all space, and by vibrations or waves transmits light and heat. Although the existence of ether is assumed to explain "Weel, in that case," replied the certain phenomena, its actual exist- her small boy say a naughty word, she Scot, "since you press me, and, ence is very generally credited by sci- called in severe tones, "Bobby, what not liking tae refuse an offer weet entific men, and in reality proofs are meant, I think I'll be taking two not wanting to fairly establish such piled, "You are supposed to be steep-

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Mamma Not Asleep.

The maid was dressing four-year-old Bobby. His mother was resting in an adjoining room. When she overheard

The Red Cross Christmas Seal, Defeats All Comers in the Carlot Class for Hogs at the Recent Live

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The grand champion carload of hogs was a load of Berkshires, bred, fed Therefore, buy Seals whether or not and shown by T. E. Bruner, Augusta, you have a practical use for them, and [1], in class 250-and-under-350 pounds. contributing. The purchase of each was the heaviest load at the Show. Seal means just so much more to- They sold for \$21.25 per hundred lbs. wards the conservation of our Man This is a new record price for all times. The price paid by Miller & Hart for this champion load was \$3.85 above the market price, and \$1.00 higher than any other load of show

Candle Making an Art.

The making of candles is not ordinarily considered a fine art, but the Italians have made it such. The distinctively Italian votive taper is made by hand. The materials are pure beeswax, which is kneaded and tempered and mixed with a secret ingredient to retard combustion, and which has special Egyptian cotton for wicks. The cotton, too, is treated with chemicals to keep it from feeding too fast. Small candles are molded. Large ones are made by rolling up sheets of wax.

Mie Only Solution.

Richard was playing with a toy machine. His mother heard an unusual commotion and hurried to the room. On entering she found poor Pete, his doll, with a broken head. In reply to her questions as to what had happened