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Soldier Letter

Tours, France,
March 8, 1919.

Dear Gail:

At last I have finished my vacation and have returned to my old line of work, but it is with a keen sense of satisfaction for I know that it will not last many months longer, and then shall be homeward bound. Oh! that happy day!

Well, I suppose that you have received a large number of the cards that I sent home while visiting the Pyrenees Mts. and also my letter, but chances are that you have failed to receive them, so I will give you a summary of my glorious explorations in the mountains. I was absent from my organization two weeks. Seven days were spent at Luchon and the remaining time in traveling. I visited many places of interest on my way to and from Luchon, such as Bordeaux, Toulouse, Marseille, and several other large cities in southern France.

Luchon is the most important resort of the Pyrenees and one of the most ancient and celebrated cities of the world. It is situated at the southern limit of Haute-Garonne and is only ten kilometers, or just a fraction over six miles from the Spanish frontier. The city is placed in a wide and well aired valley at the foot of high wooded mountains. These mountains protect the city from the northern winds and has an extraordinarily mild climate for the winter months.

The flowers were blooming during my stay there, which was the latter part of February and it certainly made an agreeable visiting place. Previous to the war there were thousands of

FORMER PINCKNEY BOY GONE

Kansas City, Mo., papers announce the death of Thomas J. Eaman, one of Putnam's old boys, who passed away at his home, 2627 Independence Boulevard on the 13th inst. Readers of the Dispatch who lived in Putnam in the '60's will remember "Tommy" very well. He was the second son of Benjamin Eaman, one of the pioneers, and was born on the farm in West Putnam now owned by Lawrence Speers, March 10, 1855. His first experience in business lines was as a clerk in "Beebe's Store" in this village. He was graduated from the U. of M. literary department in 1877 and soon after left Michigan for the far west. His first engagement was as manager of a placer mining camp in Del Norte County, Cal. Later he was called to develop a silver mining property in the wilds of Arizona. From this he was attracted by the possibilities of the cattle range and live stock business, and for the past 25 years has been an active operator in the Kansas City stock yards.

The survivors of his family are his wife and only son, Charley, who is with the A. E. F. in France, and his brothers James T. of Detroit and Charles E. of Garden City.

COUNTY TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

All teachers holding special certificates must take the examination in order to qualify for the remainder of the term. The examination will be held at school houses.

FIRST GAME

Last Friday afternoon, Pinckney High School boys and team played Howell in the county seat and came out on the long end of an eleven to five score.

Pinckney promises to have a very fast team this year and has booked several teams to play in Pinckney.

VICTORY LOAN

Five Hundred Million Dollars, date of issue April 15, 1918, at 4 per cent. Note the time is only four years and the interest is 3 1/2 per cent an exceptionally attractive loan on account of the time and interest rate.

Four Minute Speeches

A county anti-cigarette campaign will be put on in the schools beginning April 21.

This will be observed as anti-cigarette week in the schools. Speeches will be written by the older children in connection with the language work and they will be given in a contest at each school. Later a county contest will be held at Howell. A contest will be put on for high schools and for the grades. Parents are urged to discuss the program with teachers. I hope that anti-cigarette programs will be held in every district in the county.

Hugh G. Aldrich
Commissioner of Schools.

MEMORIAN

In loving memory of our dear father, Michael Dolan, who died two years ago, April 17, 1917.

When at last his end came
While we stood in tears,
To think of all the loneliness
Throughout the coming years;
But some day we hope to meet him
When our day is o'er,
On that beautiful Isle of Somewhere,
Where sorrow we know no more.

His Loving Children and Grandchildren.

Wants, For Sale Etc.

WANTED: CARPENTERS, CABINET MAKERS, BOAT BUILDERS, JOINERS AND PAINTERS WHO UNDERSTAND HIGH CLASS FINISHING. Our plant is light and well ventilated. Port Clinton is located on Lake Erie in the famous fruit growing section, midway between Toledo and Cleveland on the main line of the New York Central R. R. A good, inexpensive little town in which to live. Plenty of fishing, hunting and boating. Attractive summer resorts near by. Steady work. The Matthews Co., Port Clinton, Ohio.

WANTED—Returned soldiers or civilians to solicit in this community. Big pay for right parties. See Glen C. Yelland, 119 1/2 State St., Howell.

LOST—Horse blanket between Dexter and Pinckney. Finder please return to this office or Mrs. John Wylie.

FOR SALE—Stowell's Evergreen seed corn; also field corn.
J. C. Dinkel

FOR SALE—White Leghorn eggs \$1 per setting.
Louisa Shehan

SPRING TIME IS



SHOE TIME



Just a reminder of the fact that we are better than ever prepared to care for your needs in the shoe line—that is for ladies, gents, boys, girls, etc.

JUST RECEIVED

Some new pieces in ginghams, percales, voiles, etc. A fine assortment of ladies hosiery in white, black and African brown, lisle and silk. Also full sizing in

water, known and revered by the Romans long before the Christian era, and considered by the scientific men of today as the most stuporous of France. Another great attraction is Superstagneres. This is one of the highest points near Luchon. You reach the summit by means of a cog railway. The day I took the trip, there was unable to reach the extreme top due to large snow drifts, but we were determined to get up there, so we performed some very difficult mountain climbing, and finally reached the top.

I was very much disappointed for we were above the clouds nearly all the time and was unable to see a portion of the surrounding valleys, but on our way down the mountains we had several wonderful views of the country below. On one of our excursions in the Pyrenees, as we were going from trail to trail and exploring all the ranges, we suddenly came upon an armed sentry dressed in a Spanish uniform, and speaking a strange tongue, but fortunately we had a member of our party who could speak the same. The stranger was a Spanish soldier guarding the Spanish border. He was holding a few American newspapers and announcing that we were "Yanks." He had no objection to us staying near the trail. So we journeyed on for several hours and suddenly came in sight of mountain side. We spent the remainder of the day and night in the village.

The hospitality of the Spanish people was certainly great. They gathered an orchestra together in the evening and held a celebration in honor of their guests in khaki from across the sea, whom they had heard and read so much about, but had never had the opportunity of seeing any of them before. Gee, but it's great to be a Yank. They gave us all kinds of good eats and I'll assure you that it was like filling a hollow trunk, for we had been climbing mountains for several hours and certainly were terribly hungry.

The food was far more plentiful than it is in France, but they have peculiar ways of preparing it. Nevertheless, we made away with it without any trouble.

We returned to Luchon the next morning.

I sent several cards from this place. Let me know if you received them O. K. Another important place that I visited was Lourdes. This city, as you know, is a very important religious center. I treasure the one day I spent there as one of the best of all my travels in France. It sure was wonderful. I sent you several pictures from here, and by the aid of lectures that I heard I will be able to explain the various scenes when I get home.

Well, finally my seven days ended and I had to return to my work, but it was with the fairest memories of those snowy summits, crystalline rivers and lovely haunts that I left behind in the Pyrenees.

I hear the "chow" call blowing and we never want to miss our old "corn wolly and beans" so most close.

Will write again soon.
With a love,
Alger J. Hall
2 1/2th Co., 103 Br., M. P.
American Ex. Force
A. P. O. 717.

LISTING OF GROCERIES AT RIGHT PRICES

Oranges, lemons, lemons, apples, radishes, etc. always on hand. Complete stock of fresh pork and beef on hand at all times. Bring in your cream Tuesday A. M. Laundry sent Monday P. M.

CASH Paid For Butter and Eggs

MONKS BROS.

For the Next Thirty Days

We are going to make special prices on our large

Work and Dress SHOES

And if you are going to need shoes it will be to your interest to get our prices.

We have Gingham, Percales, Calico, Tennis Flannel, Domestic, Hosiery, Overalls, Shirts, Dresses, Night Shirts, Table Oil Cloths, etc.

A large stock of Clean Dependable Groceries, priced RIGHT

We pay highest cash price for Cream every Wednesday

Garden Seeds, the Best Bread, Artie Ice Cream, etc.

Highest Price for Butter and Eggs

For Good Goods, Cheap

See

L. E. RICHARDS

Notary Public with Seal
W. B. Darrow

FOR SALE—Early and late seed and young potatoes. Mrs. Frank Eisle.

FOR SALE—Early seed potatoes.
G. M. Grenier.

FOR SALE—About 30 Plymouth Rock heavy good hammers, also also 5 ducks and 10 chickens, weight about 10 lbs.
Leisure of Chas. Shipley

LOST—New pocketbook containing \$10. Please return and get reward.
Lynn Hende.

NOTORIOUS LIENESSES—Apply to
W. B. Darrow

FOR SALE—Two good rowboats. Apply to
W. B. Darrow.

NOTARY PUBLIC WITH SEAL
W. B. Darrow.

SENSATION OATS for sale
James Tiplady

FOR SALE—One pair of matched
other coming soon.
James Tiplady

RAGS, RUBBERS, METALS wanted, highest cash price.
C. Mackinder

FOR SALE—House, barn and one acre of fine garden land. Good well and cistern and all kinds of fruit. Very reasonable.
Marvin Swarthout.

FOR SALE—Some horses to sell and one to exchange for young cattle.
Hassenehl Bros., Pinckney, Mich.

HOME GROWN GARDEN SEEDS—Sugar beet, parsnip, Golden Bantam sweet corn, turnip, musk melon, watermelon, field and pie pumpkin, four varieties squash seed, onion sets for early use, early and late potatoes, different varieties.
James Fisk, Tel. 69, Pinckney.

FOR SALE—Three mare colts coming four years old. Will sell cheap.
V. G. Dinkel.

NOTARY PUBLIC WITH SEAL—At the Pinckney Exchange Bank.
E. G. Lambertson

FOR SERVICE—Registered Poland China boar. Fee, one dollar a time of service. Edward Speers
One mile west of Pinckney.

Children Who Are Sickly

When your child cries at night, tosses restlessly in its sleep, is constipated, feverish or has symptoms of worms, you feel worried. Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children

for use throughout the season. They tend to break up colds, relieve feverishness, constipation, teething disorders, move and regulate the bowels and destroy worms. These powders are pleasant to take and easy for parents to give. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver and give beautiful sleep by regulating the child's system.



Used by mothers for over 30 years. Sold by all druggists. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y. Be sure you ask for and obtain Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.

RAISE BELGIAN HARES or Flemish Giants—Best prices paid; send 26 cents coin for contract. Booklet about housing and breeding. U. S. Rabbitry, Maitland, Pennsylvania.

Cut Your Own Hair—"Safety Hair Cutter" cuts hair any length desired, easier than shaving; only 38¢; lasts a lifetime. Clarence Stevenson, 4708 Prairie Ave., Chicago.

KIDNEYS WEAKENING? BETTER LOOK OUT!

Kidney and bladder troubles don't disappear of themselves. They grow upon you, slowly but steadily, undermining your health with deadly certainty, until you fall a victim to incurable disease.

Stop your troubles while there is time. Don't wait until little pains become big aches. Don't trifle with disease. To avoid future suffering begin treatment with GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules now. Take three or four every day until you feel that you are entirely free from pain.

This well-known preparation has been one of the national remedies of Holland for centuries. In 1898 the govern-

Large Amount of Pine Delivered.

Deliveries of southern pine to the United States government from July 1, 1917, to May 28, 1918, were 2,600,000,000 feet, which, it is estimated, would require a solid train of cars extending from the Gulf of Mexico to the Canadian border, and would make a board-walk three feet wide extending six times around the world, or build a solid board fence 50 feet high that would encircle the geographical borders of the United States.

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Adv.

Nothing Escapes. Dyer—"Everything Wyld touches turns to money." Ryer—"Yes, he even profits by his mistakes."—Judge.

A woman who is popular with other women is seldom a reigning favorite with men.

VICTORY ISSUE PUT AT 4 1-2 BILLION

SECRETARY GLASS SAYS THIS IS THE LAST LIBERTY LOAN TO BE FLOATED.

INTEREST RATE 4 3-4 PERCENT

Maturity Set At Four Years, But May Be Three if Treasury Desires Says Secretary of Treasury.

Washington.—Terms of the Victory Liberty loan were announced by Secretary Glass. They are: Amount, \$4,500,000,000; over-subscriptions to be rejected.

Interest on Loan. Interest, four and three-quarters per cent for partially tax exempt notes, convertible into three and three-quarters per cent notes wholly tax exempt. Maturity, four years, with the treasury reserving the privilege of redeeming the notes in three years.

The three and three-quarters per cent notes, to be issued later, also may be converted subsequently back to four and three-quarters per cent notes.

The four and three-quarters per cent securities are to be exempt from state and local taxation, excepting estate and inheritance taxes and from normal rates of federal income taxes. The three and three-quarters per cent securities are exempt from all federal, state and local taxes except estate and inheritance taxes.

Smaller Than Anticipated. The size of the loan was much smaller than had been anticipated by most financial observers, who looked for an issue of about \$6,000,000,000, particularly in view of Secretary

"ASPIRIN" WAS TALCUM POWDER

Heavy Sentence Imposed on Manufacturer of Tablets.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH) NEW YORK, December 31.—Accused of having manufactured and sold to influenza sufferers thousands of boxes of aspirin tablets, principally composed of talcum powder, Joseph M. Turkey, head of the Verandah Chemical company, of Brooklyn, was found guilty yesterday of violation of the sanitary code and sentenced to three years in prison with a fine of \$500. The sentence was the most severe ever imposed in the country for such an offense.



Hereafter say, "Give me genuine 'Bayer Tablets of Aspirin.'"

Insist you want only the Bayer package with the "Bayer Cross" on the package and on the tablets.

Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package!

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

The genuine American owned "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions for Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism,

EASY TO CURE "NAUGHTINESS" TRIBUTE TO YANKEE FIGHTER

Common Sense Methods of Dealing

Magazine Writer Describes the

A morbid exaggeration and perversion of the natural desire which all children feel for notice by their elders, is held by Thomson to be the cause of abnormal naughtiness in children. These cases are of essentially the same nature as those of "moral imbecility" in children who are in some degree mentally defective. The proper lines of treatment are clear enough, and when carried out consistently and thoroughly are rapidly and completely successful. They may be summarized as follows: (1) All severe corporal punishment must be stopped—it never does any good. (2) Nobody must ever appear shocked, amused or even surprised at anything a child does. (3) His misdeeds are never to be alluded to, much less described, in his presence; and, lastly, he should be noticed and encouraged in every way when he is good and altogether ignored when he is naughty. —British Journal of Children's Diseases.

Some Cases. "Don't you believe it is better to give than receive?" "Certainly, if it is advice or knocks."

If the wicked child persists where shall the scornful wander?

George Pattulli, a magazine writer who has been with General Pershing's army in France, has paid a tribute to the American fighting men that is worthy of reproduction in every county in the United States. Says Mr. Pattulli: "The American soldier is about the finest human specimen on top of the earth—rough and ready, grumbling, never giving up; always able to laugh, even at his own plight; a holy terror in a fight; ruthless to an enemy capable of resistance; generous to a beaten foe; hating nobody, fearing none; with backbone enough to storm hell, and the gentleness to win a child."

France knows this, England knows it, even Germany has a hazy idea that a Yankee doughboy is a combination of an angel from heaven and a devil from hell. Isn't it about time for Americans to realize the worth of their fighting sons?—Exchange.

Poison Bottle Warning. To distinguish bottles containing poisons in the dark a sandpaper band to encircle them with an opening for their labels has been invented.

Adam had a childish experience with hood.

This will be the last Liberty loan, Secretary Glass explained, although there will be other issues of government securities to finance belated war expenses. These will not be floated by popular campaigns. None of the past issues of Liberty bonds is convertible into Victory Loan bonds, and there are no specific provisions in the terms of the Victory issue serving directly to maintain market prices of past issues.

Drive to Continue 3 Weeks.

In many communities the selling campaign already has begun actively, without formal acceptance of subscriptions, said reports today to the treasury, although the official opening date is April 21, one week from tomorrow. The drive will continue three weeks until May 10.

FRANCE GIVEN MINES OF SAAR

Premier Clemenceau Tells Radical Socialists They Will Win Their Aim.

Paris.—Premier Clemenceau told a deputation of the radical socialist party, which called upon him, that the

had been settled among the Allies a few days previously on a basis that would satisfy the claims of the deputation as these had been presented to him, and that the same could be said for the negotiations concerning the Saar valley.

The deputation was headed by Deputy Rene Renoult, who set forth to the premier that the group considered it of great importance that the League of Nations should be organized, theoretically and practically, in such a way as to prevent in future any attempt against the security of the world and the independence of its people.

The group, said its spokesman, demanded no less hopefully the granting of immediate material guarantees that France should be protected as far as possible from any fresh aggression. To reach this end the group considered two things necessary—a strongly organized frontier and the disarmament of Germany, the permanency of which should be secured by continuing control.

Concerning reparations, the minimum requirements formulated by the group comprised placing the coal mines of the Saar basin at the disposal of France, while it contended that complete reparation must be obtained for all damage to persons and property and provision made for payment from enemy funds of all war pensions.

Premier Clemenceau replied that he agreed with M. Renoult. They were animated by the same feeling, the premier declared, and it gave him great joy to be able to announce that since the day previous the question of reparation had been settled among the Allies on the basis which the group considered necessary for France.

Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocroticacidester of Salicylicacid

Just a Difference in Letters.

A young Evansville schoolteacher startled her family by the announcement that she was going to marry as soon as she could persuade some man to propose to her. Her married sister, who was visiting the home, gave her this advice: "you had better stay the way you are. You have your own money and—"

"I don't care a bit for that," retorted the younger girl. "I'm always afraid that I'll die without a husband. I'd like for people to read on my tombstone 'relict' of some one than be just a plain relic of an educational system."—Indianapolis News.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots. Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. Othine—double strength—does not merely lighten the spots, but it is needed to completely clear the skin and give a beautiful clear complexion. Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine.

Decadent Times.

"So there are still a few old-fashioned cowboys out West?"

"You would think so, to see their marksmanship. I saw one take a six-shooter and bounce a tin can along as easily as you would do it with a walking stick."

"Surely you don't mean to tell me a cowboy puts a notch on the handle of his gun for a performance like that?" —Birmingham Age-Herald.

"Cold In the Head"

Is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Persons who are subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the system, cleanse the blood and render them less liable to colds. Repeated attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. All Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. \$10.00 for any case of catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will not cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Oh!

Askett—What are you limping for, old chap?

Tellum—My wife became irritated this morning and stamped her foot.

Askett—But why should that affect you?

Tellum—Well, you see, she stamped mine at the same time.

It's getting so now it costs as much to maintain an automobile as a baby carriage.

When Your Eyes Need Care Try Marine Eye Remedy

No Bleeding—Just Eye Comfort. 50 cents a bottle. Write for Free Eye Book. BULKER BROS. REMEDY CO., CHICAGO.

In Wrong. "Why did the movie director quit the business?" "His wife saw some nymph stories he filmed."—Film Fun.

Definite and Dinct. "Tommy, what's a vacuum?" "Why, Bill, it's somethin' with nothin' in it."

Is Your Work Hard?

Work which brings any unusual strain on the back and kidneys tends to cause kidney ailments, such as backache, lameness, headache, dizziness and distressing urinary troubles. Kidney complaints make any kind of work doubly hard and if neglected there is danger of gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease. If your work is hard on the back, keep your kidneys in good condition with Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands rely on them.

A Michigan Case

G. T. Doesburg, 189 E. Tenth St., Holland, Mich., says: "I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago, for at that time my kidneys were causing me a lot of trouble. My work was lame and painful, too. Doan's relieved me in good shape and I have since all my troubles and they are returned to me."

FIVE YEARS LATER Mr. Doesburg said: "I still use Doan's Kidney Pills when my kidneys trouble me and they always give me relief."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

WHEN you wish

"somebody would invent something new to eat" you need BEECHAM'S PILLS. Even when digestion is good poisons are formed during its processes that unless eliminated irritate mind as well as body.

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Soothe Your Itching Skin With Cuticura

All druggists. Soap 25c, Ointment 25c & 50c, Talcum 25c. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. 7, Boston."

Texas Oil! Texas Oil! Texas Oil!

LIVE AGENTS WANTED for one of the best propositions on the market in the Texas Oil Fields. The opportunity is naturally limited. Write for contract. Mr. Investor: Write for prospectus; your opportunity. TEX-O-MEX OIL AND INVESTMENT ASS'N, Box 1864, Fort Worth, Texas.

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 16-1319.

Stop and Think! Why are Americans using such great quantities of POSTUM CEREAL Health value, wonderful flavor and practical economy make Postum the ideal American table drink. Boil just like coffee— (15 minutes after boiling begins) —but remember that, unlike coffee, this beverage contains no drugs to upset stomach, heart or nerves. It is absolutely pure and without harm, made from the best of roasted wheat and wholesome molasses. You can get the original Postum at grocers. Two sizes— Usually sold at 15c and 25c

Latest Markets

LIVE STOCK—DETROIT.

Best heavy steers, \$14.60@15.50; best handy wt butcher steers, \$12.50@13.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$12@13; handy light butchers, \$10.50@11.50; light butchers, \$8.50@10; best cows, \$10@11; butcher cows, \$8.50@9.50; cutters, \$7@7.50; canners, \$6@6.75; best heavy bulls, \$10@12; bologna bulls, \$8.50@9.50; stock bulls, \$7.50@8; feeders, \$10@13; stockers, \$8@10; milkers and springers, \$65@125.

Veal Calves.

Best grades, \$17; culls and common, \$10@13.

Sheep and Lambs.

Best lambs, \$19; fair lambs, \$18@18.50; light to common lambs, \$14@16.25; clipped lambs, \$10; culls and common, \$7@8; fair to good sheep, \$13@13.50.

Hogs.

Pigs brought \$19 and mixed hogs \$20 to \$20.25.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Cattle—Best grades steady, others slow; prime heavy steers, \$17@18.35; best shipping steers \$15@16; medium shipping steers, \$13.50@14; best yearlings, 95 to 1,000 lbs., \$15@16; light yearlings, good quality, \$14@14.50; best handy steers, \$13.50@14.50; fair to good kind, \$12@13; handy steers and heifers, mixed, \$12@13; western heifers, \$12.50@13.50; best fat cows, \$12@13; butcher cows, \$9@10; cutters, \$7@8; canners, \$5@6; fancy bulls, \$10@10.50; butchering bulls, \$9@10; common bulls, \$6@7; best feeding steers 900 to 1,000 lbs. \$11@12.50; medium feeding steers, \$10@11; stockers, \$10@10.50; light, common, \$8@9; best milkers and springers, \$75@150.

Hogs: steady; heavy, \$20.80@20.90; yorkers, \$20.65@20.75; pigs and lights, \$19.75@20.

Sheep and lambs—Market strong; wool lambs, \$20.75; clipped, \$17.50@17.75; yearlings, \$17@18; wethers, \$16@16.50; ewes, \$14.50@15.

Calves—Market, 50c lower, tone

SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Not Enough Time.

Pabson Brown was stopped on the street by Sistah Jackson, one of his flock.

"Oh, Pabson Brown, Ise done been so misfortunate dis week. Ise done los' mah husband."

"Shoh, now dat am too bad, Sistah Jackson; but you must try to beah up. Time am de great healer, you know."

"Yes, pabson, but six months ain't a-go'in' to cure dat man ob mine. He ain't sick. The judge said he was jest triffin'."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher* In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Some folks will yell their heads off if they open a bad egg, and then go out and probe into a scandal.

Run over the list of your friends and you will be surprised at the number you could dispense with.

Cure pimples, headache, bad breath by taking May Apple Aloe, Jalap rolled into a tiny sugar pill called Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

The price of liberty often depends

Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

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.

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



In Such Cases

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

has the greatest record for the greatest good

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Nothing to It.

"I'll grant you three wishes," said the fairy.

"Nothing to it," declared the woman.

"Eh."

"I gotta husband who does better than that every day."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mystifying "Ads."

A city advertisement was headed: "Two sisters want washing." So do a good many brothers. Another advertisement was: "Wanted—a boy to

First-Hand Knowledge.

Teacher—Now, Bobby Jones, Willie Smith has told so nicely what a triangle is. You tell me what is a cone.

The Pupil—Anybody knows that, teacher. A cone is what you get filled up with ice cream.

Was Comprehensive.

"Your answer is about as clear as mud." "Well, that covers the ground, doesn't it?"

Hubbie Was Right.

"Albert, is that furnace going?" asked wife, as her husband emerged grimly from lower depths.

"Sure, it's goin'," responded Albert.

A short time later wife had her say.

"Albert Pennyroyal Jones, you said that furnace was going and this register is perfectly cold."

"I know it," said Albert, sheepishly.

"I meant it was—er—goin' out."

A girl always prefers to be just a little bit afraid to be alone with a

GRAIN ETC.—DETROIT.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$2.45; No. 2 mixed, \$2.43; No. 2 white, \$2.43.

Corn—Cash No. 3, \$1.58; No. 3 yellow, \$1.63; No. 4 yellow, \$1.58; No. 5 yellow, \$1.56; No. 6 yellow, \$1.53; No. 3 white, \$1.63.

Oats—Standard, 70c; No. 2 white, 69 1/2c; No. 4 white, 68 1/2c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, \$1.65.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$7.25 per cwt.

Barley—Cash No. 3, \$2.15@2.25 per cwt.

Seeds—Prime red clover, \$29.50; alsike, \$25; timothy, \$5.15.

Flour—Spring patent, \$13; fancy winter patent, \$13; second winter patent, \$11.75@12; straight winter, \$11@11.50 per bbl.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$31.50@32; standard timothy, \$30.50@31; light mixed, \$30.50@31; No. 2 timothy, \$29.50@30; No. 1 mixed, \$29.50@30; No. 1 clover, \$27.50@28; tangled rye straw, \$11.50@12; wheat and oat straw, \$10@10.50 per ton in carlots, track, Detroit.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks to jobbers: Bran, \$45@46; standard middlings, \$45@46; fine middlings, \$48@50; \$87; chop, \$54 per ton.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS.

Detroit—Butter: Fresh creamery, 59@60c per lb.

Eggs—Fresh firsts, 40 1-2c; extra firsts in new cases, 41 1-2c; storage packed firsts in new cases, 43 1-2c; extras, 44c per doz.

Cheese—Michigan flats, 29 1-2@30c; Michigan single daisies, 30c; brick, 28c; long horns, 30 1-2c; Wisconsin daisies, 20c; Wisconsin twins, 30c; limburger, October make, 31@32c; domestic Swiss, 44@45c; American head cheese, 35@37c per lb.

PROVISIONS.

Detroit—Family pork, \$53; clear back pork, \$49@52; briskets, \$54 per bbl; hams, 35@37c; shoulders, 28c; picnic hams, 24 1-2@25 1-2c; bacon, 40@48c; lard, 32@32 1-2c per lb.

FARM AND GARDEN.

Apples—Greening, \$11@12; Baldwin, \$10@11; Willow Twig, \$8.50 per bbl.

Cabbage—New, \$8 per 100 lbs.

Dressed Hogs—Light, 23@24c; heavy, 21@22c per lb.

Calves (dressed)—Fancy, 25@26c; choice, 21@22c per lb.

Tomatoes—Hothouse, 30@35c per lb; Florida, \$7.75@8 per case.

Potatoes—Carlots, No. 1 round white \$3.25@3.35 per sack of 150 lbs.

Live Poultry—No. 1 springers, 36@37c; stags, 30c; fat hens, 40c; small hens and Leghorns, 37@38c; roosters, 25@26c; geese, 27@28c; ducks, 38@40c; turkeys, 38@40c per pound

How Much is 1¢

How much does it cost to make a cake? That, of course, depends upon the size of the cake and the materials.

But, regardless of the kind of cake, suppose that for one cent you could absolutely insure the quality of that cake, wouldn't that be real economy?

Well, one cent is about the difference in the cost of a whole cake or a pan of biscuits made with Royal Baking Powder as compared with cheaper baking powders made from alum or phosphate—a trifle, indeed to have the quality and wholesomeness of your baking insured with

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Made from Cream of Tartar derived from Grapes

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Our buyer has just returned from the market where he has bought—and we now have in stock a most

Tremendous Stock of Easter Dolmans Capes and Coats

An assortment—such as was never displayed in Stockbridge before. There are dozens and dozens and dozens of them. Seems at though no one could help but find about anything desired.

There are navies and other shades of blue, the popular tans in both light and dark shades, and taupe, heuna and grays.

Capes aplenty—and dolmans till you can't see them all

And such beautiful coats—dressy, stylish ones.



Now Ladies

GREGORY

At the last election there were less wet votes cast in Unadilla township than in any other township in Livingston county.

Mrs. O. B. Arnold was a Mason visitor on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. R. G. Williams visited her children in Detroit last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harrington of Jackson visited at the Robert Leach home recently.

Mrs. Allison and daughter Mrs. Lindorf of Jackson were visitors at the E. Hill home last Sunday.

Miss Daisy Howlett was a Jackson visitor Monday of last week.

Arthur McClear and F. A. Howlett made a trip to Howell Saturday.

Mrs. Ezra Plummer was a Stockbridge visitor Saturday.

Will Durkee of Jackson was in Gregory last Thursday.

Miss Hazel Arnold of Ypsilanti spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Jane Ayrault is staying at the home of her brother, Harry Sharp, near Stockbridge.

The dinner and supper served by the Ladies Aid last week was very much of a success. Over \$40 was cleared. The cutting of the meat by A. J. Brearly was much appreciated by the ladies.

Mrs. Laura Blakely of Mason bought the Herbert Dancer property at Stockbridge and will move there soon.

Miss Grace Pierce of Ann Arbor visited the Misses Mary Howlett and Lillian Buhl several days last week.

The women of this township did nobly in doing their part on election day.

Archie Arnold and Miss Myra Kirkland of Fowlerville visited at George Arnold home the first of last week.

Mrs. Dess Whitehead and daughter Ruth of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitehead were Sunday guests at the Charles Whitehead home.

Mrs. G. M. Jones spent several days

Mrs. M. E. Kuhn was a Detroit visitor last Thursday.

Disco Brown is now working in Howell.

Barney Koepke and family, Mrs. F. M. Bowditch and children, and Wm. Heninger and family spent Sunday at the home of their parents.

Miss Vrena McGee visited the home folks for the week end.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ediza Placeway Thursday afternoon. Reports from the 17th District Convention held at Lansing will be given.

The Gregory and Plainfield Red Cross gave a mercantile shower for Mr. and Mrs. Howard May recently. They received ten quilts, a pair of pillows, pillow ticking, towel, canned fruit, jelly, kitchen utensils and a sum of money and other articles.

Mrs. E. A. Kuhn visited Mrs. Monica McKuhn one day last week.

Harry Singleton and daughter Myra, after spending the winter in California returned home last week.

Mrs. Myrtle Wager was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

daughter Margaret of Chelsea visited at the home of her parents the first of last week.

Easter Sunday at the Baptist church next Sunday. The pastor's subject will be: "The Risen Christ". Bible school following preaching services. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Frank Howlett will lead. You are welcome to come.

There will be a mass meeting in the interests of the new Victory Loan at the hall Monday evening, April 21. Hugh McPherson and Louis C. Howlett of Howell will make addresses and other features of entertainment will be on the program. A cordial invitation is extended to every one to be present.

Wright's Chapel

Milford Milam has moved to the Chas Miller farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker and son are visiting at Detroit.

Hugh Ward has been taking treatments at the Pinckney Sanitarium for a badly sprained arm.

Patrick Murphy and family of near Pinckney have moved to the William Durkee farm here.

Roland Henry of Whitmore Lake is working for Harry Reade.

James Farrell and Harry Read were in Stockbridge Thursday.

Mrs. John Roberts and Mrs. Fred Mitchell spent Thursday at J. B. Buckley's of South Iosco.

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At Less Than Wholesale Prices For The Next Thirty Days ALL NEW STOCK

Consisting of

- 60 and 90 tooth Steel Frame Lever Harrows
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Some other good implements not mentioned

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Pure Blood Plymouth Rock Eggs—From the Fred Swarthout strain—only 50 cts. per setting.

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Thousands of letters like the above have been received by Foley and Co. These letters tell how the writers have benefited and helped to health. They explain the ever-growing demand for

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The kidneys are blood filters that pick out from the blood certain waste products which would act as poisons, together with enough water to dissolve them and wash them out of the body. When the kidneys are out of order, these impurities are not removed from the blood and they remain to poison the system, causing backache, swollen or stiff joints, rheumatic pains and even more serious complaints. Minor symptoms of kidney trouble are puffiness under eyes, floating specks, dry mouth, biliousness, weakness, and pale, waxy dry skin. When the kidneys give any indication of weakness or derangement, they should receive aid at once.

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We told you about last week is just starting. Dozens of beauties in Georgettes and Crepe de Chenes.

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Grand Trunk Time Table

For the convenience of our readers
 Trains East Trains West
 No. 46—7:24 a. m. No. 47—7:57 p. m.
 No. 45—4:44 p. m. No. 48—9:53 a. m.

Ann Arbor Railroad

Leaves Lakeland
 North South
 9 52 A. M. 10 46 A. M.
 12 36 P. M. Motor Car 1 23 P. M.
 5 17 P. M. 4 41 P. M.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jeffreys of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jeffreys.

Frank Bowers of Detroit spent a few days the past week at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Bowers.

Steve Jeffreys of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jeffreys.

Miss Dorothy Fox of Detroit spent a few days the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Kennedy.

Soap special for Saturday only—Export Borax at 5c the bar. Monks Bros. adv.

F. W. Comiskey and wife of Detroit were Pinckney callers last Saturday.

J. E. Monks and family of Grosse Isle spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Monks.

Mrs. J. P. Doyle was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Katherine Placeway and son spent the week end in Stock-

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

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Fresh meats every day in the week, every week in the month, every month in the year, winter or summer. Monks Bros. adv.

John Jeffreys has received from his son Will, who is with the army in France, a collection of war souvenirs consisting of shells, etc., also coins from France, Belgium, Italy, Germany and England.

Full line of national biscuit cookies just in. All new stocks, just in. Try them. Monks Bros. adv.

Mrs. Ralph Swarthout of Alma is visiting at C. Lynch's.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Berry of Stockbridge spent Sunday at Mrs. Alfred Monks.

Gail Johnson and family of Detroit spent the week end here.

Victor Johnson spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Janson Johnson.

Mrs. R. Merrill and daughter of Hamburg spent a few days the past week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nettie Vaughn.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S. will be held Friday evening, April 18. Meeting will open at 7:30 sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lantry remained

OUR SODA FOUNTAIN
 Is Open for the Season
 Our fountain is kept scrupulously clean at all times. Special care is taken in making up the syrups and only the purest ingredients used.
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NOTICE

I have accepted the agency for the I. E. Ilgenfritz Sons Co., Nurserymen of Monroe, Mich. I am their licensed agent here. This is the oldest, largest, and best nursery in Michigan. They put out nothing but A. 1. stock and do no substituting. Their reputation for honest dealing is unexcelled. Stock shipped from Monroe would come through fresh as it would be but a short time on the road. Will be glad to give quotations on all kinds of fruit trees and shrubbery.

F. S. Hurlbert
 Adv. Pinckney, Mich.

prices on barrel lots and save the advance. Monks Bros. adv.

Mrs. Willis Tupper of Flint is visiting here.

Mrs. Sarah Nash returned home the last of the week after spending several months at the home of her son, Bert Nash, in North Hamburg.

Messames Michael Lavey, *C. J. Teeple, and Miss Katherine Hoff were Howell visitors last Thursday.

S. E. Swarthout attended a meeting of the Mutual Telephone Co. at Howell last Friday.

Ross Reed and family spent the week end with Walkerville relatives.

You choose any work shirt in our store Saturday only for 95c. \$1.50 value. adv. Monks Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Van Winkle and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Marble visited Lansing relatives over Sunday.

Messames H. Williston, Roy Dillingham, Guy Blair, and Miss Katherine Hoff were Ann Arbor visitors one day last week.

The Misses Beulah and Beatrice

Just received a brand new line of ladies summer underwear. Full sizing, right prices. Monks Bros. adv.

M. E. Darrow and family are visiting at the home of W. B. Darrow.

A. H. Flintoft and Roy Hicks were in Detroit Tuesday.

Joseph Placeway of Howell was a recent visitor at the home of Guy Hall.

Mrs. Alice Teeple is visiting her daughter in Jackson.

Get your auto insured and avoid loss of sleep by worry, etc. Now is the time. Don't wait till the bus is stolen and then insure. Get busy! adv. Monks Bros.

M. J. Reason transacted business in Toledo the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Harris were in Howell Saturday.

Percy Mowers was home from Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. VanHorn, the Misses Allie Hoff, Norma Curlett and Arla Gardner were Howell visitors Saturday.

Fine assortment of boys and young men's jersey sweaters for spring sold cheap at Monks Bros. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Carpenter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lambertson, and the Misses Florence Burgess and Fern Tupper were Lansing visitors one day last week.

every, Norfolk, Va., saying that he had to report for duty as first mate, pharmacist on the U. S. S. Kansas, which sailed for France April 12. The Kansas is an old warship but is now doing transport duty.

Mrs. J. White of Howell is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leavey.

Rubber boots guaranteed, at only \$1.00 and \$1.50. Get a pair. Monks Bros. adv.

L. E. Farnam and son William and Hugh O'Neil of Detroit motored to Pinckney Sunday to spend the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Farnam.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

F. S. Hurlbert, Pastor.

Morning service at 10 o'clock. Theme, "The Reality of the Resurrection of Christ, and its Fruits."

At 7:30—"The Young Man who left home because He Did Wrong. The Inevitable Crisis." Young men, hear the scriptural account. It may do you good.

South Isco

Bernice Boberts has returned home from school at Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rutman were Fowlerville callers Saturday afternoon.

Miss Beatrice Lamborn of Gregory visited her parents Sunday.

Rollin Webb and wife of Pinckney visited at Birt Robert's Sunday.

Mrs. Willis Tupper visited Mrs. Eliza Kuhn Sunday.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for 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 second day of April A. D. 1919.

Present: Hon. Eugene A. Stowe, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of STEPHEN G. TEEPLE, Deceased. George W. Teeple having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.


It is ordered that the 25th day of April, A. D. 1919 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for 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 date of hearing, in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
 Eugene A. Stowe,
 Judge of Probate.

A true copy

A Special Group of New Springtime Frocks
 These frocks are delightful. Their very appearance brings to mind the sunshine and flowers of springtime. They have a daintiness about them that proves quite irresistible.
 Tulle, combination of georgette and tulle, satin, crepe de chene, crepe mecors and foulards, comprise the selection of materials. The variety of styles is very wide—one seeming prettier than the other.
 Tunics in the new way of trimming, some with jaunty vests, others with ruffled hips, and yet others with the desired straight line effect, self buttoned trimmed are also included.
 Prices from \$18.50 to \$37.50

EGGS POULTRY VEAL
 Highest Prices Paid
 Eggs received every week day. Poultry and veal received every Wednesday morning at the residence of John C. Dinkel.
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THE BANE of old age is constipation. The bowels become weak and unable to perform their functions without aid. For this purpose only the mildest and gentlest laxative should be used. The use of harsh cathartics aggravates the trouble and makes the constipation worse. Chamberlain's Tablets are a favorite with people of middle age and older on account of their gentle action.
Chamberlain's Tablets

LEIPZIG STUDENTS TO BATTLE REDS

STUDENTS VOTED UNANIMOUSLY TO CLOSE UNIVERSITY AND JOIN DEFENSE FORCES.

BAVARIA TURNS AGAINST REDS

It is Considered Probable That Saxony Will Be Next to Proclaim a Soviet Government.

Leipzig—The students have voted unanimously to close the university and enlist in the border defense forces. They urged all the German high institutions of learning to do likewise. The faculty of the university concurred. In the event that the situation quiets down the university will reopen May 15.

Leipzig is the largest city in Saxony and the university there, founded in 1409, is the third largest in Germany, in normal times being attended by more than 4,000 students.

Munich Soviet Dwindles

Berlin—Sentiment among a large proportion of the people of Munich and of almost the entire remainder of Bavaria is growing steadily against the alleged ruthlessness, incompetence and strange methods and decrees of the new soviet regime.

Ratisbon, Schwinfurt, Furth and Augsburg have capitulated to the old regime and disavowed the allurements of the soviet which led them temporarily from the fold.

Other towns are expected to return to the old alliance soon, leaving the communists to face the opposition of the bourgeoisie in Munich on the one hand and of the peasants on the other.

Saxony Faces Red Peril

Weimar—The Bavarian government has sent Deputy Vogel of Furth to

HAIG TERMS 1914 VICTORY 'MIRACLE'



FIELD MARSHAL HAIG.

London—Field Marshal Haig in a supplementary report on the military operations of the war says:

"The margin by which the German onrush in 1914 was stemmed was so narrow and the subsequent struggle so severe that the world 'miraculous' hardly is overstrong to describe the recovery and the ultimate victory of the Allies.

"There is no question that the British general unpreparedness was responsible for the loss of many thousand brave men."

NATION WIDE CAMPAIGN FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF SOLDIERS LAUNCHED

Pulpits of Methodist Churches To Be Occupied on May 4 by Minute Men to Start The Work Movement.

Detroit—More than 100,000 Minute Men of the Methodist Missionary

SUMMARY OF REVISED NATIONS' LEAGUE TEXT

(1) The League of Nations is founded in order to promote international co-operation and to secure peace. The League will include (A) The belligerent states named in a document annexed to the covenant, (B) All the neutral states so named and (C) in the future any self-governing country whose admission is approved by two-thirds of the states already members of the League.

A state may withdraw from the League providing it has kept its obligations to date, on giving two years' notice.

Acts Through Assembly.

(2) The League will act through an assembly comprising not more than three representatives of each of the member states, each state having only one vote and a council comprising for the present one representative of each of the five great powers and each of four other powers as selected from time to time by the assembly.

The number of powers of each class represented on the council may be increased by the unanimous consent of the council and a majority of the assembly. Other powers have the right to sit as members of the council during the decision of matters in which they are especially interested.

In the council as in the assembly each state will have only one vote. Both these bodies are to meet at stated intervals (the council at least once a year) and at other times if required; both can deal with any matter that is of international interest or that threatens the peace of the world; the decision of both must be unanimous except in certain specified cases, matters of procedure, for instance, being decided by a majority vote.

The League will have a permanent secretariat under a general secretary. The secretariat and all other bodies under the League may include women equally with men. A permanent court of international justice and various

STATE NEWS

Standish—Trailing arbutus is being gathered here in large quantities.

Standish—Work on the East Michigan pike has been resumed here and is progressing rapidly.

Kalamazoo—Fire believed to have been started by the incendiary who last week set fire to the Angle Steel Sled company damaged the George F. Rain residence.

Lexington—George Wintermute, while lifting his fish nets found a body, believed to be that of a sailor from one of the boats lost in the big storm of November 9, 1913.

Caro—Tuscola county's first annual boys' conference elected Frank Dodge, Cass City, president; Herbert Bush, Caro, vice-president, and Frederick Pinney, secretary-treasurer.

Albion—Albion's most distinguished voter was Mrs. Juliet Calhoun Blakeley, who cast her vote in the Fourth ward. She was brought to the polls by auto. She will be 101 years old May 13.

Pullman—Harold, 8-year-old son of Oscar Stevens, a prosperous farmer living three miles west, was kicked in the head by a mule while playing in the barn. His skull was fractured and he may die.

Monroe—Confiscated whisky estimated at 20,999 quarts stored in the basement of the court house here will be shipped to Lansing. It was put up in cartons by food inspectors, and is worth upwards of \$60,000.

Kalamazoo—Kalamazoo's first annual municipal exposition was opened at Masonic temple. An extensive display of maps, relics, records and instruments used in carrying on the city government was shown.

Muskegon—Muskegon police are seeking relatives of Seaman Lisle B. Scoble, the American "mystery man."

Cadillac—Manistee district of the Eastern Star will hold a convention in Cadillac June 5.

McBain—Joseph Scheper was elected mayor of this municipality, the smallest in Michigan to select an executive.

Bay City—W. L. Clements, manufacturer, pleased with the voters' action in accepting a Carnegie library, is the leader in a movement to build a large auditorium.

Mt. Pleasant—Difficulty is being found in selecting a jury for the trial of Mrs. Inez Johnson, charged with complicity in the slaying of Beatrice Epler, at Alma.

Cadillac—National and state potato experts addressed meetings in this city, which were attended by representatives of 52 Michigan potato growers' associations.

Cadillac—W. L. Reeder, of this city, is home from South Africa on a vacation of six months, which he receives every three years. He is a gold mining machinery agent.

Kalamazoo—Melville Babcock, 17 years old, is under arrest as the third alleged member of the gang of youthful burglars, which terrorized storekeepers here for several weeks.

Kalamazoo—Juvenile vandals practically dismantled the plant of the Howlandsburg Flour Milling Co., it was learned. Belting was cut to pieces, grain spouts smashed and the electric motors damaged.

Kalamazoo—After Fred Olmstead had been arrested at Three Rivers, on a charge of stealing a horse and buggy belonging to his employer, John Glichrist, Schoolcraft, a charge of forgery was entered against him.

Grand Rapids—Liquor shipments received here by the American Railway Express company have been tampered with recently and special investigators are conducting an inquiry. Shipments were broken into and others removed while federal agents were searching for smuggled booze.

Owosso—Grocers here declare that they find it hard to keep raisins on hand because of the big demand for

the employment of soldiers, more than 5,000 of the big force will campaign the state of Michigan alone.

The Minute Men force was organized to spread the Centenary idea. It has been offered to the government and eagerly accepted for the coming Victory Loan campaign and will combine efforts in selling bonds with obtaining positions and preaching the Centenary.

Bishop Theodore S. Henderson, head of the Detroit Area, is father of the idea of putting the big force of men to work in behalf of the returned soldiers out of employment. He has organized the Michigan campaign by placing A. J. Stock, well known Detroit business man, at the head and naming Lieut. O. G. Ragan, army chaplain, as field secretary.

Complete details for the plan has been worked out for Michigan by Bishop Henderson, Mr. Stock and Chaplain Ragan. Minute Men will talk from every Methodist pulpit in the state May 4. They will urge everyone who knows of any position that is vacant or has any employment himself to offer to make a report of it at once. Reports will be forwarded to United States state municipal or Y.

WAR COST CANADA OVER BILLION

This Does Not Include Money Raised By People for Patriotic Funds.

Ottawa, Ont.—By the end of the present fiscal year the war will have cost the Dominion government \$1,500,000,000. This does not of course, include huge sums raised by the Canadian people of the provincial governments for the Patriotic fund and Red Cross organizations nor does it take into account the great contribution Canada make in the cause of Liberty namely the lives of 60,000 of the flower of her manhood.

Details of the war expenditures of the house of commons by the minister of finance Sir Thomas White. The total expenditure for each year since the outbreak of hostilities was as follows:

1914-5	\$ 60,750,476.01
1915-6	166,197,755.47
1916-7	306,488,814.63
1917-8	343,836,801.98
1918-9	347,824,274.27
1919-20	296,696,614.00

Sir Thomas said that when the figures for 1918-19 were completed the total for that year would be approximately \$400,000,000. The grand total therefore for the six years, or up to the end of next March will exceed \$1,573,970,462.

He explained that the overseas minister of militia has asked for \$45,000,000 dollars to cover an increase in the allowance to the British government on account of rations, ammunition, forage, etc., furnished to the Canadian forces in the field.

58 SLAIN IN EGYPTIAN RIOTS

Armenians Were Chiefly the Object of the Mob's Attack.

Cairo, Egypt.—In two days of rioting here, 58 persons were killed and 100 wounded, it is announced in official communique. Armenians were chiefly the objects of the mob's attacks, and seven of those killed were of that nationality. In rioting in Alexandria three persons were killed and six injured seriously and 17 killed. Five British soldiers, including two unarmed Indians, were murdered.

Members of the churches then will obtain names of soldiers who are unemployed.

With 100,000 men making speeches simultaneously throughout the United States urging everyone within their hearing to go out and find work for soldiers, Bishop Henderson believes, immediate results will be obtained.

Chaplain Ragan believes a most conservative estimate of the average attendance in the 100,000 audiences would be 100. On this basis, he asserted, the Minute Men will talk to 10,000,000 persons in every part of the United States May 4 and they will continue talking every day during the time the employment campaign is on.

The Minute Men will put the question of giving work to soldiers squarely up to the people of the United States as a patriotic duty from which they cannot escape without shame. As a result it is expected that throughout the country the campaign will be taken up by others and carried on until an employer of labor who has work to be done and who doesn't go out eagerly searching for a soldier to do it will be a most unpopular person.

Bishop Henderson is of the opinion that thousands of soldiers will be put to work immediately as the result of the first broadside of the Minute Men May 4. He believes that with the complete organization formed throughout the country for the Centenary's \$105,000,000 financial drive working for the soldiers right up to the time the drive starts May 18, the soldier unemployment problem will be solved.

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(b) to exchange full information of their existing armies and naval and military programs; (c) to respect each other's territory and personal independence and to guarantee them against foreign aggression, and (d) to submit all disputes either to arbitration or to inquiry by the council, which latter may not pronounce an opinion on any dispute whose subject matter falls solely within a state's domestic jurisdiction; in no case to go to war until three months after an award, or an unanimous recommendation has been made and even then not to go to war with a state which accepts the award or recommendation;

(e) to regard a state which has broken the covenant as having committed an act of war against the League, to break off all economic and other relations with it and to allow free passage through their territories to the troops of those states which are contributing armed force on be-

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Curzon hotel, Secretary of State's office here and made scores of friends who may know his family connections.

Monroe—The authorities have been unable to secure any trace of the bandits who, blew the outer door of the vault in the Peoples bank in Ottawa Lake. The yeggmen were unable to gain access to the safe but rifled the safety deposit boxes, securing Liberty bonds and valuable papers. The bank lost no cash.

Detroit—Erection of a large auditorium, corresponding to those already in successful operation at the naval training station at River Rouge and at Fort Wayne, will be started by the Knights of Columbus at United States Army General Hospital No. 36, as soon as consent to the project is obtained from Washington.

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The Light in the Clearing

A Tale of the North Country in the Time of Silas Wright

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CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

"One day the old squire got me to dig this grave an' put up the headstone an' then he tol' me the story. He turned the poor gal out o' doors. God o' Israel! It was in the night—yis, sir—it was in the night that he sent her away. Goldarn him! He didn't have no more heart than a grasshopper—no, sir—not a bit. I could 'a' brained him with my shovel, but I didn't.

"I found out where the gal had gone an' I follered her—yis I did—found her in the poorhouse way over on Pussley Hill—uh huh! She jes' put her arms round my neck an' cried an' cried. I guess 'twas 'cause I looked kind o' friendly—uh huh! I tol' her she should come right over to our house an' stay jest as long as she wanted to as soon as she got well—yis, sir, I did.

"She was sick all summer long—kind o' out o' her head, ye know, an' I used to go over hoesback an' take things fer her to eat. An' one day when I was over there they was wonderin' what they was goin' to do with her little baby. I took it in my arms an' I'll be go't dumped if it didn't grab hold o' my nose an' hang on like a puppy to a root. When they tried to

his hands an' the way he tried to speak when I went in there, but all I could hear was just a long yell an' a kind of a rattle in his throat. Heavens an' airth! how desprert he tried to spit out the thing that was gnawin' his vitals. Ag'in an' ag'in he'd try to tell me. Lord God! how he did work!

"All to once it come across me what he wanted—quik as ye could say scat. He wanted to have Kate's headstun took down an' put away—that's what he wanted. The stun was kind o' layin' on his stummick an' painin' of him day an' night. He couldn't stan' it. He knew that he was goin' to die purty soon an' that Kate would come here an' see it an' that everybody would see her stanin' here by her own grave, an' it worried him. It was kind o' like a fire in his belly.

"I guess, too, he couldn't bear the idee of layin' down fer his las' sleep beside that hell hole he'd dug fer Kate—no, sir!

"Wal, ye know, mister, I jes' shook my head an' never let on that I knew what he meant an' let him wiggle an' twist like a worm on a hot griddle, an' beller like a cut bull 'til he fell back in a swoon.

"Damn him! It don't give him no rest. He tries to tell everybody he sees—that's what they say. He bellers day an' night an' if you go down there he'll beller to you an' you'll know what it's about, but the others don't.

"You an' me are the only ones that knows the secret, I guess. Some day, fore he dies, I'm goin' to take up that headstun an' hide it, but he'll never know it's done—no, sir—not 'til he gets to the judgment seat, anyway."

The old man rose and straightened himself and blew out his breath and brushed his hands upon his trousers by way of stepping down into this world again out of the close and dusty loft of his memory. But I called him back.

"What has become of Enoch?" I asked.

"Wal, sir, Enoch started off West 'bout three year ago an' we ain't heard a word from him since that day—nary a word, mister. I suppose we will some time. He grew into a good man, but there was a kind of a queer streak in the blood, as ye might say, on both

"She has been at school in Albany for a year," I said. "She is at home now and I am going to see her."

"You love Sally?" she whispered.

"Better than I love my life."

Again she whispered: "Get married!"

"We hope to in 1844. I have agreed to meet her by the big pine tree on the river bank at eleven o'clock the third of June, 1844. We are looking forward to that day."

A tall, slim woman entered the room then and said that supper was ready. Kate rose with a smile and I followed her into the dining room where two tables were spread. One had certain dishes on it and a white cover, frayed and worn. She led me to the other table which was neatly covered with a snowy linen. The tall woman served a supper on deep blue china, cooked as only they could cook in old New England. Meanwhile I could hear the voice of the aged squire—a weird, empty, inhuman voice it was, utterly cut off from his intelligence. It came out of the troubled depths of his misery.

So that house—the scene of his great sin which would presently lie down with him in the dust—was flooded, a hundred times a day, by the unhappy spirit of its master. In the dead of the night I heard its despair echoing through the silent chambers.

The look on her face, even while I was speaking, indicated that her thoughts wandered, restlessly, in the gloomy desert of her past. I thought of that gay, birdlike youth of hers of which the old man with the scythe had told me, and wondered. As I was thinking of this there came a cry from the aged squire so loud and doleful that it startled me and I turned and looked toward the open door.

Kate rose and came to my side and leaned toward my ear whispering:

"It is my father. He is always thinking of when I was a girl. He wants me."

She bade me good night and left the room. Doubtless it was the outraged, departed spirit of that golden time which was haunting the old squire. A Bible lay on the table near me and I sat reading it for an hour or so. A tall clock in a corner solemnly

ruler and an hour after school. Yes, aunt and uncle will be stronger to staff yer comin' with the night's rest upon them. Ye wouldn't be routin' them out o' bed an' they after a hard day with the hayin'. Then, my kind-hearted lad, ye must give a thought to Michael Henry. He's still alive an' stronger than ever—thank God!"

So, although I longed for those most dear to me up in the hills, I spent the night with the Hackets and the schoolmaster and I sat an hour together after the family had gone to bed.

"How are the Dunkelberg's?" I asked.

"Sunk in the soft embrace o' luxury," he answered. "Grimshaw made him; Grimshaw liked him. He was always ready to lick the boots o' Grimshaw. It turned out that Grimshaw left him an annuity of three thousand dollars, which he can enjoy as long as he observes one condition."

"What is that?"

"He must not let his daughter marry one Barton Baynes, late o' the town o' Ballybeen. How is that for spite, my boy? They say it's written down in the will."

I think that he must have seen the flame of color playing on my face, for he quickly added:

"Don't worry, lad. The will o' God is greater than the will o' Grimshaw. He made you two for each other and she will be true to ye, as true as the needle to the north star."

"Do you think so?"

"Sure I do. Didn't she as much as tell me that here in this room—not a week ago? She loves ye, boy, as true as God loves ye, an' she's a girl of a thousand."

"Why did they go away? Was it because I was coming?"

"I think it likely, my fine lad. The man heard o' it some way—perhaps through yer uncle. He's crazy for the money, but he'll get over that. Leave him to me. I've a fine course o' instruction ready for my lord o' Dunkelberg."

"I think I shall go and try to find her," I said.

"I am to counsel ye about that," said the schoolmaster. "She's as keen as a brier—the fox! She says, 'Keep away. Don't alarm him, or he'll

fetch that little baby boy home in my arms, ay uh! My wife scolded me like Sam Hill—yis, sir—she had five of her own. I tol' her I was goin' to take it back in a day or two but after it had been in the house three days ye couldn't 'a' pulled it away from her with a windlass.

"We brought him up an' he was always a good boy. We called him Enoch—Enoch Rone—did ye ever hear the name?"

"No."

"I didn't think 'twas likely but I'm always hopin'.

"Early that fall Kate got better an' left the poorhouse afoot. Went away somewheres—nobody knew where. Some said she'd crossed the lake an' gone away over into York state, some said she'd drowned herself. By'm by we heard that she'd gone way over into St. Lawrence county where Silas Wright lives an' where young Grimshaw had settled down after he got married.

"Wal, 'bout five year ago the squire buried his second wife—there 'tis over in there back o' Kate's with the little speckled angel on it. Nobody had seen the squire outside o' his house for years with the funeral. He was aspin' off his horse. After that he lived all 'lone in the big house with o' Tom Linney. Tom had been worked there for 'bout forty year, I guess.

"Wal, sir, fust we knew Kate was there in the house livin' with her father. We wouldn't 'a' knowed it, then, if it hadn't been that Tom Linney come over one day an' said he guessed the old squire wanted to see me—no, sir, we wouldn't—fer the squire ain't sociable an' the neighbors never dark'n his door. She must 'a' come in the night, jest as she went—nobody see her go an' nobody see her come, an' that's a fact. Wal, one day las' fall after the leaves was off an' they could see a corner o' my house through the bushes, Tom was walkin' the old man round the room. All to once he stopped an' p'inted at my house through the winder an' kep' p'intin'.

Tom come over an' said he called the squire wanted to see me. So I went there. Kate met me at the door. Gosh! How old an' kind o' broke down she looked! But I knew her the minute I set my eyes on her—uh huh—an' she knew me—yis, sir—she smiled an' tears come to her eyes an' she patted my hand like she wanted to tell me that she hadn't forgot, but she never said a word—not a word. The old squire had the palsy, so 't he couldn't use his hands an' his throat was paralyzed—couldn't speak nor nothin'. Where do ye suppose he was when I found him?"

"In bed?" I asked.

"No, sir—no, sires! He was in hell—that's where he was—reg'lar o' fashioned, down-east hell, burnin' with fire an' brimstun, that he'd had the agency for an' had recommended to every sinner in the neighborhood. He was settin' in his room. God o' Israel! You orto 'a' seen the motions he made with

can't git no news 'bout him. Mebbe he was killed by the Indians."

I could see a glimmer of a light in the thicket of pines down the valley. I unhitched and mounted my horse.

"Take the first turn to the right," said the old man as he picked up his scythe.

"I'm very much obliged to you," I said.

"No ye ain't, nuther," he answered. "Leastways there ain't no reason why ye should be."

My horse, impatient as ever to find the end of the road, hurried me along and in a moment or two we were down under the pine grove that surrounded the house of old Squire Fullerton—a big, stone house with a graveled road around it. A great black dog came barking and growling at me from the front porch. I rode around the house and he followed. Beyond the windows I could see the gleam of candlelight and moving figures. A man came out of the back door as I neared it.

"Who's there?" he demanded.

"My name is Barton Baynes from St. Lawrence county. Kate Fullerton is my friend and I wish to see her."

"Come up to the steps, sor. Don't get off your horse. We'll chain the dog."

He chained the dog to the hitching post and I went on.

wailing cry broke the silence of the house. It put me in mind of the complaint of the damned which I remembered hearing the minister describe years before at the little schoolhouse in Lickity-split. How it narrowed me!

The man went into the house. Soon he came out of the door with a lighted candle in his hand, a woman following. How vividly I remember the little murmur of delight that came from her lips when he held the candle so that its light fell upon my face! I jumped off my horse and gave the reins to the man and put my arms around the poor woman, whom I loved for her sorrows and for my debt to her, and rained kisses upon her withered cheek. Oh God! what a moment it was for both of us!

The way she held me to her breast and patted my shoulder and said "my boy!"—in a low, faint, treble voice so like that of a child—it is one of the best memories that I take with me into the new life now so near, from which there is no returning.

She led me into the house. She looked very neat now—in a black gown over which was a spotless white apron and collar of lace—and much more slender than when I had seen her last. She took me into a large room in the front of the house with a carpet and furniture, handsome once but now worn and decrepit. Old, time-stained engravings of scenes from the Bible, framed in wood, hung on the walls.

I told all that I had heard from home and of my life in Cobleskill but observed, presently, a faraway look in her eyes and judged that she was not hearing me. She whispered:

"Sally?"

"Would you like to go to bed?"

"Yes, I am tired."

She took a candle and led me up a broad oaken stairway and into a room of the most generous proportions. A big four-post bedstead, draped in white, stood against a wall. The bed, sheeted in old linen, had quilted covers.

When I undressed I dreaded to put out the candle. For the first time in years I had a kind of child-fear of the night. But I went to bed at last and slept rather fitfully, waking often when the cries of the old squire came flooding through the walls. How I longed for the light of the morning! It came at last and I rose and dressed and went out of doors.

Kate met me at the door when I went back into the house and kissed my cheek and again I heard those half-spoken words: "My boy." I ate my breakfast with her and when I was about to get into my saddle at the door I gave her a hug and, as she tenderly patted my cheek, a smile lighted her countenance so that it seemed to shine upon me. I have never forgotten its serenity and sweetness.

I Start in a Lonesome Way.

We reached the top of the hill in the evening of a beautiful summer day. I went at once to call upon the Dunkelbergs and learned from a man at work in the dooryard that they had gone away for the summer. How keen was my disappointment! I went to the tavern and got my supper and then over to Ashery lane to see Michael Hackett and his family. I found the schoolmaster playing his violin.

"Now God be praised—here is Bart!" he exclaimed as he put down his instrument and took my hands in his. "I've heard, my boy, how bravely ye've weathered the capes an' I'm proud o' ye—that I am!"

I wondered what he meant for a second and then asked:

"How go these days with you?"

"Swift as the weaver's shuttle," he answered. "Sit you down, while I call the family. They're out in the kitchen putting the dishes away. Many hands make light labor."

They came quickly and gathered about me—a noisy, happy group. The younger children kissed me and sat on my knees and gave me the small news of the neighborhood.

How good were the look of those friendly faces and the full-hearted pleasure of the whole family at my coming!

"What a joy for the spare room!" exclaimed the schoolmaster. "Sure I wouldn't wonder if the old bed was dancin' on its four legs this very minute."

"I intend to walk up to the hills tonight," I said.

"Up to the hills!" he exclaimed merrily. "An' the Hackets lyin' awake thinkin' o' ye on the dark road! Try it, boy, an' ye'll get a crack with the

boy. It's the one that keeps away. Don't let him think ye've anything up the sleeve o' yer mind. Ah, my lad, I know the heart o' youth! Ye'd like to be puttin' yer arms around her—wouldn't ye, now? Sure, there's time enough! Ye're in the old treadmill o' God—the both o' ye! Ye're bein' weighed an' tried for the great prize. It's not pleasant, but it's better so. Go on, now, an' do yer best an' whatever comes take it like a man."

A little silence followed. He broke it with these words:

"Ye're done with that business in Cobleskill, an' I'm glad. Ye didn't know ye were bein' tried there—did ye? Ye've stood it like a man. What will ye be doin' now?"

"I'd like to go to Washington with the senator."

"I was hopin' ye'd say that," he went on. "Well, boy, I think it can be arranged. I'll see the senator as soon as ever he comes an' I believe he'll be glad to know o' yer wishes. I think he's been hopin', like, that ye would propose it. Go up to the farm and spend a happy month or two with yer aunt an' uncle. It'll do ye good. Ye've been growin' plump down there. Go an' melt it off in the fields."

main street of the village before leaving.

looked and, to be quite frank, I wanted some of the people of Canton to see how I looked, for my clothes were of the best cloth and cut in the latest fashion. Many stopped me and shook my hand—men and women who had never noticed me before, but there was a quality in their smiles that I didn't quite enjoy. I know now that they thought me a little too grand on the outside. What a stern-sooled lot those Yankees were! "All ain't gold that glitters." How often I had heard that version of the old motto!

"Why, you look like the senator when he is just gittin' home from the capital," said Mr. Jenison.

I met Betsy Price—one of my schoolmates—on the street. She was very cordial and told me that the Dunkelbergs had gone to Saratoga.

"I got a letter from Sally this mornin'," Betsy went on. "She said that young Mr. Latour was at the same hotel and that he and her father were good friends."

I wonder if she really enjoyed sticking this thorn into my flesh—a thorn which made it difficult for me to follow the advice of the schoolmaster and robbed me of the little peace I might have enjoyed. My faith in Sally wavered up and down until it settled at its wonted level and reassured me.

It was a perfect summer morning and I enjoyed my walk over the familiar road and up into the hill country. The birds seemed to sing a welcome to me. Men and boys I had known waved their hats in the hayfields and looked at me. There are few pleasures in this world like that of a boy getting home after a long absence.

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The proposition is very simple. YOU know the bonds must be sold. YOU want the United States to maintain its place as the leading nation. YOU have made up your mind that you are going to subscribe for as much as you can, and YOU know better than any other man how much that is.

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Why should you sacrifice valuable time from your work to go out and ask your neighbor to buy bonds? Or why should

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Foolish, isn't it?

It's the business of every loyal American to have the bonds subscribed.

While actual warfare has ceased and we are not burning up ammunition and killing men and destroying property, we can still make loans to our country and it is **NECESSARY** that the Liberty Loan program be fully and speedily subscribed before the world.

Let's do it cheerfully and get it out of the way—when the campaign opens—let us go to the committee and make our subscription and get our volunteer button and wear it, and thus remind our neighbor to do his duty—if he hasn't already beat us to it.

There will be but **THREE** days to get in the volunteer class. But don't put it off till the second or third day, and don't wait for soliciting committees to "sell" you on your duty.

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