

FARM MORE LAND

Cultivate for the Soldier at the Front.

This question of conservation of food has become so agitated by those who have a knowledge of what it means...

LUMBERJACKS READY FOR SERVICE IN EUROPE



Group of New England lumberjacks ready to embark for Europe to prepare timbers for the trenches of the allies...

The Hit of His Life

By ALICE E. IVES (Copyright, by W. G. Chapman.) "Say Jerry, you must have good stories enough up your sleeve to fit out a fiction writer for a whole year."

phone to his mother that he had been suddenly called away on business. She was not at home, but someone took the message...

FACE MANY PERILS TO HELP WOUNDED PLAN NEW TYPE FIGHTING PLANE

Will Sacrifice Speed to Weight of Broadside and Involuntarily. EXPERTS INDOOR PROGRAM. Orville Wright, Inventor of Airplane, Says Conflict's Quick Termination Lies in Air Inferiority for Some Combatant.



Benah Cray, about twenty, pretty and right up to date, all except the painted cheeks and lips, Benah had...

"Dear! Dear!" sympathized the little woman. "Isn't that too bad? Well, I don't see that thing coming anyway!"

PRIVATE FENTON ENVIES THEM

But He Changes His Mind After Trip to No Man's Land as Volunteer in Place of Blain Bearer. By PATRICK MAC GILL.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE FOR THIS SOLDIER TO MEND

Paris.—The French army probably contains the oldest soldier in the world, a private named Montarrat, whose age is eighty-one years.

HUMAN ADDING MACHINE

New York has produced a six-year-old human adding machine, who can give instantly the totals of formidable columns of figures...

IS AMERICA'S DEATH TRAP

Cocapah Desert is Small, but is Declared to Be the Most Perilous Spot in the Entire World. It is not generally known that the hottest, most arid desert in the world is in the United States...

They Had an Easy Life.

It was Fenton's first spell in the firing line and the trench in which he found himself was a comparatively quiet one, but in bad repair...

Wanted a Volunteer!

"I've lost him," he said, "and I want somebody to take his place, a volunteer. There's only one more wounded man out in the front now, so I want to get him in. Who'll come with me?"

Must Mend the Enemy.

"However, if the allies' armies are equipped with such a number of airplanes as to keep the enemy planes entirely back of the line, so that they are unable to direct gunfire or to observe the movements of the allied troops in other words...

Costs Him \$4,300 to Sell Rum.

Burlington, Vt.—It cost Solomon Zeebel \$4,300 to sell one bottle of liquor here. Solomon has a saloon, but under the law he is not allowed to sell anything to be drunk away from the premises.

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Frazzled Nerves

"No," said the girl in the hat with the white roses, "I haven't seen Charlie for a number of days. I guess he isn't feeling very well or else is recovering."

"Recovering!" echoed the young woman in the orange jango waist. "I didn't know he was ill!"

"It is not exactly illness," explained the young woman with the white roses in her hat. "It is mostly shock. And I don't blame him. It was an awful evening!"

"Tell me!" begged her friend.

"We went to the movies," proceeded the heroine of the tale. "I suppose it was just a curious coincidence, but every last film had a snake in it!"

"My goodness!" shuddered the girl in the orange waist.

"That's what I said!" agreed the other.

"First," she continued, "they tied a girl to a ladder in an abandoned house and the villain, who appeared to be a snake collector, took them out of a bag by the handful and shook them at her and then draped them nicely around the ladder above her. It was a comic film, so called, and ended by a dozen policemen and all the rescuers being tangled up with all the snakes."

"Then the conspirators in the next film tried to scare the girl into revealing the hidden money by shaking a bowie knife and a large snake in her face. By that time Charlie and I were shuddering in my seat. He said he hated 'em worse than I did and wasn't ashamed of it."

"There was a circus snake charmer in the next and after that we fled. I tell you I stopped high going down the aisle, and I noticed that Charlie had a tendency to hop along himself. I know I could have made the door in two jumps if conventionality had not restrained me. The brightly lighted street looked very, very good to me!"

"Then we clambered up the steps of our porch. I have been very proud of our porch this summer. It is shaded with vines and has heaps of palms and ferns and things sitting around in the corners and is furnished with a hammock and wicker. The street light filtered thru the vines like a well-conducted moon as we strolled in, and then for one awful minute Charlie and I had convulsions."

"Simultaneously we leaped into the air and screamed—and when I came down I fell over a chair to the floor while Charlie ripped the hammock down as he tumbled."

"Across my feet!" I hissed. "I felt it bite—on both insteps! Do you suppose it is a p-p-poisonous one?"

"It b-b-bit me, too!" Charlie stammered.

"As we sat clutching our lacerated ankles and shuddering I chanced to glance down the street. Tearing along as tho it was attached to a motor gone crazy was a little black kitten! It was traveling about one hundred miles an hour in its terror, and then I remembered that I had heard a sort of scrambling noise just before the attack. The kitten had been asleep in a chair and dreamed that we were Newfoundland dogs, I suppose. Weakly Charlie and I staggered to our feet and into chairs. We didn't say anything for some time. Then he said roughly: 'Well, anyhow, it might have been a snake—and it might have bitten us!'"

"I think I'll faint," I told him, shakily, and he had to rush into the house for ice water and a fan.

"While he was frantically chopping ice in the refrigerator he took loose some damp lettuce leaves from the pile on the top of the ice box that the cook had forgotten to put inside, and they landed on the back of his neck as he bent over. I wish you could have heard the peculiar convention that followed! Charlie roared and yelled and pounded. Father and mother tumbled downstairs, and father added his roars of inquiry to the meeting, while mother shrieked that somebody was killed, and she knew it and for mercy sake not to tip all the currant jelly just made that day!"

"They dragged Charlie out pawing the air and gurgling, and then saw me perched on top the back of the sofa murmuring: 'The snake! The snake! Did it bite him?'"

"Well, finally we sent Charlie home when he partially recovered. I wouldn't go any farther than the doorstep, I was so nervous by this time, and I saw him start bravely off. Halfway down the steps a waving strand from the woodbine clutched him around the throat and—oh, well what's the use? Only the whole neighborhood is busy making up stories about the mysterious tragedy that occurred at our house. I believe they have it now that father chased mother away from her happy home with a gun, and that you could hear her wails a mile off."

"Anyway, father had to carry me upstairs. I was beyond touching the door by that time. No, I haven't seen Charlie since!"

"Well, I don't wonder!" said the girl in the orange waist.

Holding Him to His Word.

Bobby (trying to get away)—"Say, pa, wait a minute. Didn't you tell the callers last night that I couldn't be father for mischief?"

Bob—"That's just what I did. You young rascal."

Bobby—"Well, then, what do you mean by beating me now?"

CATCH FISH WITH A SEARCHLIGHT

MARKET OWNERS FIND NEW WAY TO GET THEIR GOODS

Rays Make Water Transparent at Night and Men Drag Out "Cats" Rapidly.

James Colten and James Reece conduct a fish market in Webb City, Mo. They had done a good business for some time purchasing their stock from various fishermen. But by the time they had paid these men 12 cents a pound gross for their fish and then sold them at 20 cents net, paid high rent and other expenses, they failed to realize a reasonable profit.

They owned an auto, so they determined by its use to cut down expenses and at the same time handle goods they knew were fresh. The nearest large stream where catfish—for which they had the best market—were caught was fifteen miles away.

Colten and Reece purchased a small but powerful searchlight, which would throw a stream of light into the water at night for a depth of several feet. Daylight was not as good for their plan as was darkness, because of being unable to see so far into the water in the daytime and because the fish were usually under logs or overhanging rocks. But at night the catfish is always in "the open."

The men built a flat-bottom boat with roof and sides for protection against cold winds, and set up a wood-burning stove.

Work began in earnest. The flashlight made the water perfectly transparent. In less than ten minutes Colten had seen, slipped a huge hook under, and landed a three pound "cat." That night five fish were captured, weighing three, twelve, twenty-one, forty-eight and fifty-six pounds each, making a total of 140 pounds.

At the price they had been paying, this number would have cost them \$15.80. And they have done even better since then—their best catch being 210 pounds.

Colten and Reece have found that they can make a good profit by selling their goods now at 15 instead of 20 cents a pound—something their competitors cannot do. The result is a greatly increased business. So successful has the venture proved that the market owners are planning to catch fish by the searchlight method more extensively.

DUST ON THE OCEAN SURE IS, SAYS OHIOAN

Decks of Sail Craft Scrubbed Morning and Night, He Declares.

"Dust on the ocean—it doesn't seem possible, does it?" observed Col. Tom Marshall of Columbus, Ohio, at the Willard Hotel in Washington, D. C., recently. "Well, it not only is possible, but actually a fact. In my youth I was a sailor. In fact, I spent the better part of my life on the ocean."

"On board ship the rule was that every morning a certain number of the crew were detailed to wash the decks, and in the evening during the dog watch, between 4 and 6, another crew swept and dusted the decks and the other parts of the ship."

"You wouldn't think it, you land lubbers, that on each occasion there was a quantity of dust on decks and everywhere else. The dust was thick on occasions—so thick that it would soil one's hands. Where the dust comes from on the ocean I am sure I don't know."

"I know it is a popular idea that there is no dust on the ocean, and I probably would not believe it had I not experienced so many years before the mast and observed with my own eyes quantities of dust on vessels."

"The dust must have come from the smokestacks," it was suggested.

"In my day there were no smokestacks," returned Colonel Marshall. "I never served on board a steam vessel, but only on sailing craft. There was no chance for dust from the smokestack there."

MENTAL CALCULATION HIS CHRONIC CRAZE

Man Consults Specialists to Make His Head Stop Hurting.

Edgar H. Brun of Moultrie, Ga., who until recently regarded himself as a mathematical genius, has consulted specialists in Atlanta to determine if he cannot stop calculating. He suffers from an ailment which he refers to as acute and chronic calculation, and as a result of which his head hurts, he talks constantly to himself and his nervousness increases daily.

Mr. Brun became so mathematical that he counted how many steps he took in any direction, how many times he opened and closed his eyes in a given time and how many strokes he took when shaving. At first he required 503 strokes of the razor to do the last-mentioned performance, and when he had cut the strokes down to 200 and whittled his chin down to nothing he began investigating himself with the aid of physicians.

He now estimates that he will be cured by spring, during which time he will open and shut his eyes 18,978,573-678,987,645,567,638,493,987,584 times.

Arizona Has Cave Prison.

Graham County, Arizona, has a cave prison built in rock cliffs. The entrance to the prison is closed by a small stone building, separated from the cell rooms by heavy steel gates.

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Elie Audette and daughter, Mrs. Napoleon Derousseau of Clyde, Kansas, who were called to Bourbonnais by the death of John B. Audette, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Wilson and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. Goodman of Watseka were Sunday guests at the McCue home on South Center Ave.

Mrs. Tedford and children are guests at the Brickle home.

Chas Rebhott of Onargo was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mr. J. Lucas spent Sunday in Chicago with relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Mathson and two children have returned home from an extended visit in Chicago.

Edw. Wilson was on the sick list during the week.

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Frank Sterbents of Joliet was a week end visitor with his brother here.

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The Hospitable Habit

The family with the hospitable habit enjoys more guests and enjoys them more than the family which has to go through a separate preparation for the advent of every one. Its spirit is more mellow, its judgments are more charitable; its fixed animosities when it has any, are less fanatical; its moral perspective is more trustworthy, its attitude toward untried things more worldly wise, its sense of humor keener and more ready; its contempt for trifles more spontaneous. The stranger within its gates fares better here than anywhere else outside of his own home, for it absorbs him into itself, for the time being, almost as an integral part; he yields to it unbidden the best he has to give, and it gives him its best in return.

The President's Military Map

There is in the office of the White House a map twenty feet long and eight feet high, which indicates, at a glance, the military information needed by the commander in chief of the army and navy.

This map represents the entire world. Different colors show at once the possessions of twelve great powers. Salubrious cables, railways, steamship lines mail routes are all distinctly traceable.

The naval and military forces of the various nations are indicated by miniature flags. Those representing the United States bear the names of commanders and are readily shifted as the forces move from place to place.

The cavalry, artillery and infantry are represented by flags of their respective colors—yellow, red and white—giving the number of the regiment and the letter of the troop, battery or company. Even the smallest regiment or corps is marked by a tiny red cross. Ships of every class are shown by red, white and blue flags bearing the name of each and the number of her guns.

The Cedars of Lebanon

Very carefully enclosed and guarded are the 200 remaining cedars of Lebanon, those famous trees that once clothed all the sides of the Syrian mountains. So tall and beautiful were they in comparison with the trees of Palestine that the Hebrew writers celebrated them with extraordinary praise, and from the earliest times their soft, white wood was the glory of Jewish architecture. They were used in Solomon's Temple, and in his successor, and also in the church that Constantine built at Jerusalem.

The surviving trees are called by the Arabs the "tree of God," and under their wide spreading branches the clergy of the Greek church occasionally celebrate mass.

Several of the trees in the grove are over 1,500 years old, and have a height of 100 feet and a circumference of fifty. In appearance they more resemble the aged larch or the majestic oak than the cedar that is known in America.

Walnuts from France

The best walnuts in the world—most that have that reputation—are those grown around Grenoble, France, and a singular fact about them is that at least three quarters of the entire production are transported across the ocean to be eaten in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and other large American cities. The calcareous soil of southeastern France appears to be particularly favorable to the walnut. On the rising land at the base of the French Alps the nut trees often 6 m. veritable cultivated forests. The finest variety, the "mayette," has a light colored shell and a broad, flat base, on which it readily stands upright.

Longest Flight of Birds

A scientist says that perhaps the longest straight-away flight made by birds in their migrations is accomplished by some of the shore and water birds that nest in the islands of Behring Sea and spend the winter at Kwana and Fanning Island, 2,500 miles away. Inasmuch as some of these birds live entirely on shore and are probably unable to rest on the surface of the water. It follows that they must accomplish the whole distance at a single flight. Although there are no land marks for them on their journey over a waste of waters, they make their way to their destination with the precision of a rifle shot.

Duck's Immunity to Snake Poison

Experiments by M. Billard and M. Lambert recorded in the "Comptes Rendus" of the Biological Society of Paris show that the common duck exhibits a remarkable immunity to the venom of the viper. They also find that the owl is similarly immune. Two of these, badly bitten on the feet, did not seem much worse. M. Billard also finds that the domestic cat has also complete immunity as regards the viper.

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When a newly married couple is given a nice charivari accompanied by some classic selections by the tin pan orchestra, the newlyweds can collect a nice little bill of damage from the city permitting it, according to the courts. The laws of Illinois hold a city responsible for damages done by a mob and the courts have decided that a charivari is a mob. A person annoyed by a howling mob that disturbs him or his premises can collect damages from the city that permits it. The fact that he is newly married offers no excuse. The town of LeRoy in McLean county has just been assessed \$156 and costs for permitting a crowd to surround the residence of W. H. Cline of that city, yelling, beating tin pans, firing off guns and hattering the sides of the residence with bricks. The city will pay the damages.—Emington Joker.

One Year Ago

Emil Hurt Jr. bought the F. G. Clinton barber shop.

A family reunion was held at the Knox home on South Center ave.

Miss Lydia Rautz and Harvey Boudreau were married.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Betts of Gary Ind.

Two Years Ago

Lewis Clark a pioneer citizen died at his home here.

Miss Elizabeth Grill was dismissed as assistant to the Postmaster.

Mrs. Roy Martin slipped a fell and wrenched her wrist.

Mrs. Chester Patchet returned home from the Emergency Hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Three Years Ago

Mrs. Henry Bourelle of North Grand ave. was robbed of \$43.90 in cash by Ben Rickard, G. L. Rieckert and Q. Sample fruit peddlers. Mrs. Bourelle laid her purse with the money in it on the wagon while she made a purchase and the men stole it. The money was later recovered when they were arrested.

J. B. Lawkins who was suffering with a broken foot was able to be up and around with the aid of crutches.

J. E. DeSelm of the Chas. Wertz Co. captured a burglar here who had burglarized his home in Kankakee.

Ira Ward, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ward died at the Eastern Illinois Hospital in Kankakee after a lingering illness.

Chas. Shumaker resigned his position with the David Bradley Mfg. Wks. to accept a position as Chief Engineer for the Lehigh Stone Co.

Annual Financial Statement of the Township Treasurer

Township 31, range 12E, Kankakee County, Illinois, for the year ending June 30th, 1917.

CONTRACT FEES

Balance	\$1209 00
From Distribution of Trusts	555 49
From District Taxes	2418 74
From other sources	0 00
Total	\$4187 23

EXPENDITURES

School Board and Business Offices	125 23
Teachers	1570 00
Text Books, Stationery, Supplies, Etc.	298 04
Salaries of Transferred Pupils	543 00
Janitors, Engineers	918 25
Fuel, Water, Light, Etc.	844 19
Maintenance of Plant	1745 81
Rest	74 24
Teachers' Pension Fund	70 00
New Grounds and Buildings	1385 85
District Bonds	1000 00
Interest on Bonds	157 89
Balance	15864 53
Total	\$41467 13

DESTRUCTIVE FEES

Balance	\$ 195 95
Interest, Rents, Etc.	92 35
From County Superintendent	272 04
Total	\$ 560 34

EXPENDITURES

Incidental Expenses of Treasurer	4 23
Publishing Annual Statement	5 00
Compensation of Treasurer	25 00
Distributed to Districts	273 90
Balance	78 25
Total	\$ 386 38

VOVSHIP FEES

Balance	\$ 1647 00
Total	\$ 1647 00

EXPENDITURES

Loans made	\$ 1647 00
Total	\$ 1647 00

I hereby certify that the foregoing statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. A. MARCOTTE, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1917.

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Miss Earlen Schrantz of Manteno is spending the week with friends in this city.

Miss Jessie Colstock and Chester Colstock are spending several weeks at Dwight, Ill., with relatives and friends.