## And Bedlam **Broke Loose**

East Jordan Celebrates Germany's Submission to Allies.

News that Germany had waved the white flag and asked for the terms of armistice of Gen. Foch reached East lordan about noon. Thursday.

From then until late at night our citis celebrated with joy and much noise. Whistles on all our factories were blown intermittently until night, while the bells of our churches rang out the glad tidings.

Work at mills and factories ceased, stores were closed, and a procession formed headed by our city schools which included nearly all our citizens. After marching from the Carnege Library on Main-st., to the town hall on State-st., and back again an impromptu program was given in front of the

John Porter as member of the County War Board acted as Chairman, "America" was sung by the crowd. Reo Bockes delivered Lincoln's Gettysburg address. The High School Glee Club favored with a couple of war-time songs. Rev. Fr. McNeil and Rev. R. S. Sidebotham gave patriotic talks. Att'y J. M. Harris, of Boyne City who was in our city, gave a short address. Att'y D. L. Wilson favored with a short talk and the program closed with singing our national anthem.

A bonfire was suggested and willing hands got busy collecting material. By dark a mammoth pile of old boxes and other material was collected on the corner of Second and Williams streets. This was liberally sprinkled with oil and at seven o'clock our firemen took charge and burned it, together with an figy of Kaiser Bill. A feature of the enings "entertainment" was the ndred-and-one noise producing arties brought into play. It's an easy guess that ninety per cent of our citizens helped to celebrate, and, in the eyening, farmers from miles around drove to town.

#### Commission Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms, Monday evening, Nov. 4, 1918. Meet ing was called to order by Mayor pro tem Gidley. Present-Gidley and Crowell. Absent-Cross.

Minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved.

On motion by Crowell, the following bills were allowed:

Harlan Coal Co., coal for Elec. Light Co. \$ 781.99
Earl Richards, labor, 3.00 Wm. Phillips, labor. ... Otis J. Smith, salary ...... Henry Cook, salary.... James Lilak, labor .....

Joseph Parks, labor..... George Hayes, labor .... M. J. Williams, painting sign... People's State Sav. Bank, order Chicago Flag and Dec. Co., flag

W. T. Boswell, desk for clerk. D. H. Fitch, salary & rental.... A. K. Hill, adv. for Liberty loan J. Lbr. Co., rope for Liberty Enterprise Pub. Co., printing 34.70

People's State Sav. Bank, surety bonds .... F. J. Gruber, rental for theatre 50.00

E. J. & S. R. R. Co., frt. on coal 643.06 E. J. State Bank, ins. on town hall G. A. Lisk, printing

J.A. Nickless, labor on sewer James Gidley, salary ...... 6.00 Mrs. H. Hagerman, rebate on 

tery lots .... Wm. T. Boswell, sal. post. &

ontal for ad. machine.... 49.70 On motion by Gidley, the following named members of election boards were confirmed as named by the city

First Ward-Wm. F. Bashaw, H. A Goodman, H. J. Carpenter, Allan J. Malone and George Pringle.

Second Ward-W. R. Barnett, Fred Longtin, M. J. Williams, J. A. Nickless and George Crawford.

Third Ward-W. T. Boswell, C. B. Crowell, D. H. Fitch, W. A. Pickard and C. H. Maddaugh.

On motion by Crowell, meeting was djourned.

Otis J. Smith, City Clerk.

FOR SALE-Six Oak Dining-room Chairs, almost new. Inquire at Herald

#### GUY GRAFF RECEIVES LEG WOUNDS FIGHTING FRITZ

Letter from Private Guy Graff to his sister, Mrs. H. F. Reid.

> Base Hospital No. 7 Saturday, Oct. 19th, 1918.

My Dear Sister Eva and All:-Well Eva it has been quite a while

since I wrote you, but never the less I wanted to. I did manage to get a letter off to mother about ten days ago. Today I am making up for lost time and writing to you all. Well I suppose you very very lucky at that. I never will orget my experience I had a week ago today and Sunday to.

Well I am getting along just fine and getting the best of care. It seems good to get in a good bed again and have real good eats. It doesn't seem natural but I am learning fast, ha ha. I got shot through the calf of my left leg and another bullet scratched my right leg. The only thing I dread now is the dressings, we get it once a day and it is nearly time for it now. Sometimes I see white black birds, but it doesn't last long. Some of the fellows here are a regular joke and we have pretty

good times at that. The Red Cross visits us several times a day. They are certainly a wonder ful organization and deserve a lot of credit for their work. .

I stopped at the 116 Field Hospital coming out to catch the ambulance. was talking to the Captain and he said Slim was in one of the dugouts near by with a slight wound. The Dutch put up an awful fight, believe me. As to the rest of my Co. I don't know but feel for them. There isn't any of them with me.

I am at Base Hospital No. 7, they sure treat us fine here. This hospital is just about two and a half miles from Tours, one of the largest cities in France.

Yes dear, I got the letter you wrote and did not put on the number. The mail comes quiet regular now. I wrote to Henry H. this morning and told him to forward my mail to me here.

Well dear, it is nearly time for the oig show, so I will close for this time. will write often and don't worry as I am living like a king. Hoping this finds you all well, with lots of love to

From Your Brother Guy. Base Hospital No. 7. American E. F.

A. P. O. 717. via New York.

Co. E. 114th Inf'y.

#### DIED AT ANN ARBOR TRAINING SCHOOL.

The remains of Clyde Worth, who lied at the Ann Arbor Army Training School, were brought to East Jordan Saturday evening for burial.

Clyde Edwin Worth was born in this city, August 16th, 1895, his parents being Wallace F. Worth and Isabell Alexander. When still a small boy he moved with his parents to Petoskey thence to Wolverine, Towar and Onawny, where his parents now reside. He graduated from the Towar public schools.

About three weeks ago he enlisted in the army and was sent to the Government school at Ann Arbor. On Saturday, Oct. 27th, he was taken ill with influenza which rapidly developed pneumonia, causing his death Nov. 1st,

at the U. of M. hospital. Besides his parents, he leaves one brother, Carl M., who is with the 337th Inf'y, 85th Division, in France, and the following uncles and aunts:-Charles and Ed. Alexander, Josiah St. John and Roland Maddock, all of East Jordan, and Mrs. W. E. Anderson of Flint.

Funeral services were held from the A. E. Alexander home Sunday after noon, conducted by Rev. Sidebotham, The nall bearers were Conrad Hughes, Basil Cummins, Will Donaldson, Rec Bockes, Emil Thorsen and Robert Bar nett. Jr. Interment at East Jordan Cemetery.

#### HOW ANY GIRL CAN HAVE PRETTY EYES.

No girl is pretty if her eyes are red strained or have dark rings. ONE WASH with pure Lavoptik eye wash will brighten the eyes and a week's use will surprise you with its INCRE-DIBLE results. A small bottle Lavop tik often makes eyes healthy, spark-FREE.—Gidley & Mac, Druggists,

## Sleeper Lifts Flu Ban

Our City Resumes Normal Activities, Thursday.

Governor Sleeper signed the order, public meeting places which have been closed for three weeks by his order, and for four weeks in this city.

Locally the situation is again normal know by this time that I have been Our public schools opened last Monday nice apples in our yard; we have apples wounded. Well I'll say I figure I am and Supt. Keyworth reports about a ninety per cent attendance. Health Officer Risk removed the ban, Thursday and the pool rooms opened that evening. A dance was also held at the hikes every day, and they are sure

Manager Gruber of the Temple Theatre will open East Jordan's amusement house this Saturday night with a fine program.

Church services will be resumed next Sunday, and all other meetings will be

With the "flu" epidemic under control, Germany on her knees, and Newberry elected we ought to have a real Thanksgiving.

## DON'T SELL YOUR

To Hold Them Is Patriotic; To Keep Them Is Wise.

Next to the imperative duty of American citizens to support the Liberty loan is their duty to hold their Liberty bonds. It is not full service to the country to purchase Liberty bonds and then throw them upon the market, thus putting upon others the real burden of financing the war. Unless the necessity for disposing of them is very here. great, every owner of a Liberty bond should hold fast to it.

Holding onto one's bonds means that one has not only lent so much money to his Government but also that he is not spending that money for goods, before the twentieth of November. labor, and transportation needed by the Nation in the prosecution of the of the country more freely at the disposal of the Government as well as giving it financial backing. This is a dou-ble service.

distribution of the Liberty bonds amongst the mass of the American people makes our Liberty loans the soundest national financing in history. It is good thing for every Liberty bond holder to be a creditor of his or her Government, and it is a good thing for the Nation for its obligations to be widely scattered amongst its citizens and not convested into the hands of the rich. It is a most hopeful thing for the United States that the best investment in the world, the Liberty bonds, are very widely distributed amongst mil-

lions of its citizens. Judging the future by the past, our Government bonds issued during this the regiment so you see I'm o. k. for I war are going to rise greatly in value In 1888 nited States bonds sold in the open market as high as \$130, and in 1901 brought over \$139-that is, \$139 and some cents for a \$100 bond. That the Liberty bonds are going to rise well above par in value is something that the most conservative will admit is well within the

bounds of passibility. The shrewd and unscruoulous, the birds of prey in finance, realize the worth of Liberty bonds, and are going to use every effort to secure them from the hands of those owners of them who are uninformed or who are igno rant of stock and investment values. The favorite method will probably be offering stock of wildcat companies or other speculative ventures. Speculative is really too conservative a word to apply to some of these stocks, since to say that they have a speculative another winter. Most of the boys ex value is flattering in the extreme; they have no value at all, except in the trade them for money or Liberty bonds cold yet and I guess we don't have to ignorant investors.

Some of the get-rich-quick schemers propose not to trade their gold-brick stock for Liberty bonds but to lend taking Liberty bonds as security. This

Every holder of a Liberty bond be forc he disposes of it, and especially before he trades it for atocks or other if you can find room. bonds, should consult a bank. Much tik often makes eyes healthy, sparkling and vivacious. The quick change
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ter conserved.

American Ex. Force: money will be thereby saved to the

#### "DUTCH" BERGMAN WRITES INTERESTINGLY FROM OVER-SEAS

Letter received by Mrs. Louise Bergmann from her son, Alfred who is in France. October 17th, 1918

My Dear Mother:

Your letter came yesterday. I hap-Wednesday afternoon, re-opening pened to be on guard so had plenty of time to read it again and again. Those pansies brought to mind the round pansy bed at the side of the house. sure would like to have some of those here but they are nothing like the ones we have in the states—they are mostly sweet apples.

For a week now we have been taking some hikes. When I get back I'll be walking to Charlevoix and be backs home for breakfast and not feel it a bit.

I've often heard of Sunny France and the sun never misses a day; it's usually early in the morning and lasts for half an hour or so—the rest of the day is windy and drizzle continually. was lucky enough to get a pair of high rubber boots, up to my hips, so I'm well provided to stand any cloudburst that may come,

We took a long hike again today and I hope this will be the last one; I felt tional information. LIBERTY BONDS quite tired when I got in but had a nice hot bath and shave and feel quite fine now. I'm as comfortable here writing as I can be. The "Y" has a fine place to read and write and we can also enjoy the music by our band in the other room. I don't know what we fellows would do here if we didn't have a "Y."

I got Mrs. Spring's note with Will's address but it wasn't complete so can't locate him—she didn't give the number of his regiment. Fay told me he was an instructor of one pound cannon and is going around the training camps

Did you receive my letter with the Xmas parcel sticker in it? Be sure that you get a box from the Red Crossto send it in, so it will go through o. k. Be sure and have it at the postoffice

You expected my letter to reach my about November 4th-it got here Oct. war, and is thus leaving the resources 16th, so you see Uncle Sam wastes no time in seeing that we get our mail.

Did you get the sketches I sent in the letter. I thought maybe they wouldn't Secretary Baker says that the wide get by the censor, but our Lieut. spoke to me about them so I guess he put his o.k. on them and you should have them.

Bill Mitchell is in our camp. He is dentist for the 330th F.A. I saw him yesterday but only from a distance. It seems strange to me after rooming with him for two years at school and living together he hasn't been over to look me up, but I guess they are pretty busy and he hasn't had time.

I hear the Michigan casualties have been quite high lately and expect some of the East Jordan boys were in it, but I hope you won't worry about me any more than you possibly can help. I'm feeling fine and our Battery has the reputation for having the best feeds in never go hungry when there's anything

I had a letter from Fritz the same day I got yours and was surprised to get such a long letter from him. Guess he is slowly improving in his corres

pondence. I'm sending you the handkerchief which I intended to put in the last letter; we are not allowed to place any welumbles in the blue envelops and therefore had to take it out. I'm also sending you some more postals; some of them are only interesting architectually but I thought this would be a

good time to start a collection of them. I hear the Division from Custer is soon to be on its way over and expect that Stewart Carr will be in that, but I don't think he'll ever see any fighting for I doubt whether the war will last pect it to finish before Xmas.

I expect you'll soon be having snow at home. The weather here isn't a bit very much snow at any time.

Did Wilson win out for Prosecuting Attorney? Thops he did. He surely would have gotten one more vote had I

taking Liberty bonds as security. This is camouflage—only a thinly disguised method of securing Liberty bonds for worthless or near-worthless stock.

Every holder of a Liberty bond be bear the reple survey of the replement of the reple Hope you are well and that I'll soon

be with you again. With love

## Xmas Boxes for Soldiers

Local Red Cross Now Has Cartons for Free Distribution.

> The Christmas boxes or cartons for our soldiers in Europe, which are being distributed through the Red Cross, can now be obtained at Palmiter's Jewelry store which is the local Red Cross re ceiving and distributing station for this section of the county-

No box will be given out except on presentation of the label from the soldier overseas. This label must be carefully preserved as the package cannot be mailed without this.

After package is filled, return to Palmiter's Jewelry store where the Red Cross will inspect and seal same. Sender must furnish postage for trans portation of package to Hoboken, N. J. Package must then be left at receiving station for mailing.

Below rules governing the sending of Christmas packages is taken from the U. S. official postal guide for October. All wishing to send presents should read the instructions carefully and consult Red Cross headquarters for addi-

<sup>5</sup> The War Department is desirous that each man serving in the American Expedicion; ry Forces in Europe shall receive a remembrance from home at Christmas time, and advises that because of transportation and distribution difficulties but one parcel of standard size and weight can be sent to each. To this end arrangements have been made by the War Department whereby Christmas parcels may be mailed to members of the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe under the following conditions:

1. Each soldier or other member of the American Expeditionary Forces, in Europe will be allowed to receive one Christmas parcel for which purpose he will be furnished, through Army channels, a "Christmas Parcel Label" bearing the correct name and address of the soldier or member and also the name of the person designated to mail the parcel. The labels will be prepared to serve as address labels for the parcels. The label furnished each soldier or other member of the American Expeditionary Forces will be sent by him to the person who is to mail the Christmas parcel. No Christmas parcel for members of the Expeditionary Forces in Europe will be accepted for transmission without such label.

2. All Christmas parcels must be of standard size, 3 inches by 4 inches by 9 inches and shall not exceed three pounds in weight for which purpose cartons of the size prescribed will be distributed through the local Red Cross Chapters throughout the country. No person will be furnished a carton except upon presentation of a "Christmas Parcel Label" received from

3. The parcels must contain no pro hibited or unmailable articles. Perish-

by the persons who receive them, they shall be returned to a Red Cross contains no prohibited or unmailable matter. Such certificates will be accepted by the Postal Service and Army conform to the conditions prescribed and obviate the necessity of subsequent examination. The parcels must be left at the Red Cross receiving stations which will deposit them in the mails for dispatch.

5. Christmas parcels must bear the name and address of the sender and will be addressed substantially as follows: - "Christmas Box Department. Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, New Jersey. For Organization

American Expeditionary Forces." Parcels so addressed will be chargeable with postage at the fourth class or parcel post zone rate applicable beween the office where mailed and Hoboken, New Jersey, to be prepaid by stamps affixed.

6. Parcels may bear holiday inscriptions.

before November 20, 1918. FOR THE NAVY Parcels not to exceed 20 pounds

hinged or screw top.

Postage to be paid to Brooklyn, N. Y. Parcels must be mailed not later than November 15th.

Should be packed in boxes with

#### School Commissioner's

Notes-May L. Stewart, Commissioner

Greatest number and greatest amount of W. S. S. and Thrift sales during the past week or even during the past month reported by the Mountain school, Miss Catherine LaLonde, teacher.

New Courses of Study have been sent to all teachers. They are extra strong in patriotic work, in flag salutes, regulations, and history.

One copy of the new bulletin, "Helping Uncle Sam," has been sent to every teacher, together with a letter explaining that she is requested to teach patriotism from this bulletin for morning exercises from Nov. 11-27 for United War-Work Campaign. Final lesson of bulletin provides for afternoon program on Wednesday, the 27th. Teachers are asked to report if they will follow this request of the state. Many have already reported.

The Springvale school reports six weeks in which there has been 100 per cent attendance and no tardiness. They have had but six weeks of school and we can feel proud with their teacher. Miss Loretta O'Donnell. So far no school has reported so good a record. Chandler No. 1 had no absence for the first three weeks and only one or two after that. They hope now to start in for a year's perfect record.

Junior Red Cross saving pits for car bon in aeroplane work, report to M. A. C. for further instructions.

School districts becoming anxious of ong closing period should be sure to consult with health officer of township or city before deciding to open. If the health officer thinks it is then safe the teacher should be instructed as a precaution against further contagion, that every child with a cold remain at home for forty-eight hours, that this rule be enforced for a month or more, after all danger of contagion from influenza is past, that no children from homes having influenza be allowed to attend school, and that convalescents from influenza remain away from school for at least two weeks after recovery. Altho the rigid rules above described will no doubt greatly lower the attendance records and produce great, irregularity in grade work, it is our best assurance against an entire winter of the worst epidemic the world has ever known. No doubt it will work a hardship in many cases but these few will understand that for the good of the whole county, it is in the great majority of

The things that you can't forget in a county-wide trip:-Rock Elm has a real living fountain, clear cool sparkling 4. After the cartons have been filled joy and the interest which the Tainter school board and teacher are taking in their work, step toward making a Stanreceiving station where inspectors ap- dard School-this fall the woodshed pointed by the Red Cross will carefully was moved to rear of building and a examine each parcel and supervise its door cut thru right beside the heater, wrapping and the affixing of the and the next plans you will hear very "Christmas Parcel Label" and the soon, Greentown school on Big Beaver necessary postage stamps, the latter to has a record for tidiness and high ideals be furnished by the sender of the in sanitation, so far as rests in the parcel. When the parcels have thus teacher's power. The commissioner been packed and wrapped and other found Mrs. Gallagher, the teacher, on wise prepared for transmission, the her knees scrubbing the floor because Red Cross will affix to each percel a the plasterers had made it hard for the certificate in the form of a seal showing regular cleaners to do a good job. She that the parcel has been inspected and and the pupils blushed at being found with the goods, but the commissioner was so proud of their work that she returned the next day to enjoy with them authorities as evidence that the parcels | their housecleaning, to sing with them, to work with them. The dignity of labor is not lost and the glory of cleanliness is relected in the lives of the pupils.

Arithmetic charts on their way to East Jordan from North Dakota. Teachers and directors should see that theirs for the spring contest is promptly procured. Charlevoix and Boyne City have likewise placed their orders, with the firm and one has been ordered for every school in the county. Are you

Choose your four-minute orations from "Helping Uncle Sam."

With the approach of cold weather you should have your chimney cleaned and put in order for the winter. WILL KOGOMO will do the work for you. Leave orders at Herald office.

## FOUR DAYS IN AFRICAN JUNGLE

BRITISH FLIER IS MENACED BY LIONS AND LEOPARDS.

Officer Falls in a Bog and Suffers Agonies Until Rescued by Band of Natives.

LONDON, England.—Horrible experiences of a British aviator who came down in an East African jungle are described by him in a letter just received by a relatives here.

The aviator, Lieut. G. Garwood went up to bomb a German ambush on the Rufiji river, but through en-gine trouble had to descend in the bush, the machine landing with a broken propeller in a bog. It took him four days to make his way to a place of safety.

He tells how in the dusk he was confronted with an ugly black animal about four feet feet high with vicious tusks. He climbed a tree and prepared to put in the night there. Later he opened his eyes and saw something like two green electric bulbs about thirty feet from the tree. They moved round in a circle. This continued for

forty-five minutes.
"The tension was unbearable," he writes. "I wanted to scream, shout and yell all in one, but instead I burst out with "The Admiral's Broom," and with a full-throated bass I roared out the three verses. No applause, but a reward—the leopard slunk away. Why

had I not thought of it before? "I went through my repertoire. I laughed as I finished "Iwo Eyes of Graw.' It seemed so ridiculous. Then I got on to hymns, remembered four verses of 'O God, Our Help of Ages Past,' and sang the 'Amen,' too. The whole thing had its ludicrous side."

Next morning while swimming a river he passed seven yards from a crocodile's mouth, but just reached the bank in time. Without food or arms-his only weapon of defense his nail scissors-his progress through the awful bush was about one hundred yards an hour. His clothing was in ribbons, and his flesh exposed to the thorns, sword grass and flies.

He swam seven more rivers that day and sank down exhausted against tree. He could hear a lion roaring about 500 yards away, and, somewhat nearer, the grunting of a hippopota-

"Being exhausted, I more or less lost consciousness for perhaps half an hour or so. Nothing short of a hippo charging could have made me climb Am afraid life had little to offer about that time."

It was while lying here that the lieutenant had the amnoying experience of surveying two large baboons, the size of a small man, quarreling over his trousers, now in threads, and among the tops of forty-foot trees.

It was not until he had passed another horrible day and equally terrific night in the bush that he at last was picked up by some natives.

"Their eyes seldom left me," he adds. "Undoubtedly I was a strange sight-my legs bare and bleeding, my short vest sodden, dirty and torn, no trousers, of course, just a dirty sun helmet, a short stick in my right hand and with four day's growth of beard on my dirty face."

SWEET WEDDING GIFT FOR ST. LOUIS PAIR.

Given 10,000 Pennies in a Bucket of Molasses,

ST. LOUIS, Mo.-The wodding pres ent which Guy Wright, manager of the Wright building, gave to F. E. Wainwright, superintendent of the building, was just too sweet for anything. It was \$100 in pennies, 10,000 of them, all in a five-gallon bucket of molasses.

Wright had to have help in carry-ing his gift into the office of the building, where the formal presentation took place.

Wainwright declared that he and his bride, who was Miss-Ethel Kayser of Semple avenue, would surely find some way to sift the coppers out of

PIGE DRUGGED WITH OPIUM.

They Eat Some Poppy Stalks and

Sieep Three Days.

JERSEY SHORE Pa.—Ashur Tomb of Oriole, a nearby village, thought his nigs had some kind of a sleeping sickness when, not without prodding, they came up to the trough with eyes

They were too drowsy to est, leav ing their corn half finished, quite contrary to hog usages. They remained in this condition three days, and then

The explanation came when it was remembered the pigs had been fed the stalks from a bed of popples which had been mowed down. The poppy is the origin of opium.

His Reason for Leaving

He had come in answer to the advertisement of a position open for a book-keeper, when the following conversation took place: Manager "The last man we had

here had the place for forty-three Applicant-"Why did he leave?"

Manager-"Oh, he was one of those fellows that's never happy unless he's on the go."

"Does your wife neglect her home in making speeches?" "Not a bit of it," replied Mr. Meekton. "She always lets me hear the

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SURE OF ADVENTURE SENT LADS TO CANADA AND THEN TO CATTLE VESSELS

RELEASE MADE EASY BY BRITISM

State Department at Washington Has A Bureau for the Appeals of Parents.

Washington.—Lured by the spirit of adventure, more than 2,000 Americans have died in battle, fighting in armies of the British Empire.

Somewhere in the United States housands of anxious mothers and fathers are awaiting the return of those who will never return, and somewhere in France there are Americans fightnever return to their native land.

So serious has become the problem of American youths slipping away into Canada to join overseas regiments that the American State Department has been forced recently to create a new division to care for the hundreds of communications which pour in, askofficials of this Government to obtain the release of American youths from foreign regiments.

In many cases these boys have joined in Canada by the simple expedient of faisifying their ages. Today, these same boys can be found in the trenches along the Somme, in the training camps of England and aboard British vessels patrolling the high

Because of the willingness of the send home boys who joined by fraudulent means, the State Department has found little difficulty restoring "lost" boys to their parents when the boy himself can be located alive, but there are many cases, department officials say, where the names of American boys, sought by terrified parents in America, have been found in the lists of those killed in action. In many instances not even the body can be recovered.

The figures of the newly created dirision show that the cattle boat traffic across the Atlantic from American ports to London, is a great recruiting source for the British army.

If an American boy has enlisted in Canada and his parents believe he has not left the Dominion, the State Department forwards the request for a discharge to United States Consul General Foster at Ottawa. If the boy is still there, he's sent to the American Consulate under guard and turned over to Mr. Foster.

If the Canadian contingent which such a lad has joined has sailed for England, the job becomes more difficult. Robert P. Skinner, American Consul General at London, then takes up the case and appeals to the British Foreign Office. This request must pass through the proper official chan nels, and if the boy is alive, he will be located eventually.

The thing that makes difficult the task of locating these boys, however, is the almost universal tendencies of the youngster to give fictitious names and addresses

The appeals received at the State their sons are pathetic in many cases One mother wrote in saying her son was only 14 and merely over-large his age." Other parents charge that their sons were forced into the service of Great Britain, through such an idea is manifestly inaccurate, as the Government of Great Britain re leases boys who are under the proper age limit.

RAIN SAVES INDIAN HANGED BY BANDITS.

Bear Claw Escapes Death When Water Stretches Rawhide Noose About His Neck.

Antlers, Okla.-Bear Claw, an Indian, escaped death by hanging here through a providential rain. He had been suspended from a tree and had been left for dead by a gang of bandits. Rain, however, caused the raw hide to stretch and the Indian was able to liberate himself.

Bear Claw is one of the highest type of red man. He is educated, owns a cattle ranch in the hills of the old Indian territory, and is the terror of all eattle and horse thieves.

Recently in pursuit of several of these gentry, who had stolen some of his stock, he chased them until dark, when he was waylaid and captured. The robbers strung him up to the branches of a tree with a rawhide

In the darkness the noose was not placed correctly. Expectant of the pursuit of Bear Claw's friends, and a sudden rain coming up, the thieves hurriedly departed, in the firm belief that the Indian would soon be in the

"happy hunting grounds." But the rain caused the rawhide to stretch and in a few minutes Bear Claw was free.

Only a short time before that a bear cornered the Indian in a cui de sac in the Jack Ford Mountains. Bear Claw had no weapon except his beloved

tomahawk. Nevertheless, in the scrimmage that followed, the bear was left with a split skull and the Indian without a scratch. He still wears a necklace of Bruin's slaws, though that is not the cause of

WOMAN GIVES AWAY HER \$200,000 MANSION

Presents It to Salvation Army on Comdition Costly Statuary Will Not Be Draped.

Covington, Ky,-"A \$200,000 man tion, furnished complete, is yours for the asking, if you do not drape or disturb the statuary therein.

This is what the Salvation Army in this city was told and the mansion and its contents have been accepted. s well as the conditions laid down by the giver. Here is the story; Several months ago a meek, retiring

equ bolla: ham, the representative of the Saluation Army at Cincinnati. She informed him that she was Mrs. Bradford Shinkle of Covington. She said the family had decided to give the homestead to the Salvation Army, to be used as a woman's training school, where domestic science would occupy first place in the curriculum.

But the quiet woman stipulated that none of the statuary should be removed, draped or in any way tamperwith. She declared that no member of the family would tolerate any attempt on the part of any person to improve on the work of the famous sculptors.

Brigadier Dunham communicated the wonderful offer to headquarters and also the conditions under which it was offered, which by this time had become neighborhood gossip and it, was being said that every piece of sculpture would suggest evil thoughts and the gossips pretold terrible things for the girls who would come within the compass of their malign influence.

Commander Eva Booth commissioned Col. Margaret Bevill, who is secretary for the woman's and children's over the ground and report if the objections were well founded. Mrs. Bevill who is the mother of five children visited the home and after careful examination, strongly recommended that it be accepted and that all the conditions be scrupulously observed.

"There is nothing that any pure minded person could possibly regard as suggestive in the statuary," Mrs.

The Shinkle mansion is one of the best appointed private dwellings in Kentucky. It is situated on a lofty eminence which commands Covington, Cincinnati's Gretna Green. It is surrounded by gardens and lawns, in which fountains play continually. Playgrounds, walks and other attractions are found on the two acres of

land surrounding the mansion. The interior of the house is gargeously decorated with some of the finest specimens of the painter's art. Thirty-five rooms are at the disposal of the young women. Among these is a classroom, where all arts which concern the housekeeper will be taught. It is planned to receive as guests only such young women as are willing to qualify themselves for the proper con. duct of a household.

GROUNDHOG AND WIND BUILD SAND MOUNDS.

Unusual Sight at Midway, N. Y., Arouses interest of Travelers and Visitors.

MIDWAY, N. Y.-When strangers railroad trains they observe numerous mounds in North street at the corporate limits, and often see little animals disappear in them. reach the village hotel the majority of strangers are sure to inquire about

The mounds are the work of groundhogs—woodchucks, as they are known here and the wind. The earth surrounding the mounds is a light sand. Years ago woodchucks appeared in the sand lot and dug holes. After a time it was observed that mounds had appeared in the sand lot.

The woodchucks had packed the sand so hard around the holes that the wind had no effect, but blew it away from the holes for several feet, thus

forming the mounds. At the approach of persons the woodchucks climb the mounds and disappear in the holes. Many of the mounds are very steep and the woodchucks often slip back several times before they are able to reach the summit and disappear.

CAT FOILS KIDNAPING PLOT

Meowing Betrays Attempt by Whisky Men to Seize Preacher. Lewistown, Pa.—How the meowing

of a cat saved him from being kidnaped was related by Charles F. Weigle, an evangelist, when he visited friends here a few days ago. In Lansdale the evangelist incurred the enmity of the whisky interests, he said, and they planned to kidnap and lock him in an old schoolhouse. A cat's cries one evening drew the attention of a woman to a corner. Here she saw several men lurking in the shadows near a waiting automobiler . Suspecting a plot she notified the evangelist and the scheme was frustrated.

BANISH MAN FROM HOME TOWN

Court's Punishment for Eloping With

Aurora, In.—Albert Powers has been banished from his home town of St. Charles as an outgrowth of the elopement with his 17-year-old niece, Bessie Haynes, last August. Powers has been in the Kane County jail at Geneva, walting trial. The father of the girl insisted on prosecuting Powers, but the girl's mother wished to avoid the publicity incident to a trial and the unique sentence resulted.

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MARGONED ON ISLAND IN RIVER 22 DAYS

Many Persons Passed, but Couldn Hear His Calls-Bark and Water His Food.

CODY, Wyo.—That he was marcon-d on a small island in the Sposhone in sight of a bridge across which traffic was streaming, unable to reach either bank of the river because of an those on the bridge who saw his signals comprehend that he was doing more than waving them a friendly greeting to them—was the rather fan ciful but apparently true story told lo-cal authorities by Dave Gootch, a stenographer of Jonesboro, Ark., who is now under the care of a physician

Gootch asserts that near the end of last month, after taking dinner at a restaurant here. he went out on the street. The day being exceedingly warm he wandered toward the river. He says that as he neared the river he became dizzy from the heat and sat down under a tree, from which point he professed that his memory was a blank until he awoke in the night, to find himself on the island in the river How he happened to get on the island couldn't get off by the same means he gained the spot of land is

point overlooked in his narrative, Gootch claims to have remained on the island for twenty-two days, each day signaling to those passing on the bridge, and always unable to make them understand that he wanted aid because the roar of the river drowned his voice.

He asserts he had nothing to eat but the bark of shrubs growing on the island, that he was almost crazed by his situation and that he frequently thought he would die. He was eventually rescued by a deputy sheriff after a small boy had reported seeing his

body lying on the island. While the features of Gootch's story tally, as to his having been in Gody focently disappearing after registering at a hotel, and having been found on the island, there are a

great many who wonder why he did-n't make some attempt to reach the mainland. Many a man has learned to swim in less than twenty-two days, particularly when he had all day in which to practice.

MINERS SUPERSTITION CAUSES ARREST OF 18.

They Bury Two Comrades Killed by Lightning to Revive Them.

ELLSWORTH, Pa. The superstition that a man struck by lightning will recover if he be buried at once caused the arrest of eighteen minera employed near here, but later they were released by order of Deputy Cor-oner Clifford S. Patterson of Elis-

Twenty miners were in a cabin on Pigeon Creek when a bolt of lightning struck John Smith of Bentleyville, Pa. and Mike Simon of Marianna, Pa. Both were instantly killed. Without the formality of a coffin, the eighteen men dug a hole in the back yard and buried the men temporarily.

When Dr. A. L. Kammer and Constable James Gilmore reached the cabin on a rumor of the accident, they saw no trace of the dead bodies and asked for them. The men pointed to a new mound and refused to dig up the bodies because they "would lose their life."

Constable Gilmore arrested the men and brought them here, after exhuming the bodies. When Deputy Coroner Patterson made an examination, he assured the constable the men had been killed by a lightning bolt and the prisoners were released.

THAT TERRIBLE BACKACHE.

Mrs. G. Hyde, Homestead, Mich., writes: "I had that terrible backache bilious, languid or have sick headache, and tired out feeling, scarcely able to sour stomach, coated tongue, bad do my work, but find by using Foley breath or other condition caused by Kidney Pills that I soon feel like a new slowed up digestion, a Foley Cathartic person." Foley Kidney Pills help the Tablet will give prompt relief. It is a kidneys throw out poisons that cause gentle, wholesome thoroughly cleansbackache, rheumatic pains and aching ing physic that leaves no bad afterjoints.-Hite's Drug Store.

OVERWORKED.

Hearty

Philadelphia, Pa.—'I was overworked, run down, nervous, could not
eat or sleep. I felt like crying all the
time. I tried different remedies with
out benefit. The doctor said it was
wonder I was alive, and when Vi
was given me I began to improde.
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now strong and perfectly healthy in
svery respect, and have gained in
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If you feel "stuffed up," bloated, effects.-Hite's Drug Store.

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EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO. STORE

#The Christmas#

## THIS YEAR'S SLOGAN "Do Your Xmas Shopping Early"

FIRST-To get a better selection.

SECOND-To avoid crowding at the last.

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Also SETS of Muff and Scarf if wanted.



East Gordan Lumber Co.

## ST. LOUIS DROMIOS ARE DOOLEY TWINS

80 ALIKE THEY FOOL THEIR OWN SYMETHEARTS

Romance of Each Began Winn They "Switched" in Making Calls on Two Girle.

Dooley, well known in business circles of this city, are 22 year-old twins. They look so ruch alike that even lynx-eyed book agents can't tell them apart. The complications that are constantly arising because of their remarkable similarity in looks are frequently laughable and soon develop into stories to be floated about town A good one is still told about the twins and a negro elevator man.

Several years ago one of the twins worked in the office of the Union Electric Light and Power Company. One day he came down the elevator and chatted with the negro elevator The negro bade him good-by and saw him go out the door. Almost at the same time the other twin, who had called at the office for his brother but micked him, walked down the stairs near the elevator.

"I done seen double," cried the negro, running out of the building. According to tradition, he never came back to his elevator jcb.

Before they formed a partnership one of the twins was working for an insurance agent in the Pierce Building. Returning from lunch one day he met his "boss" on the street. Going up to him he said.

"How is my brother getting along in your office?" "Splendidly," replied the boss. "He is one of the best employes I have and he is going to make good. I'm glad to see you are so deeply interested in his progress, Mr. Dooley."

The deceptive twin hurried back to the office and was at his desk when the "boss" returned.

"I met your brother on the street," said the "boss." "He is a fine young

The likeness of the brothers enabled them to economize in one direction. One would go to a photographer and have his picture made. He would order a dozen and give six of them to his friends. The other brother would take them and distribute them as likenesses of himself. No one could tell the difference, When one brother was too busy to keep a "fitting" engagement with his tailor he would send the other.

Tho is was planned not to make the announcement just yet, it has be come known that the Dooley twins are engaged. Joe is to wed Miss Edmee Anheuser of 3131 Russel ave nue, and Will is betrothed to Miss Cornelia Howe of Webster Groves.

In social circles the Dooley twins have been noted for their accomplishments as dancers, but have been a constant source of confusion to their dancing partners. A girl might know that she had danced with one of the Dooley twins, but she could never be sure which one.

About a year and a half ago, according to one of their close friends. Joe was to make an evening call on Miss Howe and Will was to visit Miss Anheuser. In a spirit of fun they "switched." Joe went to the An-heuser home and was greeted by Miss Anheuser as "Will." At the Howe residence Will was received as "Joe." Neither young woman discovered the deception and they could hardly believe it when the joke was told to them later, when they found themselves engaged to the wrong men The brothers, however, never made the "switch" back.

MAN HANGED BY HOG HE TRIES TO STEAL

Farmer Finds Animal and Negro Sus

pended on Opposite Sides of Barrier. Frank, N. C .- Jim Shade, a negro

of Lick Log Gap, a colored settle-ment one mile south of this village, was hanged by a hog. The story is told by Horton Cooper

of Frank, as follows: "When the weather became colder,

Isaac Ollis, a white farmer of this place, slaughtered a 200-pound porker and left it hanging where it had been dressed that it might thoroly cool overnight. ernight.
"When Mr. Ollis went early next

morning to finish his work he found much to his chagrin, that the porker was missing. Guessing what had happened, he began a systematic earch for trace of the thief.
"Strange footsteps had gone in the

direction of the Lick Log Gap, and following them, Mr. Ollis soon came to a place where signs indicated that the thief had dropped his slippery burden and had had trouble in replacing it upon his shoulder.

"Mr. Ollis hurried on Scarcely fifty vards farther the object of his search broke upon his surprised sight. A high, old-fashioned rail fence ran directly across the trail, and from the topmost rail, and on the side next to Mr. Ollis, hung the carcass of the hog; on the other side, his head between the gambrel-stick and one of the hog's hind legs, dangled the lifeless body of Jim Shade. His neck

When the heavy and slippery burden was being hoisted across the fence had slipped and automatically hanged the pork-hunger darky,"

We cannot afford to relax in food con-servation, because all that can be saved will be needed. Nothing could be more dangerous than to assume our position is safe: We must amphasize to all of our people the necessity of the utmost effort in saving from this year's barvest and building up food reserves. The tremendous responsibility of accomplish-ing this rosts, to a great extent, upon ing this rests, to a great extent, upon the retail merchant. Will you do your part?

#### Conservation Program FOR PUBLIC EATING PLACES

N INE million people in America take their meals in hotels and other public sating houses. It is there that in the past habits were often most iuxurious. It is there that in 1918 the advance was made in the whest-saving damparign, by which the collapse of Europe was prevented. It is there that the first point of departure is taken in the

FOOD CONDITIONS IN MILITARY

ZONE NOT A FAIR SAMPLE

OF FRANCE AT LARGE.

Food Administration Representative

side Fighting Area.

Writes of Food Supplies Out-

Lansing, Nov. 4-Many American

women who have at the request of the Food Administration, expended

much energy and ingenuity in their

efforts to save food for the Ailies,

have had a rude shock when their

sons or husbands-have written them

from France that there was no such

thing as a food shortage over there;

that they could get all the food they

wanted; and that this idea of saving

These letters are written in good feith, we are sure, and what they say

true-of the small kart of France

which the average American sees

And as few Americans ever go out-

side of the military zone they imagine

that what they say is true of France

great wrong they are doing the rest

The military zone, a fairly wide belt

extending the length of the battle

line, is plentifully supplied with food,

it is true. If you are willing to pay

about anything you want. The pres

ence of millions and millions of sol-

diers in this zone, and their willing

ness to pay the most exorbitant prices

for food-especially is this true of the

American soldier—has caused a phe

nominal flow of foodstuffs to this

part of France, which has left the

Conditions outside the area under

military control, which after all is a

very small part of France, are very

the same prices for food as the sol-

diers, or they must go without. In

the industrial centers almost every-

one is engaged on war work, and, re-

ceiving high wages, can keep up with the high cost of living. But in the

country districts the people fare very

They can no longer afford butter or

cheese; and meat is now beyond their

aspirations. Even potatoes, upon

which they could depend in the past

are so high in price, owning to the

bad crop this year, that many people

Practically the only food which ev

erybody can afford is bread for the

price of bread has been kept low by a

Government subsidy. Bread, however.

is rationed, and the ration is far from

sufficient to make up for the lack of

other foods. Moreover, the fact that

bread is rationed, and that each per-

son has a card entitling him to 10

ounces a day, does not mean that

when he presents his ticket at the

door of the bakery, he is sure to re-

ceive 10 ounces. In many places last

summer, the ticket brought in ex-

change only half the promised quan-

districts of France writes, "I have

transport is difficult. In one village

there had been no bread for three

weeks; people were eating out their meager-diet from fast failing supplies

of potatoes. In another of these vil-

lages we found bread, but it was very

black, had a distinct odor, and was al-

chestnut flour with some oats and bar-

ley and a little buckwheat added. That

was what they had been living on for

five weeks. I talked to some women

who were standing in a queue outside

the baker's shop, waiting for their

daily ration of this bad bread. Some

of them were complaining bitterly,

but when I suggested to one of them

that if France made peace with Ger-

many they would have plenty to eat, I almost had a fight on my hands."

Conservation Program

FOR THE HOUSEHOLD

"They told me it was made of

most impossible to swallow.

cannot buy them at all.

smaller towns and all through

badly indeed.

The civilian population must pay

rest of the country drained dry.

of the country.

whole, and never know what a

food for starving France was non-

SOLDIERS GIVE

new conservation campaign. .

The success of the former campaign shows that no rationing system is needed beyond the voluntary Egreement and the control of the law for those few who may be wanton or extravagant.

By the new rules, the hotels are to get a new mark in economy of food, avoiding all waste, saving all scraps, reducing their portions to the needs of public health and strength.

#### SWEET CREAM RULE EXPLAINED WRONG IMPRESSION

By a new rule specifying that cream sold for direct consumption shall contain no more than 20 per cent butterfat, the U.S. Food Administration seeks to\_limit the luxury use of this important fatty nutrient. The 20 per cent maximum restricts the sale of socalled "double" and "whipped cream' and other kinds prepared chiefly special purposes not permissible in the face of present shortages of fats abroad. The rule applies directly to licensed dealers and through them restricts ultimate consumers, including housewives, hotels, restaurants and

institutions. To prevent misunderstanding of this regulation by dairymen the Food Administration states very clearly that it does not affect, nor in any way apply to cream used for butter making, ice cream making or other manufacturing purposes. In fact, a richer cream—one testing between 30 and 40 per cent butterfat-is more desirable most manufacturing operations especially butter making where a high butterfat content means a minimum of labor and a generally lower cost of operation.

The full text of the cream rule which is now in effect follows:

"No licensee shall sell sweet cream which contains more than twenty per cent butterfat to consumers or retail distributors of cream, provided that this rule shall not prevent the licena sufficiently high price you can get see from selling sweet cream containing more than twenty per cent butterfat to manufacturers for manufacturing purposes."

Amongst other benefits that should esult from this rule is a somewhat greater supply of market milk for large cities. The luxury-cream trade is most highly developed in large centers of populations and a considera ble quantity of milk must be skimmed to secure the extra richness now prohibited by the need to conserve fats,

#### MIXED VICTORY FLOUR .

Ask for Victory Flour ready mixed when you buy. If you buy wheat flour mix with for bread one-fourth its weight

of approved substitutes. Your grocer is required to have barley flour, corn flour, or corn-

meal; he may have flour from feterita, rice, oats, kaffir, milo, potatoes, etc. Special rules govern the use of

rye, graham and whole wheat; consult the nearest representive of the Food Administration. Following these rules, the Am-

erican people will enable the Army and the Navy and the Allies to carry through to victory. Save that we may Share.

#### HOOVER WRITES MESSAGE FOR FRENCH FOOD CARD

Proof that the Allied peoples look upon the United States as their saviour from starvation is shown by the fact that even upon the bread cards Administration who has recently taof France there is a message from ken a trip through the more remote the first through the more remote the first through the more remote that the first through the more remote through the United States Food Administra-The Ministere De L'Agriculture The Ministere De L'Agriculture just visited several villages in Auvitaillement—corresponder ergne, a mountainous district where ing to our Food Administrator-re-

cently asked the United States Food Administrator for a message which could be distributed to the people of France, and this now appears on their bread card issued by the European

Mr. Hoover's message reads: "Ev ry coupon in France is mute proof of the resolution of the French people to deprive themselves of everything to one issue—the winning of this war. To win now rests on the number of tons of men and munitions hat America can ship in, and on the magnificent French Army. And with this daily economy in food there will be enough ships—and there will be enough food to maintain health and

It is necessary that every family in the United States study its food budget and food ways, to see if it cannot buy less, serve less, return nothing to the kitchen, and practice the gospel of the clean plate.

"Herbert Hoover."

study its food budget and food ways, to see if it cannot buy less, serve less, return nothing to the kitchen, and practice the gospel of the clean plate.

The many program is not allow should be easier, perhaps, to all households to save food. It would be easier, perhaps, to all households to save food. It would be easier, perhaps, to allow shoulds to save food. It would be easier, perhaps, to all households to save food. It would be easier, perhaps, to follow specific directions—the wheatless days and meatiess meals. The new program is in terms which is the spirit most could execute—a people actuated by a war conscience.

Intelligence and thoughtful conscience are required. Nourishment must be watened intelligently, cost must be counted intelligently, values must be reduced intelligently, the consumption of food must be reduced intelligently. The consumption of food must be reduced intelligently. The sugar hillowarde, the rule of universal Victor bread—these are but includents in the program. It is the original program of the food Administration in a new setting:

## PIANO BOX HOME SCHOLAR-HERMI

NEW YORKERS ARE AMAZED BY THE DISCOVERY.

Aged Man's Strange Abode Concesied Five Years-Find French Claselce Among Miscellaneous Junk

NEW YORK, N. Y.-How George Colby, known in East New York as the "Vermont street hermit," lived in a combination packing case and plane box hut for five years is revealed by his removal to the Kings County Hospital on an order issued by the department of public charities

The disclosures that followed his removal amazed policemen and neighbors, who for the first time in twentytwo years invaded his vacant lot and picked their way along lanes that were bordered by heaps of junk, including partly burned timbers and the copper bottoms of wash boilers.

The examination of the premises rerealed the life of a twentieth century hermit who refused to permit the advancing boundaries of a city to intrude on his privacy. The lot in which he lived was protected from the sight of the curious by a high fence.

Policemen and neighbors who knew Colby's hut lay somewhere behind the high peek proof fence was amazed to find collections of valuable books, files of newspapers, collections of bot-tles, trunks full of furs and dismantled engines among the possessions of the old man. His home, a piano box to which had been attached a large packing case, was found only after a careful search.

As cleverly concealed from the gaze of the curious as are the dugouts of the French army along the battlefront in France, it lay partly underground and almost under the walls of his one time home, a converted stable that was burned down five years ago. He had lived in the stable for seventeen years.

When Colby's case was brought to the attention of the department of charities Dr. Arthur J. O'Connor of the Bradford Street Hospital, was sent to investigate the man's condition and remove him to the King's County Hospital if it called for hospital care.

A policeman led the physician into the lot, a hole broken through the fence serving as an entrance. Colby was found lying on his couch when the lanterns of the policemen and ambulance driver were flashed on him.

'As Dr. O'Connor entered the hut three half wild cats scurried from un-der his feet and hid themselves under bed. While the man was being placed on a stretcher the cats snarled their displeasure.

Since he was taken to the hospital his one worry has been the disposition of his "valuable property," as he refers to the collection of books and old

The "valuable property" was examined and workmen who appraised the broken machinery and other articles said there was about \$750 worth of iron and steel in the lot. A policeman counted 235 pots and pans on the premises. Among the pieces of machinery was a pile driver.

Colby burned his own charcoal and then used it in a brazier for cooking. His bathroom, provided with an ingenious contrivance that served as a washstand, was located under a tree and concealed even from the hut by vines and tangled bushes. His bed was a partly burned couch, salvaged from the fire and propped up by a volume of Cowper's poetical works in Latin, a volume of Ludwig von Beethoven's biography, and the satires of A. Persius Flaccus.

The policeman and a neighbor declared that while Colby attended to his personal wants and never permitted interference by outsiders, he always went to a nearby barber to be shaved.

"Before he entered the shop he called to the barber to cover all the mir rors in sight, remarking in explanation that he had no wish to see his own face. It is believed he feared his dvancing age.

The "Vermont street hermit" was born in Windsor, Vt., sixty-five years

HERE'S BIRD OF A MYSTERY.

Lost Gold Ring is Found on Pigeon's Neck.

STELLA, Mont.-Arthur DeMuth, pigeon fancier of Stella, is deploring the love of his birds for jewelry. Re cently he lost a valuable ring while

attending the pigeons. He tried advertising in the local papers, but it was futile. Recently, how ever, while out among his birds, he saw his ring around the neck of one

DeMuth told friends that he would guard the pigeon carefully and wait until it died to recover his ring. He cannot remove it from over the bird's head and is considerably mystified as to how it got around the pigeon's

A Fair Question.

A little girl, aged 6, had been breathlessly watching the terrible villian of the film play. When he reached a railway bridge she turned to her mother and saked:

"Oh, muyver, what's he going to do "He's going to blow up that bridge."

"But muvver," came back the small inquiring voice, "how can be get exemple break?"

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BUCKS MINE GOLD ON WESTERN RANGH

Owner Sprinkled Creek Bed ... With Grain to Encourage Their Activities.

Beaver, Okla. There are miners and miners, but old you ever hear of ordinary Indian Runner ducks in that role? No? Well, then, read on.

Joseph Bryson, who lives on a big ranch on Ten Mile Creek, southwest of here, drives up in his automobile about twice a year to the First National Bank of Liberal, Kan, and deposits a beg of gold dust. Also Mr. Bryson is constantly getting in Mg shipments of Indian Runner ducks for his ranch. These things cause some of the country folk to call Mr. Bryson Gold Dust Joe," and his ranch the "Gold Duck Ranch."

For a long time no one thought of coupling the two-the ducks and the gold dust. Bryson always said at the bank that the gold dust came from his claim in Arizona.

Then, it is said, came the discovery that the gold dust came from the ranch on Ten Mile Creek, and that the placer mining was being done by the thousands of ducks on the ranch Some of the "old timers" claim that several years ago Bryson bought a few pairs of ducks and placed them on his ranch for the eggs they might produce. He had no idea that they one day would be laying golden eggs

One day, say these old settlers, he killed a couple of ducks for dinner. In dressing them he was surprised to find a considerable quantity of gold dust in their craws and also lining the stomach and intestines. He killed some more. In nearly every bird gold dust and fine nuggest were found:

As the only possible explanation, they quote the fact that Ten Mile Creek, as other streams of the section, rises in the edge of New Mexico. It is well known that gold sands from Colorado and New Mexico have been washed down the streams and deposited in the sandy soil. The ducks, in wading about in the mud occasionally had dived down, taken up a bill full of mud. liberally sprinkled with gold dust, which stuck to their craws or lined the walls of the stomach and intestines.

"And," says an old farmer, "Bryson began a systematic propagation of the ducks, and encouraged them to eat plenty of mud. He sprinkled the bed of the creek with grain and bugs to encourage the ducks to get mouthfuls of the golden mud. Of course, he had to kill a good many ducks to get much gold, but the ducks are easily propagated, and he shipped in many of them.

"The ducks yielded enough gold to bank a substantial sum in gold dust every six months. As a by-product the feathers were sold to an Eastern concern. The carcasses were fed to wine in the ranch and went far toward fattening the hogs, with a ration of grain. The ducks gave the pork a flavor which made his hogs in demand."

WHAT PLACE IS THIS?" SHOUTS MORGUE CORPSE

"Undertaker's? Well, it's Nice and Warm Here; Guess I'll Stay

All Night."

Cedar Rapids, Iowa.— A prostrate body, covered with a blanket, was horne into the embalming room of a local morgue at the early hour of 2 Solemn-faced men stood by in the dim light as the undertaker drew back the blanket and gazed down on the still face and the closed eyelids. the corpse sat up and Suddenly

looked around. "What place is this?" he asked unconcernedly. "An undertaker's? Well, it's warm here anyway. Guess stay all night." And he settled back to continue his nap, drawing the blanket up around his chin.

There had been a most confusing

mistake. destined for burial in thi city and an injured convict being returned from a prison camp at Granite to the reformatory at Anamosa, arrived on the same train.

"There's your corpse," a policema had told the driver of the morgue wagon as he saw the stretcher bearing the injured man hauled out of the baggage car. The driver asked no further

questions. Nor did the deputy in charge of the man interfere. He believed the wagon to be an ambulance which had been

ordered to meet the train. And the next minute the "corpse" was conversing pleasantly with the custodian of the embalming fluids. Was the undertaker frightened? He

Was. But what would you do if your corpse sat up and shouted "Where an I at?" in your right ear?

WORLD RULED BY SQUAREHEADS Analyst Says This of Men With Cubi

cai Craniums. Cleveland, Ohio.— Square - headed men are the ones who rule the world and the keenest people are those with

small, beady, black eyes. William Judson Kibby, character

analyst, told this to the Cleveland Rotarians at their last luncheon gathering.

Kibby said light people demand

more amusement than dark ones and that those with sloping foreheads think much more quickly than those with straight ones.

The fellow who can see himself as others see him without using a mag-nifying or reducing glass, never yet failed in business.

Sometimes a cigar draws better than the actor it is named after,

## URIC ACID IN MEAT CLOGS THE KIDNEYS

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Madder bothers you. Drink More water

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your hidneys with sales occasionally, mys a noted authority whe tells us that meat forms uric said which almost paralyses the kidneys in their efforts of either it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, disriness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy; full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek railef two or three time during the night.

(To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy herep take a tablespoonful' in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then set fins. This famous salts is made from the acid digrapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bindder weakness.

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## SAGE AND SULPHUR . 1 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 mussy and troublesome. 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, at a small cost.

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 deligniful tollet requisite for those who desire dark hair and a youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

#### OLD-TIME COLD CURE-DRINK HOT TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also lossens the bowels, thus breaking

up a cold.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

## **RUB RHEUMATISM FROM** STIFF ACHING JOINTS

Rub Soreness from joints and muscles with a small trial bottle of old St. Jacobs Liniment

St. Jacobs Liniment

Stop "dosing" Rheumatism.

It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain. "St. Jacob's Liniment" is a harmless rheumatism cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes and corners and efficient from set. pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops Limber up! Get a 30 cent bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Liniment" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheums-

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH Apply Cream in Nestrie To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your cloged neetile open right up, the air passage of your-head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuthing, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—an struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarth is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Elys Cream Balin from your drugglet now. Apply a little of this fragrant, filtisoptic cream in your mostrile, let if penetrate through worry air passage of the head; noothe and head the awollen, inflamed mucous semicons giving you instant relief. Byte Green Balm is just what every cold and destarth surferer has been easiled.

## "MARRYING PARSON" DEAD

ME HAD HOTEL BUILT ON LINE OF TWO STATES TO AID! SWEETHEARTS!

#### WED 5142 COUPLES IN 25 YEARS

Married Couples on Street Cars, & Buggles and on the Border Line

Bristol, Tenn.—The Rev. Alfred Harrison Burroughs, the "Marrying Parson" of Bristol is dead at the age of 83 years. The Rev. Mr. Burroughs resigned from the active ministry 25 years ago to establish what was probably the most famous marrying mecca in the United States. He built and equipped a hotel for the exclusive use of runaway couples probably the on ly hostelry of its kind in existence. At the time of his death he had performed the marriage ceremony for 5142 couples.

He was called "Parson" Burroughs and was known over four states in particular and throughout the United States in general as the "Marrying Parson."

The majority of the couples who came to him were from states where the laws prohibited the arriage of persons under 21 without parental con-

"Parson" Burroughs believed that wishes and consent of the contracting parties was all that is necessary to make a marriage and so he did not bother much about the legal aspect of the case except in so far as to remain within the laws of the state in which he resided.

He had devoted himself to this unique occupation for a full quarter of a century. His Gretna Green has long since become of world renown. Some years ago the Ministerial Association of Bristol memorialized the Tennesses Legislature to put a stop to the hundreds of "hasty and indecent mar-riages" performed annually at the Bristol mecca.

Every room in his elopers' hotel is a bridal chamber. It is situated squarely upon the dividing line between Virginia and Tennessee. The strategic location of the house, one half of which lies in one state and the other half in a neighboring state, is at once apparent for the execution of the purposes for which it was built. Elopers from one state had only to cross the hall to be within the jurisdiction of the adjoining state. The hotel is also within a short distance from the West Virginia, Kentucky and North Carolina

"Parson" Burroughs performed marriages under every conceivable circumstance in a racing carriage thru the streets at night with an irate mother in full pursuit; with the couple standing in the middle of a moving street car, the tracks on which it was running lying in different states, with hands clasped across the boundary line the bridegroom in one state and his bride in another. He had been the friend of love lorn lads and lasses long enough to marry the children of the couples who first came to him.

He went to his death believing that he had the world's record for the number of people united in marriage by a single individual.

Matrimony for revenue only as interpreted by "Parson" Burroughs, lucrative vocation compared to the average salaries paid to ministers of the Gospel. He had emassed considerable competence out. of his unusual calling. So general became his fame that not infrequently he was called upon by from one to four couples at one time-one ceremony and one blessing answering for all. Only recently he was called upon to marry five couples with a single ceremony. He had barely concluded this service when two more pairs of young people were ushered into the reception rooms, requesting the immediate services of the man who had earned the title of "strengous uniter of young lives."

The marriages performed by Parson Burroughs have included many romantic and unusual affairs. It frequently happened that the bride was a girl of 16 or 17 while the bridegroom was a widower of from 40 to 60. Sometimes the reverse was the case, the bridegroom being a mere vouch, while the bride numbered silver threads among the gold or black or brown.

Irate fathers have been known to follow their fleeing daughters over frozen snows and across mountains, sometimes to capture and take them back, but more frequently to learn that the couple had arrived at the mecca shead of him.

"I have been criticized," said this old preacher shortly before his death, for marrying so, many young clopers. I believe as a rule those who came here and get married in opposition to the wishes o ftheir parents turn out better than those who are married according to the wishes of their par-

"Of the thousands of couples mar-Hed at my mecca during the last quarter of a century, so far as I have been while to trace, only about a dozen have been divorced. I do not, believe that the marriages made at home will compare favorably with this record.

The new food program is less spessific but no less definite than that of the last twelve months. Then the food Addidinistration was meeting one amergency after another as it rose. This year it will be a long steady pull directed to the whole food situation and not so much to particular commedities. After a year's experience the food Administration is on a new footing here and should. The ways have been learned, the methods have been developed. The way conscience is active everywhere.

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The ailles will by no means produce a new harvest overnight. Eighty millipns of men can not be taken out of production for four years without lasting losses of yield. It will be years before their fields re-, cuperate, farms are restored, and nerds are restored, int will come to us—the ory of the war. Every country in Europe has, weakened production, most of all germany, tortured and sacked by an madoes. But another demand even more insistent will come to use the cry of the hungering victims of Germany and the war. Every country in Europe has suffered shortage of food, leasened yield, weakened production, most of all the great tracts overrun and piliaged by Germany, to futured and acked by Germany's partners wracked by the Russian madoes. Their woes are increasing; they are facing now a terrible winter. Many will starve. Any two cannot prevent starvation behind the war barrier or beyond the limits of shipping, whose every cubic foot and every seconds time is seeded in the effort for victory.

After the war the needs of 180,000,000 hungering people will press on America. We could not choose but help them. As we believe in the kindred of all numanity, America will save food to rescue and restore them.

#### FOOD VIOLATIONS PRODUCE MILITARY POLICE AT CAMPS

DOCTRINE OF THE CLEAN PLATE ONE OF THE FIRST LESSONS GIVEN THE ROOKIE.

Western Recruit Writes of His First Experience With Army Rations and Regulations.

The top sergeant of every military company from time immemorial has been "up against ft" to find enough infractions of discipline to punish his nen with the "kitchen police" detail. Kitchen police means scrubbing greasy and soot covered cooking utensils, pealing potatoes, dish washing and so on through a long list of disgreeable tasks utterly devoid of any pomp and glory of war.

Modern warfare mixed with strictly enforced food conservation, however, has at last given the much feared 'top" what he has long been looking for. That any infraction of the Army's strict enforcement of all food conservation rules furnishes a long "kitchen sentence is shown by the folowing extract from a letter of a recruit at the Presidio, San Francisco:

"Then the bug!e blew, and we were called in for our first meal cooked by Uncle Sam. A long line is formed, leading past a counter after the style of a cafteria. Everything from soup to nuts goes There are on the one plate. many different helpings, but they are all well-cocked, wholesome all well-cocked, and generous. One has to eat all he allows the kitchen police to put on his plate or he is given ten days as kitchen police. Bread larger than an inch square and meat the same size could not pass the eye of the guards in front of whom we had to go on our way to wash our dishes. The list was posted each evening of those who had to serve as kitchen police the following day."

#### THANKSGIVING RAFFLING HIT BY FOOD ADMINISTRATION

Copy of a Letter Sent to the Sheriffs of the State By Food Administrator Prescott.

Lansing, Nov. 1.-"The States Food Administration is opposed to any form of gambling that has for it's object the winning of fowl," says Food Administrator Prescott.

"It is well known that gambling in the form of raffles, keno and similar games of chance with food commodities, such as turkeys and other fowl izeg is usually prevalent at season of the year, therefore the public should know the attitude of the. Administration in regard to these games wherever found.

"In addition to the fact that raffles and games of chance are against the law, this is a time when all irregular traffic in foods must be stamped out," says the administrator. "The organized effort of the nation is to standardize prices and enforce equitable

"Dealers all along the line are co operating to insure fair prices. Lotteries in food-stuffs, turkey raffles and enterprises of the sort, set at naught the attempt at regulation of prices and fair dealing.

"No purveyor of commodities who does business in the legal manner can complete with the man conducting a raffle, as he can pay and exorbintant price in purchasing. The raffle is not only illegal but unfair. It will not be permitted any where in Michigan."

Fortunately, we have had an unusually large crop of grain in the United States this year, as well as an abundance of other products, leaving a surplus over present consumption for the requirements of the ailled armies and

requirements of the allied armies and nations. But's comparative crop failure on this continent next year, in the absence of reserves, would imperi our cause and make the allied position as desperate as it was last winter.

## FOOD CARDS TO ENTER 20 MILLION HOMES

Our Duty to Neutrals

HEN the war ends in components triumph, new obligations will fall upon us. We shall be called upon to send not less food, but

Will Be Distributed Week of December 1 Throughout Nation,

Lansing.—The new conservation program of the United States Food Administration will go into 20 million American homes the week of December I instead of the week of October 27, as was previously announced to hang upon the kitchen wall until the war is over. The distribution of the new home card has been post poned on account of the epidemic of Spanish influenza throughout the country. The provisions on this home card are the chart by which the conduct of the American households will be guided as long as the stress of war lasts.

One year ago the pledge of cod conservation was taken by 12 million families and a home card was given to each for its guidance. This year no pledge will be taken; the Government knows that every loyal American is committed to doing all that is necessary to win the war and fulfill the nation's purpose. The American war conscience is aroused.

When the inter-Allied food co nell was held last summer, the needs of the Allies were computed and the resources from which they could be met were reckoned. America must this year send for the Army and the Allies half again as much food supplies as last year. In place of 11% million tons, the shipments this year will be 171/2 million tons. This country is pledged to send 50 per cent more food from substantially the same stocks as last year. There must be increased conservation to accomplish the result.

As a first step in the new program. it was resolved by the conference of Federal Food Administrators who met in Washington when Mr. Hoover returned from Europe in September to place in every home the card telling the essence of the new program.

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#### S3FT DRIXKS AGAIN

HIT BY NEW ORDER

After November 1st, 1918, the production of soft drinks including fruit juices, waters, concentrated extracts syrups, and carbonic acid gases, will curtailed on the basis of 50 per cent per annum based upon the production of the calendar year 1917. of the corresponding month of the pictures from their localities. previous year.

#### FOOD FLASHLIGHTS

The 1918-19 Food Program is both a National and a Personal Obligation The Nation has never failed to meet all obligations and the individual must

We cannot administer the food problem on the basis of the present food shortage. We must prepare for long continuance of this shortage.

At best the Allied table will be less than ours, for the Allied peoples are denying themselves more in order to transport soldiers.

Your grocer is pledged to full co operation in the Food Administration program. Are you helping him to keep that pledge?

## America's Pledge

THE Interailled council test last summer planning those measures which meant victory in 1919 for the cause of freedom. Food was a vital factor.

The United States of America by its representatives gave them file assurance:

Determine what you must have and how much the ships can carry.

That will be your quota through the coming year. You need not conder how much America has more or leas. We will send it; We have it or
a will find it.

America, which shipped last year 140,000,000 bushels of wheat where a sur-America, which shipped last year 140,000,000 bushels of wheat where a sur-plus of only 10,000,000 could be reckoned, had given its piedge. The allies be-leve in 'us. They trust us as they trust the American soldiers. They have all in the endurance of the American people for self-denial, was they have all in the courage of the American Army in reserve or in battle.

## WOUNDED MICHIGAN **BOYS FIND FRIENDS**

THOSE IN NEW YORK GIVEN COMFORT THROUGH STATE WAR BOARD.

#### **HOW PEOPLE CAN HELP**

Efforts Being Made to Get in Touch With Every Michigan Man Who Returns Sick or Wounded:

Lansing In response to a rathe urgent message from the Red Cross asking him to come at once to one of the government hospitals in New York city, Col. Roy C. Vandercook secretary of the Michigan war pre paredness board, who was in Nev York city last week assisting in open ing the branch office for which relies work among Michigan sick and wounded will be directed, made s flying trip across the city and was ushered into a ward filled with would ed soldiers.

One of the nurses directed Col. Vandercook to the cot of a young fellow she addressed as Sergean Morheart and introduced Vandercook as a representative of the Michigan

"Perhaps you think I'm crazy, ask ing you to come way over here to see a total stranger," was Morheart's first statement after Vandercook's introduction "I have been in this hos. pital six weeks and although I have received the best of care I haven't seen a single person from the old home state. I read in the morning pa per that Michigan headquarters had opened here and I just wanted to talk with a man from home. The Red Cross people are wonderful but after a felhas been away for months any one from home looks like a real friend."

#### Praises Boys in France,

Col. Vandercook learned Sergeant E. J. Morheart was a native of Ann Arbor The young fellow had lost one leg and the other limb had been badly shattered by machine gunfire, but he was cheerful and had only words of praise for the Michigan men in action in France.

The Michigan bureau in New York city is located at 36 West Fortieth street, directly across from the pub lic library, Stuart F, Perry of Adrian is in charge of the office at present Every day Perry receives a list show ing the hospital location of every returned Michigan soldier. An effort is being made to get in touch with every Michigan man who returns sick or wounded.

Col. Vandercook suggests that any person who wishes to locate a relative or friend in one of the government hospitals should write to the New York office of the war prepared ness board, Perry will find out wheth er the hospital authorities will permit anyone to see the man in question and give all information available. This may save useless trips to New York as sometimes men who are returned in hospital ships are sent to points outside New York city.

The New York office, through the efforts of Mrs. John Bush, Mrs. M. Kitsinger and Mrs. Stanley Otis, former Michigan women, has been fixed up in a most attractive manner. Pictures of Michigan buildings and scenes from various cities adorn the walls. Every effort is being made to much better to the blind musicians, bring Michigan atmosphere to the New York quarters. Secretaries of the did on the concert stage that after a That is, no month's production shall various chambers of commerce in exceed 50 per cent of the production Michigan have been asked to send tour is given up and the rest of the

#### Banquet la Given

The place has been fitted out with cardroom and smoking room where men en route to France may enjoy themselves in New York, Last Saturday night 150 men from Michigan were banqueted in the Michigan headquarters. Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Otis, formerly

of Lansing, and Mrs. Kitsinger, for merly of Marshall have spent considerable time cutting stories from magazines and pasting them on cardboard for the wounded soldiers. Many of the men are so weak they cannot hold a book or magazine, but they can support a light piece of card board. Pictures from comic supple. ments arranged in a similar manner afford the men great amusement. As soon as the organization is completed in New York Michigan women will be asked to fix up some magazine stories and send them to New York office. Gifts of jellies and other delicacies also will be accepted,

"Labor in this country today is for the war, and is giving in full measure to the nation's cause. We are a nation of wage earners, And the wel. fare of these men must have that consideration that guarantees to them that to which in all fairness they are entitled. We must have just remedial legislation for the betterment of this great mass of our population at all times, not only because it is their due, but also that by justice always we can prevent the insidious influence of the criminal elements of the I. W. W, from taking hold in the ranks of real labor."-Will H. Hays, in Grand Rapids' Convention Address.

BLIND MUSICIANS MANAGE FARM

Couple Spent Years Traveling Thru Country and Saved Earnings

Jet, Okis.—Despite the fact that both are totally blind, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Hubbard successfully operate the farming part of a half section of land they own just west of Jet. in Alfalfa county. Both are retired musicians and expect to spend the rest of their days on the farm enjoying life. They have traveled extensively all over the United States giving concerts with various sorts of musical instruments, but three years ago settled down to the mural life near here.

Mrs. Hubbard was blind at birth

and her husband was made so pre-vious to their marriage, Curiously enough they use different systems of reading, and each reads a great deal. especially the books that are sent to them on the round robin plan from the blind schools. Mrs. Hubbard is an adept at reading by the raised letter system and has read many standard works during the past three years. She has fust finished Hawthorne's "Marble Faun." Her husband uses a more modern way of reading and one con sidered by those who know it to be faster than the raised letter system. It is a series of holes cut in the paper at intervals. They are located from one to six, both above and below a standard line, designating a character. Reading occupies a great part of their time when they are not at work doing one of the many chores about the farm.

To the casual observer the farm is no different from the usual well arranged farm in the community. It is a noticeable fact that all of the machinery and implements used are kept in sheds and out of the way, and that there are none of the small pieces lying around, however, and one in passing the place would be led to remark There is a capable farmer, who is able to keep everything in condition and does so."

A niece and nephew live with Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, but Mr. Hubbard does practically all of the outdoor work. He knows every horse, mule, hog, cow and even chicken he has on the place and last winter broke two voung mayes to do farm work. He milks three cows, feeds the hogs himself and apparently has no trouble keeping up the work of the farmer. Mrs. Hubbard is equally as useful with her housework and there is not a neater home in the county than that of the Hubbards.

Time was when these two people were on the road all of the time. Blind musicians with the ability they are able to show, are in demand in the musical circles of the country and they found no trouble in getting of the engagements they could fill. Playing practically every instrument made, the two of them composed an orchestra, one of their program numbers being a duet in which seven instruments were played at the same

They were able to save a good part. of their earnings, which were quite large in the course of a few years and three years ago, they became the ownors of the half section of land west of Jet in Alfalfa county. Then they decided to forsake the road and settle down on the farm and there to spend the rest of their lives.

Sometimes an evening is spent at the old home in talking of the many pleasant days spent while the two were journeying together as musiclans and the talk drifts to a possibility of going back again some time for a single season, just for a sort of remembrance. The old instruments are brought out and the natives around are treated to some music they seldom hear elsewhere. It, sounds however, in their own home than it evening is given over to playing all of the old tunes again.

So these two people will continue to enjoy life on their farm near this place, giving over an evening occasionally to their music, and despite the fact that neither is able to see na ture's beauty and the development of the natural resources on their home place, will continue to get the best there is out of the farm and at the same time continue to get the best there is out of life.

#### Graba Wolf With Hands

Columbus, Kan Gar Richardson, night marshal, has performed many daring feats, but his latest was to capture a gray wolf bare handed. The wolf. a large female was in a fighting mood, at that, because seven of her young were in danger of capture.

Richardson and Charles Dve of this city happened to be out five miles southwest of Columbus recently, when they spied the wolf. They followed her until she disappeared in a hole The men had no gun and it was too

far to go after one, so they took opposite positions around the hole waited. The next time the animal stuck its head out it was looking at Dye, and Richardson sprang and grabbed it by the back of the neck. He held on until Dye tore down a fence to get a pole with which the wolf was finally killed. Procuring a spade the men captured the young a litter of Seven.

#### Balvation Army is Rich

New York-The salvation army's wealth in the United States aggregates \$8,858,179, its officers stated in petitioning the Supreme Court in Brooklyn for permission to mortgage a piece of property.



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Black Silk Stove F Get a Can TODAY

CUT THIS OUT-IT IS WORTH MONEY DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You? will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets.-Hite's Drug Store.

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#### BEGIN HOT WATER DRINKING IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull of aching; if what you eat-sours and forms gas and acid in stomsours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, sallow and can't get feeling just right, begin inside bathing. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach liver, kidneys and bowels and anse, sweeten and purify the entite alimentary tract. Do your inside bething imsweeten and purity the entite alimen-tary tract. Do your inside bathing im-mediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the pre-vious day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bite before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost fasteless execution. less, except for a sourish twinge which

not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, ever kidneys and bowels. Men and we sen kidneys and bowels. Men and ween who are usually constipated, billions, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin this inside bathing before breakfast. They are assured they will become real cranks on the aubject shortly,

## Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stroebel, Mrs. A. Cameron returned Tuesday a daughter, Nov. 7th.

Miss Ethel Crowell came home from Flint, Wednesday, for a visit with her

Mrs. Bert Donaldson was at Bellaire first of the week, called there by the illness of her sister.

James Malpass left Saturday for tle Creek, where he joined his wife aughters for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kowalski with son left Friday by auto. for Detroit, where they will remain for the winter.

Mrs. Wm. Streeter returned home last Saturday from Greenville, where she has been visiting her mother.

Mrs. W. M. Free, who has been guest y son, Clarence Wright, returned to er home at Battle Creek, Saturday.

Miss Bertha Larson, who as nurse has been assisting at Petoskey during the flu epidemic, returned home Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Schlichter of Vanderbilt were guests at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Roy Sherman this

Mrs. James Ross with children returned home Tuesday from West Branch, being called there Saturday last by the death of her father.

Samuel Richardson and family left Friday for San Antonio, Texas, where they spend the winter. They started and plan to make the trip by auto.

A deer hunting party consisting of Horace Hipp, Roscoe Mackey, Charles McNamara, Charles Coykendall, Dr. W. H. Parks and A. Cameron left this week for hunting grounds near Newberry.

Attorney Rollie L. Lewis, prior to leaving for the officers' training camp, resigned his position as prosecuting attorney for this county. The vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. Lewis was filled last Monday when Judge Mayne appointed attorney Lisle Shanahan prosecutor to fill the unexpired term, or until January 1st, 1919, when the newly elected officer takes the oath of office. Prosecuting Attorney Shanawill, for the present, have charge the county's criminal cases, hence, se who are criminally inclined will do themselves, at least, a good turn by main for a short time. following other than forbidden paths. —Charlevoix Sentinel.

ning, a victim of influenza. Mr. Burn. Bates, returned home with him. ham was a well-known former East Jordan attorney and farmer. He resided sold his property to the Furnace & fortnights visit. Chemical Company. At Petoskey he was active in public affairs, being supervisor of one of the city wards at the time of his death and active in farm matters. He was born at Laona, N. Y. Feb. 22, 1839. He married Miss Julia Babcock, Oct. 15, 1863, and to this union there were two children, Mrs. John Wilde and Mrs. Marion Purdy, both of Detroit. Mrs. Burnham died ried her sister, Mrs. Achfah Babcock. The family resided at Holly, Mich., for home, returning to Flint, Tuesday. many years and the remains were taken there for burial, Thursday.



Time to Re-tire? (Buy Fisk)

\$1.25 to \$3.00 allowed on Casings 50c to 75c allowed on Tubes

**GUARANTEED** MILEAGE TIRES.

from Huntsville, Ont.

Rev. R. S. Sidebotham was a Cadillac visitor first of the week.

Bruce Flannery returned to his work at Detroit, Saturday last.

Mrs. C. Walsh left last Saturday for visit with Mancelona relatives.

Miss Grace Malpass returned to he school duties at Yuma, Saturday. Miss Adeline Weisman returned Mon

day from a visit with relatives at Boyne Miss Myrtle Joynt returned to Bad

Axe Saturday, to resume her school duties. Fred Palmiter is home from Detroi

or a visit and expects to join a deer hunting party. Mrs. Roxanna Seymour returned

home Monday from a visit with Traverse City friends.

Junie Coon, who has been at the Lockwood hospital, at Petoskey, return ed home, Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Zimke, who has been visiting friends at Benton Harbor, returned home, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dubber and children left Tuesday for Detroit, where they will make their home.

Miss Sophia Berg, who has been home the past three weeks, returned to her work at Gaylord, Monday

Miss Elizabeth Thompson left Satur day last to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools at the Soo.

Mrs. M. A. Lemieux with daughter Genevieve, left Saturday to spend the winter with her husband at Flint.

Att'y E. N. Clink returned Friday from a business trip to Washington, New York, Detroit and other points.

Jack Hodge and family moved here this week from Cooks Mill, near Manistique, and will make this city their

Mrs. Frank Green and family moved this week from their farm in South Arm to this city, where they will make their

Mrs. Harold Boyd leaves this Saturday for Detroit where she plans to make her home. Her mother, Mrs. G. A. Bell, accompanies her and will re-

C. L. Arnold returned home Friday from a business trip through southern M. M. Burnham passed away at his Michigan. Mrs. Arnold with daughter home in Petoskey, Wednesday mor- who have been visiting friends at

- Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Worth, who accompanied the remains of their son, on his farm just north of the cemetery Clyde, here for burial, returned to their for some twenty years, leaving East home at Onaway, Monday. Josiah St. Jordan for Petoskey in 1907 when he John accompanied them home for a

> The Presbyterian Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. John Burney next Friday afternoon; Nov 15th. All are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. H. W. Dicken will have charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Roy returned home Monday from a three week's auto trip to Port Huron, Detroit and Flint. in 1883 and in 1884 Mr. Burnham mar- where they visited friends. Glenn Roy their son, and wife accompanied them

> The returns for the election, Tuesday, indicate a landslide for the Republican party all along the line. The House of Representatives will be governed by the G. O. P., and indications are that the Senate will also have a Republic majority. Newberry won over Ford in the state by about 10,000. Suffrage won in the state by about 15,000. The state and county Republican ticket carried by substantial majori-

The Argo Milling Co's famous old fashioned stone ground buckwheat is now on the market, guaranteed strictly pure buckwheat.-U. S. Food Administration License M4593 G36828.

The residence on Second-St. cupied for the last four years by John Hockstad and family, will be for rent the latter part of this week. For terms see Mrs. Heston.

WOOD FOR SALE-The Argo Milling Co, has a quantity of Good Dry Wood now on hand for sale. Call at Mill of phone 126.

DOG DESTROYS MOUNTED PET

Stuffed Canine is Torn to Bits Ir Fierce Attack

Briar Top, N. Y.—Recently Hiram-Bash entered the Annex cafe in Main street, followed by his bulldog.

A few years ago Abner Quilter, pro

prietor of the cafe, had a buildog When it died Quilter had it mounted and placed it in a front window of his saloon. Bash's buildog saw the mounted dog, pounced upon it and before any one could, interfere tore it to pieces. Quilter says he would not have taken \$25 for his stuffed pet.

A woman has as many ways of making man feel cheap at she has of

FOR SALE-High chair, sewing GEORGE McLOUD chair, oak dresser and chiffonier. Inquire at Bell's Store.

LOST-Gray raccoon Fur Collar. Will finder please leave at Northern Auto Co., and receive reward.

## School Notes

Every precaution is being taken in the high school to prevent the spread of influenza. If any child coughs or sneezes or shows any other signs of being ill he is sent home at once. The ooms are all being kept warmer than usual, although the windows are thrown open from the top to admit plenty of fresh air.

The following classes of the East Jordan High School have had their class meeting and the following pupils were elected officers:

Freshman-Hugh Dicken, President George Phillips, Vice-President; Inez Colden, Secretary; Sins Franseth, Treasurer.

Sophomore-John Gunderson, President; Richard Malpass, Vice-President; Martha Lorraine, Secretary-Treasurer.

#### Presbyterian Church Notes Robert S. Sidebotham, Pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 10, 1918. 10:30 a. m:-Morning Worship. 12:00 Noon-Sunday School. 5:00 p. m.—Vesper Service.

6:00 p.-m.-Christian Endeavor. Thursday at 7:30 p. m.-Prayer Meet-

all not worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend, the services of this church. To return thanks to God for the staying of the epidemic-to try and look at things from His standpoint, and see His meaning-will be the pur ose of the meeting Sunday morning.

#### First Methodist Episcopal Church Rev. Myron E. Hoyt, Pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 10, 1918.

The Pastor, Rev. M. E. Hoyt is expected home from Camp Taylor this Saturday and, with the lifting of the flu ban, all services of the church wil be resumed Sunday.

DEATH FIGHT OF DEER IS BENEFIT TO POOR

#### Flesh of Slain Animal Sold and Proceeds Given for Charity.

Lawton, Okla.—A. woodland battle between two buck deer was productive of deer meat being placed on the market of Cache, a village near here. The animals waged a furious battle on the Wichita forest reserve and fought until their horns interlocked.

A passing miner saw their plight and notified the superintendent of the reserve, who knocked the tip off one of the antlers of the victor of the duel and released the combatants. victor trotted off, but the other deer was so weakened from the struggle that the superintendent killed it.

The proceeds from the sale of the meat were given to charity, it being against the law to realize a prifit from deer meat in this State.

#### WINS GIRL AND WAGER OF \$100

Proposes Over "Long-distance" After Taking Dare.

Romans, N. D.— After letting his friends see a photograph of Blanche C. Ripley, one of them made a wager of \$100 with Harry Bronson that he could not marry the girl before 6 o'clock the following evening.

municating over the 'phone with the girl, who was a trained nurse at Sioux Falls, she said "Yes."

Bronson and Miss Ripley met at Egan came to Romans and were ried early in the morning.



Not Upheld Simply by Reputation.

There's more back of Ralston Shoes than simply an honorable name.

Forty years of expert shoe-making have taught the man-ufacturers how to make good shoes—and, what's more they are making good shoes.

C. A. HUDSON

## VICTIM OF FLU:

George Elden McLoud passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Len Duffell in this city last Saturday, Nov. 2nd, following a three weeks iliness from pneumonia.

Deceased was born at Lake Ann, Mich., March 14th, 1895. In 1915 he was united in marriage to Miss Gladys Viola Ashton of this place, at Boyne City. Two children were born to them -Irma Marie and Eva Marguerite. The last named child passed away a fortnight ago from the epidemic. He leaves besides the wife and child, a brother,

William McLoud of Central Lake. Funeral services were held from the home of his parents Tuesday morning, Nov. 5th, conducted by Ray Grossett of the Latter Day Saints Church, which deceased was a member of. Interment at East Jordan Cemetery.

WANTED-Women between 21 and 45 years of age to work on Airplane parts. Permanent employment. Experience unnecessary and work not difficult, but applicant must be in good health and willing to learn. Give height, weight and age in your application. Pay \$10.80 per week to start. Work 9 hours a day. Also have permanent places for two cut off or rip saw men at good wages, -SLIGH FUR-NITURE COMPANY, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

#### PROTECT THE CHILDREN.

Children are as likely to get the grip and influenza as grown-ups. Foley's Honey and Tar gives quick relief from all kinds of coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough; covers raw, inflamed surfaces with a healing, soothing coating; clears air passages, checks strangling, choking, coughing. Contains no opiates.-Hite's Drug Store.





#### SPECIAL TUESDAY NOT A HAT IN THE \$5.00

Many worth \$10 to \$15 for \$5 TUESDAY ONLY. Also Extra Special Prices on all hats that were \$5 or less.

Mrs. R. Seymour's MILLINERY Parlors at M. E. Ashley's

#### CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR

will mean more than ever to thought. 1. The Youth's Companion—52 ful people, but it will not be a season issues of 1919. for extravagance; only worth-while Christmas presents will be given.

For nearly one hundred years The Youth's Companion has been the popu- for 1919. lar Christmas present. It always has been the best present for so little money, because the paper means so much to the family life and continues numbers. All for only \$2.50. The two to come every week throughout the

In these serious times The Youth's Companion is worth more than ever. It costs just the same-\$2.00 for 52 Boston, Mass. issues. It's the best \$2.00 that can be invested in a family, and when giving Singer Sewing Machines for sale or The Companion you give only the best. to rent. Repair, clean, or adjust all

ginning December 12. The following special offer is made to new subscribers

All the remaining weekly issues of 1918.

3. The Companion Home Calendar

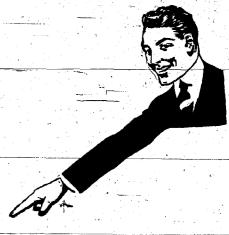
All the above for only \$2.00, or you may include 4. McCall's Magazine-12 fashion

magazines may be sent to separate addresses if desired. THE YOUTH'S COMPANION

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FIRST SHOW AT 7:00.

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Pathe News and Cartoon

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The Temple is the Best Ventilated Theatre in Northern Michigan.

#### THE BLUE TRIANGLE ON BABEL'S TOWER

Lucia pulled het shawl farther across her face and shrank down on the station platform bench as the solid blue figure suddenly bent down over her. Excitedly she shook her bead in answer to the question that she could not understand. She searched through her red plaid waist for the paper that Tony had folded into a little square and given to her. The writing on it in the English that Tony knew and she did not, told the house where she lived. morning. He had told it to her again at the station. Then, waving his hat, he had disappeared into the train with the rest of the men, and Lucia had been left standing oneside the gate There were crowds of women pushing all about her. They were weeping. So Lucia went, too.

Lucia had been betrothed to Tony in the old country. Five years before with a long ticket for New York pinned into his inside pocket, her lover had left her. He wrote in every letter that he had made her a home in the new country. Her dowry money had finally provided her own transportation, and for two months Topy and she had been married. Then he had drawn a ticket with a number on it, and this morning he had gone off to

To the policeman Lucia told all these things in rapid Italian. But the policeman only talked back to her as rapidly in a language that was not Italian. She followed him dumbly to headquarters. An hour later a woman wearing American clothes gently began talking to her in beautiful Ital-

Italian Lucia was only one of thousands of foreign-born wemen, Syrians, Italians, Armenians, Russians, Lithu-anians, Polish, who, when the draft called their men folk to the American colors, asked in helpless confusion what it was all about. When would their men be back? What did people mean when they told them they would receive money through -- the mail? Where could they find work that they knew how to do? Was there no one who could explain it all to them in their own language?

The Y W C A was ready to offer assistance, but it would be of no value to offer it in English. Consequently it had to supply a corps of women who could talk to the foreign-born woman at her own door in the language that she was used to hearing in the homeland. To teach her English was as essential a factor in her Americanization as to find her a job. Therefore the war council of the Y. W. C. A. set out to find her English.

A year before the war began in Europe, the leaders of the Young Woman's Christian association foresaw just such a situation, and made ready to meet it. They studied the needs of the immigrant. They trained skilled American social workers to become familiar with the home habits and to speak the language of the Lett and the Hungarian and the Greek and the other foreign mothers who brought bables and bundles over from Ellis island to Battery park.

The organization into which this experiment has developed was named by the Y. W. C. A. national board, "The International Institute for Young Women." In terms which these women can understand, it is teaching the foreign-horn how to sew and cook and

To girls like Italian Lucia, who conforms when the draft trains pulled out, the W. Y. C. A. is giving direct assistance. Educated European women, continue to cut down our consump. appointed to the regular staff of work ers at the camp Y. W. C. A. Hostesi Houses are able to talk to the drafted men in their own language, assist them the camp.

"The Home Information Service for Foreign Families of Enlisted Men" is doing practical relief work for the wives and mothers. The purpose of the board is to help the women folk left behind to understand where their boys are and how they are being treat ed; how they need home support and cheer, how to send them comforts, and to keep nace themselves by learning English and other things, so that who the boys come home they will not find their women still very un-American and out of sympathy with them.

Food conservation bulletins have been translated into 18 or 19 languages. At the factories and munition plants interpreters are available for the non-English speaking women by whom the real war industries of the country are being largely carried on. In 25 important cities International Institute Bureaus are training American and foreign women for full time social service work with foreigners. Twentyfour trained women are employed on the national and district field staff of the Y. W. C. A. On June 15 there were 105 trained women working at Ameri

When more than 75,000 Chicago men tember 12 draft, Gang Luo Wong appeared at one precinct bringing with him Mrs. Gang Wong and the three children. All five wished to register. The enrolling clerk explained, but the Gang Luo Wongs make many broken Chinese remonstrances before the muster of the family was induced to sign a card without his wife, Mrs. Wong could not speak English. What would his family do in a strange country if Gang Luo went to war? All over the United States Chinese and Poles and Serbs were asking the same question. It is to just such needs that the War Council of the Y. M. C. A. is organised to give amistance.

Survey v' the food resources of 200,000 people fighting against decimany shows that to maintain enough auspiles and necessary reserves to guard against dieaster there must be conservation of wheat flour. In all powneries through the coming year. Use victory should find a paking; at other ceraits the content of the common table, and the common table.

#### Save Food

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America must be soming year these serving when all all ways—fer these when sit at the common table.

America must build up reserves to carry us over the harvest period and to protect us against the lean year that may come.

The feed conservation program is first military, that the movement of cermandities may be see ordered that nothing hinders putting forth our full strength on the battle line and making victory auro.

It is next humans, heading the world's ory for food which will be more and more commelling because of the whatage of fear years of war. We could not be deaf to the entreaty of these who sit at the common table.

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In adversity.

The conservation program reduces to this: Every ounce of food of every sort that we manage to save will set free its proportien of essential food for the relief of those whose needs are greater than ours.

The success of this program rests not alone on the honor and co-operation but also upon the intelligence of the American people: its success will be the highest preef of the faith and works of democracy in America.

#### PRESCOTT DISCUSSES **NEW FOOD PROGRAM**

CONSUMPTION MUST BE CUT DOWN TO INCREASE OUR EXPORTS FIFTY PER CENT.

Type of Waste Must Be Eliminated to Fulfill America's Pledge" Says Prescott,

Lansing, Nov. 6.—A steady pres-sure in all directions; saving food all along the line. This, in brief, is the food conservation program for the second year of this country's participation in the war.

"The most careful and thrifty con. servation, the elimination of every type of, waste are the principles which the Food Administration is asking to be observed," declared Geo.

A. Prescott, Food Administrator for Michigan,

"A year ago the American people were asked to reduce all unnecessary consumption and waste. The Food Administration preached the gospel of the clean plate. That is the gospel we want to get into every household this year; and if we can get-this over, it will have a better total effect than any plan of substitutions to fill a specific program.

General Program,

"Mr. Hoover believes the American housewife has got to the point of education on food questions that will enable the Food Administration to tell her to use her own judgment and get along with as little as she has to. He believes she will show more it if she is given a general job than if everything were laid out to her

step by step.
"The Food Administration is not letting down on the food program. Some seem to have this impression. It is asking more than it has asked efore. It is easy enough for people to keep a meatless day or a wheat-less day; it is not easy for them to reduce their consumption of wheat and meat. And the Food Administration is asking for the difficult serwice and not the easy one.

increase Fifty Per Cent.
"We cannot ship 17,500,000 tons of food out of the country and not confusedly lingered on the station plat- tinue to conserve food. We cannot increase our last year's food exports to the allies by 50 per cent and not

"There are vitally essential foods and less essential now, just as there are essential industries and less esin writing letters home, and in arranging furloughs and little visits to and sugar are essential. Fresh tables, perishables of many kinds, bulky, unshippable foods, are—in a essential military sense—the less it is the staples that must be saved: consumption of them must be cut down this year."

#### CONSERVATION IS IMPERATIVE For the Allies the danger of

privation is passed; the need of rigid economy is still present.

For the people of the United States, the need of voluntary sacrifice, of willing devotion is as great as ever.

That same spirit by which Europe was saved from, its gravest peril during the season of food shortage is still required of us. By easier measures now, by sterner measures if want comes again, proving our endurance as we have proved our energy, the American people are to keep the trust com. mitted to them.

Rigid conservation of food

## A TRIBUTE TO AMERICA

The following is elipped from a July number of the London Meat Trade Journal:

"We cordially welcome among us Mr. Herbert Hoover, Food Administrator of the United States, whose services to the allied cause have been of immense value. He has come to attend a conference with the food ministers of Great Britain, France and Italy, which takes place in London this week. The object of his visit is to determine the method of handling our food supplies for the next twelve mined in advance. We thank him personally for what he has and is doing on behalf of the allies, and also the great American Nation, who are 'absolutely in this war as regards food as well as men.' While we watch with admiration the fighting qualities of their heroic army in France, let us not forget to gratefully acknowledge the splendid service of the people in the States, where everyone is doing his bit, whether at the dinner table or in the field."

#### LET THE YOUNG TURKEYS GROW

Bug and Seed Hunting Stason Is Most Beneficial to Birds.

Although Thanksgiving is several weeks off, the Michigan Division of the Food Administration urges hat turkeys be allowed to develop and grow fat. The turkey is still a wild bird. It is pointed out that all the efforts of the farmer and have failed to domesticate this wanderer into a barnyard dependent that puts on fat at the whim of the owner A chicken will put feed into fat at almost any age and at any time the crop is kept filled with the light kind of feed.

The young turkey, however, long-legged, bug hunter until the winter thatch of feathers is put on and Nature suggests that it is time to store up a reserve for rigorous weather. Turkeys will put on weight rapidly and economically at that season and raisers should take advantage

This, too, is the season when fields provide plenty of feed that would otherwise go to waste and, in the case of weed seeds, would do darrage to future crops. Now, when we have need for every

unce of food that can be put into bug and seed hunting season.

A young gobbler that weighs tenpounds in October will weigh twelve or thirteen sixty days later if given a little extra feed along toward the end of that period. A hen in the same time will fill out from seven pounds to nine or ten. Such satisfactory gains can be made at no other time in the bird's life. It is the season when Nature is preparing for wirter. The turkey hasn't learned to depend on the farmer's grain bins.

The Food Administration suggests that in order to take advantage of this favorable season for putting on grains that no . young turkey hens weighing less than six pounds dress. ed should be marketed Young gob. blers should be of sufficient size to dress at least eight pounds before ing sold. Let the turkeys develop and grow fat.

Because of the diminishing of the herds, Europe will face serious food shortages for years after peace is achieved.—U. S. Food Administra

### Our Duty to The Ailies

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## Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat fisabes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia K. rink-ham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proceed to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-ble Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms." —Mrs. ELORENCE ISELLA, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.



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SCORNS FERRETS: HUNTS WITH A RAT

Keeps Hold of "Billie" by Wire As tached to a Metal Band Around His Neck.

Cleveland, N. Y. James Stubbs, who lives two miles east of this village, in Oneida County, is known as one of the best hunters in this sect-This winter when the State Conservation Commission granted per-mission to use ferrets for hunting rabbits in Oswego County, Mr. Stubbs' neighbors over the line "joshed" him because he could not enjoy the same privilege. The neighbors would hunt with rabbits which they would display to Mr. Stubbs.

But Mr. Stubbs was not to be outdone. A few mornings ago his neighbors saw him start out with a gun and a bag over his shoulder. They called to him that he "would get caught with his ferret," but he laughed. Late in the afternoon he returned home with ten rabbits which he showed to his neighbors.

Mr. Stubbs did not use a ferret. Rats recently got into his cellar and were eating his vegetables. He set a box trap and a few days later caught an extra large rat. He made a metal collar, placed it around the rat's neck and fastened a long wire to the collar. Then he placed the rat in a bag and started out.

Mr. Stubbs traced a rabbit to its hole, fastened the end of the wire to his belt and released the rat. The rat entered the hole and drove out the rabbit, which was shot. The rat was pulled from the hole, put in the bag and the hunt continued until ten rabbits had been shot.

Mr. Stubbs says the rat is better than a ferret for the reason that it form for human consumption, wheth- will not attack a rabbit. He has namer ground by mills or gizzards, it is ed it "Billie." Other Oneida County the soundest economy to let the young turkeys live through the fall white rats on the rabbits, but Mr.

> FEMALE TURTLE PROVES TRUE TO DEAD MATE.

> In Her Grief She Lays 21 Eggs Beside the Dispatched Snapper.

GRISWOLD, Conn.-No faural fable is this tale of the devotion of a big snapping turtle to her mate, but it is vouched for by two good men and true. Frank Geer and Clifford Barr of of burough of Jewett City.

The two young men were riding along the road near Butt's ridge recently when they spied an enormous turtle blocking the way. In order to prevent the forty-pounder from slip-ping back into the swamp the young fellows held him by the tail till they could decide what to do.

As they had nothing in the shape of a weapon, it was planned that Barr should stand upon the turtle's back while Geer went to a farmhouse half a mile away to borrow an ax. These measures suited the young men but the turtle objected strengously and set off toward the swamp. However, Barr was able to retain his footing on the shell until Geer return few blows of the ax ended the big fellow's career.

The young men were going on a business errand, so determined to leave the cadaver of the turtle in a grain sack beside the road until their

When they came back a few hours later they were amased to see the tur-tle's mate gliding off, after having hid twenty-one big, white eggs in a hole which she had dug beside the sack containing her consort's "remains."

It was evident by her actions that she realized in some instinctive way that something was wrong. She managed to escape, but Greer and Barr have the twenty-one eggs and the defunct Page Turtle.

SHEARS SAVE LIVES OF TWO.

Are Used by Pair Under Auto to Get

Air.

PIERRE, S. D. — A pair of pocket shears, which accidently slipped from his pocket and within reach of his hand enabled A. F. Moore to save the life of his wife and himself when they were trapped under their automobile which overturned on a road near here. The upholstering of the car was pressed against their faces so that they were smothering, but by using the scissors Mr. Moore enabled his wife and himself to breathe until farmers arrived and rescued them.

MILITARY DRILL BY 32 PIGS.

Can Perform Their Evolutions With out a Commander.

BELCHERTOWN, Mass. — Jack Newman has organized his piggery according to the infantry drill regulations. From out of a company of a hundred pigs he has picked a squad of thirty-two.

Every morning before breakfast these thirty-two pigs follow their drillmaster for two miles around the edge of the field, just inside the wire, and then parade across the center.

Newman purposely delayed his appearance one day and found that the pigs went thrugh their usual evolu-

SURE, IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

Experience of This Maine Woman Lends Further Proof.

BUCKSPORT, Maine. — Anna Cagley, answering an offer to wed in a

matrimonial magazine because of the man's many fine points, found it was her divorced husband. They were married for the second time this week. Mrs. Cagley says she never knew till she read the advertisement what a fine man her husband was, or they never would have parted in the first

FULL OF COLD: HAD THE GRIP.

Many will be pleased to read how Lewis Newman, 506 Northrand St., Charleston, W. Va., was restored to health. He writes: "I was down sick and nothing would do me any good. I was full of cold. Had the grip until I got two 50c bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar. It is the best remedy for grip and colds I eyer used."-Hite's Drug Store.

SIGHTLESS STOREKEEPER IS WONDER TO PATRONS.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Ask any one in the vicinity of 1920 Eastern avenue who is the most talked of man in the neighborhood and he will say, without hesitation, Arthur J. Kob, the sightless man, who keeps a small department store at the above address.

Nearly every one thereabouts patronizes Kob because it is always marvelous to the customers to see Kob go immediately to the article asked for measure it, or weigh it, wrap it up, and then give back the exact change. Kob is 48. He has been totally blind since he was 8.

He was educated at the Columbus State school, and took up plane tuning, which he soon dropped and entered the grocery and notion trade in the neighborhood where he was born. He has a bright little son, 6 years old whose vision is perfect.

For nineteen years he has been in his present business. For eleven of those years he kept his own accounts along with his work in the shop, and he has always taken care of the store He will climb to the ceiling for a certain order and in a moment be in the center of the store unhesitatingly picking out some other request.

He has no difficulty with his array of candies or cigars or threads, or, in met, anything in the shtablishment.

HOW A SALESMAN SUFFERED.

R. J. Porter, Sterling, Col., writes; "I suffered with a painful, weak back. As a traveling salesman I had to stoop frequently to pick up my grips, and the pain when I straightened up was awful, I was induced to try Foley Kidney Pills. Relief was immediate. Say, they are great." Prompt and tonic.-Hite's Drug Store.

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