

VOL. ONE

#### **KELLY FIELD, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1918.**

**NO. SEVEN** 

# **Officers Honor Major Deuel at Farewell Dinner**

**Former Commanding Officer** of Flying Department Transferred

**80 Friends Attend Function at Gunter** 

Major Decker, Col. Quackenbush, Col. Duncan and Col. **Brandt Speak Words** of Praise

Officers of Kelly Field tendered a farewell dinner to Major Thorne Deuel, Junior Military Aviator, S C. U. S. A. Tuesday evening at the Gunter Japanese Garden. . About 80 of the men who have associated with the officer, who has been ordered transferred elsewhere, attended.

A bugler played mess call, signalling the start. Escorted by Lieut Col. G. V. S. Quackenbush, Commanding Officer of Kelly Field, Major Deuel was led to the seat of honor. The table bore the significant "303," the number of the favorite ship of the major, in which he has flown many miles.

Major S. M. Decker, in charge of engineering at Kelly Field Flying Department acted as toastmaster. There were speeches by Lieut. Col G. V. S. Quackenbush, who dwelt on the military standard of the major; Lieut. Col. Thomas Duncan post executive officer, took tailspins as his subject, explaining the three ways of successfully doing this maneuver: by a steep bank, a leveling out slide and a steep climb. Major Deuel has used the latter method, he said, in his wonderful progress since being graduated from West Point Military Academy.

Lieut. Col. Brant Speaks.

Lieut. Col. G. C. Brant, who succeeds Major Deuel as Commanding Officer of the Flying Department, spoke of the spirit of Kelly Field, service. His story is one of the roand expressed for those present mances of the war.



Former Mechanic Downed 54 Hun Planes in Battle

The rise of Capt. James T. B. Mc-Cudden, M. C., of the British Royal Stunt Flying is Flying Corps, from air mechanic to premier ace of the world, might inspire enlisted men in Kelly Field who are discouraged because they have

not advanced more rapidly in the Instruct or's Department to be

#### Texas Youth is Missing; Claimed He Was at Kelly

William C. Nuckolls is missing. He left Bellevue, Texas, early in January with the intention of going to Fort Sam Houston and enlisting in the Aviation Section. A few days after his departure, his civilian clothes were returned home by parcel post.

Since then nothing has been heard from him. A friend of the family reported to his relatives that in March she met Nuckolls in San Antonio. At the time of meeting, the friend says Nuckolls told her he was working in the motor repair shop at Kelly Field

Miss Winifred Nuckolls, sister of the lost youth, visited the Y. W. C. A. Hostess House at Kelly Field last Saturday, seeking information about her brother.

For the last month, the Intelligence Bureau has been searching for Nuckolls but have no clue as to his whereabouts. At the personnel office, there is no record of him, either as having reported at this field, or to the Trade Test Board. Authorities at Fort Sam Houston have no record of his enlistment.

The only description of him is that he is tall, has light hair and is 21 years old, although he appears to be much younger. Information is requested which may assist in locating him.

#### Have Seven Nephews In Country's Service

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Litter of Austin, Tex., have seven nephews in the service. One nephew is already "over there," three others are in training in this country and the last three are now ready to don khaki.

Dr. and Mrs. Litter were visitors at Kelly field early in the week and on the register at the Y. W. C. A. Hostat Kelly Field ess House they expressed in writing, under the heading "Remarks," their pride in their nephews. "One nephew over there, three more in the service and three more to go," is what they wrote.

# Efficiency is Aim of School For Officers

**Commissioned Personnel will Take Three Month's Course Here** 

#### **Colonel Danforth will Be Senior Instructor**

#### Setting-up Exercises, Drill and Practice in Hygiene and Sanitation Included

A School for Officers of Kelly Field will be organized in the First Training Brigade, with Lieut.-Col. Charles H. Danforth, commanding officer of that Brigade, as senior instructor, at which a three-months' course of instruction in selected branches of ground work will be given, with a view to developing the commissioned personnel of the Field to the highest standard of military efficiency.

Authority for establishment of this school is contained in a memorandum issued from Post Headquarters today, obligatory enrollment for the course being imposed upon all officers of the Field whose duties do not preclude their attending. A similar course of instruction is to be given by brigade commanders to officers whose staff or organization duties make it impracticable for them to toin the school.

The memorandum follows the appointment last week by Lieut.-Col G. V. S. Quackenbush, commanding officer of the Field, of a special board, composed of Lieut.-Col. Danforth, Major Raycroft Walsh, commanding officer of the Second Training Bri-

gade; and Major S. B. Buckner, Jr., commanding officer of the Third Training Brigade, charged with formulating the course of instruction.

School Opened Daily.

The school will be open daily, except Sundays, work each day will begin with setting-up exercises and drill, and instruction will take the form of two hours' recitations on two subjects and three hours' practical work each day. Lieut.-Col. Danforth will select the assistant instructors he requires, which are to include a medical officer who will conduct the course in Military Hygiene and Sanitation.

their regret at losing so able a commander, and so good a friend as the major.

jor Deuel said he was sorry to leave of valor that a British officer can persons in camp. Beginning this a field where he had had so many gain. He went to France with the week, training in aerial acrobatics is happy associations, and would al- original British Expeditionary Forces. being conducted within the limits of ways remember Kelly Field.

#### **First Kelly Field Man Naturalized Under New Law**

#### Private Given Full Papers **Immediately After** Applying

67, First Training Brigade, is the observer at the battle of Mons. Later an enemy. Aces invariably have first alien in Kelly Field to be nat- he was commissioned a pilot. His some peculiar individual manner of Military Prison at Fort Leavenworth uralized under recent Federal leg- other distinction, in the order of handling their planes which takes islation opening the way to imme- their award, include the Distinguish- their antagonist by surprise. diate American citizenship for all ed Service Order, a bar to the D. S. desirable subjects of foreign coun- O., th Croix de Guerre, the Military Cross, the bar to the Military Cross, tries in the United States Army.

obtained his full papers last Satur-|France as a private and later be-| sued by the Red Cross and other day at Camp Travis, when a Fed- came a sergeant. His elevation to agencies, will be made a part of the eral naturalization commissioner be an observer won him his original regular rations of the United States 15th Cavalry Squadrons. He is an who is applying the new law to commission. camps in the vicinity of San An-

fore June 3.

As a bugler, Capt. McCudden entered the British Army eight years

In a short, farewell address Ma- ago, and today has won every honor flying field, and will be in sight of

The aereal champion is not yet 23 the field. Heretofore, it has been the policy of teaching this spectacuyears old. He is of slight build and lar work in a zone at the edge of the is an immaculate dresser. He has reservation. This was done so as accounted for 54 enemy machines, not to attract observation and in this and has been in 100 fights, including way encourage inexperienced cadets three indecisive battles with Immel- to imitate the dangerous maneuvers, before he had sufficient training. man. Since the death of Baron

To perform tricks of the air, a Richthofen, the German ace, who had 79 victories to his credit, Capt. Mc- knowledge of the correct angles on which to bank the machine is neces-Cudden is now regarded as the greatsary, and this requires careful trainets living air-fighter.

McCudden took off the oil-stained ing. Aviators at the front need a Pvt. Alexander T. Hayes, Line overalls of a mechanic to become an startling repertoire of stunts to bag

## Tobacco U. S. Ration in France.

**Now Practiced** 

Scene of Advanced

Maneuvers

Tobacco, which heretofore has Hayes, who was born in Canada, and the Military Medal. He went to been purchased by the soldiers or isforces in France, says a dispatch

He has never been wounded, al- from headquarters in France on May tonio, granted citizenship to 250 though participating in over 100 bat- 22. On the recommendation of Genmen there. This commissioner will tles. Of the 54 victories won by eral Pershing, the War Department 1917, and in October assigned to shortly visit Kelly Field. Quick ac- Capt. McCudden, 42 of the machines has decided upon this action. As Kelly Field. While here he was comtion was necessary in Hayes' case, as have been destroyed, 19 of them in- soon as the new order goes into ef- pilation officer, fire marshall, adjuhe wished to try for a commission side the British lines. On two oc- fect, which will be in a few days, tant of the Second Training Brigade, in the Corps of Engineers, U. S. casions, he has totally destroyed four there will be issued daily to each sol- and executive officer Southern Avia-Regular Army, and was ineligible two-seater enemy machines on the dier four-tenths of an ounce of smok- tion Training District successively. lines of work at school established to apply before naturalization, so same day, and on the last occasion ing tobacco and ten cigarette papers. He was promoted to the rank of lieu- June 1 at Fort Bliss, Texas. The was obliged to submit his case be- all four were brought down in one Certain other articles may be substi- tenant-colonel January 26, 1918. He course of instruction will be for two hour and thirty minutes. tuted.

#### Stunt flying is now being practiced Lieut-Col. Brandt at the lower end of the instructors' Executive Officer Flying Department

Lieut. Colonel G. C. Brandt, S. C. U. S. A., recently executive officer of the Southern Aviation Training District, has been appointed Commanding Officer of the Kelly Field Flying Military Art, Small Arms Firing Department.

Colonel Brandt began his military career by enlisting in the 50th Iowa Volunteers during the Spanish-American War, 1898. The following year,

he entered West Point and in 1904 was commissioned a second lieutenant, and assigned to the 9th Cavalry. He was assigned to United States from 1905 to 1907, as executive officer, and the Fort Sam Houston Man euver Division in 1911. With the 10th Cavalry he served on the Mexican Border during the trouble from 1913 to 1915. He has spent five years on the Philippine Islands, and has been with the 7th, 9th, 10th and expert pistol and rifle shot.

Colonel Brandt was commissioned a major in the Signal Corps August, to provide their own books at once. is only 37 years of age.

Studies and training will include the following subjects:

Infantry Drill Regulations-so much of Field Service Regulations as is included in Part II, I. D. R., Manual Interior Guard Duty, Man-Department ual Courts-Martial, Regulations, fire direction conferences and lectures will be given, written examinations held, and use made of pamphlets issued by the War Department.

To Teach Map Drawing.

Conferences, lectures, and written examinations are also scheduled for the Department of Military Sanitation and Hygiene, and instruction in the Department of Field Engineering will take the form of conferences, lectures, written examinations, map sketching, trench systems and military bridges.

In the Department of Military Administration, the course will cover Army Regulations, Manuals Signal Corps, Signals Service of Supply, and Use of Blank Forms.

Officers attending the School are

ESTABLISH NEW SCHOOL.

Packers, teamsters and saddlers will be instructed in their respective months.

# **Captain Hyman** Leaves Record for Work Done

Leaves Kelly Field to Recuperate at Fort Bayard, N. M.

#### Handled Thousands of Men During Rush

#### **Directed Building of Recruit Divisions**— Lieut. Porter **His Successor**

Captain J. H. Hyman, First Training Brigade Supply Officer, left Kelly Field last Thursday for Fort Bayard, N. M., to recuperate from a nervous breakdown, the result of strenuous work last winter.

Captain Hyman planned and directed the construction of the Recruit and Trades Divisions of the field. He was commissioned a first honor at the Travis Club, Monday lieutenant here from civil life July night, May 20, after which a dance 14, 1917. Shortly after his arrival and entertainment followed. Among he was made executive officer for those attending were Lieut. Colonel ten squadrons in the old recruit G. V. S. Quackenbush, commandant: camp. A staff of sergeants instead Major John Edgerly, adjutant, First of officers were his assistants. He Training Brigade; Captain Hayward also acted as field sanitary inspector H. Kendall, assistant post adjutant; and police officer.

made the construction of a more ade- department aviation officer, who is a quate camp necessary he was com- brother of the captain. Several other missioned to do the work. He suc- farewell entertainments were held in coeded in providing adequate quar- his honor. ters for the thousands of men sent here. Later he was made supply Porter. officer and from that time not only directed all construction work in the brigade but supervised the fitting out of recruits with necessary equipment, quarters and maintenance. Today, ficers, are not permitted to make any with its modern drainage system, changes in dates on applications for floored tents, and sanitary bath form furloughs. Only applicants of the Great Lakes the excursion houses and mess halls the First for the services of soldiers, or local steamer which tipped over in the Training Brigade is an ideal military draft boards are vested with the au- Chicago river on July 24, 1915, causcamp.

He was appointed captain Feb- furloughs. ruary 19, 1918. In February, while working from 18 to 20 hours a day to provide quarters for large numbers of incoming recruits he first felt restrain of his work. He grew signed and attached to squadrons steadily worse and last month the and who are neither performing Medical Department found it neces- squadron work nor special duty, may

ter in this state before entering the have been ordered to submit lists of service. He was born in Stephens- names of such men to the Personnel ville, Texas, 35 years ago. He was Office, Post Headquarters.

PHONE

CROCKETT

Capt. J. H. Hyman

educated in Stephenville college. A farewell dinner was held in his Captain Roy Francis, inspector of When the nflux of enlisted men flying, and Captain Raynor Hyman.

His successor is Lieut. Roscoe S.

#### Farm Furlough Orders.

Soldiers, or their commanding ofthority to designate dates on such

All Men Must Work.

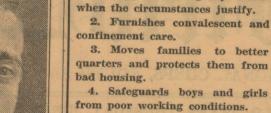
In order that men who are unassary to send him to the sanitarium. be placed in more serviceable posi-Captain Hyman was a land promo- tions, line and squadron commanders grade of Brigadier General, ordered

STREET

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KELLY FIELD EAGLE

6. Looks after the needs of those legally ineligible to Government allowance, but who are nevertheless entitled to support or care from enlisted men.

7. Furnishes the best legal advise for families in the complex problems that are sure to arise in time of war. Helps soldiers in trouble.

Officers and enlisted men who desire the Red Cross to render such service to those dependent upon them at home, should call in person or address the RED CROSS at their building between the Post Office and large warehouse on the Frio Road. Telephone number 15, Hospital Board.

#### N. Y. Assemblyman Enlists.

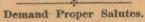
Assemblyman Mitchell A. Tiahan, of the North Yonkers-Greenburgh District, New York, enlisted recently in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, and has been sent to Cornell University for three months training in aerial photography. Tiahan is 21 years old, and is the "baby" member of the New York Legislature.

#### Eastland Now Gunboat.

The passenger steamer Eastland ing the loss of 900 lives, mostly women and children, has been converted into a gunboat, and now is in service on the Atlantic Ocean. The Eastland is now known as the U.S.S. Wilmette

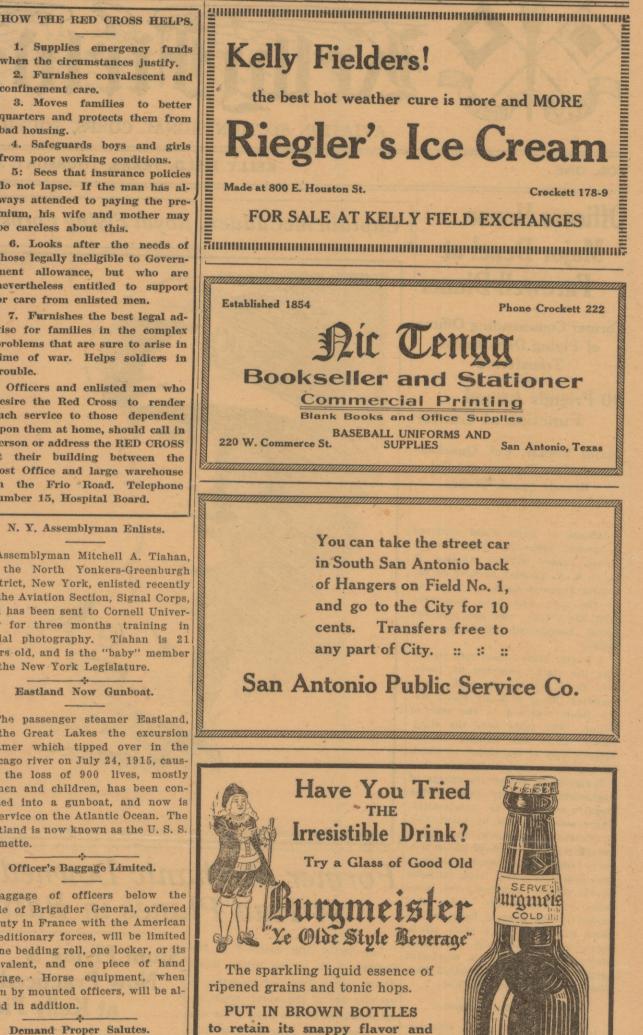
#### Officer's Baggage Limited.

Baggage of officers below the to duty in France with the American Expeditionary forces, will be limited to one bedding roll, one locker, or its equivalent, and one piece of hand baggage. · Horse equipment, when taken by mounted officers, will be allowed in addition.



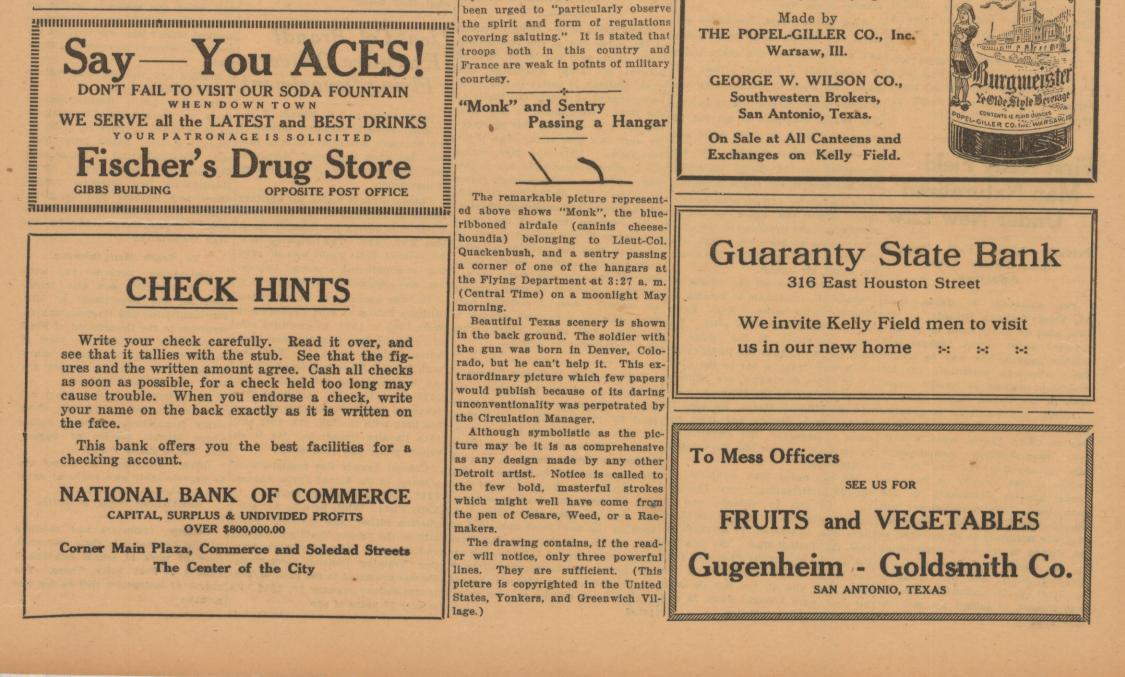
#### Commanding officers of lines and

uadrons on Kelly Field have again



The drink for your Flying Man.

zestful tang.



#### **Must Comply With** New Health Rules **Recently Drafted**

To safeguard the health of men in. the military service and that of residents of the city, strict compliance with regulations of the United States Health Survey Department is demanded by an ordinance passed by the city council of San Antonio. The ordinance applies to all places where food is sold or prepared.

Bottling works, and similar plants, must maintain a modern sterilizing plant, and employes must keep scrupulously clean. Bottling works will have cement floors. Failure to observe the rules will result in a fine ranging from \$5 to \$100, and licenses will be revoked. A tax of from \$2 to \$25 per year will be collected to defray the cost of inspection.

#### **Aviation Officers** Confer at Dallas

#### Lieut. Col. Quackenbush Represents Kelly Field at Important Meeting There

Lieut. Col. G. V. S. Quackenbush attended a conference of heads of aviation fields in the Southern Department held at Dallas last week. Brig, Gen. William L. Kenley, Chief of the Division of Military Aeronautics, with headquarters in Washington, presided at the conference.

Col. Quackenbush was absent from Wednesday until Saturday. In his absence, Lieut. Col. Thomas Duncan was Commanding Officer of the field.

## Start Work on **Phone Exchange**

The work of remodeling the old Post Headquarters building into an office and exchange for the new \$50,-000 telephone system was started last week. The partitions are being rebuilt according to the plans and equipment is being installed. Several important alterations will be made in the building, among which will be remodeling one end into a parlor for the women operators. The room will be tastefully furnished and a piano installed

It is expected that the exchange will be completed the latter part of the summer, the progress of the work depending entirely upon the matter of labor. At present difficulty is being experienced in securing sufficient men to do the work.

#### High Military Mass Said Memorial Day

# Gillette Safety Razor

#### Have You Seen the New Gillettes Specially Designed for the Fighting Man?

THESE models were designed by members of the L Gillette Organization who have seen service with the Colors and know what the soldier is up against.

Hundreds of officers and men are buying them-the U. S. Service Set in metal case, and the new Khaki-covered sets for Uncle Sam's soldiers and officers.

The Gillette is the one razor for the man who is doing things-the one razor with world-wide use and reputation.

When a man wants new Blades he can get them at any Post Exchange or Y. M. C. A. Hut-here in America or Overseas.

Our Paris Office carries stocks—is constantly supplying the American Expeditionary Forces. Gillette Safety Razors and Blades on sale everywhere in France, England, Italy and the Eastern battle fronts.

# The Minute a Man Puts on a Uniform

The fighting man doesn't want to dawdle around. He wants to do a thing right - and get it over with.

That's why the boys in the Service, the world over, are using the Gillette -the "once-over razor."

The Gillette saves from five to ten minutes a shave - no strops or hones to clutter up the kit — blades always sharp — always ready - No Stropping - No Honing.

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It's a shaving tool that gives a velvetsmooth shave in record time. Ten million men use nothing but the Gillette.

The new U.S. Regulations say that every man called to the Colors must have a razor - a razor that will meet all the demands of a soldier's life.

Every man under the Colors needs a Gillette.

The mother, sister or friend of a boy in camp, or a boy who's going into camp, couldn't possibly make him a more useful or acceptable gift than a Gillette Safety Razor.

Knights of Columbus War Activities Committee Holds Inspiring Service Thursday

A solemn high military mass was celebrated memorial play on the parade ground near the Hostess House, under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus War Activities Committee. Music was furnished by the Kelly Field band assisted by choristers from St. Joseph's church, San Antonio, who sang Schup's Mass.

Rev. J. E. Roach delivered an inspiring sermon in memory of America's dead and warned the men that they might be called upon to Mozart Club Gives make the supreme sacrifice and pleaded with them to lead clean upright lives.

The celebrants of the mass were Father John Lewis, O. M. I., of San gave a musical program for Kelly Antonio; Lieut. E. A. Rogers, Kelly Field men at the Knights of Colum-Field, Deacon; Lt. J. D. O'Keefe, bus hall last Wednesday evening. Flying Department, Kelly Field, sub- The chorus of more than 60 young deacon, and Lt. P. F. Coholan, 2nd women was directed by Arthur Claa-Training Brigade, master of cere- sen. The program consisted of the monies.

#### Men Transferred to Get Company Funds est Heart," from Goundo's "Faust,"

Proportionate funds will hence- Cuckoo," soprano solo, Miss Ella forth accompany men transferred Dielman; violin duet, Miss Lillian from an organization having a com- and Mr. Russell Hughes; barcarole pany fund to a new unit in the pro- from the "Tales of Hoffman," chorcess of formation. The amount will us; piano solos and vocal numbers, be gauged by arriving at the net as- Miss Flora Briggs; recitation, Miss

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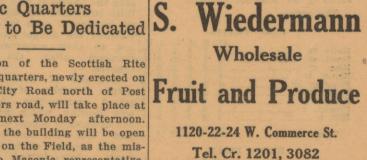
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Dedication of the Scottish Rite Field Headquarters, newly erected on the Frio City Road north of Post Headugarters road, will take place at 4 o'clock next Monday afternoon. Thereafter, the building will be open to all men on the Field, as the mission of the Masonic representative, L. J. Hausman, is welfare work.

**Masonic Quarters** 

Invitations to attend the ceremony have been extended to the principal officers in camp, and delegations of Masons from San Antonio will attend. The program follows: "Star-Spangled Banner," sung by Mrs. Royal Lowe accompanied by Kelly Field Band; Invocation by the Rev.

Sgt. Lawson Adams, Jr., landscape Church, San Antonio; Dedication ad- benediction by the Post Chaplain. "America," sung by Mrs. Royal Lowe, palms.



#### Milburn Drug Co. Inc. West Houston St. and Main Ave.

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Hugh McClellan, Central Christian accompanied by Kelly Field Band: set of the old organization and as- Thelma Linnartz; "A Dream," song, artist, announces that Bermuda grass dress by Judge W. J. Fly, Master Ko- Final touches are now being put certaining the share each man repre- by Miss Mary Roche; "Give a Man a seeds are now avaiable for planting. dash, San Antonio Consistory No. 5; on the building, and arrangements sents. When the amount is less Horse," bass solo, Frank Graham Any one desiring them is requested to apply at Room 18, Post Headquar- an Executive Officer, Kelly Field; rounding arena with shrubs and

Seeds Ready for Planting.

ON THE FLY CONTEST.

The Eagle will pay one dollar

each week for the best story sub-

mitted for the CAUGHT ON THE

FLY page. The contest will be

subject to the following rules:

1. If no story is submitted

2. Brevity will be an import-

3. The story must be humor-

Stories for this contest

ous or pathetic and must have a

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ant feature. Except under ex-

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should run over 100 words.

worthy of publication, no prize

will be awarded.

Kelly Field angle.

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KELLY FIELD SPO

# **Brown's Hits Bring Victory Memorial Day**

Kelly Outfielder Has Perfect Average in 4 Times at Bat, Gets a Triple

Ties Up the Series With Travis Team

#### **Bierman in Great Hurling Form** and Holds Travis Sluggers to Six Scattered Hits

Before a large Decoration Day crowd, Kelly Field's baseball team evened up the inter-camp series by inflicting a 6 to 3 defeat upon Camp Travis. The contest scintillated at times with some fast fielding, while Bierman, hurling for the aviators, was in his best form of the year.

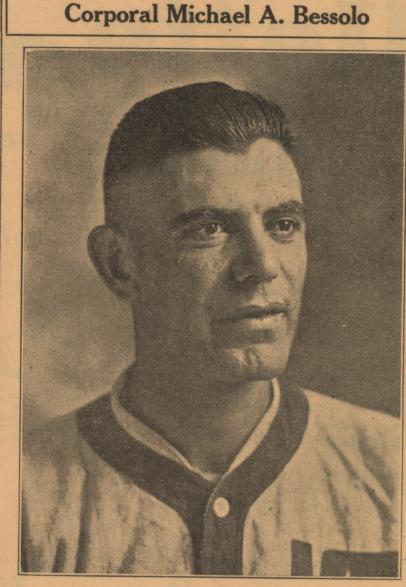
It was a hard-fought game from the outset, due to the fact that it was imperative Kelly Field should win in order to tie up the series. The aviators attacked Hill fiercely in the first inning and after taking a two-run lead, were never headed. Hill was mauled in the pinches, but fine support saved him from greater disaster

aster. The work of Brown, Kelly's hard-hitting outfielder, was a big factor in the victory. The human 42-centi-meter gun banged out four blows during the course of the afternoon, a triple, double and two singles, drove in one run and scored two him-self. In the meantime Biomean mean self. In the meantime Bierman was holding Hoke Warner's Doughboys to six scattered hits. A bad break of luck gave the visitors their first run and Lentz's boot accounted for two more in the eighth more in the eighth.

Get Early Start.

Hill suffered some hard treatment Hill suffered some hard treatment at various times through the battle. He started the home club on the way to victory in the first when he heav-ed Lentz's easy grounder into the bleachers, with the result that the midget took second. Wylandis hit to short and Lentz was trapped off sec-ond. Pennsylvania Los stole second Pennsylvania Joe stole second ond. and scored when Brown combed a double to right center. Brown regis-tered when Fernandez cracked a triple down the right field foul line. Big Flynn beat out an infield hit for Travis in the second. He stole sec-ond and went to third when Fernan-dez went back into right field for Henning's high fly. Fuller's long fly to right scored him.

The Aviators increased their lead in the sixth. Wylandis crashed one past Kelly and again stole second. past Kelly and again stole second. Brown tore off his third hit and Wy-landis scored. The Doughboys scored their final pair of counters in the eighth after two men were out. Kelly drew a pass and Gross nicked a sin-gle to center. Lentz mussed up Flynn's grounder, jamming the bases. Henning dropped a single into right Flynn's grounder, jamming the bases. Henning dropped a single into right and Kelly and Gross scored. Harm killed off Fuller on a grounder in front of the plate and retired the



-Photo by Rayburn.

# Catches Ball From Plane, Establishes World Record

Corporal Michael Bessolo of Kelly Field Team Clings to Baseball Dropped from Height of 700 Feet----Betters Washington Monument Feats.

For the first time a baseball thrown from an airplane, 700 feet in the air, has been caught. The achievement was accomplished here Memorial Day by Corporal Michael Angelo Bessolo of the 819th Aero Squadron, which betters the records established several years ago by Charley Street and Billy Sullivan, Major league baseball players who

Drops 36 Baseballs.

Major league baseball players, who caught a ball dropped from the top of the Washington monument. the most dangerous position possible, for a miss, for if it crashed through his hands it would have struck him in the face.



When tank Meets tank Then comes The slug of war. FORE.

It has occurred to me that our arch-enemy, Von Hindenburg, is there on the long drive, but is decidedly weak on his putting.

GREAT GERMAN OFFENSIVE-Limburger!

#### \* \* \* FASHION NOTE.

The newest summer styles in feminine attire seem to be more beautiful and ab-breviated than ever. This is the decision reached by me each year. Of course, you've allowed your orbs to slant nonchalantly on the bewitchingly, pretty, passionate, fluffy sleeves made of transparent ma-terial, which are being worn on shapely arms by their fashionable owners? And have you noticed the charmingly artistic manner in which many of the attractive young women are wearing their vaccina tion marks?

#### DO YOU SWEAR?

Recently, while Lieut. Rochester was affixing the official stamp of Un-

urb about six miles from Los An-

feat. The catch was made just be-

Breaks Other Records.

#### PEEK-A-BOO.

wish I was a little fish Frozen in the ice, And when the little girls come by, Wouldn't that be nice?

#### \* \* \* RICHARD CARLE COMING.

Richard Carle, the celebrated comedian of "Mary's Lamb," "Spring Chicken," and "Cohan Review" fame, writes me that he expects to be in San Antonio July 1st with other famous actors who are "doing their bit." They will amuse the soldiers in the surroundings camps.

#### \* \* \* MAYBE MORE.

In his letter the renowned come-dian tells me of a chorus girl in New

injured ankle. She should have dis-played the good one—then she would have received the \$5,000.

#### THAT JAZZY, JAZZ DANCE.

A differ circulating around San Antone and breezing into numerous dance halls and theaters. I have come to the conclusion that there are different ways of dancing the "jazz." This season the most popular manner of executing the various figures is for the young man to take the young monthing. \* \* \* \* COISES! COISES! My mother writes me from far-off Buffalo, N. Y., that during the winter months the moths have laid out a perfect 18-hole course in my golf

Third Brigade to Hold Track Meet

Sew Up Victory.

Kelly Field came back in their airplane. half and made the game secure. Starr was safe. Brown singled to left-his fourth hit of the afternoon. big ship in graceful circles and spi-Gilroy slammed a low line single to rals above the ball field. The al-timeter showed a height of 700 feet. left and it got away from Flynn, Bessolo, running for Starr, and Lieut. Bowers knew the former rec-Brown scoring. Gilroy took third ord for catching a baseball was a bit when Flynn made a bad return and over 500 feet and was aware that a world record would be established if

scored.

Joe Wylandis broke a perfect field- he started dropping the balls at ing record in the ninth when he above that mark. dropped a drive to left center after a

hard run. The next two hitters both flied out to him and on the final putout he made a wonderful back-handed stab of the ball. It was his first error in 38 possible chances. ship, with one hand, he started drop-ping the baseballs with his free hand.

The score:

CAMP TRAVIS.

AB. R. H. O. A. Kelly, 3b Gross, ss King, cf Flynn, lf Henning, Fuller, 2b Grimes, rf diamond 1b Hill, p Totals 

lets.

KELLY FIELD.

AB. R. H. Lentz, 88 Wylandis, 1f Fox, rf Bessolo, rf Brown, cf Fernandez, 2b Gilroy, 3b Spreitzer, 1b Harm, c 100 11 Harm, which established a new record. The Bierman, p Starr platoon of ball players strained every

stowed away in the fuselage of the through his arm for a brief moment. He staggered slightly but no more fore the start of the Kelly Field-The baseballs were in easy reach than an outfielder catching a hard

Camp Travis baseball game. of the pilot as he maneuvered the line fly off the bat of Ty Cobb.

> "I have it," he cried out instinctively by which phrase he established the fact that he was a college ball Sand lot players are supplayer. posed to say "I got it." The crowd went wild.

Bessolo wore an outfielder's glove when he caught the ball, making the he played in the afternoon at the big

Dextrously handling the stick, which controls the movements of the Bessolo said: "I never dropped a played on the Santa Clara college team. I didn't intend doing so in the

Bessolo is 5 feet 9 inches in height The former White Sox star managed

lets. The wind also made the suc-cessful outcome of the feat more difricult. Intermittant cheers came from the throats of the onlookers as the soldier ball players would almost get the ball, only to let it drop out of reach. More than three dozen balls were wasted before a direct hit was made which established a new record. The vious to his joining the service.

Corporal Bessolo first played basesinew and used every ounce of ball on the St. Vincent College team strength to "get under" the balls in Los Angeles and later attended which were cometing downward the University of Santa Clara, at right up to the maximum allowed Santa Clara, California. Here his brilliant work in the outfield brought him to the attention of western baseball scouts and Victoria in the Northwestern League offered him a con-

tract. He refused the offer because At last when it appeared that the is at Eagle Rock, California, a sub-

team and Walter Johnson's most best athletes in the different brifamous battery mate, and Billy Sul-livan, the brilliant Chicago White Camp Stanley, Camp Travis, Camp Sox backstop of the great "Hitless Wise, Fort Sam Houston and

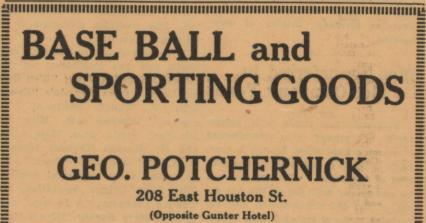
ed from the highest window of the

Commanding officers will see that Washington monument, a height of the best cinder path material in Bessolo said: "I never dropped a 542 feet. Street was the first man fly ball in my life from the time I to make the catch, accomplishing the was a kid on the pasture lots until I feat in 1910, after he had spent three

feat in 1910, after he had spent three days in the attempt and using more than 12 dozen balls. In 1914 Sulli-van bettered Street's mark, although to participate. Two men for each event, with the exception of the relay in which four men will take part, will be allowed the altitude record was not broken.

diamond after the fast-falling spheres. Members of both teams came within a hairline of clinging to the prized ammunition. A fair breeze ing. Bessolo is 5 feet 9 inches in height to catch three balls out of 32 attempts. Both men used regulation catching mitts. It was estimated at the time that the ball traveled at the time that

later than noon, Friday.



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With the view of picking a Brigade track team to compete with the other brigades in Kelly Field,

when he caught the ball, making the feat all the more remarkable. His hand was only slightly bruised, and be played in the afternoon at the hig

inter-camp game.

ping the baseballs with his free hand. With sufficient intermission between the release of each ball, the aviator watched the midget-like players below as they scampered about the army."

after the fast-falling

Corp. Bessolo was an assistant the rate of 161 feet per second. the downward course of the tiny pelteller in the United States National

Bank, Los Angeles, California, pre-

Previous to Memorial Day's performance, the altitude baseball-catch- the Third Training Brigade will hold ing record was held by Charles a track meet Saturday on the Post "Gabby" Street, former star catcher of the Washington American League team then will be selected from the team then will be selected from the

# **Adventures of Squads Wright**

#### (By Sgt. Dennis B. McCarthy)



two yards. Then he misjudged the

Field baseball team here Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. The game is expected to be a good one and the visitors will bring a strong

two yards. Then he misjudged the distance of one of the standards and before he had righted himself, he stumbled and fell. Larson attempt-ed to regain his stride, but it was hopeless and Johnson dashed against the tables. Kelly men recently defeated Pugs Show "Shiners" the Stanley club, 15 to 5, on their

Field men were made by Ewing, Athletic Officer of the Lieut. Field.

In First Brigade

track talent were Pvt. Kenneth B. Holmes, Corp. A. C. Reynolds, Sgt. A. J. Armstrong and Corp. A. S. Stone.

The fastest bout was the Ames-Mc-Kenzie affair. Ames has been one of the leading point-makers for Kelly 5

#### None Pass Buck.

Larson tied for third in the pole vault, which was "apple pie" for Carl Buck, who only a few years ago sported the green of Old Dartmouth. Buck won the event with a record of 11 feet, although he demonstrated of 11 feet, although he demonstrated between the bar in the bar is ability just before the event by let his opponents down with six wriggling over the bar at 12 feet. scattered hits. Spurgeon's double Even then he was holding himself in after two were out, saved the losers check.

from suffering a whitewash. Saranac won the shot put, heaving the lead for a distance of 44 feet 3 score inches. Schnaars, by wonderful dis-play in form, easily won the mile run. He forged into the lead in the 633rd 328th last quarter and went over with 25 Griffin. yards to spare

The First Training Brigade athletes set up some fine marks. They outclassed practically all of the other athletic teams and had but little difficulty in dividing the honors. A silver loving cup was awarded

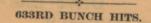
were made with a total of 50 runs, the 507th Squadron whipped the 328th crowd, 33 to 17. The winthe winning team. ners made 12 runs in the ninth

#### Summary of Events.

The results of the events follow:

The results of the events follow: 100-yard dash: Larson, Rec. Div., first; Schnaars, 323d Sqdn., second; Willis, 5th Det., third. Time: 10 seconds. 220-yard hurdles: Johnson, Sth Det., first; Comstock, Rec. Div., second; Stock, Rec. Div., third. Time: 281-5 seconds. Shot-put: Saranac, 190th Sqdn., first; King, Trades Div., second; McLanghlin, 324th Sqdn, third. Distance: 44 feet 3 inches. teams hit the ball hard. The Cooks scored 23 hits, 12 going for home runs. The 322nd gathered 16 hits, five of which were circuit clouts.

100-yard equipment race: McAvoy, 324th Sqdn., first, Barrows, Rec. Div., second; Short, 320th Sqdn., third.



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HORRIBLE CATASTROPHE.

inning. Dion of the 507th made

COOKS WIN WITH EASE. The Cooks Detachment defeated

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four hits and scored six runs.

In a game in which 42 base hits

Bunched hits in the fourth and fifth innings gave the 633rd Squadpractically every man received a beautiful "shiner," and by way of variety, a few beauty scratches ron four runs and a victory over the 328th team Saturday, 5 to 1. Crouch pitched fine ball in the pinches and about the face.

Neas beat Hansen in two rounds, while Shay and Moore went four fast rounds to a draw. Beaver shaded Moran in two rounds, while Lynch and Allwine went to a draw The

in a three-round affair. Morris lost to Sweetwood and Vanderholm and Conroy fought a three-round draw. Jackson and Breen battled four Crouch and Young; Staley and cision.

> was to have been a ten-round scrap. in magnificent form, letting his opthe fifth that the latter's seconds threw up the sponge.

#### - Sel RALPH DE PALMA WINS.

Ralph De Palma, driving a Pack-

the following order: Tom Milton, Barney Oldfield, Eddie Hearn, Dan Hickey, Ira Vail, Omar Taft and Louis Chevrolet.

#### GIANTS STILL LEAD.

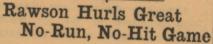
Short, Mite, Jarkow, Her, Jarkow, Kee, Div., Short, S20th Sqdn., third. Mile run: Schnaars, 323d Sqdn., first; Adler, Cas. Det., second; Burke, Rec. Div., third. Time: 5 minutes 26 stoonds. Running high jump: Larson, Rec. Div., first; Comstock, Trades Div., second; Bur-fington, 54th Barracks, third; Height: 5 feet 10 inches. Pole vault: Buck, 54th Det., first; Com-stock, Trades Div., second; Larson, Rec. Div., and Mills, 324th Sqdn., tied for third. Height: 11 feet. Relay race, 400 yards: Trades Division, Trag of war won by Kelly Field No. 1. COOKS' TENTH GAME. The Cooks nine, leaders in the Cooks' Tenth Grams. The Cooks nine, leaders in the completed their first round by beat-ing the 324th team, 4 to 1. They league and the 324th game was their tenth straight win. Dougherty, hurling for the Cooks, allowed three hits and fanned 14 of the opposing batters. Cooks' Tenth Grams. Tent Trades Div. second; 324th

Both

#### NUGENT HELPS 668TH WIN.

Facial decorations in the First

runs scored against him were due to errors by "Raisin-picker" Reed at the hot corner.



ponents down without the semblance of either a hit or run. This is the sixth win for the Mechanics against three losses, giving them a percent-age of .667 in the standing.

Ralph De Palma, driving a Pack-ard car, won the \$30,000 Hark-ness handicap at Sheepshead Bay speedway last Saturday. De Palma's time for the century was 58 minutes Others finished in fourth place



year, while McKenzie is generally known as the "Pride of Training Brigade are all the rage at the present time. As a result of the boxing tournament held there last week, featured by seven bouts, restically are speedy to five safe bingles including two of Kally Fort Sam Houston." They are speedy lightweights, and clever at footwork. They fought from gong to gong. Ames shaded his opponent. The 160-pound event was forfeited to Clark

five safe bingles, including two doubles and a homer. "Slim" Mar-shall, former Texas League pitcher, was on the mound for the victors and hurled airtight ball. The four slow for Dalton and lost the decision.

#### ENGINEERING TEAMS READY FOR BIG SEASON

Everything is in readiness for an rounds, the latter receiving a de-cision. The best fight of the evening was between Hoover and Holtz, which to 0. Rawson, for the winners, was exciting season of play in the newvisions. Games will be played on Wednesdays at 6:30 p. m. and Sundays at 9 a. m.

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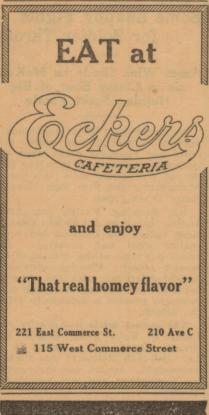
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air.

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aviator, an aeronaut.

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-An airplane used for bombing downward. raids.

combat-A combat airplane. Military-Avion Militaire-any planes. type of airplane used for military purposes.

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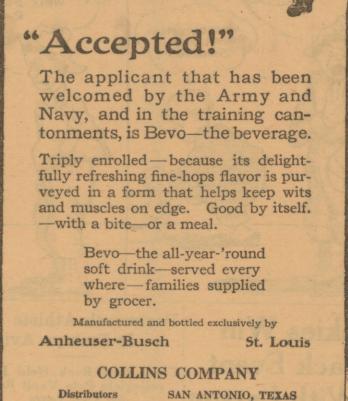
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As Chairman of Aircraft Board, He Will Control Production of Airplanes-Brig. Gen. Kenley, West Point Graduate, Heads Division of Military Aeronautics.

John D. Ryan and Brig.-Gen. Wil-I sumed leadership of the new conliam Lacy Kenley are the two per- cern. After he controlled the copper sons upon whom the United States situation, he turned his attention to depends to turn out sufficient air- the development of hydro-electric planes to crush Germany.

John D. Ryan, the new chairman of the Aircraft Board, is one of the country's most effective organizers of big business. His first service to the country in its present emergency was to supply several million pounds of copper at 16 2-3 cents a pound, when the market price was 30 cents. He has resigned as director general of military relief for the American Red Cross Society to accept the position of chairman of the Aircraft Board. He also assumes the position of director of aircraft production.

Mr. Ryan comes from a mining HEADS NEW DIVISION. family. He was born at Hancock. of Marcus Daly, Montana copper ruary 2, 1901; Major, April 5, 1907; lieved of the military tax imposed, magnate.

#### GAINS CONTROL OF MONTANA FINANCE.

When Mr. Daly died, Mr. Ryan American War and was a member of ington. These data will include the used his savings and borrowed freely Caper's battery in the Philippines. names of the commune and province to acquire Mr. Daly's interests in the At one time, he was head of Gen. where they were born, the date of chain of Montana banks, established McArthur's staff, and was on the birth, the military district to which by the late copper magnate. He be- Mexican border during 1915 and they belong in Italy, the commune came the managing director of those 1916. For six months, 1916-1917, he and province in which their parents institutions. Among the men who was in charge of the flying school at are paying the tax invoked by the were watching his progress was Hen- San Diego, Cal. He took a regiment failure of the soldiers to serve in the ry H. Rogers, genius of the Standard of artillery to France last year and Italian armies, and the residence of Oil company, and head of the Amal- was chief of the aviation service of their parents. Such information will gamated Copper company. At that the American Expeditionary Forces be furnished in duplicate. time conditions in Montana were for several months.

Montana. Heinze finally gave up, Signal Corps. and sold his interests to the Amalgamated. The transformation of conditions in Montana was remarkable

power. Today, over 500 miles of railroad are operated in Montana and adjacent states through this new

method. Belief that Mr. Ryan can conquer the air is based on what he did with water. Aside from the Anaconda company, Mr. Ryan is the creator of the Montana Power company, a director of the American International, several banks and other corporations

At the age of 32, he married Miss Nettie Gardner of his home town. They have one son, John C. Ryan.

#### BRIG.-GEN. KENLEY

A new Division of Military Aero-

Mich., October 10, 1864. His parents nautics was created at the same time wanted him to enter college, but he Mr. Ryan was named chairman of the preferred to go to work and started Aircraft Board. This division is To Remove Italians in the employ of an uncle who owned headed by Brig.-Gen. William Lacy a chain of general merchandising Kenley, who recently visited Kelly stores in the copper district of the Field by aeroplane on a tour of in-Great Lakes. At the age of 25 he spection. Gen. Kenley was born at Men Serving in American went to Denver, Col., and for six Baltimore February 18, 1864. He months was without a job. He final- was commissioned a second lieutenly secured a position as salesman for ant in the Artillery after graduating a lubricating concern competing at West Point on June 12, 1889. He against the Standard Oil company. graduated from the Artillery School soldiers in the United States army He traveled the Rocky Mountain in 1894, and was successively ap- may be removed from the deserter section from Montana to Mexico, and pointed first lieutenant on June 29, lists in their native country, and in during this time became a friend 1896; captain, Artillery Corps, Feb- order that their parents may be re-

1917.

chaotic, and without a head. The Gen. Kenley recently visited Kelly Amalgamated Company was lined up Field on a tour of inspection which against the interests of F. Augustus included the balloon and aeronauti- To determine the disposition of Heinze. In 1904, Mr. Rogers turned cal schools of Texas, Louisiana, In- men examined and found to be unfit to Mr. Ryan for help in clarifying diana, Oklahoma and Nebraska. This for overseas duty, a board of officers the situation, and got it. Mr. Ryan occurred after his second return from meets daily, except Saturdays and became the managing director of the Europe on March 5, 1918, when he Sundays at Barracks 42, Third Train-Amalgamated Company, with entire took charge of certain work in con- ing Brigade. Organization and Line charge of mines and employes in nection with the Aviation Section, commanders have been instructed to

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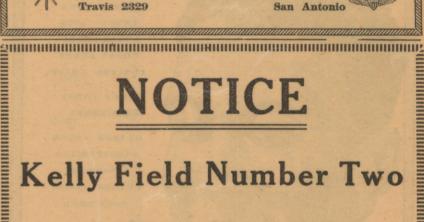
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To save its workmen half an hour of travel and an extra 5-cent carfare, the Squantum Destroyer Plant, near Boston, built a bridge over the Neponset river from their plant to Commercial Point, Boston, in six weeks. It is called Victory Bridge.

New York Air Defenses.

Concrete emplacements for mounting anti-aircraft guns are to be constructed in various sections of New York City as a part of the general scheme of protecting the city from possible enemy air raids. Contracts for the work have been awarded by the War Department to the White Fireproof Construction Company of No. 286 Fifth Avenue. The work is under the direction of Brig. Gen. Theodore A. Bingham, U. S. A., in charge of the defensive works of the eastern and southern entrances of New York Harbor.

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#### Maj. Maranville **Trade Test Head** at N.J.Conference

#### Will Explain to Other Officers System He Has Originated

Post Personnel Officer and officer in Capt. John M. Holcombe, Jr., Capt. charge of the Trade Test Board, has Edwin H. Frith, Capt. Jack Doublin, been ordered to Newark, N. J., to First Lieut. Frank Van P. Ellsworth, attend a Trade Test Conference of the Committee on Classification of Lieut. Personnel in the United States Lieut. Ernest P. Rochester, Judge Army, to be held under the direction of the Adjutant-General's Department. He will go from Newark to Washington, then return to Kelly Knights Building to Field.

#### Originated System.

Major Maranville is the originafications of enlisted men which has morning at 10:30 a.m., when a high nal Corps. He came to this camp ebrant. The deacon will be Lieut. ville, of the 19th Infantry, detailed O'Keeffe, chaplain of the Flying De-Signal Corps, and was promoted to master of ceremonies will be Lieut. ances. the rank of major last February in P. F. Cahalan, chaplain of the Secrecognition of his organization of ond Training Brigade. The proper of the Trade Test Board.

#### CAPT. JAMIESON LEAVES.

Department Adjutant, has been or- 7:30 p.m., and an elaborate ceredered elsewhere. He will leave to- mony has been arranged. A souveday.

He was commissioned captain from secretaries in charge of the building civil life last November and assigned are: M. G. Wetherell and W. J. to this field in January, this being Schmitz. Chaplain O'Keeffe will have his first assignment. His successor permanent quarters in the new buildhas not yet been named. ing.

Appoint General Court Martial to Hear Field Cases

A new General Court-Martial for Kelly Field has been named, with the following personnel:

Major W. W. Vautsmeier, Major Major Clarence M. Maranville, Leigh Sypher, Capt. A. J. Neubauer, First Lieut, Fred J. White, First Alonzo T. McKean, First Advocate and Second Lieut. Arthur M. Geary, Assistant Judge Advocate.

# be Opened Sunday

The new Knights of Columbus porch and from the eastern end, the mass will be sung by St. Joseph's

choir. Music will be furnished by musicians of this field.

The formal dedication of the Captain W. R. Jamieson, Medical structure will be held June 19, at nir program will be distributed. The

**Aviation Club to** Have Theater and **Dancing Pavilion** Weekly Dances to be Held There-Opens July

Fourth

performances are planned.

The pavilion will form an extenwhich is to be constructed of spe- War Service Board; Major General is used on roof gardens. The floor cer of the Southern Department and at Madison Barracks, Sacketts Harwill be accessible directly from the others.

tor of the trade test system for de- building in the Kelly Field Flying where an ornamental flight of steps termining and classifying the quali- Department will be opened Sunday will lead up from the ground. On means of lighting the floor-they

#### To Light With Lanterns.

Japanese lanterns will be the sole

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t San Antonio, in the State of Texas, at he close of business on May 10, 1918: .....\$3,441,754.97 643.77

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**Miss Grace Swope Community House Open to Soldiers** is New Director Y. W. Cafateria

Men of Kelly Field Entertained for First Time Last Night

The San Antonio Community House opened Monday night and An open air dancing pavilion and last night, the men of Kelly Field theatre will be constructed adjoining were entertained. An attractive prohe Aviation Club, Flying Depart- gram was given and refreshments has arrived at Kelly Field to become ment, and will be opened on the ev- served. Nights were set aside for cafeteria director at the Y. W. C. A. ening of July ... The weekly Club eeach camp in this vicinity, giving Hostess House. Miss Julia Marshall, dances will be held in the pavilion, all soldiers near San Antonio an op- whom Miss Swope is relieving, will and occasional concerts and cabaret portunity to visit the new city head- return to her home at Duluth, Minn. quarters for men in uniform.

sion of the porch which runs the the initial opening of the building she resigned from her position with entire length of the Club building Monday night. Speeches were made the Y. W. C. A. at Stubenville, Ohio, on the south side, and will provide by Sam C. Bell, mayor of San An- to answer the urgent call for women a dancing floor about 120x40 feet tonio; Nat Washer, president of the war workers. cial weather-proof material such as W. A. Holbrook, Commanding Offi- ficers' training camp Hostess House

the side opposite the porch a lattice will be artistically strung along the operated so successfully in Kelly mass will be celebrated. Father John work surmounted by a slight in- porch and lattice work, and fur-Field and has been adopted as the Nichols, a graduate of West Point ward projection, will give a bower- nish the subdued glow that adds so standard system throughout the Sig- and now a chaplain, will be the cel- like effect. At the western end of much to the languorous charm of the floor a handsome covered plat- open air dancing. Under the lattice from Fort Sam Houston, San Anto- Edward A. Rogers, chaplain, First form will be built which may be work bower small tables will be nio, last October, as Capt. Maran- Training Brigade. Lieut. J. D. used by the orchestra for dances, placed, and there light refreshor as a stage for concerts, vaude- ments, but no dinners, will be to duty with the Aviation Section, partment will act as sub-deacon. The ville shows, or theatrical perform- served. At times, it is proposed that the floor should be covered with tables and chairs and the cabaret introduced by running a vaudeville program while guests enjoy refreshments.

> The surroundings of the pavilion tion. The Alamo National Bank will be beautified by plants and shrubs.

#### FABER TO ENLIST.

It is reported that "Red" Faber, who pitched the White Sox to three World Series victories over the Giants last fall, will enlist in the navy instead of waiting for the draft.

Succeeds Miss Julia Marshall Who Returns to Home in Duluth, Minn.

Miss Grace Swope of Lancaster, O., Miss Swope has been engaged in Appropriate ceremony attended war work since July 1, 1917, when

Her first assignment was to the of-

bor, N. Y. From there she went to the naval training station at Charleston, S. C. Later she was transferred to the Hostess House at the quartermaster officers' training school, Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla. From there she came to Kelly Field.

Miss Swope's work is the organization of Hostess House cafeterias. She is working for and anticipates a transfer overseas when her work at Kelly Field is done.

One of Miss Swope's younger sisters, Miss Ethel Swope, is a special Red Cross worker in France, having arrived there May 15 after an uneventful voyage of two weeks dura-

Another sister, Miss Mary Alice Swope, a graduate dietitian and chemist, is now stationed in the United States General Hospital No. 1 in New York City, awaiting transfer over seas.

Some fellows look all right with stocks while others cause one to believe the wearer has a sore throat.



You Fellows are Lucky

to get Coca-Cola. Sugar is scarce and nothing but the best "granulated" goes into the king of drinks."

But while it lasts it's yours boysat all the canteens.

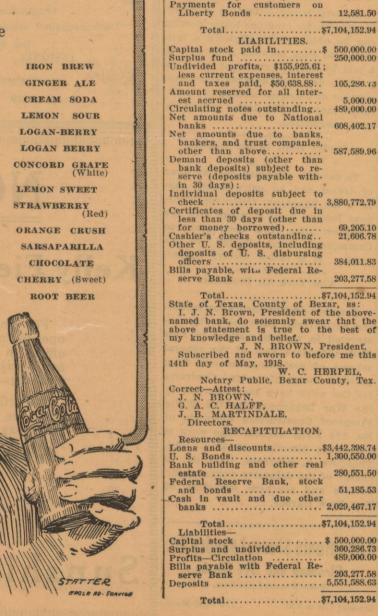
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This is an opportunity to show your spirit toward your squadron, Kelly Field and the folks at home. Over fifty from one squadron took advantage of it this week.

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FALL IN!



Becomes Training Camp Physical Instructor of Southern Department

M. C. Salassa, Y. M. C. A. physical transferred to Camp Travis as training camp physical instructor and member of Y. M. C. A. Southern Department staff. E. F. Eichelberger suceeds him at Kelly Field.

physical instruction work for many years in this country and South America. He was instrumental in starting the project, now under way, for a stadium and athletic field here. Mr. Eichelberger will take over Mr. Salassa's part in this work.

rector of the public schools of Montclair, N. J., before entering the Y. M. C. Ao service last November. He K. K. Kitchell, camp business secre-tary, E. C. Phillips, educational sec-tional director in the same building. secretary of No. 162, Recruit Division, and E. G. Warner, educational secretary at No. 3, have been selected for overseas service. E. Z. Elle-

director since January, has been

Mr. Salassa has been engaged in Mr. Eichelberger was physical di-

came to this field in January and Guthrie, who has gone to Los An-edge as well as the physical examlassa's staff, having charge of the H. R. Best becomes building sec- ination has immediately preceded tan long distance runner. He is a ville, Ind., is the new educational plicants, native of Harrisburg, Pa. The new secretary at Building No. 3. physical director plans to put quoits Go L. Pitts of Tyler, Texas, is a declared that this game not only is be the more but is negatively be the second of enjoyed by the men but is peculiarly assigned to Building No. 159, while bigh school graduates are camps around San Antonio, to exam-hibition. The formation flying adaptable for extremely hot weather. Several other changes have taken the business and social work at the business at the business and social work at the business at the business and social work at the business at the busi

return to Kelly Field in the fall.

# Are Accepted Lack of Mechanical Knowl-

edge and Schooling **Bars Many** 

Approximately 50 per cent of the enlisted men of Kelly Field who appled for admission to the training course for pilots have been recommended by the Preliminary Examining Board at Post Headquarters for the second general examination and physical test next week. Applications may still be filed at Room 12, but it is likely that a closing date wll shortly be announced. Lack of mechanical knowledge and of requisite educational qualifications deprived many of the candidates of the Preliminary Board's recommendation. Those favorably considered have now to face a sec-

physical work in Building 160. He retary of No, 160, taking the place of the physical test, and the joint or is a graduate of Columbia University J. B. Hunter, transferred to Galves- deals have usually eliminted about and was a collegiate and metropoli- ton. C. A. Cornelson of Crawfords- 30 per cent of the recommended ap-

#### Weeded at Flying School

tional director in the same building. vivors of all these stages of train-ing are ideal material for flyers, and Savings Stamps were sold in Kelly this difficult flying. his home in Pickneyville, Ill., and C. ining Board declare that those can- to \$9,000. Officers of the Preliminary Exam- brings the total amount sold here up as the newsiest and livest camp pa-J. Brock, social director at No. 157, didates whose recommendations have

#### K-Katy, 'Would yeh luk a'th' ears them stalks o' corn d' yield?" Why, K-K-K-Katy," said K-K-K-Kelly, They is nix t' them we grows at Kelly Field."

The above, received annonymously, is the type of song we expected "WANTED: A MELLY KAROL" to develop.

The Muse of many who can write snappy, topical verse has not yet inspired them to compose a Kelly Karol; but a rousing, pepful Kelly Song from somewhere in the Field is looked for, this week. And don't be too modest, but let us have your name with your contribution.

None of those received to date have made use of the expression "How do you get that way?" which is certainly not unfamiliar. Address: Post Song Leader AvoPost Headquarters

Kelly Field or leave with Eagle contributions for your organization publicity representative.

to complete these by the end of the pilots which this country demands.

More than \$1,500 worth of War great forward strides being made in Harry Wilson, educational secre-few are dropped in the flying school. Field during the last week which The Eagle in his opinion classes



Capt. H. H. Salmon, Jr., of the office of chief signal officer, Washington, D. C., visited the Kelly Field Flying Department this week for the purpose of co-ordinating the work of this field with that of the staff at the National Capital.

He explained that greater stress is to be placed on turning out quality fliers. In the future, he said, aviators should not only be taught the fundamentals of flying, but in addition should be polished fliers before graduation from preliminary schools. It is planned to make American fliers expert in the manipulation of their planes.

Kelly Field which has developed able pilots, will take its place as one of the important fields in offering this additional training following the fundamental instruction, and will produce in this way, the skillful

The successful man will go to required to allow the Federal Natur- cers who flew here from Brooks would be undesirable as Americans. was high in his praise of their fine work. He was pleased to see the

per published.





# Take 52 Baths Within 6 Weeks Says A. E. F. Man

Soldiers Going to France **Advised Right From** Trenches

#### Also Get 3 Janes Who Can Knit Socks

Kelly Field officers and men do not know when they may be sent to France. It may be tomorrow, next week, next month, next year, or not at all. But in any event the men here are more than interested in the life of the soldier who is fortunate enough to be on French soil.

Therefore the advice of a writer in the Stars and Stripes, the official newspaper of the American Expeditionary Force, to the soldiers training in this country will certainly not fall on deaf ears.

His words read like a letter from an old pal. He gives us valuable hints with the mud of the trenches still clinging to them. The first bit of advice is not to be too sparing with the Palm Olive. He implores us to move our bunk right into a bath Men Prefer Aviation Subhouse.

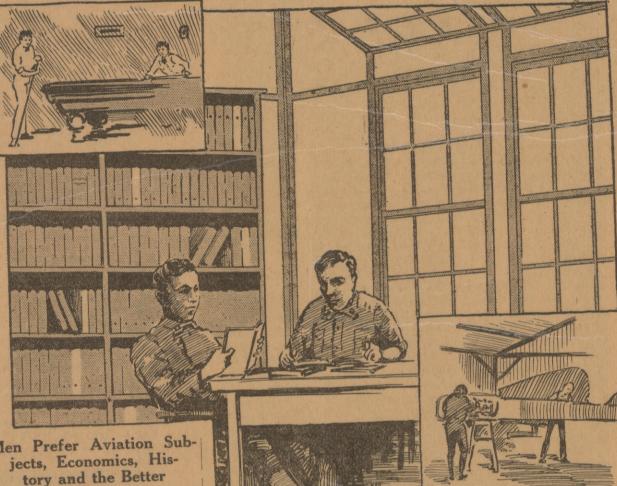
Here are his recommendations to the soldier ready to cross the Atlantic:

"Begin to take baths right now. If you've got about six weeks before By Pvt. Ashley W. Cooper, A. S. S. C. regulations.

haversack. Then, when you get over build character. terfere with your touring. Just doors, pulsating accounts of redout one when the date on it comes spirational works that teach the peace comes. sored, and it's done.

so forth, you can get out of any of dier. our old letters, or out of the stuff viduality is a sin.

# Kelly Field Men Seek Improvement; Read Serious Books at Post Library



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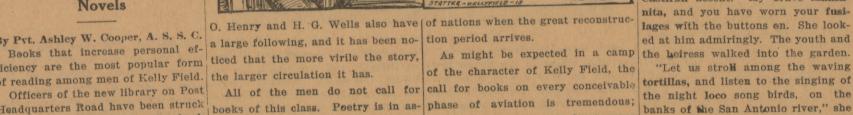
every day and two on Sunday, and ficiency are the most popular form ticed that the more virile the story, manage to ring in four extra ones in of reading among men of Kelly Field. the larger circulation it has.

in an A. O. H. convention; so bathe sickly creations of the second-class enjoy their clientele, but Shakespeare feature of the demand is the unexwhile the bathing is good and handy. Write Letters in U.S. orously on making themselves more Write Letters in U.S. orously on making themselves more

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average of one a week for a year, by the keen demand for the book which is the minimum prescribed by with a purpose. Daily selections of Sorvice is for in the load with the about set engines eviction engines volumes show that the majority of Service is far in the lead with the about gas engines, aviation engines, flashes from black eyes. Then im-"Baths in France are as hard to men here are not wasting spare time Kelly Field readers; Kipling, Long- woodworking, aerial photography, petuously, "Must we have a chapfind as celebrators of Yom Kippur weaving fanciful dreams from the fellow, Moore, Burns and Byron each radio, and other allied branches. A paral?"

Looking beyond the war is evident- pigeons. Call for Books on Aviation.

text books on Spanish, apparently compares with the specialization on your la paloma hombre?"

Preparing for After the War.

in keeping pace with the demand for the San Antonio Rotary Club and extended. books on political science, history, many individuals have extended the Fox's "Trail of the Lonesome and economics, and for treaties of an volumes to a total of about 12,000, Don't try to be original; people don't Pine" is the most popular book in inspirational character as Hunter's ranking the library among the best

like it. Besides, in the army indi- camp, and Harold Bell Wright and "Pep" and Cabot's "What a Man in United States Army camps. ate, American supply the longest waiting lists at For many volumes of this class Mass., the librarian, is carrying out paral, fandangoed for the 'dobe door, ne call is incessant, supporting the an energetic extension compaign with placing an expensive manilla over her bacco into your barrack bag that you Louis Stevenson, Sir Gilbert Parker, widely held theory that the men who the view of making the library incan muster. Those commodities are Mark Twain, George Barr McCut- have been in khaki, will be the men valuable to men in every corner of through when her lithe figure stuck rarer over here than minor league cheon, Booth Tarkington, Rex Beach, to be reckoned with in the affairs the Field. lejo, Bencia, also Chili Con Carne!" Upper Lips Policed muttered the flying K. P. in mild In 507th Squadron Spanish oaths as he ran his fingers Short Story Contest.

#### A Fair Senorita Or a Romance of Old San Antonio

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#### He Was from Yonkers and Cut His Hair Round in Back

The faint aroma of hamburger-Spanish brought tidings of a dainty menu in course of preparation for the evening dinero in the adjoining room of her adobe mansion on South Presa street, San Antonio, as Senorita de Flaherty y Cabbago prontoed off her downy couch, where a moment before she had reclined in exquisite langosta, awaiting the arrival of her lover, the Flying K. P. of Kelly Field.

Suddenly the door bell tinkled. lada about her shoulders and placing a blooming casa blanca in her hair, she glided cat-like to the door. Flinging open the frijole, she sprung passionately into the arms of her adoring Toreador and pressed a burning kiss, fragrant with rich chili perfume, on the sombrero brow of her sweetheart.

"Ah! You have came." she whispered in her low, vibrant, resonant, Castiron accent. My brave Manzanita, and you have worn your fusilages with the buttons on. She looked at him admiringly. The youth and As might be expected in a camp the heiress walked into the garden.

"Let us strol among the waving with a good 52 baths, giving you an Headquarters Road have been struck books of this class. Poetry is in as- phase of aviation is tremendous; the night loco song birds, on the

> A look of annoyance crept over the pected call for works on homing K. P's well-bred face. "Let us be alone," he said darkly.

"No! No! No! Kep Pee, I shall books on advertising, sales work, constantly circulating, as the men "Ah, fair Manana, Copo ciudad business system, and finance, and strive for higher ratings in their or- plaza frio alamo," he purled in his this is supported by the large call for ganizations, but this call in no way purest Spanish, "do you not trust

She side-slipped out of his encirreach into your haversack and pick blooded men's achievements, and inlarity of reading on the Field. Large carral as she ran and holding it in But one of the main features of shipments from Des Moines, Iowa, her dazzling white teeth, as she did the librarians' work is the difficulty together with handsome gifts from a full knee bend to the rear, arms

> "Duena! Duena!" she caballowed in her soothing tone.

Messuite-like her sylph-like parent Harold T. Dougherty, of Newton, who was to accompany them as chap-

Carelessly slinging a costly enchi-

kings with steady jobs. If there are any good matches left in the States. Kelly Field Has No throw them in, too. The matches you buy over here hit on two cylinders only, at best.

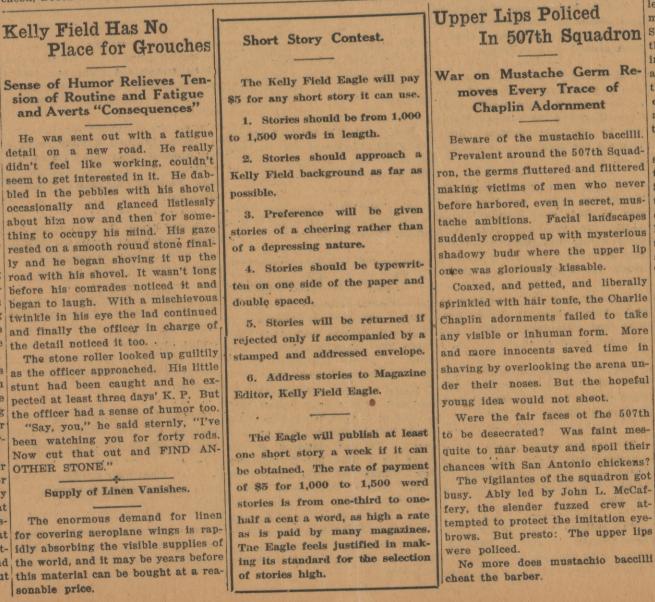
#### Kelly Men Used to Mud.

Get used to mud. Ge out and roll over in it; wallow in it, stir it into your coffee and drink it, smear your face with in, line you ears with it, detail on a new road. He really use it on your meat in place of mus- didn't feel like working, couldn't tard, slip some of it down inside your seem to get interested in it. He dabshirt by way of the back of your bled in the pebbles with his shovel neck, and plaster your hair with it. occasionally and glanced listlessly Do this once a day until you can't about him now and then for someskip a day without feeling uncom- thing to occupy his mind. His gaze fortable without it. Then you will be rested on a smooth round stone finalthoroughly acclimatized.

"Get used to night shifts. Holding road with his shovel. It wasn't long a sector isn't a day job, because day- before his comrades noticed it and light is too public for the work you began to laugh. With a mischievous have to do. Get the habit of sleeping twinkle in his eye the lad continued in the afternoon, and of getting up and finally the officer in charge of about cocktail-time ready to start the the detail noticed it too.

night's labors. "Have your feet. teeth and eyes as the officer approached. His little thoroughly looked after before you stunt had been caught and he excome over. If any one of the three pected at least three days' K. P. But sets is not satisfactory, don't bring the officer had a sense of humor too. "Say, you," he said sternly, "I've it. Turn it in to the quartermaster and get a new one. This applies par- been watching you for forty rods. Now cut that out and FIND ANticularly to teeth.

"Start in now to play three or four OTHER STONE." Janes, picking them not for looks or dancing, but for knitting capacity and ability to direct parcels in a neat clear round hand that can't be misunderstood. In that way, and that for covering aeroplane wings is rapway only, can you be sure of sweat- idly absorbing the visible supplies of ers, socks, wristlets, mufflers and the world, and it may be years before tummy bands, sufficient to last out this material can be bought at a reasonable price. the war."



through his wavy curly cerbeza. Then in English he cursed thus: "Don it War on Mustache Germ Re- all. That's a nice 'mesa fish. I am through, I am complete, how can a chapparal of that dimension stroll among the muchachas and hear the twittering maduros?

Mounting his spirited tarantula, a species of wild horse, which roams the planes of the flying field at South making victims of men who never San Antonio, which he tamed for before harbored, even in secret, mus- the use of Texas cavalry men, he tache ambitions. Facial landscapes dashed off in the direction of the suddenly cropped up with mysterious hangars which he could see speeding slowly in "V" shaped formation like a flock of wild piazzas in the lazy Texas air over Kelly Field.

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1st Brigade Officers to Give Barn Dance

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Bewitching lassies of the farm will frolic with sturdy gentlemen of the plough on the evening of June 18, when an old fashioned country dance will be given at the Aviation Club, First Training Brigade.

The famliar contour of the Army officers' mess will disappear beneath a wealth of foliage, corn stalks, and other appropriate decorations. The officers and ladies attending are requested to wear costume as far as possible, and they will be served with "barn refreshments" such as cider and bevo. What the dances will be, the committee will not yet reveal-it is known, however, that the old country dances will predominate as much as the guests will allow.

Novelty in the dances at this Club are a feature of the special committee's work. At last Tuesday's informal dance, ladies attended in sport dresses, while the officers danced in comfort, minus their blouses.

Costumes for the Thespesians who are to provide amusement for Uncle Sam's men are on the way to France. The "Over There Theater League," of which George M. Cohan is president, and fifteen trunkfuls of costumes and will follow. The costumes were provided by a number of New York theatrical agencies. The first continthe early part of June. About 40 persons will comprise the troupe. Short dramatic sketches and vaudeville turns will form the major part of the programs.



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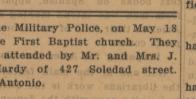
Mrs. Harry C. Powell, wife of Lient. Powell, Personnel and Trans- have applied for transfer to the wigs have reached Paris and others portation officer of the Third Training Brigade, and her son Harry C. Spruce Production Division of the Powell, Jr., who was born in San Antonio, December 29, 1917. Mrs. Aviation Section, Signal Corps, fol-Powell, who was Miss Mary Rose of San Antonio, is the youngest mother lowing authorization of such appliamong the Kelly Field matrons. She is 19 years of age. Although de- cations by Washington. gent of professionals will go abroad voted to her home Mrs. Powell still had time to participate in the recent Red Cross parade in which Kelly Field army women took part.



Second Lieut. Rudolph Orlob of of the Military Police, on May 18 the Adjutant's Office, Recruit Divis- at the First Baptist church. They has been ordered elsewhere. ion, and Miss Gladys Young of Salt were attended by Mr. and Mrs. J. Lake City were married in that city B. Hardy of 427 Soledad street. May 18. Their honeymoon was spent San Antonio. in Kansas City and other points en route to San Antonio. Their San

Glory apartments, 223 Fourth St.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. C. H. Danforth have as their house guests May 8. Cpl. Fred Piatt of the Mil- granted a 10-day leave of absence. Division, First Training Brigade to



Sgt. Rex F. McQueen, non-com-Antonio home is in the Morning missioned chief of the Military Fire



Scores of officers in Kelly Field

Applicants, who were required to submit their requests by Saturday last, were non-flying officers not above the grade of first lieutenant, experienced in logging, lumbering, logging engineering, civil engineering, or railroad engineering.

Officers returning from or departing for detached service. leaves of absence, sick leave or special de- been relieved of duty with the tail outside of Kelly Field, must re- Third Training Brigade and asport in person at the Personnel Office, Post headquarters.

Captain John C. Miller, M. R. C.

Lieut. Robert M. Webb, M. R. C. has been honorably discharged because of physical disability.

First Lieut. Thomas S. Voss, who Department, and Miss Winifred has been attached to the Personnel Brunner of Waukesha, Wis., were Department, Post Headquarters, has married at St. Patrick's church on been transferred elsewhere and been transferred from the Trades

# LOYALTY

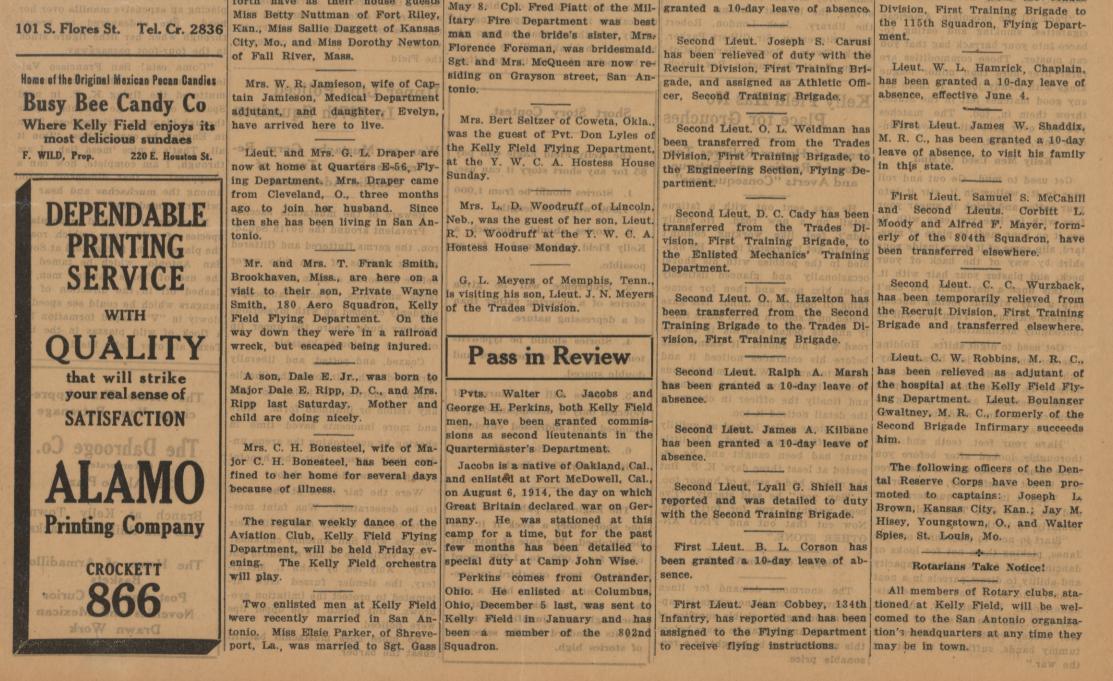
First to country, then to home-to cheer those who cannot serve as you serve but whose hearts are with you-"Your Photograph," whether a photograph at \$50 a dozen or only a post card. We guarantee to please you.

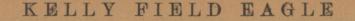
The Deane Studio 102 W. Houston St. "By the River"

Second Lieut. Buford Jones has signed as commanding officer of the 508th Squadron, vice Second Lieut. Howard F. Meixner, relieved.

Second Lieut. Melvin D. Ferguson has been relieved of duty with the Trades Division, First Training Brigade, and assigned as Mess Officer of Kelly Field while First Lieut. George M. Roper is temporarily transferred elsewhere.

First Lieut. Edmund Easters has the 115th Squadron, Flying Depart-





**Fractious Typewriter Keeps** Flock of Pursuers on Jump

HIS is the story of an elusive typewriter. It was borrowed in January. Carriage, keys, frame and roller, it has never been

seen since.

less in this case, and even if they had found it, you can't put his first turn at main guard. He a typewriter on K. P. for being

A. W. O. L. Then the Intelligence Office took a hand. These had a complete description of the deserter, even to the pretty black ribbon that adorned its head. But there weren't any finger prints. The pawnbrokers tore their hair as they searched their safes for "One typewriter, Underwood, No. 4," according to best Memorandum Receipt phraseology.

So, finally the delinquent was transferred from the "de- awful silence, finally dying away in serter" to the "missing" column, and Second Lieut. Harry C. a cry like the wail of a lost soul, Powel was appointed surveying officer, which is the army term! for "coroner useless property." And here again there was a umn. difficulty. There was no "corpus delicti," which, as every legal expert knows, is a terrible situation.

There was only one solution. After sitting on the case for were. several days-THAT much was left of the departed-Lieut. Powell rendered the decision that the typewriter had been recruit accusingly. "Back to the Surely. consumed in a recent fire and had bravely "died in the service." stables for you, and the whole dozen vegetable plots. Thus exonerated, we may at last write over the wind scattered of you can haul dump wagons on But why all the ashes: "R. I. P."

# If Charlie Chaplin

Charlie Chaplin, world famous

If the draft boards send Charlie to

Kelly Field, it's a lead-pipe cinch

there will be cause for no little hilar-

ity when those million dollar feet

For what would Charlie be best

tart kicking up the sand here.

experience in han-Right furn

dling custard pies, 'Arch !!

fitted. With his

he cught to make

a first-class K. P.

But any K. P.

"chaser" who

might try to ride -

movie comedian is in the draft.

**Came to Kelly Field** 



A WARRIOR BOLD.

Adolphus Napoleon Charmichael

The second lieutenant and simply

By all of the fair sex-and some

Sports all the adornments for war-

The nobbiest whipcord for offi-

The shiniest spurs on the shiniest

A strap an inch wide for the

And to keep his hat on when he

zephyrs that waft

sits in a draught,

not so "fair"-

rior's wear-

cers' suits,

boots.

Ford.

adored

#### Longeared Dodgers of Fatigue Called by Rookie on Guard

HAT brand of nervousness which bears no semblance to fear, but

instead is declared to be the prime requisite of a good soldier, The M. P.'s were put on the trail, but the M. P.'s were help- stole over the rookie who was doing was not afraid-merely on the alert. In the inky darkness nothing could

be seen, but the measured tread of many feet was

clearly audible. They were approaching and because it was unusual at that hour of the night there was a slight trem-

or in his voice as he shouted, "Halt! There was no reply but the footsteps came nearer.

Of a sudden a shrill shriek rising to a high and flat minor key rent the while a high frequency vibration ran down the rookie guard's spinal col- relish to season the beans and the

Then the mules gathered around cumbers him and looked asinine, which they meals a tang for

"You long-eared hybrids have been this dodging fatigue again," asserted the gang. Justifified? that gravel pit detail tomorrow."

	The	Rookie's	Rubaiyat
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- (Translated by H. T.) A weary morning sweating in the than to buy them?
- All afternoon still digging up mesquite, That flying field may make the place
- of wilderness. Don't tell me, kid, that bunk fatigue ain't sweet.
- The sand no question makes of eyes or nose Hither and thither, back again, it
- blows. Till all the clogged senses on your map Can't tell if here she comes or,
- there she goes.
- fleeting rest,

- So Thexar
- There was a young lady from Bexar. Who stumbled and fell on the
- stexar. She gazed in dispexar
- At the wreck of her hexar,
- Well of all things," she said, "I'll declexar."

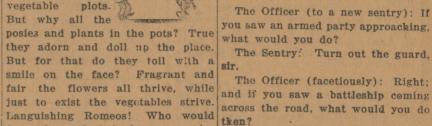
# **Flowers That Bloom**

(Vegetable and flower gardens are being cultivated by the 870th Aero Squadron. In addition to their decorative value about the squadron, it is hinted an ulterior motive prompts the loving care with which the blooms are attended.---News note.)

salads embellish. Cabbage and cu-

give the appetites of F omnivorous

These



Languishing Romeos! Who would then? decry them. Isn't it cheaper to raise

The Sketch. LEADER OF MEN.

He was a born leader. He acknowledged it before the Trade Test Board. "Have you had any experience in handling men?" he was asked. Yes, he had.

"Upon what do you base your assertion that you have executive qualifications?" was the next

of a pair of No. 11's in the stomach. The rookie who before the dawn Completely equipped, thus he vengets dress tures to town, And totters out with sticky eyes to pained and surprised. With all Adolphus Napoleon Charmichael the dignity of an acting corporal The boob's on K. P.---as you might Ford. he inquired: The bold Second Lieut. of the have guessed. "Was I not CAPTAIN of my Bookkeeping Board. Myself on pass did eagerly frehigh school tennis team for two L. B. C. quent consecutive semesters?" Movies and other lurers of the to get his interval; those right-angle Privileged Character "It's all in vain, all in vain, Did my salute, fatigue and then came Gets by With Anything Captain, "groaned the inquisitor. out Squoz in the same old fliv wherein Punch. HERE'S one "bird" in the I went. 870th Aero Squadron who can call names with impun-Come fill the cup and in the can-dles' light ity. The ire of the C. O. means **For Aviators** nothing to him, and he knuckles Convince the sergeant that your to the top sergeant least of all. He scorns the prosaic olive drab mess kit's bright. Then try to drink the stuff they and disports himself in a poured you out. of maxy colors." Most striking of all his eccentricities are his seemingly inspired remarks. Notwithstanding the insanity of It may be coffee-but the taste! Good night! See Them. Payday The one who would with pitfall some of these speeches it is and with gin declared there is not the remot-est possibility of his being sent 407 E. Houston St. (Hicks Building) Beset the narrow path I travel in Ain't got a chance with M. P.'s on ALTIMETERS, GOGGLES, to the Casual Detachment, or of the job. being put on K. P. And Everything Optical What makes them guys so awful KODAKS Recently the Sergeant-Major asked the commander if certain reports were finished, to which rough on sin? the Lieutenant replied that they. were not. **"BARR STUDIO"** "The guard-house for yours," said the privileged character— and the C. O. only smiled. T. B. RAYBURN Photographer The parrot, for that's who he belongs to Top Sergeant Lee 221<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Avenue C Phone Crockett 4371 M. Tighe. Why not have your work done by an artist--- the cost is no more ner scandies **Chop** Suey "The Good Kind" and Yaka Mein SOLD IN ALL EXCHANGES First Class Service MADE BOTH SANITARY **JAPANESE** AND PURE RESTAURANT **134 Soledad Street** OUR FACTORY IS OPEN FOR YOUR INSPECTION Subscribe to The Kelly Field MADE IN SAN ANTONIO JENNER MFG. CO. Eagle.

#### There's a Little **Bit of—Well They** Are All the Same

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H<sup>E</sup> WASN'T strong on the "polly-voosing," but he drifted in where French lessons were given to soldiers. "Does monsieur want to learn French," he was asked.

"It ain't that," he said, "I ain't strong for this fancy talk. But I-eh-want to know something."

"Que voulez-vous — that is, in Spring, Tra, La! what do you wish?"

"I want to know-erwhich way-ah-how you address a young lady in Paris?"

The answer was "You simply say 'Bon jour, madamoiselle.' Good day, Miss."

"But that ain't exactly it. I want to know-er-how you-I may be over there soon-Aw. Succulent provender furnishes say! --- (Confidentially) Tell a feller how you ask for a kiss!"

Note:-You don't have to learn. It's an international code.-Ed.

#### Good Judgment.

The Officer (to a new sentry): If you saw an armed party approaching, what would you do?

The Sentry: Turn out the guard,

The Officer (facetiously): Right; just to exist the vegetables strive. across the road, what would you do

> The Sentry: Report to the 'orspital, sir, for a medical examination.-

Ancient Universal Service. The Athenians had a mode of versal military training more line that of modern Europe than were most of the other military training schemes of the ancient world. Every Athenian youth was compelled to do two years of garrison, duty at Piraeus, the Port of Athens.

Justifiable Indignation. "Listen to this, Mrs. 'Iggins. 'Ger-

him would be almost certain to get A belt, bright with brass, a la question. 'Tis but a tent where takes his man official. The enemy were rehis face frescoed or feel the weight Sam-u-el Brown. He gasped at the impertinence pulsed at all points."" The enemy'? Do they call us "The enemy'? Imperence!"-Punch. Horseless Wednesdays. Staff Officer: "I rode this horse you sent me on Tuesday and he was all right. But when I rode him on Wednesday he was much too frisky." Remount Officer: "Well, why not ride him 'only on Tuesdays?"-Six Pairs French Triplex Goggles @ \$10.00; 1 Mask \$15.00; 1 Mask \$18.00. Now in Stock. Call and H. C. REES OPTICAL CO. FIELD GLASSES FINISHING DOMETHING **Every Minute** Everything a soldier wears. A "Rookie" gets the same courteous treatment as a "gold braid" at the store of Cole Y. Bailey's The Gunter Hotel Building

Some drill sergeant would really earn his stripes. Can you picture Charlie doing a "Squads Right" in marching-going around corners on one foot? And double time-Oh, Boy!

Charlie wouldn't need his elbow feet would do the thing. But how about a side-straddle-hop in calisthenics?

Probably Lieut. Jacobson, in charge of the entertainment squad-

ron, would send a detail down to the train to meet Charlie, in order to land his services before the tradetest board had a chance to trans-

form him into a brick-layer.

When the top sergeant at the recruit station looks 'em over to pick out victims for the barber, Charlie is pretty sure to lose those classic wavy locks. After which he probably would look very much like any other member of the well-known Buck Private family.

Charlie's movie life having been spent in dodging cops, maybe he would like to reverse the process and become an M. P. As an M. P., he would make a good reporter for the Eagle.

Would he apply to be an aviator? He already has the dope on banking curves and side slips, also he carries a swagger stick.

#### Magnet Attracts Rust.

A magnet will attract a hook and eye which is liable to rust, while it rejects the non-liable ones. So a magnet is a handy tool for the sewing basket.

# **Editorial** Page

# FIELD EAGLE

# **A Throne For Wilhelm**

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Its chief purposes are widespread and various. The Eagle wishes to reflect soldier opinion as much as possible and at the same time bolster the spirit and morale of the aviation section. It is upon this branch of the service that the eyes of America are turned, and the Eagle will do its part to see that America is not disappointed.

It will disseminate all the important and essential news and at the same time act as a check upon "wild" rumors which are conceived in ignorance and spread nothing but hysteria.

#### **Snakes of Sedition**

"HE United States Army is not a wet nurse for disgruntled soldiers; nor will it mother sedition. A case in point is the recent finding of the Court Martial in the trial of Recruit John Howard. Young Howard is now doing the first stretch of six months at hard labor in the Kelly Field guard house. He violated e 96th article of war in that he disseminated untrue information concerning alleged conditions at this camp.

F with pleasure you are viewing, Any work a man is doing, If you like him, or you love him, tell him now. Don't withhold your approbation

Till the person makes oration, And he lies with snowy lilies o'er his brow.

**COR** no matter how you shout it, He won't really care about it.

He won't know how many teardrops you have shed; If you think some praise is due him,

Tell Him Non



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#### SPEAKING OF MOVIES. Then the Intelli-

"I feel all limp," the wash rag said, "In fact, I've got the blues. 989. I do not mind the family face, 0 1013 But spare me Father's shoes." "You have a cinch," the teapot cried, "Of Joy I've not a bit, not stanford They place me on a red-hot stove, And burn me where I sit," according\* to\* best Memo YOU'RE NEXT. finally the delinquent was

Has it ever occurred to you that one of the easiest places to get "trimmed" is in a barber shop; There was no corpus de rnows is å terrible situati

### EVER THINK OF IT?

-THAT much was left The worst charge arabnar llawo9 ed in a recent fire and had bra Against the daschhund \* \* \* Is that he looks

Came to Kelly Field So much like Charlie Chapkn, \*wond famous Ad

The crown quince. Kelly Wield, it's\* a Tead\*pipe cinch It don't make much difference to

th' army whether you wuz a barter der or a writer of blank verse in c vilian life.

The question is: Did you make good at it?

alothon tont

An' if you didn't you gotta show more speed than y'ever did buffore or w no tan aid good of its Youesselle fer yours.

Howard wilfully distorted the truth, he maliciously chose to make himself a monger of false rumor and , he disgraced the uniform he wears.

The United States is at war. We are in the war for one purpose and no purpose was ever more idealistic or just. And any one man who blocks or hampers the execution of such a purpose cannot expect to receive anything but his just deserts.

Because John Howard had certain personal likes and dislikes is no reason why he should blat them to the world as the convictions of others.

Kelly Field needs no defense. Kelly Field rates with the highest type of army camps.

There is only one way to check the snakes of sedition. And that is with an iron heel.

#### **Shirt-Sleeve Workers**

COME people are unable to work ) in anything but a shirt, and that must be rolled up at the sleeves. When the day is done, the shirt is usually the sufferer.

There are others who can work with coat and collar on.

Of the two the coat and collar worker is the more desirable.

It is because he has learned to control his work and not allow his work to control him.

It is much more of a compliment to say: "He works so easily," than to say "He works so hard."

Now's the time to slip it to him. For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead." of estud

MORE than fame and more than money to tust broose blod Is the comment kind and sunny, And the hearty, warm approval of a friend. For it gives to life a savor, bas selvold And it makes you stronger, braver, And it gives you heart and spirit to the end. AtiW you heart and spirit to the end.

F he earns your praise, bestow it; If you like him let him know it; Let the words of true encouragement be said; Do not wait till life is over

And he's underneath the clover, For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead.

**No Alibis** 

"Hey, Bill! Should a feller eat heavy breakfast or a light one before taking his morning nose dive?"

By all means don't eat NONE atall, Percy. A airplane is a-napetizer, not a first aid to digestion. Toot

\* \* \* An' besides "food will win the war. feet would do the thing". Ji staw t'nod eged Character

about a side-str#ddi#ho# in calis-RARAH Why don't they use a aeroplane if they wanna teach them carrier squabs anything?

The benefits might be mutual. train to meet Ches-

Some o' youse guys learnt how ta soldier long 'fore you joined th' army.

est board had \*a \* 1 \*

Many a wild rose turns out to be an American beauty after all.

rait station loofs the des Marriage is the union of two souls without a single thought us. vitera al After which he prob-

Was reading the other day about Madame Seidlitz being arrested and confined on Blackwell's Island as an alien enemy. Wonder if she was concerned in a powder plot?

ome an M. F\* A at M. P. h Conscience is like an alarm clock. If you don't pay attention to it, it will soon fail to wake you up? the dope on bankin

If the United States Senators believe that a word to the wise is sufficient, the length of their speeches indicates that they size one another up pretty well. in at aldell at doldw an

You never can tell from where you fruit's going to hit.

non liable anes.

#### THE army is one place where an probably be long enough for the Hun alibi is no good. There's no place to get your number. for it: the man who hears it won't be interested and the man who makes it won't profit by it.

Only accomplishments count. The unavoidable mistake is a rare bird. Most "boners" are the results of carelessness, lack of the properce push or ambition or speed in getting started.

WAKE UP! get there first and prevent mistakes. And if you are held responsible for a mistake which you couldn't possibly have prevented get busy and correct it with the least possible loss of time.

Don't offer any alibis. They won't straighten a company front any more than they'll correct the range for poorly aimed guns. If it only takes

The big reason though, is the fact that you come more nearly topping the measurement of a man if you sit tight and don't make any excuses. It's a lot more credit to you and a lot more satisfaction in the end to have someone else find out that it wasn't your fault.

The price of this satisfaction-the biggest reward you can get is knowing that you have made goodsometimes may be undeserved blame, but it's worth it.83

You and everyone else will still remember your accomplishments long after your hardships are forgotten.

But if you aren't big enough to handle your job, for the sake of humanity get out of the way and let somebody else do it. Don't be for- sit where the juice in the grape a second to make an excuse that will ever explaining why you fail.