MERRY X-MAS—HAPPY NEW YEAR

1st Xmas At War Brings Realization Of Why We Fight

by JAMES GRAVES

The war has brought to the forefront of our minds one of the most important questions of our time: Why are we at war? For the first time in history, the question is not merely theoretical, but one of direct personal interest. And with each passing day, the answer becomes more urgent and vivid. But, with all the issues involved, a need of clarification of the reasons why we are at war.

We have always been taught that the main reason for war is aggression, and that aggression is the result of a desire for power or material gain. But in reality, war is far more complex than that. It is a consequence of a multitude of factors, including economic, political, and social conditions.

The root cause of war is the struggle for power and control, which is inherent in the human condition. As long as there are people who want to dominate others, there will be war. And as long as there are nations that seek to expand their influence and influence others, there will be war.

Let us not, however, allow this knowledge to lead us into despair. For we can still work towards a future in which war is no longer a necessary evil. We can work towards a world where peace is the only goal, and where all nations cooperate for the betterment of mankind.

We must strive to understand the root causes of war, and to work towards solutions that will permanently resolve these issues. Only then can we truly end the madness of war and usher in a new era of peace and prosperity.
TRIUMPH OVER DENOMINATIONALISM

A fine triumph over narrow-minded denominationalism. It needs no further comment. The men and women of one denomination will not have the chance to set up a foundation, with the exception of the Baptists who have already contributed an colossal amount of money, the Student Christian Movement has been working for years for the establishment of a foundation to include all students of any denominational background and special credit should be given to the members of this foundation to whom the men and women of the same denominational unit no less than a dozen times as often as we have been able to do that. The college should extend a grateful word of thanks to J. F. Pierpont's commodious meeting hall, have shown the closed door and refused to recognize a giving spirit. They must unselfishly work to fill that need.

The church of a denomination has been a happy, progressive church. It has dominated denominationalism in such a way that it is a model for many church groups, and Rev. McCann has had just that. Many students have been

THE CASE

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS NORMAL UNIVERSITY SHOULD BE CONVERTED INTO THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS BECAUSE...

1. The people of Southern Illinois do not have the opportunities provided to others of the state.
2. Many young people in Southern Illinois do not have the opportunity for education to advance them beyond the point at which they are educated in the special schools.
3. The people of Southern Illinois need and deserve an educational leadership.
4. The people of Southern Illinois need a comprehensive program of education.
5. The people of Southern Illinois need and deserve an expanded educational opportunity.

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- The people of Southern Illinois need and deserve a center for preparing and developing the educational leaders of Southern Illinois.
- Southern Illinois Normal University can be expanded as a school for teacher training.
- The whole state of Illinois would gain by the establishment of a university in Southern Illinois.
- Comprehensive new land and building should be made a part of the Southern Illinois Normal University.
- The establishment of a university in Southern Illinois is necessary for the educational development of the state.

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NINE C. P. T. CADETS RECEIVE SILVER WINGS AT THURSDAY DINNER

On Thursday night, December 15, 1942, the C. P. T. Cadets received silver wings at a luncheon held in their honor. Mrs. Logan, head of anniversary at University High School, and an enthusiastic advocate of the aero-

This THIS WORLD OF MUSIC

by Reuben

Musicians as Artists

When modern music is to listen and heard, they apparently are not interested in music. Of all that seems to be the hornet's nest of the first annual exposition of art by musicians which was recently in the National Academy of Design.

The exhibition included nine music programs. Among the notable are: a program by the Symphony Society; a program by the New York Philharmonic; a program by the New York State Symphony; a program by the New York Chamber Orchestra; a program by the New York City Symphony; a program by the New York Philharmonic; a program by the New York State Symphony; a program by the New York Chamber Orchestra; a program by the New York City Symphony.

Each of these programs included music which is representative of modern music. There are also special features which are representative of modern music. There are also special features which are representative of modern music.

The programs were well received and the audience was enthusiastic. The music was well played and the audience was enthusiastic.

ADDITIONAL INTERESTED

The Department of English, with the cooperation of the Library Staff, represents Miss Hamlin, in the 100th week of its program, to the use of the Wheeler Library and of some of its most important magazines. These lectures will be given in the lunch hour on Wednesday. A guest speaker will be invited to speak on the use of the library and of some of its most important magazines. These lectures will be given in the lunch hour on Wednesday. A guest speaker will be invited to speak on the use of the library and of some of its most important magazines. These lectures will be given in the lunch hour on Wednesday. A guest speaker will be invited to speak on the use of the library and of some of its most important magazines. These lectures will be given in the lunch hour on Wednesday. A guest speaker will be invited to speak on the use of the library and of some of its most important magazines. These lectures will be given in the lunch hour on Wednesday. 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IN DRAMATIC OVERTIME BATTLE

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Ensign on Corpus Christi

Joe Duncan, younger son of Mr. and
Mrs. W.H. Duncan of this city, recently
graduated from the United States Naval
Academy and has been commissioned as an
Ensign on the aircraft carrier Corpus Christi
which is stationed in the Pacific Ocean.

Jewelry is always the ideal Christmas Gift for
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