"WRD RETIREES"

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IT'S PRESIDENTIAL REASSIGNMENT TIME

Biennially, it becomes a presidential ritual to sign off and turn over the regalia of office to a worthy successor. That time is approaching and you now have the opportunity of confirming the line of succession determined by the Board of Management (as specified in our Charter), or, choosing another. Please show your continued interest and support by returning the ballot.

Because our principal visible activities are the Newsletter and the Reunion, I am particularly indebted to Porter Ward and Chuck Collier for their outstanding services which weren't, of course, solo efforts. Logistically, we all owe a vote of thanks to Ruth Malone and Sumner Heidel for record keeping and associated chores (ever try to catch a school of minnows?). And also to Art Beetem, compiler and updater of the Directory file. Wherever you are Art, don't lose that disk.

There are a number of praiseworthy individuals locally and nation-wide (too numerous to mention, as they say) who keep the wheels turning by preparing the Newsletter for mailing or who funnel regional news to us, who provide Division support for our activities, and who contact our metro- and local-area members about monthly luncheons and other matters. And, always on hand is our mentor, George Ferguson, who along with a cadre of ex-presidents, are a constant source of advice and are a reminder of the basic aims of our organization.

Finally, as we head confidently into the '90's, we all look forward to a new year of your shared news and views in the newsletter. Also Dick Heath and his cohort, are laying the groundwork for the next family gathering to be held in Orlando in November, 1990.

Dob Deall.

Good progress is being made to ensure that the 5th reunion of WRD Retirees will be a gala affair, so keep Orlando, Florida, and November 11-15, 1990, in mind.



THE LUNCH BUNCH--Lakewood, Colorado, Spring, 1989. Left to Right: Hugh Hudson (almost), Stu Meyers, Frank Ames, Frank Visher, Keith Essex, and Stan Lohman.



GATHERED FOR LUNCH--Rolla, Missouri, June, 1989. Left to Right: Don Spencer, Mable Spencer, Dutch Oaks, Tudor Oaks, Bill Todd, Mary Jane Todd, Gertie Roemer, Elmer Roemer, Alleene Sandhaus, Elmer Sandhaus, Jeannette Emmett, Leo Emmett, Jack Hale, Mildred Hale, Eva Gollahon, John Gollahon, Horace Jeffery, Juanita Jeffery, and Ned Harvey. Not pictured: James and Martha Alexander, Berna Harvey, and Mel Janson.

A RUSSIAN SAGA by Howard Matthai

The phone at the Matthai home in Menlo Park rang about 9:30 on a Friday night in late April. Harry Hulsing was calling from Bend, Oregon, having just completed the long drive from their winter quarters in Arizona. He had just reconnected his phone when it rang. Klava's cousin, his wife and a friend from Russia were calling from the San Francisco Airport where they had been stranded for about 3 days! None of the three spoke English.

Harry asked us to see what we could do to help. A call to Traveler's Aid went unanswered. Calls to Pan Am and the airport office only informed us that they had no responsibility for deplaning passengers. The only option left was for us to drive the 20 miles to the airport and pick them up. We called Harry and got a very general description of them and their first names. We didn't see them near the Pan Am counter; so we tried to have them paged. Airport policy is to not page anyone unless they have both first and last names. After some argument, we gave two first names, and "he" was paged. We located them near the baggage area and drove them to our home. They lost no time getting to bed and to sleep.

We advised Harry and Klava that things were more or less under control. So, tired as the Hulsing's were, they had to leave early Saturday morning to drive 500 plus miles to Menlo Park arriving about 4 p.m. Such animated conversation in Russian and lots of laughter. We didn't understand any of it, and Klava had little time to translate much of it. We brought in Chinese food for dinner--a new experience for the Russians.

Our guest capacity of five was fully utilized. Then on Sunday they left for the return trip to Bend. Barbara now knows that Russian hugs are strong and long. Truly a memorable weekend for the Matthai's!

(Editor's note: Harry Hulsing's interesting "explanation" will appear in the next issue of the Newsletter. Lack of space precluded our using it in this issue.)

SPECIAL NOTICE FROM THE TREASURER

Previously we have depended on writing on the mailing labels of the November Newsletters a date to inform members if they owed any dues. Some members reported difficulty in remembering when they last sent us their checks. So this year we are sending out individual post cards to members who have not paid dues to cover 1989, or 1988 and 1989, and we are showing on each card the date that we received your last dues. Therefore, if you receive a card showing that you are paid through 1988 it will mean that our record shows that you owe for 1989, and a check for \$6 will pay the dues through 1990. Some questions have been asked whether a member joined in August 1988 and paid \$3, for example, is paying for just 1988; as the Secretary sends a current directory and the earlier N.L. as available. Unless the Treasurer has specific instruction otherwise the first dues are credited for the year received -- with the exception that dues received in October or later would normally be credited to the following year. In other words for convenience we operate on a calendar year.

Another suggestion by some members has been to set a special fee for "life membership". With the uncertainties of future expenses and possible complication with IRS reports we have been reluctant to formalize such a system. However, a number of members have made especially generous unsolicited contributions above dues, and, with the consent of the Board of Management, the Treasurer does not list anyone as owing dues if he or she has made a total contribution of \$100 or more (during their membership) above requested dues.

INTERIOR SECRETARY LUJAN MARKS CENTENNIAL OF NATIONAL STREAM GAGING NETWORK

On August 28 Manual Lujan, Secretary of the Interior, accompanied by USGS Director, Dallas Peck, the Governor of New Mexico and others, placed a plaque on the gaging station on the Rio Grande at Embudo, New Mexico commemorating its establishment in 1889. It was the first of what has become a water-data network of about 50,000 stations operated by the USGS in cooperation with more than 1,000 State, Federal and local agencies.

The station was built and operated by a small group of USGS personnel sent to Embudo late in 1888 to explore basic stream-gaging techniques. After several months of training, the encampment was terminated and the trainees dispersed to establish and operate additional stations. These new stations were basic to an assessment of the water resources of western lands rquired by the Survey's newly-created (1888) Irrigation Survey and a long-standing goal of John Wesley Powell, who served as USGS Director from 1881 to 1894.

Further recognition was given to the Embudo station centennial on September 20 when Chief Hydrologist Phil Cohen gave an illustrated lecture on events leading to the Irrigation Survey, the Embudo encampment and advances in stream-gaging technology at the Interior Building, Washington, D.C. Because of the wide interest expressed he repeated his presentation at the USGS National Center on October 13.

More-detailed information about the Embudo encampment and gaging station can be found in USGS Professional Paper 778 titled "Embudo, New Mexico, Birthplace of Systematic Stream Gaging" by Arthur H. Frazier and Wilbur Heckler.

Perhaps the earliest documentation of the events leading to and during the Embudo Camp was by Robert Follansbee in his "History of the Water Resources Branch-to June 30,1919." This was completed in 1938 and published privately shortly thereafter. This volume, No. 1 in the WRD history series, was more recently reproduced for internal use by the Division.

RECENT RETIREMENTS

National Headquarters: John Moore, Supervisory Hydrologist, September 1, 1989.

Northeastern Region: James L. Barker, Hydrologist, Harrisburg, PA, July 11, 1989 **** Anthony A. Giaimo, Hydrologic Technician, Syosset, NY, June 30, 1989.

<u>Southeastern Region:</u> Betty J. Bates, Secretary, Atlanta, GA, July 28, 1989 **** James A. Callahan, Hydrologist, Jackson, MS, August 31, 1989 **** Hector M. Colon-Ramos, Hydrologist, San Juan, PR, September 1, 1989 **** Ralph Gonzales, Hydrologic Technician, San Juan, PR, July 3, 1989 **** Clyde E. Simmons, Supervisory Hydrologist, Raleigh, NC, July 15, 1989.

<u>Central Region:</u> Robert L. Knutilla, Supervisory Hydrologist, Albuquerque, NM, September 2, 1989.

Western Region: Lorenzo L. Flake, Hydrologist, Thatcher, AZ, September 2, 1989 **** J. Rod Williams, Hydrologist, Tacoma, WA, September 30, 1989.

RESTON VISITOR'S CENTER OFF AND RUNNING--MORE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Survey's new Visitor's Center facility, located adjacent to the main auditorium in the National Center at Reston, has been operational since late Spring when a Survey Open House attracted more than 5,000 visitors to a number of exhibits, demonstrations, lectures, and movies.

The facility consists of a state-of-the-art video taping and projection center, an acoustically-designed viewing-lecture room seating about 60, and a reception-desk area. The recording-projection center is staffed with professional operators whenever needed. The Visitor Center reception area is to be hosted by volunteers on a regular basis for two days or more per week, as part of the Survey's Volunteers-in-Science program. An adjacent office area, now being readied, will provide desk, telephone, and back-up duty space for staff and volunteers.

Through the past summer and to the present, the Center and its volunteers have assisted in two more large events -- a series of tour groups totalling some 290 visitors, mostly from foreign countries who were attending the International Geological Congress in Washington, D.C. in July, and a special Interior Department Day hosting more than 400 high school students predominantly of Hispanic heritage and their teachers from area schools on September 28. In addition, the volunteers attended about weekly training and orientation sessions to make ready for those events and for the continuing program of visitation scheduled by groups of all ages ranging from kindergarden kids to senior adults.

Survey retirees make up the group of some twenty Visitor Center Volunteers to date. Hal Langford, John Rapp, Jerry Meyer, Sy Subitzky, Rad Radlinski, Bob Sigafoos, Don Thomas, Russ Wayland, and Joe Cragwall are now "Docents" from the WRD Retirees family.

The full Visitor Center program will require a volunteer group of about 40, each of whom will be asked to serve no oftener than a half day per week. If you live in the Washington metropolitan area and wish to volunteer, please call Susan Russell-Robinson of the Survey's Public Affairs Office, telephone (703) 648-4463, or Joe Cragwall at (703) 978-8535, for details.

Come, male or female, and docent with us!

KEY POSITIONS FILLED

Robert Burchett, former District Chief OK, has been selected as District Chief, TX.

NEWS OF RETIREES

Ted Arnow is still at it -- publishing on the Great Salt Lake. His latest, Water Level Changes in Great Salt Lake, is the lead article in <u>Utah Birds</u>,* vol. 4. The entire issue is devoted to the lake and its biotic communities. As usual, Ted's paper is lucid, thorough, and readable. * Journal of the Utah Ornithological Society.

Claude and Peggy Baker spent a glorious vacation in Scotland checking on family history and enjoying the Western Highlands, Isle of Skye, and the Whiskey Trail. Claude says there are over 100 malt Scotches in Speyside alone and most of them are not exported.

<u>Young</u> celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary last August. They are all looking forward to the 1990 Reunion.

<u>Doug Bedinger</u> has just returned from a trip to Poland, where he gave a paper to a technical group.

Mary Anne Bennett, widow of Bob Bennett, has received a letter from the Department of Geology, University of Nebraska, advising her that Bob has been designated a Distinguished Alumnus of the University in recognition of "his outstanding contributions to ground water geology." The award was to be announced on September 29, 1989.

Charlotte Benson sends her appreciation for the very fine Memoir for her late husband, Manuel A Benson, that was prepared by Charlie Riggs. Charlotte flew to London this past summer and cruised to some of the great capitols of Europe. Last spring she flew to Rio and cruised South American ports en route to San Juan, Puerto Rico. She has a Greek Islands trip planned for October.

Ray Bentall and daughter, Clare, toured eastern Europe in July. He and daughter, Beth, plan a trip to Greece for the fall.

Frederica Bowman is treasurer of the Falls Church, Virginia, Golden Age Club that meets every Tuesday for bridge or trips. She also is active in her NARFE Chapter, and she sends best wishes to Ruth Malone and Sumner Heidel.

Charlie Bryant has been elected president of the Arkansas Ground Water Association for 1990. The Association will meet jointly with the AWRA in Little Rock during December.

Abe and Jane Cameron attended Jane's 50th high school graduation class reunion in Anderson, South Carolina. The Cameron clan assembled later in Atlanta for their oldest grand-daughter's college graduation and wedding.

George and Del Cardwell made a visit to the old home place in Missouri, said it was a welcome respite.

D.J. and Kay Cederstrom drove east to Williamsburg, Virginia, to attend their grandson's graduation at the College of William and Mary. In June they signed up for a bird watching tour of Alaska. At the last minute Kay decided it would be too strenuous so daughter Karen from Virginia took her place. Ceedy had no patience with the bird watchers who thought he was a real drip. He reports that Anchorage is now a sad place with no character any more as compared to the Alaska he once knew and loved (?). Oh yes, beer cost \$2.25 a bottle at a bar. Ceedy, it costs more than that many places in the Washington area.

Chuck Collier, Tacoma, Washington, furnished headquarters of WRD Retirees a beautifully done photo album of the 4th Reunion at Belleview, Washington. The album was donated by Finch White. Our thanks to all who had a hand in preparing this document. Anyone who wishes to view the album can do so at the Retirees office in Reston. It will also be available at the 5th National Reunion in Orlando, Florida.

Lynn Schlaaff of Reston, Virginia, a niece of Art Goucher's, reports that Art, who had moved to Florida after he retired, suffered a stroke on Labor Day. He can't talk and is partially paralyzed but he appreciates cards and letters. Communications should be addressed to Art c/o Lynn Schlaaff, 2215 Sanibel Drive, Reston, VA 22091. Lynn hopes to move him to a care center in the Northern Virginia area very soon.

Hank Halberg reports that he went to the 50th anniversary party for his brother Richard, in Cohasset, Massachusetts.

<u>Bill Hale</u>, Albuquerque, has retired again, this time from John Shomaker's consulting firm. He will help son Stephen in his construction business, and son David in his cabinet-making business occasionally, but not on Tuesdays; that's his day for lunch at Baca's.

Clayton Hardison attended the 57th anniversary of his class at the University of Maine during June. He then participated in Hardison Day Celebration in his hometown of Caribou, where his great-grandfather, who had 10 children, had settled in the mid-1840's.

Bob (Robert L.) Hosman, who has retired in Arkansas, bought a house in Sherwood, and spends much of his time re-creating a veteran Austin-Healey.

Keith Jackson (who underwent cataract surgery in July) was to have a followup laser procedure in September. We hope it all went well, Keith. Incidentally, son Keith Jr., an aeronautical engineer with General Dynamics in Forth Worth, Texas, is the acknowledged father of the A-12 Advanced Tactical Aircraft being built by his firm for the Navy. The original concept was developed by Keith Jr., about 15 years ago.

<u>Don and Mary Jane Jordan</u> joined with a Friendship Force group on a trip to

Czechoslovakia and Hungary in an attempt to promote people to people exchanges between those countries and the United States. Don reports that the Czech authorities are not much in favor of exchanges but the Hungarian officials, who spoke frankly, are very interested.

Stan and Doris Kapustka have been vagabonding. They visited Frank and Ferne Rainwater in Yuma, Arizona, and Harry and Klava Hulsing in Mesa. In Palm Springs, California, they caught up with Dave and Evelyn Harris, who were wintering there. They went to Honolulu, Hawaii, to housesit for a month for friends who went to Japan. returning they visited Lee and Lela Peterson in Walnut Creek, California. During the summer Stan and Doris were off to the Big Apple to visit Stan's mother and father on Long Island and Doris' brother in the city. With Ben Jones stan interviewed Ken Phillips for the WRD VCR tape library.

Phil LaMoreaux notes that he is delighted that Clyde Conover got him involved in "WRD Retirees". He also sends his best regards to Ruth Malone, our former long time capable and competent secretary.

Hal and Jean Langford's son, Dave, daughter-in-law, Diane, and 3 grandchildren (ages 4, 7, and 10) joined them for a memorable 2-auto trip to Nebraska, Colorado, and Kansas in August. They visited "old haunts" in Nebraska and relatives and friends in all 3 states. High point of the trip was a stay at a dude ranch near Estes Park, Colorado. Hal said the use of CB radios to keep in contact on the highway was extremely important to the success of the 5,000-mile trip. Jean said the midtrip stay at the dude ranch was even better!

<u>Helen Larson</u> is enjoying retirement and sends her best regards to <u>Larry Martens</u> and <u>Stan Sauer</u>.

Elwood and Dorothy Leeson write that they will soon (August 21) be preparing for their annual fall outing with Herb and Margaret Waite in Lake Tahoe where they share a rental home.

We note that Nancy Lopez, Chief, Office of Water Data Coordination, was elected National Secretary of the American Water Resources Association. She will moderate a session on Water Resources Information Management and Data Sharing at the AWRA 25th Anniversary Conference in Tampa, Florida, during September. The USGS is prominent on the program, we are pleased to report.

Al and Catherine Lowe and Darwin and Linda Knochenmus report interesting experiences with exchange students from Spain and other countries. They recommend participation in the program.

Gus (August H.) Ludwig reports that he is going to a meeting of geologists in North Carolina for the purpose of forming a National Society of Boards of Registration of Geologists. Gus is Chairman of the Arkansas Board, and is Program Chairman of the local chapter of American Institute of Mining Engineers. Gus has gone into consulting, in the firm of McElwain, Ludwig and Williams.

John Musser participated in a retirement seminar taught by OPM in the Louisiana WRD District in August. As a recent retiree, John was able to provide advice and direction to the 14 employees of the district who will be eligible to retire in the next few years.

Dale and Miriam Nyman of Baton Rouge spent two weeks singing in Switzerland, Austria, and West Germany, June 5-19. The tour was arranged by the Baton Rouge Symphony Chorus and the Intropa International Travel Agency. The group consisted of 32 choir members and spouses, there were six concerts, the weather and tour were

ideal, and a great time was had by all. The concert consisted of classics sung in Latin, the Mozart "Coronation Mass", and Negro spirituals. Dale sang the tenor solos in the "Coronation Mass" as part of a church service in Salzburg, Austria. The highlight of the trip was a joint concert with the town folk chorus at Pinkafeld, Austria. After the concert the folk chorus treated their Baton Rouge guests to a party and they sang, chatted, and drank wine until one o'clock in the morning. Dale recently accepted a position with Geraghty and Miller, Inc.

Norman and Lilian Payne made a 7,000 mile trip to visit their son in San Diego with highlights of the journey including stops at Glacier Park, National Bison Range, Flathead Indian Reservation, Bonneville Dam and Fish Hatchery, Diamond Lake, Crater Lake, the "Avenue of Giants" (redwoods), and Lake Tahoe. Sounds great.

Mary and Earl Peterson traveled to the state of Washington this summer to visit Mary's daughter Barbara and family, who moved from California to Silverdale, Washington. While there they visited Olympic National Park, Mt. Rainier National Park and Seattle, having a family dinner in the Space Needle restaurant. Then they made a trip to Ohio for Earl's 60th high school reunion. In September Mary and Earl went with a group of friends to Hawaii, spending some time in Honolulu before taking a cruise around the other islands. An unusual and spectacular sight was witnessed from the deck of the ship one night as they cruised past one side of the big island of Hawaii. They saw the red glow from the lava as it flowed down the mountain and into the sea.

Carl and Lois Pollard enjoyed a bus tour to Colorado and New Mexico. Highlights included a ride on the narrow gauge steam train from Durango to Silverton, Mesa Verde National Park, and a ride to the summit of Pikes Peak on the world's highest cog railway.

Bill Schneider has received another contract from National Park Service for further efforts in south Florida. He will evaluate the water resources of the proposed addition to the Big Cypress National Preserve for the general management plan and assist in writing the Environmental Impact Statement for the plan.

Raymond and Elinor Sloss on a recent trip to the British Isles were impressed by the friendliness of the people and the magnificance of many old structures. Ray reports not seeing any suitable gaging station sites. Ray also attended the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America held at Fort A.P. Hill in Virginia.

Eleanor Stackhouse, who recently retired, writes that she would be interested in part-time work anywhere, but her first preference is Alaska. She was employed as Accounting Technician and Administrative Technician during 11 years in Alaska. Prior experience was as Audit Technician, Voucher Examiner, and Clerk Typist. Her address is 4923 E. 43rd Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99508.

Roger and Ruth Waller took Ruth's uncle to Hungary and Czechoslovakia during August to find the villages where his parents were born. They survived the high speed driving and language barriers but enjoyed low priced food and wine. They met 2 cousins of Ruth who were the only Holocaust survivors in their relations.

<u>Don Wiesnet</u> lost 10 pounds when he underwent gall bladder surgery in July. After an 11-day hospital stay he and Evelyn went to Atlantic Beach, North Carolina, where they have a time-share condo, for vacation and recuperation. Don is active in the Virginia Society of Ornithology, and in the American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing.

Woodrow W. Wilson and wife Billie celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a week in Las Vegas, Nevada. They were joined by daughter Marcia and husband Tim, and son Marcus and wife Patricia. The Wilsons were married in Topeka, Kansas, in 1939.

<u>Bob Wait</u> has been collecting genealogical information and has more uncoordinated facts than he can handle at the moment.

As indicated by Frank Barrick, Kenneth and Louise Young had their 50th Anniversary on September 27, 1989. Because of work and school schedules of their two sons and families in California, they celebrated the event on August 26. Forty friends and family members gathered for dinner at the Ocala Hilton in Ocala, Florida. This was followed by planned double by-pass heart surgery for Kenneth on August 29. He came home after 5 days in the hospital, and is recuperating and getting back to normal. We wish you a full recovery, Ken.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

For the period July 1 - October 2, the Treasurer received a total of \$238 in contributions from 22 members. Contributions as large as \$25 were received, and we want to thank the following who made extra contributions in excess of \$5 each: Marjorie Allen, Charlotte Benson, Norman Hutchinson, Hal Langford, Melvin Johnson, Charles Keech, Russell Cruff, Al Fiedler, Helen Larson, Charles O. Morgan, Frederica Bowman, Ed Hulme, Harry Barnes, Frank Barrick, Walt Durum, Donald Jordan, and Elwood Leeson.

IN MEMORIAM

Lawrence E. ("Larry") Bidwell died on September 14, 1989, at his home in Forest Lake, Minnesota at the age of 79. At the time of his retirement, he was with the Office of International Activities at WRD headquarters. In his retirement, he was an active member of NARFE in Minnesota. He is survived by two sons--Lawrence E., Jr. and Robert J.; two daughters--Ruth A. McCreery and Mary E.; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. His wife, Helen, died in November 1988 (N.L. 62; p. 10).

Madge Watson Dover died on August 4, 1989, at a nursing home in Denver, Colorado, from hydroencephalus at the age of 60. She was the wife of Ty Dover, who retired in 1977. In addition to teaching at school for many years, she was also very involved as a volunteer, and was very active in the Woman's Society of the United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband, Tyrus; two sons--John and James; two daughters--Julie and Janet; and one granddaughter.

Josephine Eyen died on June 27, 1989, in Lincoln, Nebraska. At the time of her retirement in 1974, she was a mathematical technician in the Lincoln sub-district office. She is survived by a son, Phillip, and several grandchildren.

Arlene P. Summers died on June 15, 1989, in Lincoln, Nebraska, from cancer at the age of 66. She retired in 1981 after 31 years of federal service. During her life, she was very active in Lutheran Church affairs, serving on numerous committees and teaching pre-school children. She is survived by her husband, Dale; a son, Dennis; and three grandchildren.

Jaye Swanson died on June 20, 1989, at Northern Virginia Hospice in Fair Oaks, Virginia, from brain cancer at the age of 60. She was employed in Northeastern Region of WRD until 1969, when she transferred to the newly-forming Environmental Protection Agency. She retired from there in 1982. Jaye was active in the Arlington Memorial Church, where she served as deaconess. She is survived by her husband, Paul, and her mother and three brothers.

Word has been received that Joseph L.H. Paulhus died on July 28, 1989. He was well known to hydrologists as the coauthor of the classic textbook "Applied Hydrology" and was very active in professional activities. He is survived by several brothers and sisters.

FLASHBACK

The Washington Office of the Surface Water Division distributed a list of telephone "don'ts" which was said might be of use to District offices. A sampling of the these "don'ts" are:

1. "Don't joggle the receiver rapidly up and down. Move it slowly when it has to be moved at all."

2. "Don't take down the receiver and say "Hello". It is the most time-killing bisyllable in telephone conversation. Lift the receiver and if you do not hear your name, give it yourself, saying "Jones speaking".

3. "Don't use official telephones for personal calls, either outgoing or incoming. Use the public pay station in the corridors for that purpose.

4. "Don't "bawl out" the operator. Such action leads to apoplexy and epitaphs. Patience and courtesy will always outrun peevishness and incivility. Keep cool and you will save time and get better results."

(The above guidelines were lifted from the Washington Office Newsletter dated March 20, <u>1918</u>.)

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