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NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Efforts made to promote education in the Southern States are summarized in the sixth installment of the report of the General Education Board founded by John D. Rockefeller, made public tonight.

The Southern farmer suffered primarily from lack of money, the report says. He also lacked scientific knowledge of farming, and the board therefore proceeded to do what it considered could be helped in this direction he would gladly support better schools.

The board decided to work in conjunction with the Government. "The co-operation of the General Education Board," the report continued, "brought about an immediate and rapid expansion of the demonstration movement in every direction; it conquered new territory, dealt with a rapidly increasing number of activities and touched more people."

In 1906, 645 farms were reached; a year later 2043; in 1908 something over 14,000; in 1910, 18,222; in 1912, 26,621. Twenty-five thousand adults were at the last named date receiving instructions in farm management.

The board says that its policy has been vindicated by the fact that the Southern people themselves in less than a decade were paying almost 50 per cent of the total annual expenditure, approaching \$1,200,000.

"Fortunately," the report concludes, "the value of the demonstration has been so clear that the Federal Government will now take over and extend purely educational farm demonstrations. Success has dissipated the constitutional scruple that for the last 10 years has restricted Governmental activities in this direction in plague-infested states."

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ASHLAND, Or., Dec. 25.—(Special.)—Hard times seem to accentuate the degree of Christmas relief measures afforded the needy here. Lodges, churches, clubs and private persons vied with each other in good deeds.

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VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 25.—(Special.)—If any needy family in Vancouver today was not happy and had no Christmas dinner, it was because they had not been found by the United Relief Association and several other charitable organizations.

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SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 25.—Samuel Chukalas, a Greek miner, lately arrived from Idaho, and who was found lying in the southern part of the city last Tuesday suffering from a bullet wound, died at the city hospital last night.

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which, for its intellectual stimulation and for the inspiration to action which it should give to the youth of Great Britain, deserves to be widely read, British authorities say.

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BOULOGNE, Dec. 12.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The great endurance and fighting ability of the native troops from India who have come to take part for the first time in history in a war against white troops on European soil have astonished those against whom they have been pitted, as well as all the allied commanders except the British.

FAMINE ENFOLDS LILLE

GERMANS REFUSE FOOD TO QUERIED CITY, SAYS REPORT.

Invading Commander Says England Is to Blame and Kaiser Will Feed Only His Army and Subjects.

PARIS, Dec. 25.—(Special.)—To many other horrors which the German invasion has brought to the inhabitants of Lille is now added that of famine.

CHARLES Delsalle, the heroic Mayor of Lille, who has remained at his post throughout, in an eloquent letter recently addressed to General von Heindrich, the German commander, pleaded for relief for his starving fellow citizens.

Germany herself, added the commander of Lille, possessed sufficient resources for her army and civilian population. England in attempting to prevent the arrival of overseas produce, with a view of starving out Germany, was but inflicting suffering on the inhabitants of the occupied towns of France and Belgium.

Just as well drilled and disciplined as the soldiers of any European power, they go into battle with the full assurance that they will be victors.

When they first went into action their disordered lines of protection of shelter trenches and darted across the open at their opponents with their bayonets and knives, much to their cost. They have since learned like the other troops engaged in this war of rabbit warrens, to bore their way through the earth to get at their foes, and they have proved even more adept at this kind of fighting than their European comrades.

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Neither was found. The first impression was that Vienna was probably the most puzzling war capital of Europe. Gay it certainly is not, nor even make-believe gay, for while the opera, the theaters and cafes are still running full blast, practically all the younger men, including the bulk of the "spenders," are in the field, and men and money are no crowd around the newsboys; there is no war fever or even enthusiasm.

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Many Officials With Gifts and Greetings Honor President, Who Will Rest for Remainder of Week.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—President Wilson, in common with most of his Cabinet and other Government officials, passed Christmas day quietly at home with his family.

The White House Christmas dinner was served at 7 o'clock tonight. It was quite national in character, many of the dishes being prepared by caterers in all parts of the country.

The President will rest during the remainder of the week, but will be ready to receive the members of the cabinet and other officials on Monday.

Secretary McAdoo and Mrs. McAdoo, the President's youngest daughter, will leave tomorrow for San Diego, Cal., where the Secretary will represent the President at the opening of the exposition.

Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, his second daughter, plans to remain at the White House for at least a month.

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