

Y. W. C. A. Industrial Courses in Buenos Aires



An American Y. W. C. A. secretary teaching South American girls who have been forced into industry during this war to become laundresses.

WOMEN'S COUNCIL MEETS IN PARIS

Eighty Well-Known French Women Guests of Y. W. C. A. for Opening Session.

Paris, Feb. 2.—Eighty of the most prominent women in France who are interested in all women's problems attended the first meeting of the Provisional Council of the American Young Women's Christian Association, held at Paris headquarters, 8 Place Edouard VII, Jan. 30.

Mrs. Robert Lansing, wife of the Secretary of State, who is first vice-president of the council, presided, conducting all sessions in French, as two-thirds of the members represent French associations with whom the Y. W. C. A. has been co-operating.

All women in France are looking forward to the findings of the council as of tremendous importance not only to women in France, but all over the world. The purpose of the council is to collect and make available information about conditions and needs of women, to become acquainted with women who are identified with different kinds of work and to develop a few typical illustrations which will set standards for future permanent work.

Following are the societies represented: Union Chretienne des Jeunes Filles, Student Movement, Foyer des Alleees, Amies de la Jeune Fille, National Council of Women. Among the delegates were Mme. Jules Siegfried, Mme. Avril de St. Croix, Baroness Watteville, Countess Pourtales and Mme. Waldegrave of London.

Mrs. William G. Harp, wife of the ambassador to France, is honorary chairman of the council and Mrs. Francis McNeil Bacon president pro tem. Miss Charlotte Niven, director of Y. W. C. A. work in Italy, is secretary.

Departmental and provincial groups will hold meetings weekly to discuss local problems, the entire council meeting at the end of each month. In April, at the last meeting, each group will decide how the information and experience may be used most effectively in the future.

Delegates are guests at the Hotel Petrograd, the Y. W. C. A. Hostess Home in Paris.

Y. W. C. A. PROMOTES WORLD FELLOWSHIP

Will Send Industrial Commission to Meet Foreign Labor Leaders.

The War Work Council of the Young Women's Christian Association plans to send an industrial commission of women to England, France and Italy in April to meet prominent labor leaders of those countries with a view to promoting world fellowship among women.

The commission will be made up of Mrs. Raymond Robbins, representing the National Women's Trade Union League of America; Mrs. Irene O'Connell, American Association for Labor Legislation; Miss Grace Drake, National Consumers' League; Mrs. James S. Cushman, chairman of the War Work Council of the Young Women's Christian Association; Miss Florence Simms, Miss Marie Wing and Miss Imogene B. Ireland, secretary to the commission, all of the Y. W. C. A., and Miss Mary Gilson, an authority on employment management.

Miss Florence Simms says in regard to the commission: "The war has forced upon us the hearing of international relationships in all things, and our touch with women in other countries has made us include in our international thinking the industrial life of women. The war has wrought so many changes in this that it seems a timely thing that women interested in the larger life of our women workers should take counsel together and express their interest with the hope that certain minimum standards which seem essential to health and welfare among women may be agreed upon and obtained."

Our War Work Council is sending abroad this women's commission from organizations in America directly concerned with the welfare and largest life of industrial women.

DOMESTIC SERVICE COURSES PLANNED

Trained Home-Maker Is to Have an Eight Hour Day and Standard Minimum Wage.

Courses for training home assistants, who will go into the home by the day, hour or week and work on a schedule of hours and fixed wages, have been inaugurated by the Young Women's Christian Association as a means for meeting the problem of domestic service.

The object of this course, now being tried out in New York City, is to place domestic service on the same dignified basis as clerical work, trained nursing or other professions open to women.

The home assistant will work eight hours a day for a salary of \$15 a week. She will not live in the home of her employer or take her meals there. She will have an hour for luncheon, when she can go to a restaurant or eat a lunch which she has brought with her just as she would were she employed in a factory. The employer will not address the home worker by her first name. She will be Miss Smith or Mrs. Brown, as the case may be.

Applicants for this course are carefully selected, and registrants are appearing in large numbers. With the same independence as to recreation hours, places of eating and living as the factory girl, house-work has a greater appeal, as being a less monotonous and more interesting work to the average woman.

The course is a thorough one in plain cooking, waiting on table and door, chamber work, plain sewing, care of children, making of menus and the washing and ironing of light things. Heavy work is to be done by outside workers. On graduation the student receives a certificate which proves her qualification as a dependable home worker capable of attending to all ordinary duties in a home.

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Mrs. T. H. Lowe and Miss A. C. Lowe were callers on Mrs. Ben Barnes Saturday afternoon.

Don Nash, of Wyoming, who has been visiting with relatives here left for LaGrande Monday.

John Hynd, accompanied by Miss Annie C. Lowe were Heppner visitors Thursday returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owens came in from Heppner to work on the Butterby Flats ranch for Jack Hynd Friday.

Blindley Pearson who has been visiting in and around Cecil for the last few weeks returned to Heppner Sunday.

Miss Etta Barnes and Miss Georgia Summers spent Sunday with the Winters family at the Shady Dell ranch in Fourmile.

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The American Y. W. C. A. has opened a Hostess House in Germany, which will serve as a residence house and social center for American women war workers who have advanced to do canteen, Red Cross and Signal Corps work with the Army of Occupation.

The difficulties of attracting capable women to this field of work were laid to the long hours, lack of independence in arranging recreation hours, lack of opportunities for growth and progress and lack of social standing.

Girls have acquired a distaste for the conditions which govern household work since the freedom they have experienced in working in munition factories. By standardizing domestic service it is believed by the Young Women's Christian Association that a higher type of worker may be attracted to the necessary work in homes.

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Courses in New York City Prepare Girls for South American Jobs.

Sound a sudden call to jobs for American women in South America, the New York City Y. W. C. A. has opened Foreign Trade courses, including classes in shipping, filing orders, trade acceptances, tariff, consular invoices, documents, insurance, mail order trade and other lines of international work hitherto left mostly to men. These classes are designed to meet after-war needs.

South America is receiving particular attention as the Y. W. C. A. is informed of new jobs that are opening in the southern countries. Many girls in New York who combine a desire to see the world with a craving for financial independence are registering with the expectation of going there to get positions when their courses in training are completed.

CECIL ITEMS

Jack Davis spent Thursday and Friday in Arlington.

Mrs. Bennett of the Last Camp spent the weekend in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Penland of Heppner were Cecil callers Wednesday.

George Withycomb late of Morgan was doing business in Cecil Sunday.

Fred Pettyjohn and family were visiting at the Bob Barnes home on Sunday.

W. Brown, who has been visiting around Cecil lately left Thursday for Blalock.

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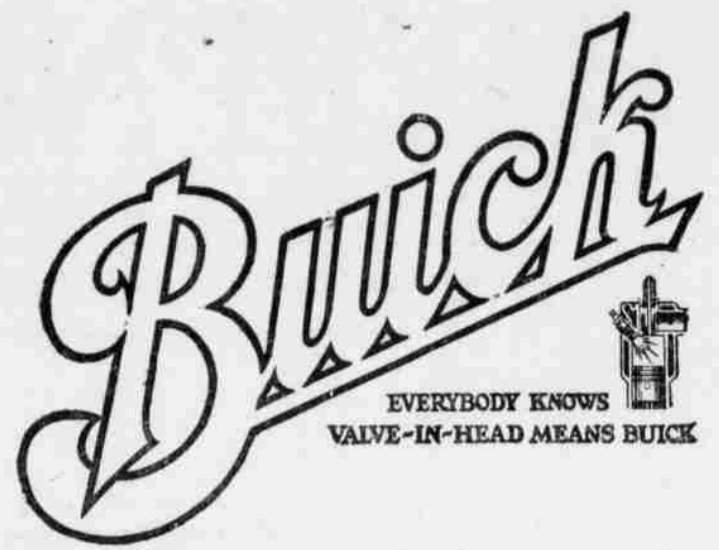
M. L. Williams left Butterby Flats with three horses which he bought from Jack Hynd Saturday for his ranch in the Boardman district, accompanied by Jim Kiernan.

Bob Pope who has been working at Heppner Junction for the last few weeks came in to Cecil Sunday to visit with his brother, Walter, for a few days before leaving for Walla Walla.

Jack Fenwick, of Inze, has been busy during the week finishing off the front of the Cecil store. Tom is awfully proud of his store front now since it got its finishing touches with the painter's brush.

Jack Hynd and T. H. Lowe were visiting over at the Leon Logan ranch Wednesday. Leon remarked that he never saw so much moisture and such good prospects as there are this spring for the farmer.

Messrs. Minor and Matlock have shipped two cars of ewes and lambs during the week to the Hager place above Heppner. Bill says so far everything is doing fine and he is kept awfully busy these days.



Revised Prices

The assurance of material for quantity production of Buick cars enables the Buick Motor Company to establish the following prices on the various Buick models, effective January first, 1919.

These prices will not be changed during our present dealers' selling agreements.

Three Passenger Open Model H-Six-44,	\$1739.24
Five Passenger Open Model H-Six-45,	\$1739.25
Four Passenger Closed Model H-Six-46,	\$2241.29
Five Passenger Closed Model H-Six-47,	\$2454.00
Seven Passenger Open Model H-Six-49,	\$2036.37
Seven Passenger Closed Model H-Six-50,	\$2835.59

HEPPNER GARAGE

ALBERT BOWKER, PROPRIETOR

Oral Henriksen of the Willow creek ranch, left on the local for The Dalles Tuesday to meet his father and his brother Clifford on their return from Portland. Mr. Henriksen we understand, invested in another automobile while in Portland.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

Energy of will depends upon depth of motion.—Martensen.

A narrow mind will not admire, neither will a conceited one.

A man living amid the advantages and activities of the nineteenth century is a condensed Methuselah.—Chaplin.

Prayer is not overcoming God's reluctance; it is laying hold of his highest willingness.—Trench.

Personal liberty consists in the power of doing that which is permitted by law.

To know one's limitations is a mark of wisdom; to rest content with them merits contempt.

The beginnings of self-deception are so slight that they are likely to be unnoticed until the habit is fixed upon us. We can severely be too strict and honest with ourselves in little matters and large ones.

To become educated we must learn to observe. Observation gives us facts, data; from this we rise to deduction; then we generalize and make universal application. This heightens and straightens both our reason and imagination.—Chicago Post.

WITH THE SAGES

To doubt is an injury; to suspect a friend is a breach of friendship; jealousy is a seed sown but in vicious minds; prone to distrust, because apt to deceive.—G. Lansdowne.

Kind looks, kind words, kind acts, and warm handshakes—these are secondary means of grace when men are in trouble and are fighting their unseen battles.—John Hall.

Jealousy is said to be the offspring of love; yet unless the parent makes haste to strangle the child, the child will not rest till it has poisoned the parent.—Hare.

The tale-bearer and the tale-bearer should be both hanged up, back to back, one by the tongue, the other by the ear.—South.

The best portion of a good man's life is his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love.—Wordsworth.

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Maurine Toilet Articles and the California Perfume company's goods which are the very best to be had.

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Mrs. L. G. Herren Milliner

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