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125th Infantry Making History

Headquarters Company In Midst of Battles Last Month.

Capt. Winters Gives Interesting Information About Our Boys.

[Letter from Capt. H. L. Winters to R. A. Brintnall, received this week.]

Second Battalion Hdqrs Oct. 31, 1918.

My Dear Brintnall:

Just a line tonight to let you know I am still alive and feeling fine. Am seated in my boche dug-out, surrounded by official family, and receiving over the wire all latest peace dope direct from Paris and Berlin. And still Brintnall we expect to go back in any minute.

The old Headquarters Co. are still getting by nicely. However, Private Harold Sweet and Corporal Albert Rebec, two of our bravest boys, were left on the battlefields. Both died heroes, and our people at home should be proud of their record. Their families have our deepest sympathy.

I am now, and have been since Oct. 6th, in command of our Second Battalion, and have been recommended for promotion. And along with many more of my battalion have been cited in orders for our work during our last advance. I am enclosing a copy of our Operation Report which may be of some interest to you.

Lieut. Spring is now a Captain and attached to Regimental Headquarters. Lieut. Cummings is still with Headquarters Co. but may accept a place in the S. O. Supplies.

The rest of the East Jordan boys are well, and I understand are all playing the game.

I hope I may be able to see my East Jordan friends again before my departure for the west. You see, Brintnall, I plan on getting back.

Now, with best regards to yourself and family, I remain

Sincerely yours,
Capt. H. L. Winters.

Headquarters Second Battalion
125th Infantry.

Oct. 23rd, 1918.

HISTORY OF EVENTS OF THE SECOND BATTALION, 125TH INFANTRY IN THE DRIVE WEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 6th to 20th, 1918.

On the morning of October 6th, 1918, the Battalion was in position along the Gesnes-Cierges road between parallels 81-92; and in close contact with the enemy, who held the five wooded lots to our front and had strong machine gun positions on railroad cut at 7224.

A local attack was launched on Oct. 7th which resulted in the taking of Hill 229 and advancing front line to wooden lots one and two to parallel 82. This advance was accomplished with but comparatively few casualties.

Battalion patrols were active on the night of the 7th, giving data on enemy machine gun nests. This information was of great help to us in planning our attacks for the morning of Oct. 8th which was launched along the entire line at 8:30 a. m. Amid dense fog and heavy machine gun fire we pushed forward from our position, but due to the fact that the friendly troops on our right failed to advance, it put our men in a very dangerous position, subjecting us to flank machine gun fire and inflicting heavy losses to our right Company. Our advance was held up until steps were taken to clear up these positions on our flank.

Fighting our way inch by inch, coming in hand to hand combat with the enemy, we finally succeeded in extending our line to the foot of Hill 258, and placing two Companies, H and F, on the Third Bn. line. During the next morning Companies E and G were pushed up to the crest of Hill 258 and at noon the Second Battalion became the supporting element, until the advance on Cote Dame Marie the following morning.

On the morning of Oct. 10th the advance began from Hill 258 to gain the heights of Cote Dame Marie, but due to intense machine gun and artillery fire, only the left flank of the line advanced, including part of the Third Battalion and Companies F and H of the Second Battalion. This provisional Battalion advanced by the inflating method, and under a severe machine gun fire which caused heavy casualties, took up position on crest of Cote Dame Marie Hill, and remained in said position until relieved on the morning of Oct. 13th.

From this time (during the advance

on Romagne) the 125th Regiment became the supporting element of the 128th Regt., the Second Battalion in support of the First Battalion, 125th Inf.

The village of Romagne being taken, the Second Battalion took up position on hill west of Romagne in support of the First Battalion who were holding a front line position at this time. Under heavy shell fire the Second Battalion remained in position until the afternoon of Oct. 15th, when ordered to move to the West and North of Romagne in support of First Bn. 128th. This move necessitated the placing of Companies F and G on the front line in the Bois De Chamegnon woods, filling up a gap between the 128th and 126th Regiments.

This position was maintained until the evening of Oct. 17th when the Battalion was moved by Brigade Orders, and in conjunction with troops to our left, over rough, hilly and wooded terrain, and under difficult circumstances broke through the enemies strong points, reaching the FOURTH OBJECTIVE in the Bois De Bantheville woods, and held position until relieved by the 89th Division on the night of Oct. 20th, 1918.

CAPT. H. L. WINTERS
Commanding Second Bn., 125th Inf.

WILLIAM M. ROBINSON IS VICTIM OF BLOOD POISONING.

William M. Robinson passed away at his home in this city, Saturday last, Nov. 23rd, following a week's illness from blood poisoning. Mr. Robinson, who was lumber inspector for the East Jordan Lumber Co., received a small wound on one of his thumbs and, considered it of no consequence. A week previous to his death he was taken ill and blood poisoning set in. The infection went to the elbow and then receded. It affected the heart and caused his death.

Deceased was born at Union Center, N. Y., March 27th 1859. He came to Michigan in early childhood, locating at Muskegon. In 1894 he moved to Belaire and in February 1916 came to East Jordan. He was united in marriage to Miss Louise Kettler at Toledo, Ohio, June 3rd, 1903.

The widow, together with five children—Elnora, Leora, Gretchen, William, and Ford—survive.

Mr. Robinson was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and the fraternal order of Woodmen.

Funeral services were held from his late home, Tuesday noon, conducted by his pastor, Rev. R. S. Sidebotham. The remains were taken to Belaire that afternoon for interment.

School Notes

The Domestic Science Class have been cooking several things this week. They are stuffed tomatoes, scalloped tomatoes and Chocolate cake.

The Camp Fire Girls are to have a big Bake Sale, Saturday, Nov. 30th, at the store formerly belonging to Mrs. Boswell. Everybody be sure and come.

The Commercial Class is now studying The Opening and Closing of a Ledger Balance Sheet, Financial Statement, Loss and Gain Statement, Expense Account and Expense Problems.

The Shorthand classes are now writing business letters from dictation and transcribing them, making perfect typewritten copies no egasures being allowed.

Under the instruction of Mrs. Fowler the Camp Fire Girls are working on Red Cross work. They are also making Red Cross Nurse's comfort kits.

A masquerade party by the Freshman class, was held at the school house, Nov. 15th. Games were played, and the class spirit which was shown by the class will never be forgotten. The talk which was given by Mr. Keyworth was greatly appreciated by all. Everyone enjoyed the evening and went home hoping that the class of 1922 would have a party again soon.

Kindergarten.—The Thanksgiving party was held Wednesday forenoon and afternoon for each division. The windows were draped in yellow and white. Plants and candles were the decorations. White frosted cookies were served. About twenty-six were present.

First Grade.—The first and second grades had their Thanksgiving program together.

Second Grade.—The pupils who were neither tardy nor absent during the month of November: Ruth Alexander, Ethel Bradford, Margaret Maddock, Keith Kale, Norman Stuart, Lois Law, John Squier, Mrs. Blanshan visited school the first part of last week.

Casualty List Is Growing

East Jordan Soldiers In Thick of Fight During October.

Reports from the battlefields for the month of October are coming in and indications are that a number of East Jordan's soldiers were under fire. Some of them paid the supreme sacrifice.

A telegram from Washington was received by Mr. and Mrs. John Hosier Sunday evening, stating that their son, Private Clifford Hosier, Infantry, is officially reported as missing in action since Oct. 11th. The young man is a member of Company H, 125th Inf. (not Headquarters Company.) In Capt. Winters' Battalion report, published elsewhere, mention is made of Company H being in action about the time he was reported missing.

In Capt. Winters' letter, mention is made of the death in action of Private Harold Sweet, who was killed at the same time that Private Rebec was. The young man was son of W. A. Sweet of Flint and Mrs. Nellie Sweet of this city.

The Casualty list of Nov. 25th contains—wounded, degree undetermined, Mechanic Wm. J. Boss of Ellsworth. Mr. Boss was with the 125th Infantry and undoubtedly with Hdqrs Company. Casualty list of Nov. 26—Wounded severely—Corporal Lewis J. Trojanek of East Jordan.

MONEY BURNS POCKETS

Yankee Soldiers Astound French by Their Spending.

Buy Everything In Sight and Overlook Nothing—Souvenirs Are Sent Home.

Paris.—No wonder that American soldiers astound the French with their money-spending proclivity. Shops stocked sufficiently in the ordinary course of events to last six months are frequently cleaned out in a day when the Yankees arrive. The Americans just simply buy everything in sight.

A lunch of troops just arriving from the long journey overseas, or perhaps having been shunted around a month or so after landing, reach a permanent camp and are paid off. Frequently they haven't had a pay day in two or three months.

Then with their pockets full of the strange francs they go to town and make up for lost time. They overlook nothing from a Swiss watch to an armful of souvenirs to send back home.

But with all the spending and buying it is remarkable that there are so few cases of drunkenness. The wine shops are open to the Americans at certain hours, generally from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. But the average American does not like French wine, at least not at first. French beer has a flat, weak taste which does not appeal at all to Americans. There is no whiskey, and even were it available the Americans would not be allowed to purchase it. Cognac is the nearest approach to whiskey and this must be obtained by stealth—sort of a bootlegging process.

Many thousands of American soldiers, disgusted with the light wines and beers which only they may procure, have forewarned booze entirely, gone on the "water wagon" for keeps and will be in good trim for the nation-wide prohibition they will face when they return to the United States.

EAST JORDAN AMAZED BY SUDDEN ACTION.

The quick action of pure Lavoptik eye wash is startling. A school boy had eye strain so badly he could not read. A week's use of Lavoptik surprised his teacher so much she used it for her old mother. ONE WASH showed benefit. A small bottle is guaranteed to benefit EVERY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. The QUICK result is astonishing. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Gidley & Mac, druggists.

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; cures raw, inflamed surfaces with a healing, soothing coating; clears air passages, checks strangling, choking, coughing. Contains no opiates.—Hite's Drug Store.

LIKE A THUNDERCLAP OUT OF A CLEAR SKY

Dixon, Ill.—Things happened pretty quickly for Harry I. Miller, an Amboy farmer, after he was alleged to have said: "I will shoot anyone who comes on my farm to sell me a bond in this Liberty loan drive." He was called before the local exemption board, given a lecture, compelled to subscribe his quota of bonds, \$200, examined by the exemption board physician, passed and ordered to report for service in the next call.

YANK IS "HIGH-BROW"

Censor Says Letters Home Show Intelligence of Soldier.

Misgivings to Mothers Make Light of Wounds, and Say They're All Going to Berlin.

Paris.—"To get a good idea of the high intelligence of the average American soldier, one should have a job of censoring letters," said an American officer, who had just been released from a front hospital where both privates and officers were cared for.

"While recovering from my wound," he continued, "I used to pass away the time acting as temporary censor for the wounded, and also for part of the hospital personnel.

"And the letters that those chaps wrote were wonderful. Especially the letters to their mothers. They were diplomatic that's all. Most of the letters the wounded wrote would start off with some commonplace comment on the weather or the war and then the writer would casually mention that he had been wounded. But the next sentence invariably would be something like this: "Don't worry a bit, mother, about me. I'm getting along fine; it's only a slight wound and I'm getting fat on hospital food. Everyone treats me great, the nurses and the doctors are fine, and I'll be out in a jiffy."

"Another thing that struck me about those letters was that almost all of them were correct grammatically. Several times the writers would speak of books they were reading. I confess I have never read such deep matters as they were taking up.

"And patriotism had its part in every letter, always a line about the war ending with the Americans on top. They were all going to Berlin, and going as conquerors, too—those chaps."

FEAR ENEMY POISON PLOT

Booklets "Made in Germany" Cause War Scare in Public School at Oyster Bay.

Oyster Bay, L. I.—The discovery that they were "made in Germany" caused B. E. Whittaker, principal of the public school, to order pupils to throw away booklets which had been given to them by a stranger. Samples are to be analyzed, as it is believed the booklets may secrete germs of disease.

Several days ago a stranger came here and gave the booklets to many school boys and girls. He said the booklets had pictures of prominent men, which would appear by rubbing the scrapings of a pencil on a page with the finger.

Mr. Whittaker got one of them, and discovered on the last page the words, "Made in Germany." He collected as many of the books as he could and instructed pupils to throw the others away.

"I have sent these books to New York for analysis," said Mr. Whittaker. "The children to get the pictures of President Wilson and Mr. Roosevelt had to rub their fingers over the page of the book. Naturally, the children afterwards put their fingers in their mouths, and as there is much illness among pupils here I decided to send the booklets for examination."

TAX NOTICE

Taxes of the City of East Jordan, levied for state, county, county road and school purposes, are due and payable at my office over Hite's Drug Store, on and after December 10, 1918. If paid on or before January 10, 1919, no collection fee will be added. Thereafter a charge of four per cent will be added.

WM. T. BOSWELL,
City Treasurer.

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 M4563 030828.

Farm Bureau Is Reorganized

Meeting at Loeb Farm, Friday, a Successful Affair.

The Loeb farm on the south shore of Pine Lake, was the scene of one of the greatest activities ever held in Charlevoix county, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. on Friday of last week. The cause of the excitement was the reorganization of the Charlevoix County Farm Bureau. Coupled with this was the desire to see and the interest of our citizens in the beautiful Loeb farm.

Between the hours of ten o'clock and the serving of the pot-luck dinner at noon the crowds wandered through the dairy barns of this most wonderful farm and from what they saw they gained an idea of the efficiency and sanitation of an ideal dairy. The tremendously large barn built of field stone will accommodate comfortably some 300 heads of thoro-bred holstein cattle. At the present time only a small portion of the cattle barn is completed. In this section the most sanitary conditions prevail. The floor and mangers are of concrete with the exception of that part of the floor on which the cattle stand or lie, and this is paved with creosoted wood brick. The walls are tiled to a height of four feet from the floor and the upper walls and ceiling are lathed and plastered with beautiful white finish. The ventilation of these barns is ideal and adds to the health and vigor of the milk-producing cow. Every cow is provided with an individual drinking cup. Milking is done by the vacuum method and a gas engine is provided for pumping the air through a pipe line over the stanchions. To this the milking machines are attached by couplings between each stall.

The decorations of the barn consisted of beautiful flower boxes filled with blooming geraniums.

About noon the pot-luck dinner was served on improvised tables arranged by the management of the farm. These were located in the barn which is still under construction. To say that the dinner was enjoyed and that there was plenty for all will but give you an idea of it. Too much cannot be said regarding it and to give complete justice to the many things which adorned the table would require a very large space, but suffice to say everyone was satisfied to the extent that the full cider barrel remained untouched until late in the afternoon.

Immediately after dinner the meeting was called to order by William J. Pearson of Boyne Falls who has acted as President of the Farm Bureau since the installation of the County Agent system in Charlevoix county. He was promptly elected as temporary chairman and Mr. Sloan of Charlevoix elected temporary secretary. H. G. Smith, County Agent from Kent county, spoke upon the necessity of farmers organizations and the importance of a well organized Farm Bureau. He emphasized the importance of having a well defined plan of work for the development of the county and for the solving of problems concerning the various parts of the county including production, standardization of farm crops, live stock, county welfare work and other equally interesting topics, which if properly developed, will work no end of good in our county.

Immediately following the appointment of the various committees on by-laws, nomination and project, the Hon. D. D. Aitken of Flint was given the floor and for more than an hour he held his large and appreciative audience in closest attention. His constructive talk dealt chiefly upon the importance of standard stock raising. In introducing his subject, he referred to recent experiments made in one of our large laboratories on rats of common variety, and showed that even the lowest type of the animal kingdom cannot live without a diet including milk products and butter fats. He emphasized the importance of the health of people, especially children, and gave figures showing that thousands of children die annually from the lack of proper nourishment. His remarks were made in such a forceful manner that the farmers present sensed the situation and realized the importance of increased production and the adoption of sanitary methods in dairying. Mr. Aitken will long be remembered and no doubt a great deal of good will accrue as a result of his talk.

Mrs. Bernice Fowler of East Jordan

then sang in her usual pleasing manner, "That Land of Mine." It was received with such enthusiasm that she responded with an encore singing a popular war-time song which was equally well received.

The committees not yet ready to report, Mr. E. E. Tamm, County Agent of Kalkaska county, gave a short talk on the problems that arise in the county and in a very pleasing manner held the attention of the interested audience.

The reading and adoption of the by-laws was next the order of business and when the report of the nomination committee was called for and read, a motion was made to waive the rules, and the entire list as prepared by the nomination committee were elected: President, W. J. Pearson; Vice President, Wm. Townsend; Secretary and Farm Records, W. E. Tindall; Treasurer, Elmer Ingalls; Boys and Girls Club Work, May L. Stewart; Home Economics, Mrs. W. M. Boylan; Crops, Frank Bird; Soils, Carl Stroebel; Live Stock, M. Otto; Marketing, Wm. Burns. These elected officers constitute the Executive Board of the Charlevoix county Farm Bureau, and with the splendid ability included in this list, it is sure that the County Farm Bureau will be a huge success and will line up with the other progressive farm organizations throughout the county.

County Agent C. F. Smith, in a few well chosen remarks, impressed upon the farmers of this county the importance of cooperation and organized effort to gain the results necessary to put Charlevoix county on the map. He then called for a rising vote of thanks and appreciation extended to the management of the Loeb farm and to those who had so kindly donated to the splendid program of the day.

HOW TO MAKE WET TOWN DRY

Kansas Calls on McAdoo for Help Against Missouri and Gets It.

Pittsburg, Kan.—When in doubt about how to close a booze town in a wet state, next to a dry town, call upon the railroad administration. This is the advice of country officials here.

Just across the Missouri line for years the Missouri Pacific has had a station at Minden, at which beer and booze, in carload lots, have been unloaded and which later found its way into the mining camps on the Kansas side. All efforts to stop the practice failed.

Recently County Attorney H. W. Timmonds of Barton county, Missouri, asked Director General McAdoo's help. An order was issued closing the Missouri Pacific station in Minden and all freight is sent via a Frisco, which has to switch from this side.

Result, booze in the mining camps is becoming scarce.

Changes German Name.

Atlanta, Ga.—John von Hadeln, an American with a German name, testified before the federal court that he could stand the reflection no longer. So his name is now John F. Vaughn. Vaughn declares he has not a drop of German blood in his veins.

YANKS IN WRECKED VILLAGE



A detachment of Americans are here shown on their way through the French town of Bucquoy, which has suffered some very heavy bombardments. This French official photograph shows the ruins of the village and the American troops passing through. The French official says their way to do their share in the heavy fighting which the Yanks did in this sector.

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Alabama Sergeant Gives Graphic Description of the Hell of War.

BIG BATTLE AS HE SAW IT

Inferno of Noise, Confusion and Death—Barrage and Gas—"Gott" With the Germans but Americans With French.

Anniston, Ala.—Here is the description of a big battle as it impressed itself upon the mind of Sgt. Lawrence Hopkins of Oxford:

"They're off!" "It sends a thrill through you as you hear their cry and rise up and find yourself in a crowd of men; pausing a moment to light our pipes or cigarettes and we are hurrying forward with glistering steel in our hands to meet the foe.

"If it were not for these other men moving along heavily laden to keep pace with the barrage one might well stand in amazement at a wilderness suddenly become crowded with swaying humanity, bravely attempting to weather the furious storm.

"The big guns roll like heavy thunder, the little field batteries answer with a bark, shells scream, whistle, howl, according to their moods.

Death is everywhere.

"The quick staccato coughing of machine guns goes on ceaselessly all around you and is swallowed up in its echoes. There is a spatter of rifle bullets as they whiz by you and you wonder that you are untouched. Barbed wire tears our clothes to pieces; mud sticks them together again. Birds fly at our feet and from the sky winged airplanes swoop down. Spitfire tanks plod on behind, crashing and crushing; burning, boiling oil sends flames leaping to the clouds; molten phosphorus is poured into dugouts. There is gas to blind and choke you.

"There are laughs and cries; the laugh of a comrade as he struggles on, or the cry of another as he drops his rifle and puts his hand to his heart—his last cry. There is the yell of the hunter, the wild-crying despair of the hunted. The plunk of the mortars and the burst of the bombs add to the tumult of the storm.

"Stretcher bearers rush to and fro, running zig-zag across the battlefield with their messages. Then I drop into a shell hole, the cold sweat running off my face, and breathe. Take my compass out, get direction adjusted and when the barrage lifts I dive into the tornado again—and so on. Germans are scarce; they are down below. 'Moppers up' behind will deal with them. Over broken trenches and torn ground, slipping, falling, sprawling, I go for our objective. As the curtain of fire and smoke passes over the village we make the final spurt forward and—dig like h—!

Germans Fear Americans.

"The noise increases, the guns get more angry, shells and showers of mud and dirt are falling all around you. The devil seems to be raking out his furnaces, the sky seems to crash down on you, then my head swims; my arms fall to my sides, my legs grow limp and I drop down—ah!—I hastily don my gas mask. And when I open my eyes and find myself I am on a stretcher and someone with a smile all over his bronzed face offers me a cigarette.

"Yes, we ran the Huns for six days and five nights, and I did not want to eat or sleep. I tell you it was grand, and if I hadn't been gassed I feel like I could still be running them. We started in on the 24th day of July, my birthday, and, mother, dear, I took no prisoners.

"A German officer said to his men: 'Why do you run? Is not Gott mit you?' And the German soldiers answered: 'Yes, but the Americans are mit the French!'"

INVESTS INSURANCE IN BONDS AND STAMPS

Dalton, Ga.—Left \$10,000 insurance by her son, Amos Hardin, who died from a wound received in action in France, Mrs. Mary E. Hardin turned the entire amount into Liberty bonds and War Savings stamps. Mrs. Hardin says she takes this method in helping the government and to avenge her son. Her husband, Eli J. Hardin, gave his life in order to save a fellow workman endangered from noxious gases in a well. For this act Mrs. Hardin received a Carnegie hero medal and a pension.

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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Entered at the postoffice at East Jordan Michigan, as second class mail matter.

SAVE 16,000,000 BUSHELS OF WHEAT THAT FORMERLY WAS LOST IN THRESHING

Farmers, Urged by Food Administration, Provide Seven Extra Loaves of Bread for Every American.

By adopting cleaner threshing methods and by literally combing harvest fields to gather grain formerly wasted, threshermen and farmers of the United States this year saved fully 16,000,000 bushels of wheat, estimated as equivalent to about seven one-pound loaves of bread for every person in the country. This result, accompanied by corresponding savings of barley, oats, rye and other grains, is shown by reports from 38 grain states to the U. S. Food Administration. Other states, although not prepared to furnish definite figures of conservation in the grain fields, report greatly reduced harvest losses.

This rural food-saving achievement, accomplished in scarcely six months' time, was in direct response to requests by the Food Administration, which asked farmers and threshermen to reduce harvest losses from about 3 1/2 per cent—the estimated average in normal times—to the lowest possible minimum. Country grain threshing committees carried into every grain-growing community the official recommendations for accomplishing the results desired.

In numerous instances drivers of racks with leaky bottoms were sent from the fields to repair their equipment and frequently had order threshing machines were stopped until the cause of waste was removed. But in proportion to the number of persons engaged in gathering the nation's grain crop, cases of compulsion were comparatively rare. The Food Administration freely attributes the success of the grain threshing campaign to patriotic service by farmers, threshermen and their crews. Incidentally grain growers of the United States are many millions of dollars "in pocket" as a result of the grain saved.

NO ONE SUFFERED HERE.

The marvel of our voluntary food-saving, now that we are "getting results," is that no one ever actually suffered any hardship from it; that we all are better in health and spirit and better satisfied with ourselves because of our friendly self-denial.

Food control in America held the price of breadstuffs steady, prevented vicious speculation and extortion and preserved tranquillity at home.

FULL OF COLD; HAD THE GRIP.

Many will be pleased to read how Lewis Newman, 506 Northland, 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 ever used."—Hite's Drug Store.

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast in morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject. Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, sniffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, softens the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly. It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.



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If you will send us the names of five ladies in your town who you think would like to read the FAMILY STORY PAPER, we will send you and them each a sample copy, and will also send as a reward for your effort your choice of any one of the following:

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DIG UP MORE INDIAN RELICS

Canadian Society Reports an Interesting Discovery.

Brantford, Ont., Canada.—A find of rings and bracelets, thought to have been given by early English and French Settlers in exchange for land from Indians, with Indian bird amulet wampum and fine pottery, has been made by the Arayan Society, Brantford, in a newly-discovered Indian grave in Onondaga.

THAT TERRIBLE BACKACHE.

Mrs. G. Hyde, Homestead, Mich., writes: "I had that terrible backache and tired out feeling, scarcely able to do my work, but find by using Foley Kidney Pills that I soon feel like a new person." Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys throw out poisons that cause backache, rheumatic pains and aching joints.—Hite's Drug Store.

PROBATE ORDER

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 12th day of November A. D. 1918.

Present: Hon. Servetus A. Correll, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Jacob W. Rogers, Deceased, William Harrington having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 3rd day of December A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Servetus A. Correll, Judge of Probate.

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Get a small package of Hamburg Brewed 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 teaspoon 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 loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

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

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Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Liniment

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 30 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Liniment" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

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Briefs of the Week

Beg Your Pardon!

The Herald is only four pages this week. The reason—Material shipped from Cleveland Nov. 11th has failed to arrive. We're sorry.

Rev. Fr. McNeil was at Ludington this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Davies left Monday for a visit with relatives at Detroit.

Mrs. Nellie Sweet left Monday for Muskegon, where she will spend the winter with her daughter.

Charles Jackson left for New Buffalo, Mich., Tuesday, on a combined hunting trip and visit with friends.

Mrs. Mary Olen returned to her home at Cadillac, Tuesday, after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Cihak.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Starr of Lansing, a son, Nov. 23rd. Mrs. Starr was formerly Miss Gertrude Grant of this city.

Mrs. W. A. Smith returned to her home at Petoskey, Monday, after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Dicken.

Atty F. R. Williams and family, who have been making their home at Elk Rapids this summer, now occupy their residence here.

Anthony Brown and Mrs. Ida Phillips two well-known residents of East Jordan, were united in marriage at Charlevoix, Tuesday, at the Methodist parsonage, the pastor, Rev. Henry Candler, performing the ceremony. Their many friends here are extending sincere congratulations.

Food Administrator George A. Prescott has written his county food organizations that the collapse of the central powers has so changed the food administration's plans that the home card, which was to have been distributed the week of December 2 to 7, is now obsolete. It therefore will not be distributed.

Adolph Wilth of Marion township, Charlevoix county, arrested some time ago on a charge of failing to register, was given a hearing before Commissioner Leon Miller of the United States court at Petoskey, Friday. The man claims he is forty-six years old and the officers claim he is but thirty-four. He was bound over to the United States court for trial, and in default of bonds was placed in the Emmet county jail. He will be tried at the next term of the United States court at Grand Rapids.

In the beef sugar producing states, which includes Michigan, and in the cane sugar producing territory of Louisiana, where there is sufficient sugar available, the monthly sugar per capita allowance for household use will be increased from 3 to 4 pounds, effective December 1. Public eating places in these sections will be granted 4 pounds of sugar instead of 3, as at present, for every 90 meals served. This increase is granted because of the lack of cargo space for overseas shipment together with the insufficient storage facilities in this country.

Preparations are under way for an entertainment, given by the students of East Jordan High School at the Temple Theatre on Friday evening, December 13th. The entertainment will comprise two plays, one entitled "The Man from Brandon" and the other "The Man from Borneo." The first is a farce, full of action, fun and wit. The second is a high class comedy, one of the finest and cleverest plays ever written for amateurs. The plays are of such length that the two make a good full evening's entertainment. Every person who enjoys laughing will find this evening's entertainment one sure to appeal to them. Further announcements will be made soon.

Arthur Ward left Friday for Lansing and Jackson.

Mrs. W. T. Boswell was a Traverse City visitor, Tuesday.

Private Stewart Carr returned home from Camp Custer, Friday.

Miss Marie Poulson returned to her work at Muskegon, Monday.

Mrs. Frank Boyd left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at McBain.

Miss Josie Cihak left Monday for Detroit where she has a position.

Miss Mary Brezina is at Traverse City this week visiting her sister.

Mrs. Wm. Toynton of Detroit is guest of her sister, Mrs. A. R. Nowland.

Miss Emily Weiland left Tuesday for Detroit where she has employment.

Miss Adeline Weisman left for Detroit, Monday, where she has employment.

Miss Audrey St. John arrived here, Monday, from St. Clair for a visit with friends.

Mrs. W. C. Dunson of Bellaire is guest at the home of her son, Ray Dunson.

Mrs. A. J. Suffern is at Alma this week for a visit with her daughter, Miss Fay.

Mrs. James Cihak left for Grand Rapids, Tuesday, where she will visit her sister.

Misses Mina Hite and Belle Roy left Tuesday for a visit with friends at Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malpass with children are visiting relatives at Grand Rapids this week.

Edward Stanke and sister Miss Cora Stanke left Monday for a visit with relatives at Detroit.

Logan Stapleton and family moved last week to Mancelona where they will make their home.

Mrs. Herbert Trall was here from Mancelona this week to attend the funeral of Wm. Robinson.

Mrs. D. W. Marsac of Bay Shore was called here Friday by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. John White.

Sergt. Louis A. Behling received his discharge from Camp Custer this week returning home, Wednesday.

Sherman Conway returned home Monday from Flint where he was called by the death of an uncle.

LOST—A child's brown Seal Fur neck piece, last week on North Main St. Will finder kindly leave at Herald office.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burney, Misses Martha Lorraine and Elsie Johnson were guests of Harbor Springs friends, Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Stamper returned home Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives at New Castle, Ind., and Winchester, Ky.

Mrs. G. N. Waffel with daughter of Deward were guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ingalls, over Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Clark and daughter of Kent City, Mich., was called here Friday by the serious illness of her father, James Handy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson, a son, Albert William, Nov. 14th. They are now located on a farm near Wahoon Lake.

Mrs. Wm. Hipp returned to her home at Mancelona, Monday, after a fortnight's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hipp.

Private William Blaha was among those first to be discharged from military service, coming home from Camp Custer last Friday.

The High School is preparing an entertainment—two plays—to be presented at the Temple Theatre, Friday evening, Dec. 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. French with daughters Misses Catherine and Ellagene left Wednesday for their winter home at Miami, Fla.

Mrs. Edward Smag with children returned to her home at Grand Rapids, Wednesday, after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Maurice Geo.

Mrs. W. L. Pifer with children, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bennett, returned to her home at Millersburg, Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Mayrand with children returned to her home at Detroit, Friday, after an extended visit at the farm home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sloop. Her sister, Miss Pearl Sloop accompanied her home on a visit.

The Women's Improvement Club met with Miss Agnes Porter, Wednesday night. The paper of the evening was given by Mrs. W. H. Parks on "Mexico," and was excellent. Will meet next Tuesday, Dec. 3rd, at the home of Mrs. R. O. Babee.—Mrs. A. S. Hammond, Sec'y.

Mrs. Susan Bala is visiting relatives at Gaylord.

Frank Cook and family spent Thanksgiving at Green River.

J. Leahy, the optometrist, will be here again Dec. 9th-10th.

Miss Bertha Larson returned home Thursday from Traverse City.

Miss Mildred Barber is visiting her parents at Petoskey this week.

W. P. Porter returned home Monday from a business trip to Arkansas.

Mrs. E. J. Crossman returned home Monday from a visit at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. G. W. Kitsman with children is visiting relatives at Standish this week.

Mrs. George Carr of Charlevoix is guest at the home of her son, Geo. Carr and family.

H. H. Cummings returned Wednesday from a business trip to Cleveland and Detroit.

Mrs. Thos. Brennan with children are spending the week end with relatives at Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shepard and daughter left Thursday for a visit with relatives at Standish.

Mrs. James Nichols returned home Friday from an extended visit with relatives at Pueblo, Colo.

Mrs. Robert McFarlane of Bessemer, Mich., is guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crossman.

Thos. Joynt and family and Richard McDonald and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Central Lake.

Mrs. Clyde Dewey and children of Bellaire is guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Gagnon of Traverse City were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. A. Jay Hite, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Eunice Liskum returned to her school duties near Boyne. Falls this Saturday, after a five week's vacation on account of the flu.

Misses Alma Doerr and Neva Sessions of Traverse City were guests at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. John Whiteford over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeland and Mrs. Nora Pratt, of Shelby, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Passenger this week. They made the trip by auto.

Mrs. Jos. Moore with son are visiting friends at Mancelona.

Miss Sophia Berg returned to her work at Gaylord this Saturday.

Fred Palmer returned Friday from his hunting trip near St. Ignace.

A letter to Mrs. Milo Fay from her daughter, Mrs. Irvin Hiatt, indicates that Mr. Hiatt has been quite ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ramsey with children of Auburn, Mich., were guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Stokes, this week.

Amos Bruley, aged about 50 years, passed away at the County Farm last Friday, Nov. 22nd. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon. Interment at Catholic Cemetery.

FOR SALE—A Heavy Harness for One Horse.—J. A. NICKLESS.

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Presbyterian Church Notes
Robert S. Sidebotham, Pastor.

Sunday, Dec. 1, 1918.

10:30 a. m.—Morning Worship.

12:00 Noon—Sunday School.

5:00 p. m.—Vesper Service.

8:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

Thursday at 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

Sunday afternoon, Dec. 15, we plan to make the financial canvass for 1919.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness extended us during the illness and death of our husband and father.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson and Children.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will hold its annual chicken pie supper Dec. 4th. Because of the necessary extra work for other things the past year we have had to neglect our home church work. But if any members who happen to be in arrears with their dues will take care of them, this amount, together with the present year's dues for all members, will be hope be sufficient to pay our yearly pledge. The December meeting will be at Mrs. Suffern's and we hope every member will try to be there. Election of officers and paying of dues will be the order of the day.—M. A. Porter, Pres.; Mrs. R. Lalonde, Sec'y.

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Mrs. Godden Tells How It May be Passed in Safety and Comfort.

Fremont, 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 flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved 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.

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NOT DRAMA, BUT THE REAL THING

Mars Stages Strange Situations Produced by Open Fighting at Front.

REUNION IN FRENCH HOME

Officer Returns After Four Years of Hun Occupation to Wife and to Little Girl He Has Never Seen.

Mons.—The open warfare which was conducted by the allied forces in Flanders over long stretches of inhabited territory along the northern battlefront produced strange situations which were a far reach from the trench fighting, which marked the greater part of the war.

The correspondent was motoring along the highway leading to the recently freed city of Denain when a French officer beside the road asked for a ride. As soon as the car started he leaned out and began to inspect the surroundings eagerly. Occasionally he would wave to civilians and shout greetings.

Asked if he lived in the vicinity, the officer said that his home was in Denain, where four years ago he left his wife to join the colors. Just after his departure his first child, a daughter, was born. Then came the German occupation, cutting off his loved ones. Now he was going back after these long years to his wife and the baby he had never seen.

He was visibly wrought up to the highest pitch, as well he might be. It was quite possible he might find his family dead or gone and his home in ruins.

Entering the city the officer directed the correspondent toward his home, through streets showing the cruel marks of the invaders' hate. Turning into his street, the first house was in ruins. He gave a nervous start, but said nothing. A few doors farther on was his home, and the car stopped across the street from it. The officer climbed out slowly and with an effort, his eyes fixed on the place.

Afraid of Her Father.

There were no signs of life. The windows were shuttered and on the door was a sign showing that German officers had been living there. Crossing the street, the officer pulled the bell with shaking hand. No one answered. He backed away like a man in a trance and leaned against the car, trembling. Suddenly the door opened and an aged woman servant appeared in answer to the bell. She was leading by the hand a beautiful baby girl with a wealth of golden curls. The officer took one step toward the child and then halted. He was a stranger to his own flesh and blood.

The child hid behind the skirts of the nurse, peering out in fright. Undoubtedly her mother had told her many times during the Boche occupation that men in uniform were bad and that she must avoid them.

The horizon blue uniform of France meant nothing to this tot. The half-blind eyes of the old nurse had recognized her master, and she held out her hands to him, repeating, "Monsieur! Monsieur!" in ecstasy. He crossed the road and grasped her hands, but the baby drew back still farther.

A door opened at the end of a long hall and a comely young matron came through to see what was going on. When half way down the hall she caught sight of her husband. She stopped, her hand flew to her breast, and she swayed for a second as though about to fall. With a sobbing cry of joy she hurled herself into his arms.

MEETS HIS SON IN TRENCH

Ohio Father Enlists to Be Near His Soldier Boy and Joins Him Overseas.

Toledo, O.—News of the reunion of father and son in a front-line trench in northern France reached Mrs. Oscar Smith this week.

Lonnie Smith, seventeen years of age, enlisted more than six months ago and was sent overseas. His father, Oscar Smith, thirty-eight, who is a veteran of the Spanish-American war, worried over the absence of his son and enlisted in the hope that he could be near him.

He asked to be put in the same division with his son. Lonnie Smith had no knowledge of his father's enlistment until they met in front-line trenches.

Mrs. Smith is engaged in Red Cross work in the Toledo chapter and is keeping her remaining three children in school until her husband and son return.

IS SHE CHAMPION KNITTER?

Ohio Woman of 80 Years Sets a High Mark for Her Younger Sisters.

Cleveland, O.—Mrs. C. L. Newell, eighty years old, is the champion knitter of Cleveland. Although she is decidedly past the age when most women do much knitting, Mrs. Newell has set a mark of 175 pairs of soldiers' socks and ten soldiers' helmets in the last twelve months. She has no near relatives in the war, but says she is going to keep up her knitting pace as long as there is a demand for her handiwork.

CARING FOR WOUNDED



Mrs. Hammond, an American Red Cross worker, is shown serving water to badly wounded British Tommies, who are waiting to be taken to hospitals.

AFRAID OF ICE CREAM

French Children Taste New Dish and Cry, "It Is Hot."

But Young France Soon Learns to Like It and Hangs About American Camps.

Paris.—Ice cream is a new dish to the inhabitants of France.

Some of the big city dwellers may have had a passing acquaintance with it, but the rural folk and those in the villages saw their first ice cream made in the American army camps.

Many of the permanent American camps in the service of supplies have made ice cream a regular feature, the regimental canteens turning out the frozen delicacy for several hundred men.

The introduction of ice cream to the French peasant children has been productive of much amusement to the American troops. The youngsters think it is hot.

One of the men of an engineer regiment took a mess kit full of ice cream to a French farmhouse. One of the small boys took a big teaspoonful. A look of pained amazement came over his face, and, emptying his mouth of the frozen cream, he ran screaming to the protection of his mother's skirts crying: "Chaud! Chaud!" (Hot! Hot!)

The other children who had watched rather horror-stricken the fate of the first became convinced that the ice cream was some sort of a white fire and they would have nothing to do with it. The mother had to eat virtually all of the cream in order to induce them that it was cold rather than hot and that when not taken too fast was good to eat. Eventually, the children ate the last of the dish. But they partook of it gingerly, evidently greatly mystified that anything which first seemed hot then cold could be good to eat.

But in time the kids got to liking ice cream and they became as great a nuisance around the camps asking for ice cream as they had been before in seeking chewing gum.

CHAPLAIN DIES OF WOUNDS

Fatally Injured While Going to Rescue of Two Men Who Had Been Gassed.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Rev. M. Wilson Keith, chaplain of the One Hundred and Eleventh Infantry, died in France of wounds received while he was rescuing two of his "boys," according to letters received here. The action in which the clergyman received his death wounds was after the repulse of a German attack. According to his custom Reverend Keith was in the trench distributing chocolate and cigarettes. When the soldiers leaped out to attack the Germans difficulty was experienced in keeping the chaplain from going along. Two of the boys did not come back, after the Huns had been repulsed. Gas had left them helpless in "No Man's Land." When volunteers went out for them the chaplain went along. It was while engaged in this work that he was wounded.

BOAT TO SAIL ON ITS SIDE

Naval Plan to Put Ten Thousand-Ton Steamer Through Welland Canal is Proposed.

Detroit, Mich.—Marine engineers in local ship yards are watching with considerable interest an experiment being made to carry through the Welland canal, without cutting it in half, the 10,000-ton steamer Charles R. Van Hise.

It is proposed to float the vessel through the canal on its side. The Van Hise, which has a beam of 50 feet, is too wide to pass through the canal, but it is held that its depth of 83½ feet would permit free passage if it can be tipped over on its side.

The project involves some very delicate problems in engineering.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, the undersigned will sell at Public Auction on what is known as the Kitson Farm, near the Hipp School House, East Jordan Road, on

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| Gray Mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1400 | 10 bushels of Apples |
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| Gray Mare, 11 yrs. old, wt. 1400 | Ohio Springtooth Drag |
| Brown Gelding coming 3 yrs. | Spike-tooth 2-section Harrow |
| Brown Gelding coming 2 yrs. | Champion Mower |
| Bay Mare coming 2 yrs. | 8-foot Hay Rake |
| 4 Shoats | 4-horse Disc |
| 36 Laying Hens | 1-horse Grain Drill |
| 10 tons of Hay in barn | Riding Cultivator, (Dutch Uncle) |
| About 4 tons of Straw | Farm Truck |
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W. E. BYERS, Auctioneer

WHEN ALSACE COMES BACK

First Poll to Plant Tricolor on Walls of Strassburg Gets Bequest of \$841.43.

Philadelphia.—The minister of war in Paris has \$841.43 from the estate of a patriotic Philadelphia Frenchman, who died 20 years ago, to be paid to the first French soldier who plants the French flag on the walls of the city of Strassburg, Alsace.

This bequest was made by Jacques C. Aschbacher, who was a contractor and also secretary of the French Association of Philadelphia. He died in July, 1898, and in his will now on file at the city hall, he directed that \$200 be given to the first French soldier who carried out the feat in the next war.

The money was turned over the French minister of war and now amounts to over \$800 by reason of the accumulative interest.

"DISMISSED," SAID COURT

Disorderly, Tattered and Torn, He Brought Out a Roll and Bought \$200 of Liberty Bonds.

Chicago.—"Want to go to the Bride-well or work?" Judge LaBuy in a police court asked Tom McIntosh, charged with disorderly conduct—Tom, who was "tattered and torn and all fustled."

"I," said McIntosh, "am a workman. Put me down for \$200 in Liberty bonds."

And out of his sock he took a draft for \$357.

The judge signed him up on his bonds and then—"Dismissed."

HEAVY MEAT EATERS HAVE SLOW KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Backache or have bladder trouble—Take glass of Salts.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flouting the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. "Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidneys, they become over-worked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will set fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithium and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, to do neutralise the acids in the urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder troubles.

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