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Soldiers' Letter

The following letter was received by E. C. Sibley, editor of the Springport Signal, from his brother Clyde, former editor of the Pinckney Dispatch:

France, October, 1918.

Dear Brother:

Received your long letter written the first of September, along with four others.

We came near having to go down to St. Satur Sunday afternoon but it was cold and rainy and the lieutenant could only round up about half of the bunch, so we didn't go. It was certainly a long day. We have one stove and one fireplace in our rooms. Most of the people here use fireplaces to heat their homes so I imagine it does not get very cold here in winter.

We have some time making our stove go and have some bellows for that purpose. Sunday it nearly smoked us out of house and home. As there is no chimney in the building we have to run the pipe out of the window. There is no danger of the building burning as they are all made of stone about two feet thick.

Saturday the band hiked over to a town where one of the companies are located, about five miles, and back. Left here at 10 a. m., got our dinner at the village with the company, then marched them about two miles the other side of the village to a Chateau where the company held their blowout which consisted of a ballgame, drills, band music etc. The people at the Chateau were very fine to us. The lady said that she used to live in an English town where we were located on our way over. They treated us to some fine wine and cookies. About 4:30 we started back and arrived about 7, after which we got our supper and then played a concert at the K. C. hall. It is needless to say it was not very spirited. Last Thursday the band went up to a little village about four miles away and gave some concerts for the boys. We made this trip on the train. While we were waiting for the train a troop train filled with artillerymen from all sections of the army stopped there. Believe me, they were one hard looking crew and didn't seem to have a great deal of respect for officers or anyone else. We also saw a hospital train returning from the front and a supply train going to the front, all drawn by American engines.

Haven't seen a paper yet with my picture in it, but am dying of curiosity to see it. What are you doing, running me for senator? You see I would hate to quit this job for I am having a wonderful (?) time.

The band hasn't been doing any fatigue work so far this week, and have hopes we are through with that foolishness. Don't think for a minute that this is a pleasant pastime for us, although we are not having it hard.

This town is deadlier than anything you could imagine back home and the band creates the only excitement around here. Of course if we had a chance to visit the larger cities it would be different but we haven't had any yet.

Well, I will have to close. Hoping the war ends and that they don't loose any time shipping me back, I am

As ever,

Clyde.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

The American Red Cross is about to enter upon the most important campaign for membership in its history—the Christmas Roll Call. The object is to secure universal membership. No thing short of this accomplishment will enable the organization to assume the enormous tasks in the program of reconstruction. No child should be denied this high privilege of rendering a world-wide service.

The Christmas Roll Call begins on December 16 and ends the 28th. It is hoped that every teacher will see to it that twenty-five cents, the membership fee, is secured for every child in the school whether it be a new member or a renewal.

Enrollment blanks, pins, etc. may be gotten from the School Commissioner's office.

Hugh G. Aldrich,
Chairman Chapter School Com.

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICE

In grateful acknowledgement of the blessings that a kind Providence has conferred upon us in the past year, and in compliance with the proclamation of our chief executives, the people of Pinckney and vicinity are called to assemble at the Congregational Church on the 28th of November for worship. Brief addresses by Pastors Sutherland and Hurlburt. Appropriate music will be rendered by the Congregational and M. E. Church choirs. Service at 10 a. m. Everybody come.

ANNA GILKES

Mrs. Anna Gilkes was born July 14, 1845 and died Nov. 11, 1918. In 1861 she was united in marriage to Edward Pacey. Early in life she became a Christian and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. Since then she has lived an earnest Christian life; ready to help in the Master's service as far as she was able. As a wife she was kind, as a mother affectionate and lovable, as a neighbor always ready with a helping hand.

Fifty years ago she moved from Jackson to the farm now owned by her son, and has lived since then within one hundred rods of her birthplace. A few years ago the home was remodeled. She greatly appreciated the tender care given her in her last years.

She leaves to mourn her departure a son, Nemie Pacey, a daughter, Mrs. Chas. Deye of Howell, four grandchildren, two great grandchildren and a brother, Thomas Gilkes of Howell. Funeral at the Pacey home by her pastor, Rev. E. L. Sutherland

CARD OF THANKS

We wish in this way to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during the sickness, death and burial of our dear one. And we also thank her brother, nephews and nieces and the members of the Larkin appointment, for their beautiful floral offering. We wish also to thank Rev. Sutherland for his comforting words and beautiful solo rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. N Pacey and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dey and family.
Thomas Gilkes

FOOTBALL GAME 6-6

Last Friday afternoon the host of Pinckney's football fans assembled at the football field west of town to witness the local team's second encounter with Howell High this season. Having met the Pinckney huskies once this season with disastrous results to themselves, the Howell team had come prepared for a hard struggle, accompanied by a crowd of enthusiastic and confident rooters.

At about three o'clock the teams took their positions, the referee's whistle sounded and the game was on. After the ball had changed hands several times, the visiting team captured a goal through an unavoidable error on the part of one of the Pinckney players but lost the kick, making the score 6-0 for Howell.

During the first of the third quarter, Pinckney, by a succession of quick rushes, carried the ball over Howell's goal line. Pinckney also failed on the kick, making the score 6-6.

In the same quarter one of the opposing players, having fouled several times, was at last ordered off the field by the referee. Whereupon those staunch heroes of the gridiron, the Howell players, announced with one voice, "We won't play!". The referee, in order to continue the battle, consented to the Howell man's re-installment on the promise that there should be no more dirty playing.

About this time, Howell, by some hook or crook having managed to get in the locality of Pinckney's goal posts, tried a forward pass which would have worked admirably except

that the Howell fullback, who made the pass, was tackled by one of Pinckney's men, before the ball left his hand Howell claimed the goal, but the referee refused to give it to them.

Soon after this the game ended with a score of 6-6.

Wants, For Sale Etc.

FOR SALE—About 200 shocks of corn. L. T. Rogers, Frank McKinder farm Hamburg township.

FOR SALE—Choice hand picked winter apples. Will deliver in Pinckney at \$1.00 per bushel. Robt. Hoff.

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FOR SALE—Two Black Top Rams. Also one Black Top ram lamb. Lyle Hendee.

CIDER CIDER CIDER CIDER The cider mill will be open and ready for business Thursday, Oct. 3rd, and until further notice. J. C. Dinkel.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A first class mahogany piano. Will sell or exchange for a cow. W. W. White, Marion.

FOR SALE—Double surrey, side delivery rake, feed cooker, span good yearling colts. Inquire of Alfred Monks

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By DR. L. W. BOWERS.

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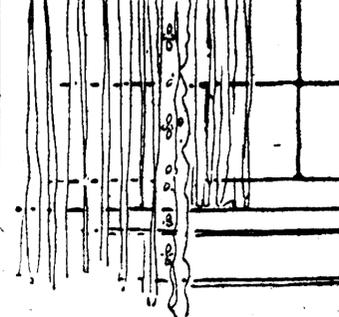
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Mrs. Tetlow's Thanksgiving Guests



THE old Tetlow place stood off to the east of Layton. It had once been surrounded by wide acres, but gradually the growing town had encroached on its borders; and, bit by bit, the property had been swallowed up, until at last the low-browed, rambling farmhouse was elbowed by smarter town residences, and could boast only a narrow doorway in front, and a cramped orchard in the rear.

"The mills had spoiled Layton," old Mrs. Tetlow used to say, with a dreary shake of the head, as she watched these changes.

The Tetlow farm had been a prosperous one in its day, and its owners had lived on it in quiet respectability for many generations. But they were all scattered and gone now—these Tetlows—save for the one lonely old woman, who gazed out of the small-paned windows.

People said Mrs. Tetlow was growing forgetful. Perhaps she was—forgetful of the present.

It was a dreary November day. The clouds hung low and a few scattering snowflakes were beginning to fall.

"Real Thanksgiving weather," murmured Mrs. Tetlow, as she looked out of her front window.

"Yes, it's real Thanksgiving weather," repeated the old lady, drawing her small shoulder shawl closer about her. "It's time to be making the mince-meat."

"Mother always did that the first thing," she went on, by and by, "and today is Friday. Next week will bring the last Thursday in the month. The proclamation'll be read next Sabbath."

The knitting needles lay idle in Mrs. Tetlow's lap, as she rocked slowly back and forth.

"Grandma Spencer's folks always came by Wednesday night," she said, after a reflective pause, "and brother Peter and his wife and boys would get here as early as 9 Thanksgiving morning. The rest didn't come till nearly noon. I wonder where Peter's boy is now. I wish the West weren't so far off. I wonder if the boy's done well."

Mrs. Tetlow stopped rocking and sat up straight in her chair.

"Wouldn't I like to get ready for another such Thanksgiving party," she exclaimed, a red spot burning in either cheek. "I believe I will."

She arose, her slight figure trembling as she rolled up her knitting work and thrust the needles into it.

"Let me see," she went on musingly, how many must I provide for? There's Peter and Mary and the three boys, and Jane and Henrietta and Uncle Solon. Nannie and her husband and the little folks, bless 'em! and Grandma Spencer's folks and Joe and Letty. It'll be a long tableful, but I'll be ready for them."

Monday saw active preparations going on in the old kitchen.

The last thing each night before going to her bed the old lady took her wavering candle and inspected her pantry shelves, and with every evening there were more toothsome goodies to behold.

When the traveling butcher stopped Wednesday for his usual small order, Mrs. Tetlow followed him out to his cart and selected the largest turkey in his collection. The man's eyes opened wide.

"Expecting company, ma'am?" he asked as he weighed it, and the old woman nodded gravely.

That morning the windows in the upper chamber were thrown open to the wind and sunshine, and sweeping and dusting and airing of bed linen were in order.

"Grandma Spencer's folks always come by Wednesday night," she said, "and the rooms haven't been used for some time. They feel a little damp, so I'll have them open all day."

Toward night Mrs. Tetlow put on her second best gown and sat down near the window to watch.

When her guests arrived, the nearest neighbor might not have known,

but a lamp was lighted in the dim best room that evening, and at nine o'clock the old woman took a bedroom candle in either hand and tolled up the creaking stair. On the little stand beside each bed she placed a brass candlestick, and, having turned back the sheets, went out again, murmuring a soft "good-night."

Mrs. Tetlow arose at dawn, and before it was time to prepare breakfast she had dressed her turkey and set it aside, ready for the oven.

About nine o'clock she began to lay her table.

Having smoothed out every wrinkle in the cloth, she gathered all her geranium blossoms and put them in the center of the table in a glass bowl.

Then the silver, which had all been polished the day before, was brought forth from its canon flannel wrappings, and Great-grandma Tetlow's blue china was lifted down from the shelves of the china closet.

"How good it is to see all these things out again!" exclaimed the old lady, surveying the result of her labor with pardonable pride; "and it's right good to have company once more," she added with a little sigh; "I've eaten alone so long."

"I've nothing to do now," she said, "but to sit at the front window and watch for the folks to come. I'll be able to see them far up the meadow road."

A few minutes later she was startled by hearing a knock at the front door, and, quite trembling with the shock, she arose to open it.

"Good morning, Mrs. Tetlow." It was Mrs. Clifford, the young doctor's wife, who spoke. "Good morning, Mrs. Tetlow. Isn't this a beautiful Thanksgiving day? Madam Clifford is out in the carriage and she wants to take you home to have dinner with us. Please say you'll come; and let me get your bonnet and shawl for you."

Mrs. Tetlow looked down into the bright young face, with a dreamy happiness in her own, as she slowly shook her head.

"You're real good," she said, "and please tell Madam Clifford I'm just as much obliged to her, but I can't come today. I'm—I'm looking for company."

There was a ring of tremulous pride in the old voice that went to the heart of the young woman. She looked up into the wrinkled old face and noted the strange glow of content and far-off happiness in the old eyes. Mrs. Clifford remembered it afterward with a sense of awe.

As she turned to go now she saw, through the open door, a corner of the long table, all ready for dinner.

"I'm so glad for you, Mrs. Tetlow!" she exclaimed impulsively. "I hope you will have a pleasant Thanksgiving day." Then she hurried back to her carriage, and Mrs. Tetlow returned to her rocking-chair by the window.

"They're real late," she murmured to herself now and then, and a new, strange weariness and numbness crept over her as she sat and waited, her dim vision still wandering far up the meadow road.

Suddenly she started forward with outstretched arms. "Peter!" she cried, "Mary!" and then sank back feebly in her chair. "I'm right glad to see you all," she faltered, "but I seem to be a little tired. Just lay off your things and draw up near the fire. It is growing chilly." She drew her shawl closer about her, with a little shiver as she spoke.

"Johnny, just put another stick in the stove; that's a good boy." She closed her eyes a moment, murmuring softly to herself, "I mustn't give out now; its nearly dinner time. I'll just rest till the others come."

But soon she leaned forward again, a joyous smile on her lips.

"Nannie!" she exclaimed, "and the blessed baby! I didn't see you come in. Sit here, child; I'll hold the little one while you rest," and she began to croon softly as she rocked. "It is cold," she murmured again, "real cold; but then it's Thanksgiving weather."

Several moments slipped by, while the old clock alone broke the stillness; then Mrs. Tetlow raised her head. "I smell lavender," she said. "Aunt Henrietta! I knew you had come. I smelled the lavender."

"Grandma Spencer's in the best room," she added. "She came at sundown last evening and she seems real smart. What, Joe, you here, too! Did you come in the back way? Uncle Solon and pa are in the barn, aren't they?"

An anxious look suddenly clouded the sunshine in her eyes. "Nannie," she whispered, "will you just take a look at things in the kitchen. I seem to be a little tired, but there's nothing to do. I'll come soon."

Her gaze wandered up the "meadow road" again, the joyous look returning. "They're coming!" she cried at length. "They're coming; I can see the sleigh." Then she turned, as though some one had touched her elbow, and started back wondering.

"My little Mary!" she faltered, with dimming eyes, "my little Mary, with her old rag baby! I thought—oh, father, John, here is our little Mary!"

With a beautiful gesture she clasped the child of her youth to her heart, and when she raised her eyes again it was to murmur, "Mother, father, Letty, Eben—what a grand Thanksgiving! I didn't count on seeing you all—why, the room is full—full—but I have enough."

The sun had gone down when Dr. Clifford drove by the old Tetlow place, on his way to see some patient.

"So the old lady is entertaining," he said to himself, remembering his wife's story, and then, glancing at the house, he drew his horse up suddenly. "No lights!" he exclaimed, and an intuitive impulse made him stop. "I can't seem to go by," he said, "I must just run in and see if all is well with the old lady."

He hurried up the path and lifted the heavy knocker, but no one answered. Then the doctor opened the door and walked in.

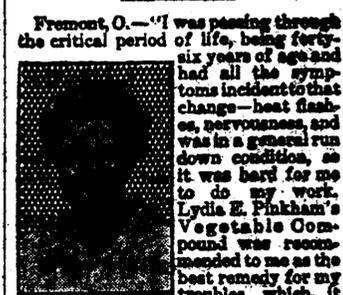
"Mrs. Tetlow," he called, but the loud tick of the clock alone responded. Finally a sleepy cat emerged from the kitchen and rubbed against his leg.

Dr. Clifford struck a match and lighted a lamp that stood on the hall table. Then he passed into the sitting-room. The fire in the air-tight stove had gone out and the room had grown cold. Through a half-open door he could see dimly a long table, laid for many guests, but no plate had been disturbed.

The doctor raised the lamp above his head and turned toward the front window. In the high-backed rocker a slender, motionless figure leaned back among the cushions, but the old house was wrapped in peaceful stillness; for, with a wonderful smile upon her white lips, Mrs. Tetlow had gone forth with her Thanksgiving guests.

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"Fool, bedad," shouted Pat from the other side of the bars, "I'm in me rights."
"Now, look here," broke in the warder meaningly, "you've got seven days hard; seven days you've got to do, so you'd better do them quietly."
"You're quite right," smiled Pat. "Shure, the old boy gave seven days, but, begorra, he said nothing about nights, and faith you can surely trust me to come back in the mornin'."

After the Offense.
"It was a portly but very polite person who sat next to Jones in a railway station."
"Pardon me," said he to Jones, "but what would you say if I sat on your hat?"
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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

PROUD CLOCK.

"It's funny," said the hall clock. "Tick-tock, tick-tock," said the living-room clock, not far off. "Will you tell me what is funny? It's a most peculiar thing for a clock to say 'It's funny' for no reason at all."

"But I have a reason," said the hall clock.

"That's all right, then," said the living-room clock.

"You apologize, do you?" asked the hall clock.

"Well, no, not exactly," said the living-room clock.

"What do you do, then?" inquired the hall clock.

"I tick and I tock and I keep the time, ha, ha," said the living-room clock. "I'm cracking a little joke myself."

"Why won't you apologize?" asked the hall clock.

"For the simple reason that I don't feel I should. I said I thought it was silly and peculiar for a clock to say 'It's funny,' without any reason, but as long as you have a reason I don't think it's peculiar at all. So tell me your reason for saying 'It's funny,'" ended the living-room clock.

"Of course, situated as I am in this fine position in the hall," said the hall clock, "I hear a great deal that is going on."

"I hear the people talk, grown-ups



"Oh, Dear, I Wish I Weren't So Fat."

and children. How some of them can talk! My! But they talk and they talk and they talk."

"Well, let them," said the living-room clock. "Don't we tick and tock, tick and tock, tick and tock?"

"That's a wise speech," said the hall clock, "and I'll forgive you this time for interrupting."

"I didn't think about it," said the living-room clock. "I forgot I was interrupting again."

"I cannot say that I object to the people talking so much," continued the hall clock. "Of course if I did object to it I don't suppose I could do anything about it. I might stop and get run down, but that wouldn't do any good."

"It's always so foolish to run down and get out of order. It takes such a long time to get fixed again."

"One would think," said the living-room clock, "that you were a doctor or a trained nurse or something like that, instead of being a hall clock."

"Why?" asked the hall clock.

"Well, all that chatter about getting run down and out of order," said the living-room clock, "sounded to me like a doctor or a trained nurse or a person giving advice."

"That's all because you hear the people talking about their illnesses in the living room," said the hall clock. "I spoke in the correct way for a clock to speak. But I must tell you what strikes me as being funny."

"Oh, yes," said the living-room clock, "you must tell me. We don't want to end off talking about something different from what we started with."

"Well, it wouldn't have mattered so much if we had finished it right away and then gone on to talk of something else. We have finished the first thing we were talking about," said the hall clock.

"It strikes me as being very funny when I hear the people talk about their figures. It seems that each person has one figure, and a figure means a person's shape. A little girl will come in and say: 'Oh, dear, I wish I weren't so fat. I'd like to be thinner.' And a grown-up lady will say: 'I wish I could put on more weight. My figure is not what it should be.'"

"It strikes me as being very funny," said the hall clock, "because each person only has one figure whereas we have figures all over our faces. I have figures in twelve places and they are all right and just as they should be."

"Yes, it does seem funny to hear people talk about their one figure when a clock has so many figures and never has to worry about any of them at all! It makes me feel very proud indeed!"



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Swift & Company has frequently stated that its profit on beef averages only one-fourth of a cent a pound, and hence has practically no effect on the price.

Comparison has been made by the Federal Trade Commission of this profit with the profit on coal, and it has pointed out that anthracite coal operators are content with a profit of 25 cents a ton, whereas the beef profit of one-fourth of a cent a pound means a profit of \$5.00 a ton.

The comparison does not point out that anthracite coal at the seaboard is worth at wholesale about \$7.00 a ton, whereas a ton of beef of fair quality is worth about \$400.00 wholesale.

To carry the comparison further, the 25 cent profit on coal is 3 1/2 per cent of the \$7.00 value.

The \$5.00 profit on beef is only 1 1/4 per cent of the \$400.00 value.

The profit has little effect on price in either case, but has less effect on the price of beef than on the price of coal.

Coal may be stored in the open air indefinitely; beef must be kept in expensive coolers because it is highly perishable and must be refrigerated.

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GIVE UNTIL IT FEELS GOOD

President Has Asked The People Of This Country To Comply With The Request Of The United War Board.

Michigan is ready and waiting for the opening gun of the United War Work Campaign to be fired on the morning of November 11. Thousands of workers throughout the state are on their toes and prepared to see that Michigan stands out as a shining light among her sister states.

It is this campaign which is the test of true patriotism; in which some slight sacrifice can be made for the boys who are fighting our battles in the trenches. The seven great, accredited war relief agencies—Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., K. of C., Jewish Welfare Board, Salvation Army, American Library Association and the War Camp Community Service—have called upon the American people for \$250,000,000 with which to carry on their work of relief.

President Wilson has asked that the people of this country comply with this request. Give, Give, Give until it feels good. It has been said that "it is better to give than receive." In this case those who give will receive the greatest reward, that of satisfaction in having helped to comfort some mother's son who has gone through the horrors of a bloody battle.

The purchasing of Liberty Bonds is a patriotic duty, but there is no sacrifice for you are receiving a high rate of interest on your money. The boys in the trenches are making the GREATEST SACRIFICE. During the week of November 11 every man, woman and child in the state will be offered an opportunity and privilege of making a monetary sacrifice.

And, how little that is in comparison with the offer of the boys to give up their lives. Do not be a slacker. Back up the boys over there. They deserve it. If the solicitor does not approach you seek him out, for this is an opportunity and a privilege you cannot afford to miss.

GIVES GARAGE TO WAR RELIEF

American General Turns Over Commodious Barn to Salvation Army.

New York, Nov. 3.—How an American General gave up his garage so that it might be converted into a Salvation Army hut somewhere in the Toul sector, is told in an interesting letter received at the headquarters of the United War Work Campaign, No. 60 Vanderbilt Avenue, New York City, from a Salvationist in France.

When Staff Captain Coe and Adjutant Case reached A—— in the Toul sector, some five hundred French soldiers, who had been gassed a short while before, were being removed from the dismantled town. The appearance of the Salvationists was greeted with cheers by the troops, and they were offered chow and quarters without delay. The only place available to them for use as a Salvation Army hut was a commodious barn, which was used by the commanding general and his staff as a garage.

The Salvationists sought the general's headquarters, determined to obtain possession of the barn at any cost.

"What can I do for you?" asked the general smilingly.

"We need your garage," responded Captain Coe.

"The barn is yours," answered the general.

VICTORY GIRLS RALLY TO SUPPORT OF U. W. W. C. DRIVE

"Every Girl Pulling For Victory" is Slogan Of Young Women Who Are Doing Their "Bit" At Home.

New York, Nov. 4.—"Every girl pulling for Victory." This is the slogan of the Victory girls.

"Everybody is doing something to win the war but me," a fourteen year old girl said. "I'm left out. I can't buy Liberty bonds or go to France as nurse."

It is for the "left out" girl who wants to make a real sacrifice for the men at the front, that Victory Girls "Earn and Give" division of the United War Work Campaign has been established.

Victory Girls is as much an army at home as the men in the service are an army wherever they are called. Like Victory Boys they are an "Earn and Give" division of the United War Work Campaign. When a girl enrolls she pledges herself to earn a stated sum for war work. This means that no girl, or boy either, can give any money that she or he has not earned.

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NOTE—Please do not forget that these are war times and it is desirable and necessary that you do your Xmas business EARLY.

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Tuesday, Nov. 26th

At 10 O'clock sharp.

Lunch at Noon

As I am obliged to discontinue farming on account of poor health, will sell at auction on the premises known as the Philander Bull Farm, a miles North of Gregory and one-half mile West and three-fourths mile North of Wright's Chapel:

Horses, Bay Mare, age 10 weight 1400; Bay Mare age 7, wt 1400, Sorrel Gelding age 8 wt 1400, Black Gelding coming 3 weight 1100, Bay Mare coming 3 wt 1100, Bay Gelding age 8 wt 1300, Bay Gelding age 3 wt 1200

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Ann Arbor Railroad

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North	South
9 52 A. M.	10 46 A. M.
12 36 P. M.	1 23 P. M.
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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Take Laxacold tablets for a cold in the head. For sale by C. M. Ingersoll.

Buy your bed blankets on blanket days at Dancer's. Read the adv.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Brady of Howell Thursday, Nov. 14 a daughter.

F. G. Jackson was home one day last week.

Harry Jackson of the Ann Arbor S. A. T. C. was in town Saturday.

John Martin and family spent the week end with Lansing relatives.

Wm. Moran of Detroit called on old friends here over the week end.

Ed. Quinn spent Sunday at Pontiac.

Mrs. D. Grieves returned to her home here Saturday after spending some time with Gregory relatives.

Victor Johnson of Detroit spent the week end at the home of his parents.

W. E. Murphy and family spent the week end at J. D. Whites of Howell.

Mrs. A. J. Hall and son Harold returned home Saturday after spending the past couple of months at Kokomo, Ind.

Mrs. Sarah Dougherty of Detroit is visiting at Wm. Kennedy's Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Reason spent a few days the past week at Detroit.

Mrs. E. E. Frost spent a few days the past week at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Sarah Carr is visiting in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fuller of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with W. C. Hendee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mann, Mrs. Fred Losey, Mrs. Flora Pulver, Mrs. Ethel Losey, Milo and Bert Mann of Jackson were called here last week to attend the funeral of their Aunt, Mrs. Ann Gilkes.

Mrs. Walter Glover and son Gerald are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. Pacey.

G. W. Dinkel and family attended the Liberty Parade at Howell Sunday.

Kathleen Roche of Detroit spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Roche.

John M. Harris and family spent Sunday with John Whites of Howell.

C. W. Brown and family spent Sunday at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. F. Benz of Ann Arbor spent a few days the past week at Dr. C. L. Sigler's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gardner spent Sunday at Otis Webb's of Gregory.

Mrs. M. Bowers and granddaughter visited her nephew Clyde Rose of Stockbridge over Sunday.

Mrs. D. J. Wiand of Howell was a week end guest of Visa Coe.

Mrs. Thomas Read was a recent Detroit visitor.

Mrs. H. Gauss spent the week end in Jackson.

J. C. Dinkel transacted business in Detroit last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Nash Saturday Nov. 16 a 10 1/2 pound daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clark of Clarkston Saturday Nov. 16 a daughter.

Mrs. Thomas Read, Mrs. C. L. Sigler and Ross Read and family were Ann Arbor visitors last Thursday.

Miss Franc Burch of Detroit was the guest of Mrs. Sarah Nash several days last week.

Mrs. Nettie Vaughn is visiting relatives in Jackson.

Mrs. C. L. Sigler and son Donald were in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Will Penington and family of Onondago were Sunday guests at the home of Mark Swarthout.

Mrs. M. J. Reason was a Jackson visitor several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ballard of St. Johns were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Parker.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes an oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
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Mrs. Fred Swarthout, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout were Howell visitors Monday.

Mrs. I. W. Lamb and Mrs. Alcott and Mr. Phelps and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson all of Perry, Mich. visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyons over Sunday.

Last Saturday afternoon J. C. Bowman entertained a company of his schoolmates, the occasion being his tenth birthday. Games were played by the children after which a light luncheon was served. After more games the young guests departed, wishing J. C. many happy returns of the day.

Dancing Party

A dancing party will be held at the Opera House Wednesday evening, Nov. 27, Ike Fisher's Orchestra of Ann Arbor will furnish the music. Everybody welcome.

Victory Girls

An organization known as the "Victory Girls" has been completed in Putnam township with Mrs. J. P. Doyle at its head. Within two days under the direction of Norma Curlett and Joie Harris every girl was a member. The school alone has subscribed over one tenth of the quota for the present patriotic drive. District schools have not yet been heard from.

Prohibition

Edited by the M. E. S.

Representing the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the United States, a Republic about to write prohibition in its constitutional law, hereby call upon the peoples of all faiths and of all organizations in the world's family of nations, to clasp hands with the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union and to help bring to full fruition its hope and its heroic service of thirty-five years on behalf of sober world. Science declares against alcohol. Health, conservation and business prosperity demand total abstinence and prohibition. Together let us agitate, educate, organize and legislate, until the exalted vision of the World's W. C. T. U., Frances E. Willard, is realized; until the Gospel of the Golden Rule of Christ is worked out in the customs of society and in the laws of every land.

At the close of the devastating world war, in the white heat of the limitless unparalleled opportunities of a new internationalism, depending upon the help of God and all who love humanity, we hereby proclaim, by the year 1925, the triumph of world prohibition.

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 committed to them.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court of the County of Livingston. At a session of said Court, held at the probate office in the City of Howell in said county, on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1918.

Present: Hon. Eugene A. Stows, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of ANNE GLEES.

Neemiah Pacey having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to himself or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 14th day of December, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing and proof of said will.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EUGENE A. STOWS, Judge of Probate.

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Michigan News Tersely Told

Lansing—Three peace celebrators were killed in Michigan, two in Kalamazoo and one in Flint.

Ann Arbor—A. A. T. C. units will continue training until further notice, according to a telegram received by President Hutchins, of the U. of M.

Muskegon—Nearly \$3,000 has already been subscribed in this city towards the \$10,000 war heroes' memorial to be erected in Federal square.

Bay City—R. C. Smith returned from a hunting trip along the Au Sable in Alcona County. He brought back, two bears and a third, weighing 419 pounds was shipped to Detroit.

Ann Arbor—About 15 young women attending the U. of M. are earning their way through college. More than a score are working in Ann Arbor homes and a number are nursing.

Calumet—To insure getting candy to the boys in France in good shape, a Calumet woman urges that the sweets be placed in tin boxes, as otherwise they absorb the odors of the bilge.

Ann Arbor—Dr. E. R. Vander Slice, of the Michigan Anti-Tuberculosis Association, has sounded warning that the white plague is bound to increase as result of the influenza epidemic.

Lansing—Spanish influenza seems to be going down hill again. Dr. R. E. Olin and the other state officials think that the danger caused by the victory day celebrations has been passed.

Owosso—John Raake, alias Bernard Rook, has pleaded guilty to marrying a girl in Traverse City and later one in Owosso without the formality of a divorce. He asked leniency in Circuit Court.

East Tawas—Memorial services were held in the Presbyterian Church for Private Walter Sylvester, who died of wounds received in action. He enlisted in a Canadian regiment when 16 years old.

Charlotte—A local deer hunter will have his license for hunting revoked as the result of his taking a shot at the lantern on the rear of a M. C. passenger train, the bullet passing through a transom.

Adrian—E. K. Conover, formerly head of the windshield department of the Page Wire company, later absorbed by the Detroit Motor Products company, is dead in Denver, where he went for his health.

Albion—Miss Mary Baker, who went from Albion to France to work as a Y. W. C. A. secretary, arrived in France just in time to witness and take a part in the French celebration over the coming of peace.

Kalamazoo—"I just wanted to die," was the only explanation made by Miss Hortense Hatch, 18 years old, after shooting herself near the heart with a revolver and then pleading with surgeons to save her life.

Flint—Charged with having beaten his former wife on the head with a revolver, William Castle is held for Circuit Court under bond of \$5,000. The woman, who is now Mrs. Blanch Ellis, was attacked at her home.

Hastings—Mrs. Ada Quist, of Grand Rapids, was arrested for vagrancy on complaint of local residents who alleged she entered their homes as a guest and then refused to depart. Sentence was suspended when she agreed to return home.

Grand Rapids—Another Michigan man has won high honors in France. Lieutenant Tom McAllister of Grand Rapids having been decorated with the French croix de guerre. McAllister was a volunteer in the famous Foreign Legion of France.

Lansing—State Food Administrator Prescott was notified by the federal food administration at Washington that the sale of substitutes, in connection with the purchase of wheat flour, is no longer required. The order takes effect immediately.

Hastings—Frightened by the ride in a motor truck, a large wild buck which had been in City Park died while being taken to Battle Creek. The animal had killed three of the herd of deer and was to be exchanged for a buck of milder disposition.

Detroit—Death has solved the mystery of Lillian Ricketts. The young woman who disappeared from her home in Hammond, Ind., six years ago, and in search of whom her father is said to have spent his entire fortune of \$50,000, lies buried in a Detroit cemetery. Recently the news was conveyed by telephone to a sister living in Indianapolis. The word was sent by Francis McAlvey, for three years the young woman's husband, living at 347 Lombard street.

Bay City—Bay County has already subscribed \$100,000 of the \$215,000 sought in the Patriotic Fund drive.

Albion—The Pietaid, Albion College publication, has a full editorial and business management of young women.

Algonac—Allan Neal has been commissioned an ensign and is an instructor in aviation at the Miami, Fla., Naval Station.

Albion—The Albion College grandstand, which was burned following the peace celebration, will be replaced by one of concrete.

Hastings—City council has contracted for the purchase of a new fire truck, which will be delivered within a few months.

Albion—After a month's postponement due to the influenza epidemic, Albion Boosters and Kpockers have resumed weekly luncheons.

Ferdale—During its first year as a village Ferdale has had two marshals and both have been arrested during their terms of office.

Grand Rapids—Ensign Russell B. Grotam, known here as an athlete, is in command of a group of submarine chasers in foreign waters.

Charlotte—The city has purchased a chassis which will be used for the fire truck in order that the local fire department may be completely motorized.

Lansing—Michigan's output of sugar beets this year is more than twice that of last year. It is estimated that more than 1,000,000 tons of sugar beets were raised.

Ann Arbor—The state of Michigan should give itself a thorough airing at the influenza epidemic, is the advice given by the Michigan Anti-Tuberculosis Association.

Kalamazoo—A. J. Gloss, whose automobile struck and killed Vinie J. Rhoades during the peace celebration Monday morning, was Tuesday exonerated by a coroner's jury.

Hillsdale—Boys' and girls' club work in the county, backed by the Y. M. C. A. and public schools, cost the county \$480. The return in articles made or grown by the pupils was \$3,000.

Charlotte—C. A. North, superintendent of Pottersville schools, has started a fund for the purchase of a marble slab upon which names of former students who served overseas will be inscribed.

East Lansing—Reports from the experiment station of the M. A. C. at Chatham show that there has been great success in the raising of peas and oats for silage purposes in the district north of the straits.

Charlotte—Mrs. Simon D. Bryan has succeeded her husband as registrar of deeds in Eaton County. Mr. Bryan was compelled to resign in order to be a candidate for state representative, to which office he was elected.

Adrian—"Victory" is the name of a new chrysanthemum raised by Elmer Smith. The new seedling burst into bloom on the day the truce was signed and the name was immediately registered with the Chrysanthemum Society of America.

Rochester—Because she was reproved by her father, Ruth Martin, 14, daughter of Carey Martin, D. U. R. conductor, shot herself with a .22-caliber revolver that had been loaded nine years. The bullet struck near the heart and the girl is in a precarious condition.

Grand Rapids—Following immediately upon the announcement of the signing of the armistice, work on the Government picnic and sulphuric acid plants being established here was suspended. More than 1,000 working on the buildings were discharged. The official orders halting the work were received shortly after signing of the armistice terms.

Grand Rapids—George Harland, of Detroit, was elected grand master of the Michigan Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., and Mrs. Emma Tobin, of Calumet, was elected president of the Rebekah assembly. The announcements were made at the close of the annual session of the two lodges. The ballots were cast last January, but not counted until November 13.

Grand Rapids—Ethel Hall, 16 years old, died at St. Mary's hospital Tuesday of injuries received Monday evening when an automobile driven by Glenn Seiple, 16, left the road and turned over into a ditch on Grandville avenue. Seiple and three other boys three girls, who were in the car, escaped injuries. Miss Hall's throat was cut on the broken windshield.

Lansing—Because of the increasing number of violations of the liquor laws state authorities are preparing for concerted action against the whisky pirates. The campaign is to be pushed both along the southern border and along the Michigan-Wisconsin line. In northern Michigan quantities of whisky have been brought across the line since the armistice of late, it is said.

ARMISTICE TERMS LEAVE GERMANY WITHOUT ARMS

President Wilson Gives Congress and the Country Terms, and Pledges Succor to Strick- en Nation.

SURRENDER IS COMPLETE; GREAT MACHINE WRECKED

Germany Must Evacuate Belgium, France, Alsace-Lorraine and Luxembourg Within 14 Days, Surrender 5,000 Big Guns, 30,000 Machine Guns, 3,000 Flame Throwers, 2,000 Airplanes, 5,000 Locomotives, 50,000 Wagons, 10,000 Motortrucks and Her Warships.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The terms of the armistice with Germany were read to congress by President Wilson. Assembled in the hall of the house where nineteen months ago senators and representatives heard the president ask for the declaration of war, they heard him speak the words which herald the coming of peace.

The president spoke as follows: "Gentlemen of the Congress:

"In these anxious times of rapid and stupendous change it will in some degree lighten my sense of responsibility to perform in person the duty of communicating to you some of the larger circumstances of the situation with which it is necessary to deal.

"The German authorities who have, at the invitation of the supreme war council, been in communication with Marshal Foch have accepted and signed the terms of armistice which he was authorized and instructed to communicate to them.

Military Clauses of Terms.

"These terms are as follows: "I. Military clauses on western front:

"1. A cessation of operations by land and in the air six hours after the signature of the armistice.

"2. Immediate evacuation of invaded countries: Belgium, France, Alsace-Lorraine, Luxembourg, so ordered as to be completed within fourteen days from the signature of the armistice. German troops, which have not left the above-mentioned territories within the period fixed will become prisoners of war. Occupation by the allies and United States forces jointly will keep pace with evacuation in these areas. All movements of evacuation and occupation will be regulated in accordance with note annexed to the stated terms.

"3. Repatriation beginning at once and to be completed within fourteen days of all inhabitants of the countries above mentioned, including hostages and persons under trial or convicted.

Must Surrender 5,000 Guns.

"4. Surrender in good condition by the German armies of the following equipment: Five thousand guns (2,500 heavy, 2,500 field), 30,000 machine guns, 3,000 minenwerfer, 2,000 airplanes (fighters, bombers, mostly D. 7's and night-bombing machines).

"5. Evacuation by German armies of the countries on the left bank of the Rhine.

"These countries on the left bank of the Rhine shall be administered by the local authorities under the control of the allies and United States armies of occupation. The occupation of these territories will be determined by allied and United States garrisons holding the principal crossings of the Rhine—Mayence, Coblenz, Cologne, together with bridgeheads at these points—in thirty-kilometer radius on the right bank and by garrisons similarly holding the strategic points of the regions.

"A neutral zone shall be reserved on the right of the Rhine between the stream and a line drawn parallel to it 40 kilometers to the east from the frontier of Holland to the parallel of Gernsheim and as far as practicable a distance of 30 kilometers from the east of stream from this parallel upon Swiss frontier. Evacuation by the enemy of the Rhine lands shall be so ordered as to be completed within a further period of eleven days, in all 19 days after the signature of the armistice. All movements of evacuation and occupation will be regulated according to the note annexed.

"6. In all territory evacuated by the enemy there shall be no evacuation of inhabitants; no damage or harm shall be done to the persons or property of the inhabitants, no destruction of any kind be committed. Military establishments of all kinds shall be delivered intact, as well as military stores of food, munitions, equipment not removed during the period fixed for evacuation. Stores of food of all kinds for the civil population, cattle, etc., shall be left in situ. Industrial establishments shall not be subjected in any way and their personnel shall

not be moved. Roads and means of communication of every kind, railroad, waterways, main roads, bridges, telegraphs, telephones, shall be in no manner impaired.

Civil Personnel to Remain.

"7. All civil and military personnel at present employed on them shall remain. Five thousand locomotives, 50,000 wagons and 10,000 motor lorries in good working order, with all necessary spare parts and fittings, shall be delivered to the associated powers within the period fixed for the evacuation of Belgium and Luxembourg. The railways of Alsace-Lorraine shall be handed over within the same period, together with all pre-war personnel and material. Further material necessary for the working of railways in the country on the left bank of the Rhine shall be left in situ. All stores of coal and material for the upkeep of permanent ways, signals and repair shops left entire in situ and kept in an efficient state by Germany during the whole period of armistice. All barges taken from the allies shall be restored to them. A note appended regulates the details of these measures.

"8. The German command shall be responsible for revealing all mines or delay acting fuses disposed on territory evacuated by the German troops and shall assist in their discovery and destruction. The German command shall also reveal all destructive measures that may have been taken (such as poisoning or polluting of springs, wells, etc.), under penalty of reprisals.

"9. The right of requisition shall be exercised by the allies and the United States armies in all occupied territory. The upkeep of the troops of occupation in the Rhine land (excluding Alsace-Lorraine) shall be charged to the German government.

"10. An immediate repatriation without reciprocity, according to detailed conditions, shall be fixed, of all allied and United States prisoners of war. The allied powers and the United States shall be able to dispose of these prisoners as they wish.

"11. Sick and wounded who cannot be removed from evacuated territory will be cared for by German personnel, who will be left on the spot with the medical material required.

Eastern Frontiers of Germany.

"II. Disposition relative to the eastern frontiers of Germany.

"12. All German troops at present in any territory which before the war belonged to Russia, Roumania or Turkey shall withdraw within the frontiers of Germany as they existed on August 1, 1914.

"13. Evacuation by German troops to begin at once and all German instructors, prisoners and civilians, as well as military agents, now on the territory of Russia (as defined before 1914) to be recalled.

"14. German troops to cease at once all requisitions and seizures and any other undertaking with a view to obtaining supplies intended for Germany in Roumania and Russia (as defined on August 1, 1914).

"15. Abandonment of the treaties of Bucharest and Brest-Litovsk and of the supplementary treaties.

"16. The allies shall have free access to the territories evacuated by the Germans on their eastern frontier, either through Danzig or by the Vistula, in order to convey supplies to the populations of those territories or for any other purpose.

"17. Unconditional capitulation of all German forces operating in East Africa within one month.

IV. General clauses:

"18. Repatriation, without reciprocity, within a maximum period of one month, in accordance with detailed conditions hereafter to be fixed, of all civilians interned or deported who may be citizens of other allied or associated states than those mentioned in clause three, paragraph nineteen, with the reservation that any future claims and demands of the allies and the United States of America remain unaffected.

19. The following financial conditions are required:

"Reparation for damage done. While such armistice lasts no public securities shall be removed by the enemy which can serve as a pledge to the allies for the recovery or reparation for war losses. Immediate restitution of the cash deposit in the National Bank of Belgium, and, in general, immediate return of all documents, specie, stocks, shares, paper money, together with plant for the issue thereof, touching public or private interests in the invaded countries. Restitution of the Russian and Roumanian gold yielded to Germany or taken by that power. This gold to be delivered in trust to the allies until the signature of peace.

Naval Conditions of Agreement.

"20. Immediate cessation of all hostilities at sea and definite information to be given as to the location and movements of all German ships. Notification to be given to neutrals that freedom of navigation in all territories under their control to the naval and mercantile marine of all the allied and

associated powers, all questions of neutrality being waived.

"21. All naval and mercantile marine prisoners of war of the allied and associated powers in German hands to be returned without reciprocity.

"22. Surrender to the allies and the United States of America of 160 German submarines (including all submarine cruisers and mine laying submarines) with their complete armament and equipment in ports which will be specified by the allies and the United States of America. All other submarines to be paid off and completely disarmed and placed under the supervision of the allied powers and the United States of America.

"23. The following German surface warships which shall be designated by the allies and the United States of America shall forthwith be disarmed and thereafter interned in neutral ports, or, for want of them in allied ports, to be designated by the allies and the United States of America and placed under the surveillance of the allies and the United States of America, only caretakers being left on board, namely: Six battle cruisers, ten battleships, eight light cruisers, including two mine layers, fifty destroyers of the most modern type.

"All other surface warships (including river craft) are to be concentrated in German naval bases to be designated by the allies and the United States of America, and are to be paid off and completely disarmed and placed under the supervision of the allies and the United States of America. All vessels of the auxiliary fleet (trawlers, motor vessels, etc.) are to be disarmed.

Germany Must Indicate Mines.

"24. The allies and the United States of America shall have the right to sweep up all mine fields and obstructions laid by Germany outside German territorial waters, and the positions of these are to be indicated:

"25. Freedom of access to and from the Baltic to be given to the naval and mercantile marines of the allied and associated powers. To secure this, the allies and the United States of America shall be empowered to occupy all German forts, fortifications, batteries and defense works of all kinds in all the entrances from the Catagat into the Baltic, and to sweep up all mines and obstructions within and without German territorial waters without any question of neutrality being raised, and the positions of all such mines and obstructions are to be indicated.

"26. The existing blockade conditions set up by the allies and associated powers are to remain unchanged and all German merchant ships found at sea are to remain liable to capture.

"27. All naval aircraft are to be concentrated and immobilized in German bases to be specified by the allies and the United States of America.

"28. In evacuating the Belgian coasts and ports Germany shall abandon all merchant ships, tugs, lighters, cranes and all other harbor materials, all materials for inland navigation, all aircraft and all materials and stores, all arms and armaments and all stores and apparatus of all kinds.

"29. All Black sea ports are to be evacuated by Germany; all Russian war vessels of all descriptions seized by Germany in the Black sea are to be handed over to the allies and the United States of America; all neutral merchant vessels seized are to be released; all warlike and other materials to be returned and German materials as specified in clause 23 are to be abandoned.

All Vessels to Be Restored.

"30. All merchant vessels in German hands belonging to the allied and associated powers are to be restored in ports to be specified by the allies and the United States of America without reciprocity.

"31. No destruction of ships or of materials to be permitted before evacuation, surrender or restoration.

"32. The German government will notify the neutral governments of the world, and particularly the governments of Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland, that all restrictions placed on the trading of their vessels with the allied and associated countries, whether by the German interests and whether in return for specific concessions such as the export of ship-building materials or not, are immediately canceled.

"33. No transfers of German merchant shipping of any description to any neutral flag are to take place after signature of the armistice.

VI. Duration of armistice:

"34. The duration of the armistice is to be 30 days, with option to extend. During this period, on failure of execution of any of the above clauses, the armistice may be denounced by one of the contracting parties on 48 hours previous notice.

VII. Time limit for reply:

"35. This armistice to be accepted or refused by Germany within 72 hours of notification.

"The war thus comes to an end; for, having accepted these terms of armistice, it will be impossible for the German command to renew it."

BRIDE of BATTLE

A Romance of the American Army
Fighting on the Battlefields of France

By VICTOR ROUSSEAU

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WALLACE IS SURPRISED TO RECEIVE A STRANGE SUMMONS FROM MRS. KENSON.

Synopsis.—Lieut. Mark Wallace, U. S. A., is wounded at the battle of Santiago. While wandering alone in the jungle he comes across a dead man in a hut outside of which a little girl is playing. When he is rescued he takes the girl to the hospital and announces his intention of adopting her. His commanding officer, Major Howard, tells him that the dead man was Hampton, a traitor, who sold department secrets to an international gang in Washington and was detected by himself and Kellerman, an officer in the same office. Howard pleads to be allowed to send the child home to his wife and they agree that she shall never know her father's shame. Several years later Wallace visits Eleanor at a young ladies' boarding school. She gives him a pleasant shock by declaring that when she is eighteen she intends to marry him. More years pass and Wallace remains in the West. At the outbreak of the European war Colonel Howard calls Wallace to a staff post in Washington. He finds Eleanor there, also Kellerman, in whom he discerns an antagonist. For years a strange man has haunted Eleanor's footsteps, following but never accosting her. One night Wallace sees the man and follows him to a gambling house kept by a Mrs. Kenson. Here the strange man is attacked by Kellerman. Wallace rescues him and takes him to his own apartment. In the night the man, who gave his name as Hartley, disappears. The next day Wallace is called from his office and on his return finds important documents missing. His resignation is requested.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued.

"Ah, now I recognize you," said the strange voice in a merry ripple of laughter. "And you don't know who I am?"

"If you will state your name—" began Mark patiently.

"Someone who knows that you are in trouble and wants to help you. I'm afraid you won't let me. You seemed to be prejudiced against me when we met before. Well, I am Ada Kenson." Mark uttered an angry exclamation, which she instantly checked. This might prove the key that he was seeking.

"Come to my house at nine o'clock tonight, unless you are afraid. You will meet nobody but me."

It had been in Mark's mind to look for Hartley in that neighborhood.

"What do you say, Captain Wallace? I can help you very much indeed, and perhaps put things right for you. I am in a position to know a good deal of what is happening behind the scenes."

Mark felt his brain grow as cool as ice. "I'll come, Mrs. Kenson," he answered crisply, and hung up the receiver.

He consoled himself with the reflection that he had, at least, nothing to lose. He waited calmly for the appointment, and arrived outside the house promptly. There was no sign of Hartley in the neighborhood.

At his ring Mrs. Kenson herself opened the door, smiled, and showed him into a well-furnished little parlor. "Sit down, Captain Wallace," she said, indicating a chair.

"You'll wonder who I am and why I asked you to come here," said Mrs. Kenson. "Well, I happen to know quite a good deal about you, Captain Wallace. All your history, in fact, from the time you entered West Point. It is part of my business to know these things."

Mark bowed and waited, expecting something sensational. He was astonished beyond his expectation, however, by Mrs. Kenson's next words.

"Your long and distasteful stay in the West, Captain Wallace, was not wholly the fortune of the military service," she said. "It was expedient that you should stay there, on account of your unfortunate mistake in adopting the late Charles Hampton's child."

Mark rose in protest, collected himself, and sat down again.

"In fact, dear Captain Wallace, you have been the victim of circumstances," went on Mrs. Kenson. "I suppose you know that the world has changed a good deal during your fifteen years of exile? Well, this war, for example, it's a shocking revelation to barbarism, the nations flying at each other's throats, when their difficulties could have been adjusted by a little frank diplomacy. It was a great blow to the financial interests that are working to reconcile the nations and to develop the world's resources. They would do all possible to end it. I am working for them here. I am not telling you any secret, Captain Wallace, because everybody in Washington knows it. I represent the international peace committee, and I have quite a good deal of influence among the senators and representatives—principally the Western ones, Captain."

The frankness and audacity of the disclosure astounded Mark. So this was one of "they" as Colonel Howard had called the nations of Europe, Asia, and Africa.

"We are trying our hardest to get

vent America from being dragged into this maelstrom," continued Mrs. Kenson. "You, Captain Wallace, were unfortunate enough to be working on the other side. And—I'm sorry, but a little trap was laid for you and Kellerman. You walked right into it. Major Kellerman, who is a very good friend of mine, acted in complete good faith. Don't blame him. Don't blame yourself. Don't blame that wretched fellow who came here the other night to blackmail me. It was inevitable. You see, when you adopted Hampton's daughter you unconsciously put a sort of noose about your neck. There was the possibility of your coming into contact with Hampton's friends. The system is widespread, you know, and quite twenty years old. So—you had to go west."

"Now, Captain Wallace, I'm a frank woman, and I'll put my proposition to you. You don't want to see Major Kellerman walk off with that pretty ward of yours, do you? And you can't marry her without a little money. Well, you could be very useful to us in many ways. Would you, without sacrificing your patriotism or revealing any secrets, become a salaried worker of our organization?"

Mark stood up, trembling. "I—don't quite understand," he said huskily; and the picture of Eleanor in Kellerman's arms at the dance swam before his eyes. "What is it you want me to do?"

"Use your influence and army knowledge in our behalf. That little affair of today will soon be forgotten. And we'll help you to put Kellerman out of business."

"You ask me to become a German spy?"

"Don't be absurd, my dear captain. Who ever suggested such a thing?"

"That's what it amounts to."

"A little influence on behalf of humanity."

"No!" shouted Mark, quite beside himself. "You're infamous. You ought to be put out of the country!"

He strode indignantly toward the door.

The electric light in the passage had gone out. The room grew dark behind him. He groped his way toward the door.

Suddenly a vivid light flashed before his eyes. He heard, though he felt no pain, the impact of a hard weapon upon the back of his head. He swung out his hands and grappled with a man. In the uplifted hand he felt a heavy stick with a knobbed handle.

He believed his assailant to be Kellerman, and, half unconscious as he was, he fought madly. But the man, Kellerman or not, was more than a match for him. For a few moments they wrestled furiously; then the other got his arm free and brought down the stick upon Mark's head again. And this time the light faded into blackness.

CHAPTER IX.

"Captain Wallace! Get up! Can you stand? Come with me!"

Mark opened his eyes and groaned. It was pitch dark, and he could see nothing, but he knew the voice for Hartley's.

"Where am I?" he muttered, trying to rise and shaking back again.

"In the Kenson house. Be quick! These lights!"

Outside there was the confused murmur of voices, above which came the sound of a great automobile. Then some movement, his hands against

the door of the house, splintering it. Again the cries broke out.

"Try again!" muttered Hartley in desperation. "There's a door into the empty house next door, through the cellar. The police don't know of it. You must get away. You must get away!"

Mark tried again, and this time managed to rise.

Hartley caught Mark by the arm and guided his unsteady footsteps to the door. They gained the passage, and Hartley guided Mark toward the head of the basement steps, which they reached just as the front door fell in under the hatchets of the raiders.

They scuttled down the stairs as the hall became filled with the shouting policemen.

Before the first of the raiders set his foot upon the stone stairs Hartley had found a door in the darkness, opened it, and pushed Mark through, following immediately. He shut the door softly behind him. They were in the basement of the adjoining house.

"We're safe now," said Hartley in a whisper. "You'd better rest, Captain Wallace."

"You're Hartley," muttered Mark, sitting down and trying in vain to discern something of the other's face through the gloom. "What happened, and how did you come on the scene?"

"Good God forgive me!" moaned Hartley, suddenly breaking into hysterical sobbing, as on the former night. "I've ruined you, Captain Wallace. What else could I do?"

"So you were in that plot, eh?" asked Mark, wondering that he felt so little anger. "Well, it was clear enough, but it doesn't matter now."

"It matters everything," answered Hartley, in a vehement whisper. "They tricked me into it. I didn't know what



Led Mark Along the Basement Passage.

their scheme was when I agreed to get you out of the room. But I found out later. And I had suspected. God, Captain Wallace, to think I found that door!"

"Never mind," said Mark soothingly, listening to the stamping of the raiders in the next house overhead. "What more do you know?"

"I knew that they wouldn't be satisfied with that, sir. They—"

"One moment. Who is 'they,' Hartley?"

"They," repeated Hartley vindictively. "Those devils that make pawns of men. They meant to clinch their dirty work one way or another. They meant to buy you, after ruining you, and fashion you to their dirty work. If they couldn't do that they were going to—"

"Murder me?"

"No, sir. Discredit you so that nothing you could say would be listened to."

"That's what they meant to do. It was I who was told to give the tip to the police that there was gambling here. They thought the place was closed—and it was. But they wanted the police to find you here, and arrest you, so that the story might get into the newspapers, and finish you—finish you with the war department, and with Miss Howard."

"And what did you expect to get out of it, Hartley?" asked Mark.

He heard the man catch at his breath.

"She wasn't your wife, Hartley?"

"No, Captain Wallace, no!"

"But she has a hold on you strong enough to compel you to do such work as she requires. And yet you have tried to save me dishonor—if any more could come to me."

"You saved me, Captain Wallace!"

Mark made a sound of incredulity.

"And I have been a gentleman. You don't know how a man falls, Captain Wallace."

"Hartley, you haven't answered my question. Now here's another. Why were you watching Colonel Howard's house the other night?"

"You know that?"

"I followed you here. Tell me the whole truth about this business, and I'll stand by you to the end."

"I'll trust you—to the limit—but I won't tell you, Captain Wallace. Some day, perhaps, but not now. I'll stand by you, and I'll fight at your side, sir. But I won't tell you. And that's the only condition on which I can agree to what you propose."

"And if we succeed—?"

"Not 'if,' but 'when,'" cried Hartley, with a sudden outburst of conviction.

"I'll tell you then—yes, Captain Wallace. And till then we'll fight together to pull down this nest of conspiracy and prove your innocence to the world."

After a moment he added, "I think we'd better be making a move out of here, Captain Wallace!"

He pushed open the cellar door and led Mark along the basement passage until a gleam of moonlight appeared in front of them. They emerged into a little garden, a replica of the one next door. There was no policeman on guard. In a moment they were in the street and in safety.

Mark, who had already recovered from the effects of his blow, save for a splitting headache, took a car with Hartley, and half an hour later the two were again in Mark's rooms.

"So you were packing?" asked Hartley, looking about him. "What were you going to do?"

"I don't know," answered Mark. "It's queer, being broken like this—I've nothing, no prospects, only a little money. I have to earn a living."

"It'll be the army," said Hartley. "You'd be a sergeant in no time; you'd run through the ranks in about a couple of years. And then you've won. You've conquered fortune. And you're in a position to do a little quiet working to straighten out your tangle and run down the Kenson gang. And then I'll help you, for when the time comes I can tell what I know. At present I can't. I'm waiting—"

He burst into an expletive, and his face was twisted with anguish. The man seemed under the stress of some overpowering emotion.

"And how about your own part in this affair, Hartley?"

The man winced as if Mark had struck him. Mark put out his hand, took Hartley's, and shook it warmly.

"You're right, Hartley," he said quietly. "I'm ready to sink my name, then, and we'll go in together as comrades, and by Heaven we'll set the whole crooked business right!"

CHAPTER X.

"Weston! Hey, there!"

Mark, who was sitting at the entrance of the tent which he shared with five other privates of the Medical corps, looked up at the sound of the name to which he had grown accustomed. At the sight of the corporal who had hailed him, he flung down the grooved strip of metal, known as the "soldier's friend," with the aid of which he had been polishing his buttons, and hurried obediently forward.

"The train's in from the base with the sisters and doctors to meet the convoy that we're expecting from the front. Every man's on duty until the job's finished. Report to the matron with Hartley."

Mark nodded, and departed at a run toward the door of the base hospital, at which the matron, sitting impatiently, was awaiting the assembling of the orderlies.

It was war, and the echoes of the far distant guns were all about them daily, though war had never passed that way.

Wallace, now Private Weston of the medical service, encounters some old friends and acquaintances unexpected and has an experience that opens his eyes. How it all came about is told in the next installment.

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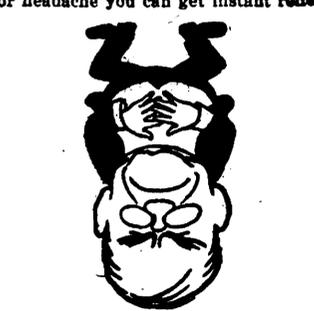
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frederick and Mrs. Andrew Tuttle and son Archie of Locke visited at the home of O. B. Arnold Wednesday of last week.

Lucile Driver died Sunday at Adrian of the influenza and pneumonia.

George and Archie Arnold were Pontiac visitors last Saturday.

The many friends of Miss Myra Kirkland of Fowlerville will be sorry to hear that she is sick again.

Mrs. James Stackable is steadily improving.

Miss Minnie Bradshaw of Pontiac spent Thursday and Friday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Roe pcke were Jackson visitors Wednesday of last week in Fowlerville Friday.

A. J. Brearly was a Detroit visitor last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Buhl attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Gilkos north of Pinckney last week Wednesday.

Howard Foster of Jackson has been visiting his father, Will Foster, the past week.

Miss Mary Howlett was a Howell visitor the first of last week.

Alpha Swarthout was quite sick the first of the week.

Clarence Marshall of the Ann Arbor camp was home over Sunday.

Preaching service next Sunday at 10 a. m. Bible school following.

North Lake

Mrs. Olive Clark of Whitmore Lake spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Isham spent Saturday Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Isham of Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tremmel were in Ann Arbor Saturday evening where they attended the Anna Case Concert. Mr. and Mrs. John Hinchey and children spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinchey.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce and family of Chelsea spent Sunday with P. E. Noah and family.

Mr. Geo. Noah of Ohio spent a few days the past week at the homes of O. B. and P. E. Noah.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Scouten and son Carl spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Theodore Moholok and daughter Ivah of Chelsea spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert.

South Isosco

Mr. and Mrs. Jester Cramer visited at Mr. Herrington's near Webberville Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Lamborne will commence her school Monday. It has been closed for three weeks.

Lorena Ruttman and Mrs. Gladys Cramer were Fowlerville callers Friday.

Mrs. Joe Roberts spent Friday afternoon at L. T. Lamborne's.

Lucy Mowers visited Genevieve Miller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitehead spent Sunday at L. T. Lamborne's.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts were in Lansing Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waters and daughter spent Sunday at Fred Jacobs.

Notice!

The Normal College at Ypsilanti wishes to revise its Alumni list. In order to do so they have asked the school commissioners of the state to send in the lists. No matter what your work may be, whether you are in school work or not, if you are an alumnus of the State Normal College send your name and address to Commissioner H. G. Aldrich, Fowlerville, at once. If you have seen fit to change your name since graduating give your maiden name also.

Dancing Party

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