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Big Patriotic Demonstration

This Friday Night at 6:45, Everybody Invited to Join.

RED CROSS AUXILIARY ORGANIZED MAY 12th.

A large crowd gathered at the armory Saturday afternoon to organize a Red Cross society. Mayor Cross presided and the following permanent officers were elected:

Chairman—Mrs. Hugh W. Dicken
Vice-Chairman—Mrs. E. A. Ashley
Secretary—Miss Ethel Crowell
Treasurer—Mrs. A. Cameron
Executive Committee—May L. Stewart, Mrs. A. Hammond, Mrs. L. P. Holliday.

Over seventy men and women gave their names and their dollars without any solicitation whatever. The sale of the badges on Saturday afternoon by Misses Crowell and Malpass netted \$22.66. This is all the society has for a working fund because the membership fees are required to be turned into the National Red Cross, with the exception of a few cents on each member which may be paid into the county unit. All money for local use must be raised by subscriptions, benefits or donations. In a worthy cause like this it seems that it would be entirely unnecessary to ask for money. The Petoskey Auxiliary has over \$600 in the bank besides all the memberships fees paid over to the Nation, and an abundance of hospital supplies which the busy women are making up into bandages, night shirts, operating gowns, socks, etc. stored away in boxes for the first call from headquarters. They have several life members and donations of from \$25 to \$100. It would be an inspiration to any of the people of our city to make a visit to the busy work shop of these Petoskey men and women.

We are patriotic! We are going to show our patriotism! We are going to march from the G. A. R. Hall to the Theatre! When? What else? Who? Everyone!

Every man, woman, and child is urged to get in line Friday at 6:45 at the G. A. R. Hall to march where a patriotic program will be given. Ladies, wear white if you can, but come anyhow. Bring your flags. Other towns have held demonstrations. A Petoskey delegation will take charge of our program that night. We must make a big showing.

All Red Cross Enthusiasts meet at the Armory at 2:30. Join the big march at 6:45. They will lead you to the big program at 8:00.

THOMAS H. INCE'S "CIVILIZATION"

The various military maneuvers as shown in the massive production of "Civilization" which comes to the Temple Theatre for a special engagement on Thursday, May 31, were all planned out before hand by expert army men who were specially engaged for the occasion. In fact, Thomas H. Ince spared no expense in obtaining the services of two of the best military men in the country, who adopted the means as they would in the planning of a real battle.

CIRCUIT COURT JURORS.

List of Petit Jurors for May term of Circuit Court for Charlevoix County, held May 23th, 1917.

Dick VanAntwerp	Boyer City 1st Ward
Edwin Painter	" " 2nd "
Ed. Duell	" " 3rd "
Nicholas Spentz	" " 4th "
James McCeagh	Charlevoix 1st Ward
Floyd Bettes	" " 2nd "
Oscar Mason	" " 3rd "
John Fritzbibbons	East Jordan 1st W.
Alden Collins	" " 2nd "
Bert Lorraine	" " 3rd "
Martin Friend	Bay Twp
Roy B. Hubbard	Boyer Valley
Elay Kennedy	Chandler
Wm. Wood	Charlevoix
J. J. McLerd	Evangeline
Grant Hammond	Eveline
Dean E. Scroggie	Hayes
Edward Engleright	Hudson
Peter Block	Marion
Ed. M. Hebrick	Melrose
George Perry	Norwood
Thomas H. Boyle	Peaine
Melae Lafreniere, Jr.	St. James
Herbert Sutton	Wilson Twp

When a dentist is buried he has filled his last cavity.
A small boy's idea of greatness is to play ball in a uniform.

LIVESTOCK SLIGHTED IN NATIONAL CRY FOR BIGGER CROPS

East Lansing, Mich., May 15.—In the hue and cry which have been raised through the state and nation to spur farmers on to producing bigger crops, Dean Robert S. Shaw, head of the department of agriculture in the Michigan Agricultural college, sees possibilities of danger to the livestock industry. Unless farmers and livestock men, he declares, carefully conserve and save their breeding stock, the state will in a short time be hard pressed to meet the nation's demands for meat and blood for new herds.

"Unprecedented efforts," said Dean Shaw, "are being put forth by a great variety of organizations to stimulate increased crop production throughout the United States, for the purpose of meeting an impending food crisis, not only in America but in all parts of the world as well. Farmers are being urged to produce maximum crops of staples such as wheat, rye, corn, oats, barley, potatoes and beans. Boys' and Girls' clubs are being organized to increase vegetable production, and city, town and village gardening is being stimulated and fostered as never before. The easily perishable vegetable, by partial replacement of the staple, may effect some saving in the latter, but the real relief at home and abroad is dependent upon the production of meats, milk, wool, work, cereals, edible legumes and tubers.

"In the nation-wide propaganda to increase crop production, the animal industry has not, up to date, been given due attention. Publicity has been limited largely to the banker and to boys' and girls' pig and calf clubs. Any stimulus applied solely to the cash crop production is certain to result in diminished animal production. On January 1, 1917, there were in the United States, 21,126,000 horses, 4,639,000 mules, 63,617,000 cattle, 48,483,000 sheep, and 67,453,000 hogs. During the previous year there was a slight decrease in horses, sheep and swine, with some increase in cattle and mules. Since 1910 the number of sheep has decreased. The increase in mules, cattle and swine has been slight and not in keeping with our increased population and the combined home and foreign demands.

"Estimates indicate that fully 50 per cent of the breeding stocks of Europe have been already destroyed, which means that should the war cease soon, they will have to rely on other sources for some of their meat, milk and wool supplies for two or three years to come. Prices offered on our American markets for meat animals are so dangerously high at present, that sacrifices of breeding stocks are apt to occur. The next three years would seem to present an unequal opportunity for the American stockman to increase his product, pursuing in part, methods of production closely associated with the maintenance of soil fertility. Every agency in the whole country engaged in stimulating agricultural production, should ever keep in mind the importance of maintaining a proper balance which will stimulate the production of animals as well as crops.

A MAN'S MAN

The finest example of faith in leadership which has been exhibited to this country since the Civil War is contained in the news that Theodore Roosevelt without the blare of a trumpet or the boom of a drum, has an army of 200,000 men, the flower of the country, at his beck and call, eager and willing to take the measure of the Huns on the battleground of Europe. That is better than the entire administration with its flamboyant posters, spread eagle oratory, appeals to patriotism, bands, banners and bravos has been able to accomplish since the troops were sent to the Mexican border. And the reason for it is plain: Roosevelt follows speech with immediate action. He says what he means, and means what he says. He goes not around but over obstacles. He is a man's man. It is a judgment on the country for its action last November that we have not more such men as Theodore Roosevelt to handle a situation the gravity of which we are only beginning to appreciate.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our many friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our mother and also for the flowers contributed.
Mrs. Josephine Clark
Mrs. David Gaunt.

Corn as a Breadstuff

Corn Meal in Combination with Wheat Flour Makes a Light Spongy Loaf, Wholesome and Palatable.

It may not be generally known to the housewife that corn meal lends itself to the making of "light" bread in combination with wheat flour. It can not, of course, replace wheat flour entirely, but may be used in any proportion up to 25 per cent of the total flour required and still produce an attractive loaf of bread. Although its volume may be somewhat smaller and its texture somewhat poorer than if made from all wheat flour, such a loaf will be light and spongy, with a rich brown crust, wholesome, and very palatable.

Two methods for wheat-and-corn bread have been formulated and tested by H. L. Wessling, assistant chemist, in the Bureau of Chemistry, United States Department of Agriculture. According to the one method the raw meal is employed directly in preparing the dough and no extra time or labor is required in making the bread this way. According to the second method the meal is partially cooked before introducing it into the dough. While this does entail a slight amount of additional time and labor, the result is a loaf of better quality which well repays the extra effort expended.

Wheat and Corn Bread No. 1. (Enough for 4 loaves.)

Two and one-fourth pounds or 2½ scant quarts sifted bread flour.
Three-fourths pound or 2-2-3 cupfuls corn meal.
Two cakes of compressed yeast.
Three level tablespoonfuls of sugar.
One and one-half level tablespoonfuls of salt.
About 1 quart of liquid (water, milk, or equal parts of milk and water).
Three level tablespoonfuls of shortening if desired.
If milk is used it should be scalded and then cooled until lukewarm. Less yeast may be used, but more time for rising will then be required.
Make a sponge with 2 pounds of white flour, the yeast, salt, sugar and the lukewarm liquid. Cover and set in a moderately warm place to rise, where it will be free from drafts and

where the temperature will be between 80 degrees and 88 degrees F. When the sponge has become very light, which should occur within two hours, beat it up thoroughly, add the softened shortening. If this is to be used, and gradually work in the remainder of the wheat flour which has been sifted with the corn meal. Knead the mixture until a smooth and elastic dough has been formed, which is fairly soft but not sticky. If the dough is too stiff or too soft, add a little more water or flour as required. Kneading well after each addition. Cover and set back to rise again until double in volume, which will require from one to two hours. Knead lightly, divide into three or four approximately equal portions, reserving a small ball of dough for an "indicator." Place this ball of dough in a jelly glass having straight sides, which has been slightly warmed. Note the volume of dough in the tumbler and mark the glass at twice this volume. Mold the loaves and place in slightly warmed and greased pans. Place these, together with the glass containing the "indicator," in the same warm place and let rise until the "indicator" shows that it has just doubled in volume. Then place the loaves in the oven, which should be at a good steady heat (400 to 425 degrees F.), and bake 45 to 50 minutes.

Wheat and Corn Bread No. 2 (Same proportions as for No. 1 except the liquid.)

Put 2-2-3 cupfuls (3 pound) of corn meal into a double boiler or a vessel which can be placed over another one containing boiling water. Add to the meal ¾ cupfuls of cold water; mix thoroughly and bring to the boiling point, stirring frequently. Allow the meal to steam for at least 10 minutes, then cool it until lukewarm. To this scalded and cooled meal add the salt, sugar, 1 cupful of flour, and the yeast rubbed smooth and mixed with 2 cupfuls of lukewarm water. Mix thoroughly, cover, and set in a moderately warm place to rise as directed in method No. 1. When this batter (or sponge) has become very light, which will require about two hours, beat it thoroughly, add the softened shortening, if it is to be used, and the remainder of the white flour (2 pounds or quarts). Knead thoroughly until it is smooth and elastic. Should the dough be either too stiff or soft add water or flour, a little at a time, working it in thoroughly until the dough is of the proper consistency. Cover and set back in a warm place to rise until double in bulk. Then mold into loaves and finish as directed under method No. 1.

BEAN MAGGOT IS MENACE; EARLY PLOWING REMEDY.

East Lansing, Mich., May 15.—Early plowing of bean land as a measure for ridding sod of the bean maggot which worked much damage in Michigan last season, is recommended to farmers by the M. A. C. departments of entomology and farm crops as means of minimizing this danger this spring.

"There is little danger from the bean maggot on land plowed three weeks or more before planting," M. A. C. entomologists say, "but the maggot may cause crop ruin on fields planted soon after the turning under of clover sod or manure. It is recommended that bean ground be plowed to a good depth, firmed with the roller, and harrowed immediately after rolling, and a thorough harrowing or discing should in addition be given at weekly intervals until planting time.

"Beans require a weed-free seed bed, firm underneath, with a surface approaching garden till as nearly as possible. Beans are particularly sensitive to conditions prevailing at the time of germination. The bean differs from most other common crops in its growth in that every seed which produces a plant must be pushed above the surface of the ground to form the seed leaves. A uniform and vigorous start can only be secured on a well-warmed seed bed in good tillth.

"Where possible, beans should be planted on fall plowed, or early spring plowed land, but in any event, the plowing should be completed at least three weeks before the seed is put in. This permits the furrow slice to settle properly, and affords time for the thorough fitting of the soil with disc and harrow."

"THE FOOLISH VIRGIN"

Featuring Clara Kimball Young Temple Theatre, Next Tues.

The disillusionment of a romantic girl who comes face to face with the realities of an unromantic world is the basis of the story of "The Foolish Virgin," the Thomas Dixon novel which has been screened for Miss Clara Kimball Young's second Selznick-Picture and which will be the attraction at the Temple Theatre on next Tuesday, May 22. Mr. Dixon has international repute as the author of some of the most stirring novels in modern literature and is particularly well known to motion picture patrons as the author of "The Clansman" from which "The Birth of a Nation" was made.

The story, "The Foolish Virgin," has been recognized as one of his best and is particularly well adapted to Miss Young's requirements. The central role is an extremely sympathetic one and the situations as they develop in the narrative, are full of action and dramatic in the extreme.

"The Foolish Virgin" was directed by Albert Capellani, the famous producer who screened Miss Young's first immensely successful production as a Selznick-Picture star, "The Common Law." Conway Tearle and Paul Capellani, who played the most important male roles in "The Common Law," also head the cast of the new production, and among other well-known players who figure prominently in the photodrama are: Catherine Proctor, Sheridan Tansey, the remarkably able boy actor, William Welsh, Marie Lines, Agnes Mapes, Edward Elkas, and little Jacqueline Morhange.
Reserve Seats—25 and 15 cents.

BOARD OF REVIEW.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Review for the City of East Jordan will be in session at the commission rooms over the post office, Monday, May 21, 1917, at 9:30 o'clock a. m. and will be in session at least six hours each day for a period of at least four days.
Dated, May 7, 1917.
OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

The wings of riches enable them to fly up and roost on the high branches.

HAD A VERY BAD COUGH

This letter should interest every reader: "Last winter I had a very bad cough. I used medicines, but they did me no good. I took one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it cured me. (Signed) V. DeKeuster, Amberg, Wis." No substitute is as good as Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough.—Hite's Drug Store.

HOW FORTY YOUNG MEN ESCAPED DRAFTING.

Lansing, Michigan, May 18.—Forty young men in various parts of the state have escaped the draft because of State Treasurer Samuel Odell.

The official has no pull with the United States government and there was nothing unpatriotic in the method he used to assist his friends in evading Uncle Sam's "Come hither." On the contrary, his action and that of his friends was highly patriotic.

"I knew a lot of young fellows who wanted to do their duty," said Mr. Odell, "but didn't know just how to go about it. They suggested leaving it to me until I said the word. When the conscription bill passed, I wrote them or phoned them or called on them and said: 'Chances are you'll have to go anyway. The nice thing to do is to get in before you're forced to do so.' Enlist now in the National Guard or the army, whichever you prefer. Personally, I'm for the Guard."

"Practically every one of them have gone in. I was mighty proud of the way they came up to the scratch, too."

School Commissioner's Notes

May L. Stewart, Commissioner

Deputy Superintendent John Munson has summarized the county normal penmanship standings for the entire state and we are proud to find that Charlevoix county's Normal Class heads the list with the best penmanship record reported. Miss Huntoon and Miss Bayes are justly proud of their record.

In the teachers' examination there were 19 applicants and only 8 certificates recorded. Two of the subjects were the hardest in years.

The high Island teacher, Mr. Thos. Rowe reports that they are erecting an eighty foot flag pole near the mill and that the school district will buy a new flag to float over the island.

In visiting Big Beaver, the commissioner found a new school with 12 children attending as a branch school of Peaine No. 2. They were using one of the summer cottages as a school house and were quite happy in their new outlook as they were formerly 8 to 12 miles from any school whatever and found it impossible to learn even the rudiments. They have a new post office, too, which they call Nomad.

The Robinson school closed with a box social on the night of Friday, May 11th.

The Slaughter school is to have an exhibit, contest and picnic on the closing day, May 22nd.

The county normal commencement will be held June 5th this year. We are glad to report that prospects are fine for a large class next year. We have secured Miss Bates of Mount Pleasant as principal and our critic will remain with us. Both have fine records and will help us to make records for Charlevoix county. It will open Sept. 10.

In the eighth grade tests held Thursday and Friday, May 10-11, the Boyne City teachers report 117 eighth graders writing, with an additional number of 7th graders, East Jordan had 37 eighth graders writing, and 8 others writing on part of the test, while Charlevoix had 48 writing and 25 additional 7th graders. The tests were considered fair and most of them easy although several found the local history questions and grammar different from what they had expected.

Three fourths of the teachers in at least three fourths of the townships are staying in the same schools for another year. A few changes noted the past week are as follows: Miss Berg will be in Advance, Miss Greenhoo gets \$120 raise to remain in Forrest Hill, Miss Genett will be in Undine, Miss Palmer will be in Davis school, Miss Sanford at Howard school.

There was a joyful gathering at the Nowland school when the flag was raised on the new pole on the hillside on May 4th. There were good things to eat in abundance.

Five schools have requested that Mr. Coffey visit them this spring to study the improvement of their buildings. Several others are working for good building but were visited last year and know definitely what they lack.

Do not judge the liquor by the fancy bottle.
A woman says there is pleasure in suffering if she has to do it in silence.

TEMPLE THEATRE

MONDAY, MAY 21ST, 8:30 P. M.

St. Joseph's School Grades

Admission, 35c and 25c.

1. Orchestra	
2. Fairy Dance	Thirteen little girls
3. The Cow Boys	Twelve little boys
4. Orchestra	
5. Whispering Bill	Rose Zoulek
6. Sailor Drill	Boys and Girls

"MR. BOB" (A COMEDY)

Seniors and Juniors of St. Joseph's High School

8. Vocal Solo, Rainbow	Stanley McKinney
9. Choir Invisible	Agnes Kenny
Chorus	Invisible Choir

Good Night
CAST OF CHARACTERS

"Mr. Bob," Marion Bryant	Eva King
Miss Rebecca Luke, a maiden lady	Agnes Kenny
Philip, her nephew	Harold Nachagel
Katherine, her niece	Margdalene Josifek
Mr. Brown, clerk of Benson and Benson	Edward Eriander
Jenkins, her butler	Lawrence LaLonde
Patty, Miss Rebecca's maid	Louise Brennan

SYNOPSIS

ACT I. Breakfast home at Tresham; time, morning. Miss Beeky resolves to establish a Home for neglected cats and hires Mr. Brown, an architect to remodel her mansion. Patty and Jenkins present a bill of objections; Mr. Bob arrives, Mr. Brown arrives with missing codicil. Philip thinks Brown is Mr. Bob, urges him to propose to Katherine. Marion thinks Brown is Philip, Katherine mistakes Brown for Mr. Saunders. Miss Beeky is sure that Brown the clerk is Brown the architect; Brown insists that he is just Brown and tries to escape—he pursues Philip, who is going to town with the cats—the mystery unsolved.

ACT II. Patty acts Shakespeare, Philip discovers his mistake and is chagrined. Mr. Bob wins the race, but Brown gets the prize, the mystery grows deeper, the fiddle solved.

AN AGED COUPLE

Tell How They Regained Strength and Vigor

Stoubeville, Ohio.—"My husband is 79 years old and I am 78 years of age and we owe our good health and the greatest strength and medicine there is. When either one of us get into a weakened, run-down condition, Vinol has never failed to build us up and restore strength. We have often said we would not be living now were it not for Vinol."

—MARY A. LEE.
We guarantee Vinol to create strength for feeble old people.

HITE DRUG CO.
Also at the leading drug store in all Michigan towns.

Chancery Order

State of Michigan: The Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, in Chancery.

At a session of said court, held at the Court house in the City of Charlevoix, in said County, on the 17th day of April, 1917.

Present: Honorable Frederick W. Mayne, Circuit Judge.
Maggie Barkley, Plaintiff

vs—
Lavina Webb, George E. Leng, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees or assigns, Defendants.
In this cause, it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, from the bill of complaint on file in said cause, that it is unknown whether the parties, Lavina Webb and George E. Leng, are living or dead, and it further appearing that they are necessary and proper parties to the above entitled cause, and it further appearing that it is unknown whether they, or any of them, have heirs, devisees, legatees or assigns;

On motion of Dwight L. Wilson, solicitor for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of the said Lavina Webb and George E. Leng, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and that in case of their appearance, or the appearance of any of them, they respectfully cause their answer, or answers, or the answer or answers to the bill of complaint in this cause, to be filed and a copy thereof to be served on the plaintiff's solicitor, within fifteen days after service on them, or such of them as have appeared, of a copy of the bill of complaint and notice of this order, and that in default thereof the said bill be taken as confessed by them, the said defendants before named.

And it is further ordered that within twenty days the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the "Charlevoix County Herald" a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County of Charlevoix, and that such publication be continued once in each week, for six successive weeks, or that a copy of this order be personally served upon each of the said Defendants, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

FREDERICK W. MAYNE,
Circuit Judge.

DWIGHT L. WILSON,
Solicitor for Plaintiff,
Business Address:
East Jordan, Michigan.

Countersigned:
Richard Lewis, Clerk.
The foregoing action is brought to quiet the title to the following described realty, viz: The Northeast (N. E. 1/4) quarter of the Northwest quarter (N. W. 1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Thirty-two (32) North of Range Seven (7) West, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

DWIGHT L. WILSON,
Att'y for Plaintiff,
Business Address:
East Jordan, Michigan.

PROBATE NOTICE

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jennie Watson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 25th day of April A. D. 1917, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on or before the 25th day of August A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Saturday the 25th day of August, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1917.
SERVETUS A. CORRELL,
Judge of Probate.

HE ALMOST FELL DOWN

A. M. Hunsucker, Bogue Chitto, Miss. writes: "I suffered from rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble, also dizziness; would almost fall down at times. Foley Kidney Pills gave me entire relief." Disordered kidneys give warning by pains in side and back, sore muscles, swollen joints, tired and languid feeling.—Hite's Drug Store.

You're Invited

To Attend The

Dance

To Be Given At

Wilson Grange HALL

Saturday Night May 19th

SUPPER

BILL. - 50c

ROMANCE NOT DEAD: HERE'S A CINDERELLA.

New York.—Who says romance is dead or never shows itself in big cities? Miss Miner, va Menke of New York insists it is not. Five months ago she lost a pump—size No. 2—as she was alighting from a trolley car. The footwear caught in the step. The motorman drove on, and a passenger, Jack Wolfson, found it. He advertised for the fair owner. She answered. He called—then called often. Soon Miss Menke will be Mrs. Wolfson.

CONVICTS TO HELP FARMERS.

Paroled From a Penitentiary For That Purpose.

Joliet, Ill.—The 110 convicts in the state prison here were notified they had received paroles. Most noteworthy among them is James E. Daley, who was sentenced for the murder of his wife in 1905. Recently Daley was given a commutation of life sentence to twenty-five years by Governor Dunne.

Most of the convicts will be employed by the farmers in Cook county. Demand for farm laborers resulted in the parole board granting many paroles that otherwise would not have been obtained, as the men were without friends to obtain signers to release papers.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain purchase money mortgage, made and executed by Jesse McDonald, of Boyne City, Michigan, to Herman A. Goodman of East Jordan, Michigan, dated the tenth day of November, 1914 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Charlevoix County November 14, 1914, in Liber 54 of mortgages on Page 131, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, including principal, interest and attorney fee, the sum of Seven hundred thirty-one and 10/100 Dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute in such case made and provided the undersigned will sell at public auction on the seventh day of July, 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, (that being the place wherein the Circuit Court for Charlevoix County is held), the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit: The east one-half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section three, town thirty-two north, range six west, Wilson township, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

HERMAN A. GOODMAN,
Dated, April 4, 1917.
Dwight H. Fitch,
Att'y for mortgagee,
Business Address, East Jordan, Mich.

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SUFFRAGISTS AID

Propose to Train Women In Agricultural Work.

TO INCREASE FOOD SUPPLY.

National American Woman Suffrage Association Offers to President Services of the Organization, Numbering 2,000,000 Women—War Work in Four Branches Now in Full Swing.

New York.—Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, honorary president of the National American Woman Suffrage association, has just been named as chairman of a committee on woman's defense work, officially appointed by the Council of National Defense.

The council's announcement said: "Realizing the inestimable value of woman's contribution to national effort under modern war conditions, the



DR. ANNA HOWARD SHAW.
MRS. CATT (LOWER)

Council of National Defense has appointed a committee of women of national importance to consider and advise how the assistance of the women of America may be available in the prosecution of the war. These women are appointed as individuals regardless of any organizations with which they may be associated.

Among the members of the woman's committee is Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage association. On Feb. 25 officers of Mrs. Catt's association assembled in Washington and offered to the president of the United States the loyal services of the organization, numbering 2,000,000 women, for the following program:

The establishment of employment bureaus for women, the increase of the food supply by the training of women in agriculture and the elimination of waste, the work of the Red Cross and the Americanization of aliens.

War service in each of these four branches is now in full swing throughout the country under the direction of the National American Woman Suffrage association.

WANT TO BE AVIATORS.

More Than Five Thousand Have Applied to Aero Club of America.

New York.—The Aero Club of America announces that more than 3,000 applications have been received for enlistment in the aerial reserve corps and several hundred more for membership in the naval reserve flying corps, the aerial coast patrol service and the aviation section of the naval militia. More than 5,000 men in all have applied for the aerial service.

The aviation section of the naval militia will have a camp at Bay Shore, L. I., and the First and Second battalions will be trained there. Plans are being made for a training school for college men. Aerial coast patrol 3, composed of Yale men, is training at the Curtiss school in Buffalo.

A Cheap Dessert.
Take half dozen bananas, slice them into a deep dish, squeeze the juice of half a lemon over them, covering them with water and half cupful of sugar. Stir them with a dessert spoon, place in ice chest one hour before using. They are good without going on ice.

Obituary—Mrs. M. A. Clark.

Mrs. Mary A. Clark was born in England, October 23, 1844, and passed away at her home in this city last Friday, May 11th. Her maiden name was Mary A. Kitson. While young her parents moved to Canada. In 1863 she was united in marriage to Thomas Clark, who preceded her in death about two years ago. To their union were born ten children, eight of which survive to mourn their loss. There are Miss Josephine Clark and Mrs. Sarah H. Gaunt of East Jordan, Mrs. Mary J. Gaunt of Ellsworth, Mrs. Rachel Knight of Annesco, Kansas, John T. Clark of Canton, Oklahoma, Mrs. Sophia Palmer and Geo. W. Clark of Leon, Kansas, and Albert H. Clark of 2nd Co. C. A. C. Fort Worden, Wash.

About fifty years ago they located in Michigan, being among the old pioneers of this county, where she leaves a large circle of friends beside her children, twenty-eight grand children and seven great grand children to mourn their loss. Being religiously inclined for years she expressed herself as ready to meet her God.

Funeral services were conducted at the Church of God Chapel by the pastor, J. W. Ruehle. Interment at the East Jordan Cemetery.

A woman says there is no pleasure in suffering if she has to do it in silence.

Waistcoats of Every Sort.

Waistcoats of all kinds, shapes and materials are being worn. Two very attractive ones are of Chinese embroidery, one of black satin having a wide edging of the embroidery. Imitation, caracul is worn, too, but the effect of this is rather heavy. On the whole, the most effective waistcoats are those of the embroidery.

The Fichu is Back.

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SYNOPSIS.

Capt. Ralph Payne, U. S. A., is given secret plans of defense to deliver to Panama. He attends a ball at the home of his sweetheart, Colonel Dare's daughter, Pearl. As a climax to a series of mysterious incidents he is arrested for treason. The ambassador of Granada is found dead and the plans missing from Payne's coat.

SECOND EPISODE

Found Guilty.

The ball at the Granadian embassy continued without interruption until a late hour. Orders from no less important personage than the president forbade making known to the public, for the time being at least, the sudden and mysterious death of Ambassador De Mira—attributed to suicide—until after the preliminaries of an investigation could be arranged; and so closely was the secret guarded that only a few of the attaches were cognizant of the ambassador's fate. The absence of Colonel Dare, his daughter and his unfortunate young colleague, Capt. Ralph Payne, if noted at all, occasioned no comment among the assembly now wholly absorbed in the pleasure of the moment.

Major Thornton Brent, it is true, having seen his party's hasty exit, may have wondered what sudden notion took them off without telling him about it. He was, however, in a measure relieved and glad to be alone. Two things had occurred to disturb his equanimity. He had lost the insinuating note from Bertha Bonn sent to him at the Dare residence earlier in the evening. This was enough to throw him into a panic of apprehension. And the girl had, after all, appeared at the ball. He had seen and been forced covertly to talk with her.

Free to pursue an appointment with her at his apartment, Brent slipped away from the embassy unobserved and strode to the Wilton, cast in a gloom of reflections upon his early army life after leaving West Point. A mere child then, was this simple, meek-eyed daughter of the old frontier post sergeant, who came twice a week with his linen and darning, and to whose childish adoration, in the great isolation of his life, his heart of youth hungry for love, succumbed.

For years he had wondered whether she was alive or dead. Then, one day shortly after his commission as major and transfer to Colonel Dare's regiment, he was somewhere with Pearl at an afternoon tea dance or something. Already had his subtlety in the art of love gained for him a place in the heart of the colonel's daughter. Her glowing eyes and the rich color mantling her cheeks told him that on this occasion he was fascinating her and that, for the moment, his rival was not in her thoughts. He was on the point of proposing, knowing that the idea was not entirely repellent.

Then came the shock that put a stop to his matrimonial calculations for the present. For Bertha Bonn, accompanied by an amiable bon-vivant, had entered the room and, taking an adjoining table, observed and adroitly flaunted recognition into his startled eyes.

Similar encounters followed. Then came letters containing requests for money. Brent, always extravagant, began to find himself head over heels in debt. His position made refusal of her demands impossible.

He reached the "F" street side of the Wilton in a fever. Unnoticed by him at the curb stood the Dare automobile. Toko sat at the wheel quietly smoking a cigarette.

At that hour the hotel lobby was practically deserted. When Brent passed through the partly darkened lounge he stepped back as if to conceal his person. In the descending cage were Colonel Dare and Pearl, with Payne and Major Steele of the intelligence bureau close behind.

Distress was stamped upon their features and he was grimly aware that the bulge in Major Steele's right coat pocket was caused by a revolver tightly clenched in his concealed fist. Colonel Dare, noticing Brent, quickly drew him aside.

He spoke bluntly. "Payne is—under arrest. The Panama defense plans and the chemical waters necessary to their interpretation have—" he looked at Brent meaningly—"disappeared. Wait here for instructions."

A curious calm enveloped Brent and a faint smile played upon his thin lips as he approached his apartment. Bertha Bonn was there, waiting.

"Howdy!" she exclaimed, familiarly. He merely touched her outstretched fingers. "Well! You know why I am here. Must I go to Captain Payne for the funds I need, or are you prepared to be magnanimous in your own interest?"

He met her challenge frankly. "I told you the truth. I am broke and facing ruin. A little later, perhaps—" Out of the tail of his eye he saw her cynical smile and changed his tactics. "I am heartily sorry for the shadows which I cast upon your early life, Bertha. But why have you reopened that painful chapter at this late date?"

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Isn't there some way by which we can keep it closed and forget each other?" She shrugged contemptuously. "How can I forget! You refused me honest love and a clean name."

Her voice chilled him. "In a few months," he fenced, weakly. "I shall probably be able to settle upon you a sufficient sum to make you always independent. Won't that suffice?"

There was a note of jealousy in the nervous laugh which followed. "So you expect to marry the Dare millions! Is that it?"

"That's it!" he admitted, after a defiant silence. Her manner swiftly changed. The mask of the worldly woman disappeared from her face, flushed and revealing an outraged heart. She started from the sofa and then for the first time his widening eyes saw a plain gold locket attached to a chain at her throat.

For a few disturbing seconds Brent confounded it with the one in which the government chemicals had been secreted and given to his unfortunate brother officer.

He sprang to his feet just as she wrenched the locket from its fastening and pressing a spring disclosed its contents to him.

The locket contained his miniature signed, dated and inscribed: "To My Darling Wife."

He drew back uttering an oath. She turned away, snapping the lid shut. "If I were you, Thornton," she drawled with studied irony; "I wouldn't calculate on those Dare millions to provide me with an income."

Brent sprang upon her in swift and uncontrollable rage, his vision blurred, seeing only that forgotten inscription of an impulsive and sentimental moment of years ago.

The locket rolled on the floor and out of their reach. Bertha was about to shriek when a knock on the door brought Brent to his senses. Bertha recovered the locket while he reluctantly answered the summons.

At the threshold, saluting, stood an orderly from the war office. "Compliments of the chief of staff and instructions to headquarters in full dress uniform, sir," said he from a respectful distance.

"Wait below!" Brent shut the door in his face to avoid discovery of Bertha, who, taking advantage of the situation, slipped out when a safe exit was assured.

She immediately went to the hotel office. Here she deposited the locket with the clerk for safe keeping. The clerk gave her the usual duplicate receipt, numbered and in blank, on which her signature in her own handwriting was a necessary requirement. She put this in her purse and turned away with a feeling of security. Incidentally she observed the orderly from the war office awaiting the major. Then she went to her own room. Hardly had she entered when from the pavement rose the shrill cry of excited newsboys.

The hoarse, bellowing voices in the night air rudely jarred upon her overwrought nerves. Straining her ears she was unable to catch any meaning or even an intelligible word in this sudden vocal outburst. She took a dime out of her purse and going downstairs to see what the clamor was about, purchased a paper. It contained a brief account of the tragedy at the Granadian embassy.

The hotel lobby was seething with excited people. Bertha did not escape the thrill of the moment. In awed silence she re-entered the elevator. As it went upward it passed Brent redly to descend. He ignored her passing smile of mocking sweetness. She laughed to herself.

She opened her purse to put the change away and discovered, to her amazement, that the duplicate invoice for her locket, which she had placed there but a few moments ago, was gone! Instead was a gold locket! Unable to believe her eyes, she opened it at once—her priceless miniature of Thornton Brent was missing!

Fumbling again through her purse she found this explanatory note penned on the private stationery of Capt. Ralph Payne:

Guard the packet in your traveling case. Fly to the Paso del Norte on the Granadian frontier. There further instructions await you. Wear the locket for identification and Brent's miniature will be yours again.

It was some minutes before she gathered that an inexplicable turn of events was injecting her, whether she willed or not, into the affairs of the man whom Major Brent had set out to remove, if possible, from the life of Pearl Dare.

Bertha opened her traveling case. There lay a neat, oblong package resembling a silken envelope. It was sealed and unaddressed. She looked at it thoughtfully.

For one thousand dollars in crisp new bills, held together by a rubber band, also lay in a conspicuous place in the case.

Still shivering, she went downstairs and paid her account out of this mysteriously acquired wealth.

"Have you ever had anything forged on you?" she queried of the cashier,

unable to resist the fling, for she was filled with no little curiosity concerning the locket mystery.

"Never," said he, glancing appraisingly at her through his horn-rimmed spectacles. He was stoop-shouldered and bald-headed.

Bertha turned away, now laughing outright, and asked the night porter something about early morning trains.

Just before retiring she happened to look down upon the thoroughfare and saw the Dare automobile containing only the familiar visaged Toko rushing by. She wondered why the car was out at that late time and whether it was bound. An hour later the car again passed the Wilton hotel, but by this time Bertha was sound asleep.

The automobile on its return trip was not empty, however. In it were Colonel Dare and Major Brent proceeding to the former's residence from a secretly convened court-martial of Captain Payne.

It was obvious that this was no happy homecoming when the car stopped before the Dare door. Toko stood aside a trifle more deferential than usual while the officers descended. The colonel seemed suddenly to have aged. His eyes lacked luster. In contrast to the extremely unctuous major at his elbow, the proud bearing of this popular regimental commander was not manifest.

Toko, with an air of understanding, unobtrusively preceded them into the house, which for the moment apparently was deserted.

Brent passed into the library. On the wall hung a splendid painting of Payne. His eyes were riveted upon it. But in them there was no pity. A strange uneasiness permeated his senses. Turning, he found Toko, hesitating to approach, yet with an evasive question on his lips.

"What is it, Toko?" Toko pointed to the portrait. His usually inscrutable face was expressive of real regret.

"What was the charge against the captain?"

"He sold a valuable army secret to an enemy country, Toko." Major Brent gruffly replied. "To Granada."

"Will he be shot?" Brent shook his head. "The proof, while quite conclusive, was circumstantial. He has been sentenced to life imprisonment in the federal penitentiary. He will be dismissed from the army at sunrise."

"I liked Captain Payne," said Toko, after a pause. "He was my friend." He gave Brent another uncomfortable look. "I don't believe that he was guilty."

Brent became furious for no very explainable reason. He never had



The Priceless Miniature of Brent Was Missing.

liked Toko. His English was too insufferably blunt. He turned away to hide his feelings.

In the hall stood Pearl wringing her hands. The hopelessness of it all was written on her face. It was plain that the colonel had told her everything.

"I must see him—alone," she said piteously, approaching the major.

Brent simulated sympathy.

"The colonel and I must return to the war department at once. Why not wait—"

She interrupted with a determined shake of her head. "Toko will drive me to the barracks after he drops you off."

And that ended it. She went.

It was arranged at the last moment so that Colonel Dare could leave the all-night conference of the staff and accompany her, for the visit was necessarily to be brief and there were some details for him alone to settle at the barracks where at day-break he was to preside over the formal dismissal scenes of the court-martial officer.

She felt grateful for her father's support in this trying ordeal, for no sooner had she entered Captain Payne's quarters and found herself alone with him than there came to her the merciless realization of what the disgrace that had come upon him meant to both and a desire to have the meeting over with quickly.

But never had she so adored him as then. He stood erect, a trifle stiff, smiling easily so that she might not

too keenly feel the natural embarrassment. As he held her hand in a reassuring clasp, she knew that he was making the masterstroke of his life for self-control.

They stood talking, briefly, incoherently. Looking into each other's eyes, they saw that something which blind women irrevocably and exult men.

Yet that this dread thing lay between them Payne as well as she knew, and when without responding to his silent pleading for belief in his innocence Pearl with a sob turned aside, he could not resent the inference that she was not quite sure.

A moment later she was gone. If his heart fluttered when he heard her receding footsteps on the narrow stone passageway, he gave no sign, receiving in an astonishing calm his personal attorneys who were now arriving on some matters of business.

"You'll be out in a jiffy, Payne!" hotly assured Bainbridge, the senior, scarcely before he was inside the door. "Somebody will pay for this damnable outrage. The government seems to have lost its head entirely!"

Payne, bored, motioned them to sit down.

"I want to talk to you about my will," said he briefly. "You can draw it up tomorrow and mail it for my signature."

The lawyers seated themselves heavily. Bainbridge wondered what manner of man this was.

Meanwhile Pearl and her father gloomily returned to town.

When Toko drew up at the war department to permit the letter to alight, he lingered at the side of the machine holding his daughter's hand tightly.

"Be brave, girl. Remember that you are a Dare to whom America stands first." Turning away, he mumbled something about not seeing her until late in the following afternoon. Pearl understood.

It was during the short homeward drive, alone, that there dawned upon Pearl the grim significance of the offense for which her lover had been convicted. Already had the cause and predicament of this brilliant young American officer been noised about. The streets were unusually alert with people. At corners under lamp-posts men and women were grouping around news boys.

The name of Ralph Payne was on everybody's lips. To her shame Pearl heard her own linked with his by a knot of workmen at a culvert over which her car bounded.

"In these perilous times, there ain't no tellin' who's a traitor and who's not. Even she—"

The words stung her. Toko suddenly increased his speed and the car was quickly out of earshot.

But Pearl well knew that the times, indeed, were perilous, for she could not have been in her father's household and remained ignorant of national affairs. The time had come when men had ceased to speak in jest of the Turtle bay incident, the Haitian uprising, the Mexican brawl and of our perplexities with all Latin-America. It was well known that foreign men of war, in fighting trim, had for some time been mysteriously patrolling the Caribbean and the Pacific; and the financial and commercial intimacy of the southern hemisphere, with Europe and the Orient, lately had assumed a new and disturbing aspect. Every day some unexpected development in our foreign relations was arising, exacting a keener finesse, a more sharp finality, a greater precaution, harbingering no one knew what form of disputation yet to come in the preservation of national independence.

The hour had arrived when something more than the craft of our statesmen was necessary to avert national disaster. Agencies hostile, mysterious, unrecognizable, eluding detection, geyfing effacement, interested the land, lurking in every byway of public life. Even trivial events in ordinary times now took on a sinister meaning to those upon whose vigilance the protection of a country and its people depended. It was a time when sober-minded men were beginning to practice with a rifle in the back yard and women to gaze upon their stalwart sons with tenderness born in fear of sacrifice. The bosom of America, among young and old, was inspired in a new and solemn patriotism.

Pearl in her motor car reflected upon these things soberly. She sighed.

They rode past the celebrated central railroad depot where the quick eyes of both perceived that the stage of the night's drama had temporarily shifted. Half a score of foreign diplomats and a handful of railroad employees were surrounding a hearse. A glance told them that in it was the dead body of the Granadian ambassador. Pearl marveled at the haste displayed in getting it out of the country.

On reaching her residence she found the house shut up for the night. Dismissing Toko, who proceeded at once toward the garage in the rear of the premises, she admitted herself. While closing the door, she observed a taxicab on the opposite side of the thoroughfare. The driver was huddled in his seat, apparently asleep. She wondered who might be having a caller at such an hour, for in none of the houses in the neighborhood were there any lights.

In her own home a supernatural quietude prevailed. With a little shiver she quickly turned on the electric lights. Then she slowly mounted the stairs to her bedroom.

In the act of switching off the current at the top of the stairs, she halted, listening, attracted by the sound of stealthy movements below followed by a faint groan. She flew down the steps and into the library where the sound had come. Here she detected the odor of chloroform. Simultaneous-

ly she stumbled over the unconscious person of one of her maids lying on the floor and detected short, quick flashes of light in the colonel's study.

She stole to the curtains which separated the two rooms, pushing the folds aside. She stepped backwards, startled. A strangely garbed man, his back toward her, was fumbling over some papers on the desk.

Pearl must have gasped aloud in her sudden excitement or given some evi-



An Episode in Major Brent's Past.

dence of her presence, for the intruder skillfully hiding his face turned immediately and leaped through an open window, making off in the shadows.

She was after him in a second, but when she reached the ground he had disappeared. Then the throbbing of a motor attracted her to the street, just in time to discover a taxicab racing away.

Her eyes now fell upon the car still waiting in front of the house opposite. The driver was fooling with the magnet. She ran to him, gesturing dramatically in the direction of the fast fading red lights.

"Quick, please, follow that car. I'll pay you any price. I'm Miss Dare!" The driver shifted into gear before she was fairly inside. She swung her swaying body into the tonneau closing the door with a bang, only to find herself pinioned by a pair of steel-cold hands. Her outcry was unheard save by the mysterious man into whose arms she had unexpectedly fled.

Then again Pearl smelled chloroform, and she experienced the terrifying sensation of falling.

She never knew what exactly transpired during the next thirty minutes or so.

When her bewildered senses returned she was lying among weeds in an open lot somewhere in the sparsely settled city outskirts.

The first object to strike Pearl's dazed eyes was the handkerchief which had been used by the stranger to reduce her to a helpless condition. Then she saw heavy footprints in the mud.

Under ordinary circumstances, Pearl might have gone immediately to headquarters and told her story. But the events of that night had made her unusually wary, arousing a keen personal responsibility in following any clue which might bring disclosures.

Accordingly she set out at once to trace the movements of the fleeing assailant which was not difficult in the soft earth, aided by a brilliant, rising moon.

Now followed a long interval of wandering through a district which became more and more desolate. But presently her perseverance was rewarded. A little off in the distance, on an elevation stood a dilapidated frame shack belonging to an abandoned stone quarry toward which two men in guarded haste crawled up the hillside. From behind an old tree stump Pearl, craning her neck, saw them enter and quickly close the door. Smothering an exclamation she darted in the direction of the shack.

Ten minutes afterward she, herself, was inside this now notorious haunt, groping against rough board walls.

The darkness seemed to be augmented by the very stillness of the place but gradually she discerned a rickety wooden stairway ending through an open trap door in a loft.

She was starting to ascend when through a crack in a rude partition there gleamed a faint ray of light. Stepping hastily down, Pearl peeped.

The interior was not entirely within her range but the scene she beheld half-startled her out of her wits.

Seated about a bare table were a number of men of distinguished foreign appearance. In the fitful illumination of an oil lamp, their faces were not recognizable although she was sure that the object of her search was among them. She could not see his face, however. Whoever he was, he was obviously their leader and spokesman and a very superior person to whom they paid a deep respect.

This man was exhorting his cohorts very earnestly.

Guarding her emotions lest they betray her Pearl pressed closely against the wall, straining her ears at the crack in the board. She grew tense. Her countenance registered blank amazement.

His voice was musical, yet blunt and virile. "Messieurs, now is the time to strike when her golden vaults are full; for America, treasurer of the world, is tottering to her downfall."

Pearl paled, every nerve in her body tingling.

A murmur ran through the assembly. The speaker continued impressively: "Our combined armies outnumber hers and our fleets outrange her heaviest

guns. We have in our possession the key to this defenseless nation"—he paused dramatically. "The military plans, which reveal how we can capture the canal. Already they are on their way to our southern rendezvous. The American government, messieurs, has fallen into our trap. It is not our fault that Capt. Ralph Payne is innocent." His voice trailed ironically.

Pearl suddenly felt faint. Her impulse was to fly at once to the war office, yet the import of what was transpiring on the other side of the wall glued her to the spot. She could hardly restrain an outburst.

"And this—this canal, messieurs," drawled the spokesman, "in our hands, destroys forever the Monroe Doctrine by which this ambitious young country has ruled the western seas for more than a century—too long. Have your foreign offices sent you here prepared to discuss the division of the spoils?"

Pearl drew away from the wall, inwardly scoffing and deeply resentful at these preposterous suggestions. She could hear no more of them. Were it not for the fact that the one in whom she had pledged her faith in manhood was being publicly disgraced for a crime she now knew to have been committed by others she would have believed that these arch international plotters were escaped lunatics. This alone kept her from doing something ridiculous.

A new thought flashed into her mind as the full meaning of the moment came upon her. She became inspired with a sudden determination to establish the identity of this coterie and its leader, matching cunning with cunning, intrigue with intrigue, regardless of personal hazard and for the country's cause—and Payne's—no matter whether it took her or how far, to checkmate this silent menace in the plot in which he might be only a pawn, or yet a prince, or a disguised ruler himself.

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In her exalted mood, for a second she forgot the necessity of caution. She had found the door and was about to open it and face the intriguers when her sleeve caught upon a protruding wire. Before she had shaken it loose she was, to her dismay, discovered.

In her haste to evade pursuit, she mounted breathlessly to the loft, followed closely by the whole party, their faces now masked, the spokesman in the lead. He reached the top at the same time as she, with arms outstretched to grab her. She quickly dropped the trap, stood upon it and grappled with him. Her one thought was to unmask him.

She was a fearless and athletic girl and fought with a frenzy that took her



Never Had She So Adored Him as Then.

opponent by complete surprise. They whirled around the floor locked together.

"Who are you?" she cried in pain, doggedly trying to release herself.

"No personal enemy, mam'selle, but dangerous if interfered with," he muttered thickly, in a disguised voice.

He had scarcely finished speaking when Pearl, freeing her right arm, struck him down. She was upon him at once and about to tear the covering from his face when his companions broke through the trap and rushed toward them. Before she could accomplish her purpose she was forced to protect herself, for they clearly meant to do her harm. Staggering backwards, she glared about for means of escape. She spied a window. Thoughtless of peril there, she ran to it and jumped out, striking the ground hard, for her fall was a long one.

She turned a challenging face toward the men who had gathered in the window and were scowling down upon her with pointed revolvers.

"You scoundrels and cowards!" she cried, defiantly. "Whoever you may be, America will avenge herself!"

Then she plunged into the bushes.

She heard them shouting as she ran, and bullets whistled in the air. Coming upon a barn she entered it and hid in a cow stall, crouching in a corner and rapidly covering herself with straw. Her hands suddenly came in contact with something warm and alive; and a little dog crawled out.

It was very dark here. The dog began to lick her face. Pearl's eyes, dimmed with tears.

(END OF EPISODE TWO.)

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JAPANESE OF WEST PLANNING TO ENLIST

Adopt Resolution Pledging Their Loyalty at San Francisco Meeting.

San Francisco.—The Japanese of the Pacific coast have testified to their loyalty to the United States in a resolution adopted here at a mass meeting of Japanese, which pledged their support of the government in any capacity in which they may be needed. As a preliminary step they decided to cooperate in Red Cross work, and in case of further need they plan to enlist in actual service.

The local Japanese also issued a proclamation commending the president and the government for what they describe as a true stand for humanity in the world's crisis and asking the privilege of serving the country whose laws protect them.

Reports reaching here tell of a patriotic movement on foot in Honolulu started by Japanese to raise a division of troops from the ranks of the 15,000 Japanese reservists in the Hawaiian Islands. Resident Americans in Hawaii say that the Japanese, on the islands have displayed an eagerness to establish their loyalty to the Stars and Stripes.

THIEVES GET MILLIONS LOOTING BRITISH ARMY

Stores and Supplies Stolen, Mules and Horses Disappear; Also Blankets and Milk.

London.—The annual loss to the British army through petty thievery and pilfering of stores and supplies has been estimated at \$25,000,000. Some account of the manner in which this huge sum disappears is given by the auditor general of army accounts.

The Thirty-sixth division ammunition column had a lot of mules picketed at Bordon camp in soil that was too sandy to hold the picketing gear. One night the mules broke loose, and \$5,000 worth of mules were never recovered.

A lot of horses mysteriously disappeared at Abbasia, leaving a deficit of \$90,000. A civilian foreman at Romsey carelessly gave thirteen horses an overdose of sulphur, and the horses died; loss, \$4,000.

Pistols worth \$1,750 were lost on the way to Egypt. Troops smoking in a barn in France set fire to the barn and destroyed \$2,000 worth of straw.

Scores of cases are cited where the mysterious disappearance of blankets has cost the army thousands of dollars. Condensed milk worth \$1,000 disappeared from a cargo between Alexandria and Solum owing to pilfering by the mercantile marine crews on board. Since the appointment of conductors to accompany ships these losses have virtually ceased.

Military clothing worth \$1,000 was sent to Winchester, where some one who signed himself "Corpl. Barnes" took it over. The consignment was lost at this point, and so was Corporal Barnes.

DEER EATS WASHING.

Court Dealt Leniently With Man Who Shot It.

Highland Falls, N. Y.—Edwin Adolph, a farmer, of Fort Montgomery, near Highland Falls, was dealt with leniently in court here when he showed that he shot a big buck because in browsing on his premises it ate part of the family washing, which was hung out to dry. Deer, according to Mr. Adolph, who faced a possible \$500 fine, have been pestering him for several months.

They destroyed part of his crops, he declared, and recently began to chew the tops of young trees he had just set out. When this one chewed part of a bed sheet and a table cloth that hung on the clothesline in the orchard Adolph lost his patience and shot it. The game warden told the magistrate a light fine would satisfy him, and Adolph paid \$25.

SHE WANTS TO BE AVIATOR.

Wife of Federal Land Bank's Head Offers Her Services.

New York.—Mrs. Leonard G. Robinson, wife of the newly appointed president of the Federal Land banks, made application for a place in the United States flying corps. In a few days Mrs. Robinson will go to Springfield, Mass., to try out several aeroplanes before deciding on which one she will use.

"The woman of means is under greater obligation to serve than women who are needed by their families," she said. "Women of wealth not only have leisure to serve their country, but, in addition, death would not bring the sufferings and misery as in the death of a woman on whom a family of little ones is dependent."

PELICANS CUT OFF LIGHT FROM CITIES.

Lake Elsinore, Colo.—The Southern Sierras Power company has been having considerable trouble of late with pelicans flying from Lake Elsinore and striking the high transmission wires, creating a short circuit and putting several towns out of service for electric light. A large number of birds have been killed by the 33,000 volt line.

SLIM ELEGANCE.

Evening Gowns From Paris All Have Trains—Now.



HER BALL GOWN.

Black velvet is here put up with spangled black net, the garnitures being butterflies of rhinestones. Butterflies, by the way, are the hallmark of at least two of the most fashionable houses in Paris. The shoulder straps are also of this same stone.

FOR THE WEDDING SHOWER.

Dainty Menus For the Spring Bride's Delicacies.

1. Pineapple and Orange Fruit Cocktail. Oysters a la King (Chafin Dish). Heart Shaped Brown Bread and Butter Sandwiches. Olives. Sautéed Almonds. Cream Cheese Ball, French Dressing. Nut Salad. Whipped Cream Cake. Coffee.
2. Heart Shaped Salmon and Olive Canapes. Tomato Bouillon. Watercress. Radish Roses. Buttered Peas. Chicken Croquettes. Potato Chips. Waldorf Salad in Red Apple Cups. Lettuce and Brown Bread Sandwiches. Charlotte Russe, Garnished With Candied Rose Leaves. Bonbons. Black Coffee.
3. Grapefruit With Maraschino Cherries. Cream of Pea Soup With Whipped Cream. Toast Sticks. Olives. Sautéed Nuts. Creamed Sweetbreads. Potato Croquettes. Pimento Jelly Salad, Mayonnaise. Cheese Crackers. Pistachio Ice Cream. Little Heart Shaped Cakes. Bonbons. Black Coffee.

A Boning Process.

Legs and loins of lamb and mutton are the meats ordinarily boned. The butcher will do it, but if it must be done at home wipe the meat with a sharp knife scrape the meat from the bone, being careful not to cut through the skin.

To bone birds, chickens or turkeys, select undrawn birds, with head and feet left on. Remove pin feathers and singe. Draw tendons from legs by making an incision just below the knee joint, and with a strong skewer draw the tendons out one at a time. Loosen the skin near the feet and cut off the feet. Make an incision through the skin from the neck to the tail the entire length of the backbone. Scrape the flesh from the bones until the shoulder blade is found, then scraping around the wing joint. Scrape down the backbone to the thigh, then around the second joint and leg, cutting tendons portion when necessary. When one side of backbone is boned, bone the other, then remove flesh from backbone on either side of bird. When flesh is all separated from bone discard carcass, wipe flesh and skin and arrange in original shape. The birds may be seasoned and broiled or stuffed, sewed into shape and steamed.

Macaroni and Cheese.

Cook macaroni in boiling water until it becomes tender, salted to taste. Drain off water, make a white sauce from butter, flour, milk and seasoning. Add macaroni to white sauce, also grated cheese to taste. Pour into buttered baking pan, cover top with breadcrumbs and bake until crumbs become a golden brown. This makes a delicious dish when served piping hot.

Improvised Ice Chip.

Many people do not know that by taking an ordinary sewing needle they can chip ice from a large cake without breaking the large piece too much. Tap the needle with a thimble or small tack hammer and the ice will break off into small pieces.

FOR YOUNG FOLKS

How the Early Little May Flower Got Its Name.

LIKED BY THE BUMBLEBEES.

Not Only is the Trailing Arbutus of the Woodside Sweet Scented; It Also Contains Delicious Nectar—Its American History Reaches Far Back.

Spring is with us, said Uncle Ben to little Ned and Polly Ann, and it seems a good time to tell about

PINK MAYFLOWERS.

The little mayflower, or arbutus, is a great favorite of mine.

Not only is the mayflower sweet smelling, but it is sweet tasting, as any little bumblebee can tell you. On the hillsides or the borders of rocky woods, where the flower generally grows, you will in the springtime find swarms of the bumblebees hanging round the flowers, into which they dive for a drink of their delicious nectar.

I must tell you how the mayflower got its name.

I have told you of the brave white people who first came to live in this country nearly 300 years ago. They reached the land in the fall, and in Massachusetts, where they had come to stay, that winter was a very cold one. They suffered much because the food was scarce and the clothes which they had were not warm enough. Their English homes had been warm and comfortable, but in the American forest they had only poorly built log cabins, through the cracks in which the chill winds often whistled.

When the hungry wolves howled around their doors on wild nights or they could see the Indians watching them from behind the trees in the great uncleared forest, no doubt they often longed for the pleasant English towns they had left. For the women and children who had to stay much indoors it was very hard indeed.

But by and by spring came, and then the settlers were able to be out once more. And great was their delight when the leaves came out on the trees, when the bushes in the forest clothed themselves in green and the grass everywhere became fresh and bright. Here and there in the woods flowers began to appear and first of all among them the little pink flower which we have named the mayflower.

The little children gathered them and carried them home to show their delighted parents.

And the women dug them up and tried to plant them around the cabins to begin little gardens, gardens that they meant to make as much as they could like the loved gardens which they had left with their homes across the ocean.

The flowers grew all about the pine groves of old Plymouth, where the people had settled, and because the flowers had come to them in May and because the name of the good ship that had brought them to America had been called the Mayflower they so named the flower.

Heard in the Library.

"I don't think you books are very polite," said the andiron, peeping out of the fireplace.

"What are we doing now?" asked one of the books.

"Why, you've got all your backs turned toward the rest of us," said the andiron.

Overheard in Vegetown.

"Your heart is like a dog's tail," said Peter Pumpkin.

"Why so?" spoke Mr. Tree.

"Because it's farthest from the bark," replied Peter.

Riding a Wooden Steed.

It is related that the common and very popular toy seen here was the invention of a man who was urged by his wife to make a toy to please and amuse their only boy. So the man got



Photo by American Press Association. ABOARD A KIDDY CAR.

busy and the popular toy was the result. Before his invention he worked for a small wage per day, but now that little boys and girls all over the country demand his invention he has grown rich, and the little boy will soon ride in an auto.

LEAGUE WILL START TO TRAIN IMMIGRANTS

Form of Oath Equivalent to Enlistment Pledge Drawn Up.

New York.—A movement to train New York's immigrant population in readiness for military service was started at a meeting held in the offices of the National Liberal Immigration League. The league has been at work on the situation concerning the part immigrants will take in any national crisis for the last eight years and has the approval of the war department.

This consists of a recruiting campaign on the east side for the Macca-bean brigade, as it will be called. The house of the James G. Blaine club has been offered by the president, Dr. J. Levenson, and is open for recruiting. Applicants will enlist without any stipulation and will take an oath which virtually binds them to federal military service for the duration of the war. A form of oath equivalent to the army enlistment pledge has been drawn up by the adjutant general of the eastern department at the league's request.

Recruits will be trained under competent instructors and then will be available either to be mustered into the regular army, the national guard or service as reserve officers if they show progress enough. There will be no stipulation that they be accepted in a body, keeping their racial unity in companies or other units, but will go where assigned.

JAPANESE ARMY TO HOLD SHAM BATTLE OF SOMME

Will Apply Lessons of Great Struggle in Europe to Grand Army Maneuvers.

New York.—The grand army maneuvers in Japan next November will be held in the country adjacent to Lake Biwa, in Shiga prefecture, near Kioto, says the East and West News. Headquarters will be located in the town of Hikone, of which the famous Lord Ii, assassinated on dolls' day many years ago, was the feudal chief. To provide for the final review by the emperor a few rice fields will be cleared for that purpose.

A great feature of the war play will be the conduct of battles after the latest methods adopted by the Germans and the allies in the valley of the Somme, northern France. Geographically the lay of the land about Lake Biwa, the largest lake in Japan, closely resembles that of the Somme war theater. Staff officers familiar with the ground in France will conduct the operations from which the soldiers and underofficers will acquire a knowledge of the latest features of modern warfare. Airplanes and seaplanes will also be actively employed for the first time in Japan.

The art of war has advanced a hundred years since the battle of the Marne, two and a half years ago.

NEW U BOAT DESTROYER.

Will Be Turned Over to Government Early in July.

Wilmington, Del.—A submarine destroyer of a new type which is pronounced by experts to be the most efficient conceived is being constructed for Alfred I. du Pont and when completed early in July will be turned over to the government for use against U-boats.

The craft, which is being constructed by the Herreshoffs at Bristol, R. I., is of all steel torpedo boat destroyer construction. It is 110 feet long, has a fifteen foot beam and a draft of only four and one-half feet. The latter dimension is so small as to render the boat immune from submarine torpedoes.

The destroyer has a guaranteed speed of twenty-seven miles an hour. The two high pressure steam generators will develop approximately 1,500 horsepower. Oil, which is used as fuel, can be carried for a cruise of 1,200 miles at fifteen knots or 650 miles at full speed.

PREPARES OWN FUNERAL.

Thought He Had Cancer—Provides Corpse by Committing Suicide.

Bishop, Cal.—After having prepared carefully for his own funeral John Shortall, a mining man, went out and shot himself through the head.

Death was instantaneous. A month ago he had undergone an operation for a growth on his lip and had become obsessed with the fear that it was a cancer. This led him to self destruction. Shortall was sixty-four years old and had been long in the Owens valley. His mining property, a promising copper proposition, is located in Moclino, between Benton and Laws.

MUST NOT ABUSE FLAG.

Decorators Will Be Arrested, Says Justice Department.

Washington.—Warning against desecration of the American flag by aliens was issued by the department of justice. The following notice was sent to federal attorneys and marshals: "Any alien enemy tearing down, mutilating, abusing or desecrating the United States flag in any way will be regarded as a danger to the public peace or safety within the meaning of regulation 12 of the proclamation of the president, issued April 6, 1917, and will be subject to summary arrest and confinement."

Clear, Peachy Skin Awaits Anyone Who Drinks Hot Water

Says an Inside bath, before breakfast helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Sparkling and vivacious—merry, bright, alert—a good, clear skin and a natural, rosy, healthy complexion are assured only by pure blood. If only every man and woman could be induced to enjoy the morning inside bath, what a marvelous change would take place. Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls, with nasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rindowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening, and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but as sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance, awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

Remember that there are some things which should be forgotten.

Politicians like to have lots of people know them, but not too well.

Men who have been crossed in love think that the joke is on the girl.

TROUBLE ENTIRELY DISAPPEARED

Knudt Lee, Wannaska, Minn., writes: "For several years my daughter had a bad chronic cough. Not until we tried Foley's Honey and Tar did anything produce any great relief. In a few days the trouble entirely disappeared and has never returned." Contains no opiates; a safe, reliable, remedy; children like it.—Hite's Drug Store.

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a glass of Salts to flush Kidneys if Bladder bothers you—Drink lots of water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then set fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidney and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.

SAGE AND SULPHUR DARKENS GRAY HAIR

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Restore Color, Gloss and Attractiveness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is many a trouble some nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire dark hair and a youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fyke, a daughter, May 6th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon, a daughter, May 10th.

Mrs. K. Bader and children are visiting friends at Boyne City.

Mrs. Roy Hilton of Boyne Falls is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Evans.

Carl Heinzelman was home from Midland over Sunday visiting his family.

Dr. John Reycraft of Petoskey was here on professional business, Monday.

Mrs. Joe Cummins left last Friday for Fort Huron, where she will visit her husband.

Mrs. Geo. Atkinson and son of Jackson arrived Tuesday for a visit with relatives here.

W. H. McMillan of Marcellus, Mich., is guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. H. Fitch.

A surprise party was given Miss Eva G. Tuesday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

E. L. Burdick and Misses Una Burdick and Wilma Pickard were Boyne City visitors, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. H. Bucher returned Friday last from Manistee, to care for her sister, Mrs. Minnie Isaman.

Mrs. Henry Winters left Tuesday for Port Huron, where she will visit her husband, Capt. Winters of Co. J.

Mrs. Guerner, who has been at Chicago on account of the illness of her son, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Smatts went to Charlevoix Tuesday, for a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Crouter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Hill and Miss Rena Alstram and Harve. Hager drove to Grayling, Sunday and visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brabant and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Goodman were Traverse City visitors Wednesday and Thursday.

R. H. Davis was called to Fort Wayne, Mich., Tuesday, by the serious illness of his son, Roderick, who is with Co. "I."

Mrs. O. E. Sundstedt returned home from Detroit, Friday last and will occupy her home here during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Collins and Matt Swafford and family drove to Pellston Saturday and visited friends there over Sunday.

Mrs. Hector McKinnon and child left Wednesday for Belding, Mich., called there by the serious illness of her sister Mrs. Ernest Hanson.

D. C. Loveday and daughter, Miss Louise, returned home last week from St. Petersburg, Florida, where they spent the past several months.

The Steamer Hum was sold last week to Capt. Geo. B. Kelly of Chicago and will be put on a run between Lincoln Park and the new pier, Chicago.

Miss Sophia Berg, who has been employed at the post office for some time past, has accepted a position at the M. C. freight office on the West Side.

Metropole Orchestra have been engaged to furnish music at a dancing party to be given at the Wolverine hotel at Boyne City this Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Thompson of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Danforth of Flint were here to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. D. C. Danforth.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hite passed away last Friday and funeral services were held from the home Saturday morning conducted by Fr. Kroboth.

Miss Marjorie Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Bowen, and Mr. Glenn Burton were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, last Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Rev. R. S. Sidebotham performed the ceremony. They will occupy the Simmons residence on Third-st.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson on Downey Ave., last Saturday evening, when their daughter, Miss Freida, was united in marriage with Albert Anderson of East Jordan, Rev. W. W. Lampert performed the ceremony. About 30 guests were present, including the parents of the groom Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Anderson of East Jordan. Following the ceremony a beautiful wedding supper was served. The bride is a graduate of the local high school, while the groom is highly recommended by his home town people.—Mancelona Herald.

Ed. Price was home from Midland over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Pray and son were Mancelona visitors over Sunday.

The Electa Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. Cook, Thursday.

Reserve your seats for "Mr. Bob" at C. C. Macks beginning Saturday, May 19.

Mrs. David Shepard visited her son, Fred and family at Pellston over Sunday.

Miss Anna Berg has accepted a position as book-keeper at the E. J. Lumber Co. store.

Mrs. Pearl Crawford of Grand Ledge is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shepard.

Mrs. C. Walsh now occupies her home in this city, recently vacated by W. L. Peck and family.

Benj. Smatts of Flint was home over Sunday for a visit with his parents. He left Monday for Midland.

Mrs. Chris Bulow of Detroit is guest at the home of her brother, Jos. Mayville and other relatives.

Albert Anderson with his bride now occupy part of the former Burnham residence at Orchard Heights.

Mrs. Ed. Price returned home Tuesday from Jackson, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Atkinson.

Wm. Bashaw returned Wednesday from Belding, where he was called last Saturday by the illness of his sister Mrs. Ernest Hanson.

Irene, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boyd, died of pneumonia on Sunday morning. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church on Tuesday morning.

Dr. H. W. Dicken is among East Jordan's men who want to "do their bit" for Uncle Sam. He was at Detroit latter part of last week and went before the U. S. board for examination for the medical service. The board recommended that he be given a commission. Dr. Dicken returned home Monday, and is now subject to call at any time.

Victor, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Ranney, passed away at the home of his parents on the West Side, last Sunday morning. Funeral services were held from the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon and interment made in East Jordan cemetery. The little lad received a fractured skull and other injuries in an auto accident a fortnight ago. A coroner's inquest was held Sunday afternoon and found that the collision between the two autos on the Boyne Falls State Road Sunday evening, April 29th, was accidental.

Mrs. D. C. Danforth, who has been ill for several months, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chester Thompson, at Grand Rapids, Monday. The remains were brought to East Jordan Wednesday, and funeral services were held from the Methodist church Thursday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. John Clemens. Deceased was an East Jordan resident for years. Her husband passed away a number of years ago, and she leaves four sons and one daughter, viz.—Bert and Earl Danforth of this city, Clark of Wisconsin, Clyde of Flint, and Mrs. Edna Thompson of Grand Rapids.

Meguzee Association O. E. S. which held their annual meeting at Bellaire last week, decided to hold their convention next year at East Jordan. Officers elected for ensuing year are:—

President—Irene Louise Getty, Kalkaska

1st V. P.—Sister Marshall, Charlevoix

2nd V. P.—Arthur K. Hill, East Jordan

Secretary—Mrs. McNeal, Boyne City

Treasurer—Esther Frank, Bellaire

Chaplain—Mother Soule, Traverse City

Executive Committee—C. E. Densmore, Bellaire; Sister Lane, Harbor Springs; Jennie Smith, Central Lake.

Smoke White Holly—5c Cigar.

When a dentist is buried he has filled his last cavity.

A small boy's idea of greatness is to play ball in a uniform.

Phonograph Lights Itself Up.

A flashlight that is attached to a phonograph so that it shines directly upon the path of the needle has been invented by George E. Bernecker of Milwaukee, according to the Popular Science Monthly which says that this makes it possible to operate a phonograph in the dark without danger of scratching the records.

First Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. John Clemens, Pastor.

Sunday, May 20, 1917.

10:30 a. m.—"The Whole Man."

11:45 a. m.—Sunday School.

6:30 p. m.—Epworth League. Leader, Mr. F. L. Osborne.

7:30 p. m.—"Man Converted."

Regular prayer service at 7:30 p. m. Thursday evening.

Miss Pearl Greeno of Traverse City, the District Junior League Supt. of the Methodist Episcopal church, organized a Junior League Chapter at the Methodist church here last Thursday afternoon. Miss Hazel Heath is the Superintendent and Miss Josie Hammond Assistant Superintendent.

St. Joseph's Church

Rev. Timothy Kroboth.

Sunday, May 20.

8:00 a. m.—Mass. Holy Communion for the Altar Society.

10:30 a. m.—High mass; Benediction.

Presbyterian Church Notes

Robert S. Sidebotham, Pastor.

Sunday, May 20, 1917.

10:30 a. m.—Communion Service.

12:00 Noon—Sabbath School.

5:00 p. m.—Junior Endeavor.

6:30 p. m.—Senior Endeavor.

7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship—"Between Two Opinions."

Thursday 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

At the Brotherhood supper Wednesday night plates were set for 38. The men voted to organize a Men's Bible Class. This class is open to all above high school age. The leader next Sunday is to be Supt. L. P. Holliday. A welcome will be given to all men not attending some other school.

IRONTON

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Price and daughter of Lima, Ohio, motored through in a 'Ford' last week. They will spend the summer months in Ironton.

James Courier lost a valuable horse Wednesday.

Miss Adams of Chicago arrived Friday. Her summer cottages will soon be ready for summer visitors.

Floyd King is now under the doctor's care—being ill with pneumonia.

Grandma King is suffering from neuritis.

Wm. Bird has purchased a new Maxwell car.

The Misses Goldie Schneider and Mary Weldy spent the week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Alexander went to Traverse City, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb, Sr., and Mrs. Wm. Tumath were Boyne City callers Sunday.

SCHOOL NOTES

The third graders are making spring booklets.

All of the primary pupils have earned their five hundred home credits.

Nine seventh and eighth graders wrote on the eighth grade examination at Charlevoix last Thursday and Friday.

Our teachers and pupils are looking forward to "Vacation Time"—which will start June 1. School will close with a program and a picnic.

Carl Skyeve, Rosalind and Harold Busse started to school this week, making thirty-seven pupils in the Primary room.

NOAH FRENCH UNDERTAKER

Associated with Empey Bros. has moved in the M. A. Muma house on Main-st with telephone service day or night. Mrs. French assists in the care of ladies and children. Store and office Phone 199—Residence 199-F. 3.

PLANS VAST FLEET

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WILLIAM DENMAN, CHAIRMAN OF SHIPPING BOARD.

F. Huntington Clark, a New York engineer, conceived the idea of a wooden ship fleet, probably will be associated with him.

The story of how the wooden ship-building plan grew from an idea conceived simultaneously by two mining engineers until it has taken a place in the forefront of America's war policy reveals that Yankee inventive genius and ingenuity were as ready to meet the present emergency as at any time of national stress in the past.

After Mr. Eustace and Mr. Clark had been called to Washington by Chairman Denman of the shipping board, and the board decided to take up the plan, Mr. Eustace decided to interest General Goethals and went to place the situation before him. The canal builder immediately seized on the plan as the one way by which the United States could do most to aid the allies in defeating Germany. Then General Goethals was told the board wished him to take charge of the work. Reluctant at first to leave his post in New Jersey, the general finally was convinced the nation needed him.

General Goethals was chosen to head the work, it was explained, for three reasons—his capacity, his German descent and as a testimonial to the loyalty of American citizens of Teutonic extraction and because he is considered the one man in the United States most offensive to Germany. Germany, it has been said, has never forgiven the man who constructed the canal when German experts said it could not be accomplished.

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WILLIAM DENMAN, CHAIRMAN OF SHIPPING BOARD.

F. Huntington Clark, a New York engineer, conceived the idea of a wooden ship fleet, probably will be associated with him.

The story of how the wooden ship-building plan grew from an idea conceived simultaneously by two mining engineers until it has taken a place in the forefront of America's war policy reveals that Yankee inventive genius and ingenuity were as ready to meet the present emergency as at any time of national stress in the past.

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COLLEGE TO SEND OUT

MEN TO AID FARMERS

Each Agriculturist Taking Student Must Cultivate Extra Acres.

Philadelphia.—The University of Pennsylvania will be the first of American colleges to tackle the food supply problem, which has recently taken on a serious aspect, according to plans announced at the university by Dr. J. Russell Smith, professor of industry, who has charge of the movement. Students are to be sent out in squads of from five to fifty to all sections of the country to assist farmers in planting and cultivating spring crops.

Every student signing will be given credit for his year's work and be sent out immediately. Students will be placed on farms at a minimum salary of \$20 a month. In each one of the battalions there will be a captain, who is to have charge of the men in his community, referee all disputes between employer and students and report each man's progress to the university. Each farmer upon accepting one of the students as helper must promise to cultivate twelve acres more of land than he has heretofore. Dr. Smith claims that at a conservative estimate each man sent out will thus be responsible for 420 extra bushels in the corn crop alone, which means that the first fifty men who leave for western Virginia will add some 21,000 bushels of corn to this year's crop.

MARINE CORPS WANTS

TO GO ABROAD FIRST

General Barnett Says He'll Have No Trouble Raising 30,000 Men.

Washington.—American marines will insist on their right to be the first United States soldiers in the European trenches, Brigadier General George Barnett told the house navy committee, explaining the reason for the proposed increase from 17,400 to 30,000 in the marine corps.

General Barnett, commandant of marines, said the morale and spirit of the men would be seriously affected unless they were "first men" as usual of the United States expeditionary armed forces. He said he would have no difficulty in getting the 30,000 men.

"We are getting them as fast as we can digest them now," he said.

Rear Admiral Palmer, chief of the bureau of navigation, explained the navy's needs for an increase from 87,000 to 150,000 men.

"The navy will need 5,000 men for aviation," he said.

"Twenty men are needed for each submarine chaser. From twenty to forty men will be needed on each armed merchant ship. There must be full crews for all auxiliary and reserve ships."

MAKES HIS OWN COFFIN.

Spent Weeks at Work; When Completed Weighed 700 Pounds.

Lafayette, Ind.—William Watkins, fifty years old, for many years proprietor of a sawmill at Kentland, learned a few months ago that he could not live long.

He proceeded to build a coffin for himself, using solid black walnut. He spent weeks making it. When completed it weighed more than 700 pounds.

Watkins was brought to St. Elizabeth's hospital, and recently he died. The coffin was shipped from Kentland, and his body has been placed in it. He was buried at Delphi, his former home. The weight of the coffin made it necessary to use a large force of men to lift it on and off the train. Watkins' widow and four children survive.

SEARCHING FOR MOTHER.

She Has Been Missing Eighteen Years, but Daughter Trice Again.

Los Angeles, Cal.—A search for her mother, whom she has not seen for eighteen years, was started in this city the other day by Mrs. E. Stephens, who was Miss Bessie Dent of San Jose and who is with her husband at the Hotel Austin, Fifth and Crocker streets. The mother is now Mrs. Frank Fagalde and formerly was Mrs. Joseph Dent.

Mrs. Stephens and her husband intend to establish their home here, and both of them wish to find Mrs. Stephens' mother.

CRIBBAGE UNDER GROUND.

Game Lasted Six Months and Was Played in a Mine.

Woodrow, Minn.—A cribbage game played in the bowels of the earth and running up to 100,000 points was finished the other night by Gus Raymond, a miner, and William Gabriel, pumpman, of the Wilcox mine here. The sitting lasted six months. Raymond won by 207 points.

The game was played in the pump house, 250 feet underground. Gabriel once held a "twenty-nine" hand, which cribbage mathematicians say happens about once in ten years of continuous playing.

Offers Fifteen Sons to Nation. Crystal Springs, Miss.—"I have not one, but fifteen sons, to give to the army and navy and will willingly do so," said John Taylor, a farmer living near here. He is the father of twenty-two children. All the fifteen sons will come within the military age limit and are willing to go. So is Mr. Taylor.

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