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## Mrs. Kenyon Gives Life In Epidemic

Wife of Capt. W. S. Kenyon First To Offer Services As Emergency Nurse

Dies From Pneumonia; Ill Only a Week

Entire Personnel of Field Extends Sympathy to Bereaved Officer

AFPER aursing many Kelly Field soldiers back to health in the present epidemic, Mrs. W. S. Kenyon, wife of Capt Kenyon, contracted influenza which developed into pneumonia, from which she died last Thursday. She was ill only a

Always of a charitable, cheerful and industrious disposition, Mrs.
Kenyon has been engaged in every
kind of auxiliary war work open
to women, particularly in Red
Cross work. Her activities for the Red Cross and other soldier welfare weakened her health. When the present emergency appeared, in spite of her condition and the appeals of friends, Mrs. Kenyon volunteered for nursing service, and after being accepted, gave her best abilities to

When she first became ill Wednesday, she refused to acknowledge the fact, and told nurses who would have relieved her, to attend to those who needed them. However, she who needed them. However, she at last gave up her work at the hospital and submitted to treatment. She seemed to be getting better and her case did not become alarming until Monday. Her condition became worse and she was taken to the hospital where she died at 2 o'clock Thursday morning.

End Came Suddenly.

The end came without warning.

The end came without warning, as Mrs. Kenyon was not thought to be in danger even when very ill.

Mrs. Kenyon was 30 years old. She was married in Hartford, Con-necticut and lived there until her husband's transfer to Kelly Field. She also lived in New York City and in Virginia for short periods.

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#### Military Funeral Given Lt. Fraser Who Died Monday

Military respects to the minutest detail were observed Wednesday afternoon at the funeral of First Lieut. Alexander Fraser, who died at the Base Hospital at Fort Sam Hous-ton Monday afternoon, following a severe attack of influenza which de-

veloped into pneumonia.

A feature of the military honors accorded Lieutenant Fraser was a cross formation of airplanes composed of six ships from Kelly Field, which flew over the cemetery after the body had been lowered into the grave and "Taps" sounded.

on a caisson, attended by the escort of pallbearers, the firing squad and was lowered into the grave, the final had done his share.

C. Eisman and George K. Delacker

Elmer Abbey, Max Krueger, Ralph Hugo and Capt. George Maverick. The active pallbearers were these efficers from Kelly Field: Harry Robertson, Capt. Ed C. J. McShane, Lieut. Bugher, Lieut. W. P. Smith, Lieut. Lichy, and Lieut.

men from Kelly Field and other

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## "Where There's Smoke---"



## Now That the News Has Called the War Off, We'll Have to Get Another One to Keep Us Busy

by Sgt. Howard R. Bangs

NOW THAT THE SAN ANTONIO EVENING BOOB HAS SURRENDERED Turkey, Abdicated the Kaiser, Demolished Austria, Advertised for Pallbearers to bury influenza victims, Successfully sunk an American Transport, Drowned 40 of her crew, Convinced prohibitionists that American Sailors are getting drunk in London, unsuccessfully obstructed The remains were carried from the Liberty Loan and declared the Kelly Field the home to the Masonic cometery en a calsson, attended by the escart mark that the only people who seem to think the military cortege. Following the there is a war on are the United States Gov-Masonic ceremonial rites, the coffin ernment, Great Britain, France, Cuba, Portugal, Japan, China, Serbia, Belgium, Roumania, salute was given by the firing squad and the bugler sounded "Taps" for Turkey, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Russia the last time in honor of a man who and one or two other nations. These nations undoubtedly feel that inasmuch as this is the The Rev. Dr. W. Bertrand Ste-vens of St. Mark's Episcopal church fighting even if this remarkable off-spring of conducted the services. A quartet fighting even if this remarkable off-spring of the Express Publishing Company has called composed of Corp. W. P. Talbert and Pvts. Frederick R. Brown, H. All of which reminds us of a story we once

All of which reminds us of a story we once heard dealing with the making of the original sang at the funeral.

Officers Are Pallbearers.
Honorary pallbearers were: Roy Robinson, W. K. Ewing, W. T. Bledsoe, Dr. E. L. Hering, Jacke Locke, Albert Steves, Jr., Raymond Keller, Elbert Abbert Moy Abbert Robinson Robinson Robinson Robinson Robinson Robinson, W. K. Ewing, W. T. Bledsoe, Dr. E. L. Hering, Jacke Locke, Albert Steves, Jr., Raymond Keller, Elbert Moy Abbert Robinson Robi

(Revolutionary War Scene. Private Bunk Capt. on guard duty. Enter Corp. Junk.)
C. J.
PVT. BUNK: "Gee whiz, Corporal, ain't it hell to have to fight for your country Smith, Lieut. Lichy, and Lieut.

when you ain't got no flag?"

Scores of officers and enlisted CORP. JUNK: "Gee whiz, Private it IS hell havin' to fight for your country when you ain't got no flag."

(CURTAIN)

(Same as one. Corp. Junk pacing to and fro. Enter Captain Flunk.) CORP. JUNK: "Gee whiz, Captain, ain't it hell to have to fight for your country

when you ain't got no flag." CAPT. FLUNK: "Gee whiz, Corporal, it is hell havin' to fight for your country when you ain't got no flag."

(CURT 4IN) ACT THREE

(Same as act two. Capt. Flunk pacing to and fro. Enter George Washington.) CAPT. FLUNK: "Gee whiz, General, ain't it

hell to have to fight for your country when you ain't got no flag."

GEORGE WASHINGTON: "Gee whiz, Captain, it is hell havin' to fight for your long when you ain't got no flag."

Sam Houston from the Adjutant General's Department at Washington, where he was director of the Reserve Division, the organization country when you ain't got no flag."

(CURTAIN) ACT FOUR

(Betsy Ross's sitting room. Betsy is rocking a cradle. Enter George Washington.)
GEORGE WASHINGTON: "Gee whiz, Betsy,

ain't it hell to have to fight for your country when you ain't got no flag?" BETSY: "Gee whiz, George, it is hell havin' to fight for your country when you ain't got no flag. HERE YOU ROCK THE CRADLE AWHILE AND I'LL GO MAKE ONE!"

(THE END)

So we presume we're in a position very much like General Washington, that is of havin' to fight for our country when we ain't

Gee whiz, Mr. News, if you'll quit reckin' the beat, WE'LL GO MAKE ONE.

## Prince Axel Visits Kelly Field Today

Member of Denmark's Royal Family Making Tour of America

Entertained Here By Special Flying

Dinner At Aviation Club Marks Close of Air Service Reception

ARRIVING in San Antonio ever the Southern Pacific this morning at 9 o'clock, Prince Axel of Denmark, a commander in the Danish navy, had a busy day inspecting the various San Antonio camps, concluding with a reception for persons of Danish birth and a dinner by the Chamber of t by the Chamber of Commerce tonight.

Prince Axel is making a flying trip through the United States inspecting army camps and other points of military interest, paying particular attention to the airplane factories and flying fields of this country.

In the Prince's party are: Col. Robt. H. Sullivan, commanding officer of the 86th infantry at Camp Travis who is chief aide; Capt. Atwood, aide to General Cabell; and Second Lieut. Robt. J. Morgan, aide to General Estes.

Col. Gillmore Meets Party. After a brief inspection of Brooks Field and a visit to the Mission San Juan, the Prince and his party came to Kelly Field, arriving shortly before noon. He was met at the Main Gate by Lieut. Col. W. E. Gillmore, commanding officer of the field, and Major George E. Stratemeyer and other officers of the Air Service Mechanics' School.

Following presentation to Prince Axel of officers and enlisted men of inish descent in the field, the vistors inspected the Second and Third Wings of the Concentration Brigade, Aviation General Supply Depot and the Main Hospital, where they remained until shortly after noon, when they rushed through the lower field and made a dash for the Flying Department.

Flyers Do Stunts
At the Flying Department, Prince
Axel and his aides were received by Lieut. Col. H. B. Clagett, commanding officer. Here the visitors made an inspection of the department and witnessed acrobatic and formation flying staged for them. Then the was taken to the Aviation Club, where luncheon was served

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#### Appoints Col. Johnson Chief Of Staff Here

Col. William T. Johnston, Adjutant General of the Southern Department, has been acting chief of staff since sometime in July and it was expected that his appointment to this office would be confirmed soon.

Reserve Division, the organization which inaugurated the plan for commissioning men after completing an intensive course of training at camps and schools.

Colonel Morgan, who has been assistant to Colonel Johnston, will become adjutant general of the Southern Department.

#### Kelly Field Eagle Department Numbers

For the benefit of those persons wishing to speedily get into telephonic connections with various Kelly Field Eagle departments, the following numbers and exchanges are published. Business Manager..Kelly Field 55 News Editor...... Kelly Field 55 Advertising Makeup... Crockett 866 Managing Editor.....Crockett 866 Publicity Officer....Kelly Field 55

## **Enlisted Men** To Receive

Qualified Men Will Be Commissioned Direct in Air Service

Needed for Adjutants And Supply Officers

Examining Board Consists of Capt. Austin, Capt. Wheeler and Capt. Wilkinson

Enlisted men of the Air Service, who in the opinion of their commanding officers possess the necessary qualifications, are to be given an opportunity to appear before a board of officers for examination for commissions direct in the Air Service (aeronautics), non-flying

This board, consisting of Capt. C. H. Austin of the Concentration Brigade, Capt. C. F. Wheeler of the Flying Department, and Capt. J. C. Wilkinson, of the Medical Corps, will convene shortly for the purpose of examining all men who feel that they can qualify as officers and who can obtain the recommendation of their commanding officers. Those candidates who are accepted as suf-ficiently qualified will be placed on an available list and commissioned as vacancies occur. These men will be used mainly as adjutants, supply officers, engineer officers, and con-struction officers, a number of va-cancies existing for such officers at present.

Enlisted men who were examined for entrance to central officers' training camps and were ordered held will be re-examined for commission in the Air Service and those who meet the requirements of this branch of service will not be the control of the contro sent to training camps. However, cared for. those men who do not possess a knowledge of the subjects an adjutant, supply officer or engineer requires will be released to go to training camps as calls for same are received.

Application blanks for commiswhich must be filled out in sion which must be filled out in duplicate, may be obtained from Lieut. E. P. Rochester at Head-quarters. One copy of the applica-tion must be sworn to before a no-tary or summary court officer. Three letters of recommendation must accompany each application. Each applicant must pass a physical

Members of the 817th Depot Aero Squadron, the 662nd Supply Squadron, the 675th Squadron, and detachments in the Southern Departtachments in the Southern Department will be examined at Fort Sam Houston by a board consisting of Capt. K. R. Hyman, Capt. W. F. Wright, and a medical officer not wat ramed.

The Second Wing, under Major sent to the Flying Department in course of time. The remainder of the men will probably be placed on other work on the field.

## Capt. Negley Flying Inspector

Captain Richard V. W. Negley, who for some time past has been holding the responsible post of Flying Department inspector, has been promoted to a majority.

Major Negley is a native of Texas, having been born in Maverick county on December 23, 1887. He was gade, has been placed in temporary educated in the private schools of San Antonio and later was graduated at Phillips-Exeter Academy. Upon his graduation there he entered Yale, where he took a prominent part in rowing and wrestling

at the time he resigned to enter the service of his country, was a junior member of the firm.

He was commissioned a captain in the Aviation Section of the Sig-nal Corps on September 28, 1917 and assigned to duty at Kelly Field with the Flying Department. After

with the Flying Department. After serving for some time as Assistant Officer in Charge of Gunnery, in February of this year he was given entire charge of this work.

Not being satisfied with ground work alone, Major Negley, like so many others, soon felt the "call of the aif" and began flying in June. After passing his R. M. A. test on Angust 13 he took a special course. August 13, he took a special course in the flying instructor's school and upon the completion of his work was assigned to his present duty, where he has made a reputation for industry and efficiency that has brought him this well earned recognition.

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## 25,000 Men Coming Soon For Winter's Training

Commissions Concentration Brigade Preparing for Large Influx of Men in Two Weeks; Other San Antonio Camps Also Receive Increase

BETWEEN 20,000 and 25,000 drafted men will arrive in Kelly Field D early in November. The men will come from many states and for the most part will be civilians who have just entered the service.

News that a great number of rookies was due seemed to cause no stir in the field, for it had been reported that a big influx of men was expected any time after the epidemic of Spanish influenza over the nation had been brought under control.

word from Camp Travis and the other camps about San Antonio that several thousands more drafted men are expected in their confines. It is safe to say that the number of safe to say that the number of the Second Wing until that is brought to a strength of 2,000 men. The next 2,000 men to the Third Wing and so on, additionmen in army camps about San An- al wings being formed as necessary tonio this winter will be consider- to handle the new men. able over 100,000.

With the great increase in Kelly divided into two groups, each under Field, the enlisted strength of the greatest aviation field in the council beautiful by a configuration of instruction and discipline. try will be nearly as large as it was last winter. In all probability the men will be kept here all winter and sent overseas in the spring, as was the rule last year. The camps about San Antonio have become known as great concentration points for soldiers from all over the nation, and as an ideal wintering place for troops, due to the mild climate as compared with that of camps further north.

Brigade Is Ready.

upon a basis of preparedness to handle the large number of men. While it is still approximately two weeks before the first arrivals are to reach the field, everything is being reduced to a system and will brought to a standardization

As at present organized, the Con-centration Brigade includes all of the Kelly Field Air Service personnel except the Flying Department and Mechanical Schools. The briand Mechanical Schools. gade itself is organized into wings.
The first of these wings is at present commanded by Captain Thomas Raines and contains the 11 squadrons which at present com-prise the permanent personnel for the operation of Kelly Field. It is the operation of Kelly Field. It is planned to bring these squadrons up to full strength which will give the First Wing in the neighborhood of 1,800 men. For the purpose of administration there are three groups in the wing, each group unspections. School will be filled out of the new-company and some who have attended

known as the Casual Detachment, and is being reorganized so as to be typical of all remaining wings which will be formed to handle the Levytansky Jewelry Co. new men. These wings will each contain 10 companies of 200 men each, thus bringing the wing to a strength somewhat similar to that Is Now Major of a regiment, which unit it will in some respects resemble.

Officers Assigned.

A third wing has already been started of a number of officers, who are making the necessary preparations for the men who are shortly to arrive. Captain Charles H. Austin, executive officer of the Bricommand, with Capt. Homer B. Love as personnel adjutant, and

O. K. Hattery and Pressery

ARMY HATS CLEANED AND BLOCKED After finishing his studies at the famous university, Major Negley entered the offices of the Standard Trust Company, in San Antonio and at the time he resigned to enter

With the announcement of the Lieut. Arthur M. Hanson, as supply The headquarters for the increase in the field, also comes officer. The headquarters for the Third Wing are in the same building as those for the Second Wing.

Each wing, except the First, is

Major S. S. Hanks, commanding officer of the Concentration Brigade, with the co-operation of Major R. F. Scott Jr., signal supply officer, has worked out standard tables of equipment, personnel and administration for each unit within the Brigade, so that it will be pos sible by reference to these tables to equip uniformily each company and wing with signal, quartermaster and ordnance property. A scheuule has also been prepared giving, Marked changes have been brought about the last week in placing the Concentration Brigade each unit.

Form New Squadron.

It is a part of the plan that the enlisted staff for handling the new organizations will be assigned to a new squadron, to be numbered the In this way it will be possible to warrant the men who act as Sergeant-Major, Supply Sergeant and Duty Sergeant in each company and to obtain experienced men instead relying entirely upon new re-

A few of the drafted men that are coming, will no doubt be selected to help train the others, but only those who have had previous training in some branch of the service or attended a military school will be chosen. Sufficient education in certain lines may enable a few of the men to be placed in permanent squadrons so as to assist with the

der a commander who supervises comers, and some who have attended the squadron of his command. army trade schools will probably be

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#### Mrs. Kenyon Gives Life In Epidemic

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The body has been taken to Hartford for burial

Express Regret.

By order of Lieut. Col. Clagett, commandant of the Flying Department, the following memorandum expressing regret at the death of Mrs. W. S. Kenyon, was issued:
"It is a sad duty to announce
the death of Mrs. Kenyon, wife of



Capt. W. S. Kenyon of the Flying

Department "Mrs. Kenyon volunteered her services as a nurse in the Post Hospital when the call was made for volunteer nurses during the present influenza emergency. While nursing she contracted influenza, which developed into pneumonia, causing death.

"We all deeply sympathize with Captain Kenyon in his hours of

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#### No Relief From Quarantine Ban For Two Weeks

Unofficial Statement That Restrictions Will Be Lifted November 10

Kelly Field will remain quarantined for at least two more weeks.

Information to this effect was made public Tuesday morning by Lieut.-Col. L. H. Bauer, field sur-geon, when asked if the ban would be lifted in a few days. Although he would make no official statement as to when the quarantine would be revoked it is understood the date now set is November 10.

Since the epidemic has been prevalent in Kelly Field there have been 1,892 cases of Spanish influbeen 1,892 cases of Spanish Influenza. A gain of 223 cases was shown last week. During the last few days the number of new cases has been small, there being but 10 last Saturday, 12 Sunday and 21 Monday. At the present time there are 121 cases of pneumonia, 70 of them being in the Main Hospital, 27 in the Hostess House, 15 in the Commanding Officers' Home and 10 in Y. M. C. A. No. 151 which was given to the hospital authorities the latter part of last week. There has been 18 deaths from the disease in the entire field, four of them occurring within the last week.

Although there are many severe cases of pneumonia in the different wards and temporary hospitals, with the great number of nurses now working to care for the sick men, it is hoped there will be no more deaths. For a time, the hospitals were short of nurses and the men had to get along with the best care to the Prince's party were Colonel that could be given them under the Gilmore, Col. Clagett, Major Strate-crowded conditions, but the situameyer and about 50 more high offition is much better at the present cers in the field.

centration Headquarters down to the main Knights of Columbus building have all been vacated by the hospital authorities and turned by the Chamber of Columbus the hospital authorities and turned by the Chamber of Columbus the Chamber of Ch the hospital authorities and turned by the Chamber of Commerce offi-over to the squadrons again. It is cials at which camp commanders and thought that within another week, the hospital authorities will be able to care for all the sick men with what permanent quarters the field surgeon has in the field.

The restaurant in the canteen near Y. M. C. A. No. 151 which has been closed for sometime on account of the lack of help, has been turned over to the hospital authorities and men quartered in the "Y" are being fed from the

#### \$5,000 Is Given By Post Exchange For Athletics Here

Football Team Will Not Be Handicapped by Lack of Funds; All Departments Receive Share

the soldier, the Kelly Field Post Exchange Council has given \$5,000 to the Post Athletic Council and the different departments in the field to aid in this form of work. Announcement of the donations was made by Lieut. Earl David, ex-change officer in the field, Tuesday

morning.
Two thousand dollars of the sum given was donated to the Post Athletic Council to be used for football this fall and the athletic fund in general. One thousand dollars went to the Air Service Mechanics' School, another \$1,000 to the Concentration Brigade and the third \$1,000 to the Flying Department.

"All the money has been given the different departments either in form of cash or a check," said Lieut. David Tuesday, "and I expect most of it has been spent already for athletic goods of different cash of the company of the compa kinds. The football situation in the field was in a precarious situation this fall due to lack of sufficient funds, but the \$2,000 will help put it on its feet again.

Washington, D. C.—Congressman Rogers, Republican, from Massachusetts, left for training camp to become a private in the Field Artillery.

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#### Lt. F. E. Fensch



-Photo by Raba. Lieutenant Fensch was made first lieutenant last week. Field Auditor at Kelly Field.

#### Prince Axel Visits Kelly Field Today

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complimentary to the field's guests. Present at the luncheon in addition

time.

The Prince left Kelly Field at 2 o'clock and during the afternoon visited by a number of squadrons on the Frio City Road, from the Contact of the Alamo, Fort Sam Houston, Camp Travis and Camp John Wise, returning to the St. Apthony beta

other army officers and prominent civilians were present.

## Volunteer To Nurse

When Sergt. Lee M. Tighe told the members of the 870th Aero Squadron the other day that five of their comrades were seriously ill and that the men of the Medical Corps being exhausted needed assistance in nursing them, and asked for volunteers, there was hardly a hand in the mess hall that was not instantly raised.

Since that time each night three members of the outfit have gone to the hospital and given the sick their personal attention, with the result that all of them are doing nicely. Among those who have engaged in this duty are:

Sergt. 1st. Class Quincy A. Campbell, Samuel Friedmann and William Believing that athletics help make the soldier a better man, and that sports to different kinds are necessary to aid in the development of the soldier, the Kelly Field Post Exchange Council has given \$5,000 Learning Related Friedmann and William B. Ross; Sergts. Alvin A. Shively and Patrick J. Hussey; Corps. Geo. W. Carruthers, Lloyd L. Lewis, Roy O'Kelley, James E. Melton, Alfred A. Gravel, Otto L. Wise, Carl E. Neisel, William Rogers; Pvts. Edgar L. Hammond, Relate E. Olson, and J. Hammond, Ralph E. Olson, and Gregory D. Deabler.

Corp. George Reeves also appointed himself a committee of one to see that those ill got their mail special delivery and has been making a nightly trip to the hospital ever since.

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Kelly Field will send ten airplanes to Waco to participate in the Department. Air Carnival, which will be held there for two weeks beginning No-

Red Cross and other war related charities, and it is planned to make these two weeks a period never to be forgotten by the residents of

All flying fields in the Southern Department will send their best ships and pilots and flying contests of all kinds will be held, including formation and stunt work, which will be judged on their merits by well known experts.

The machines will leave Kelly Field at noon and return Sunday night and can be depended upon to give as good account of themselves as they have in the past. In fact because of their performances in the past it is safe to say that Kelly Field will be a favorite in the air

Another interesting feature of the event will be a leap with the parachute from an airplane while traveling at full speed, by Chauf. R. W. Bottriell, of the 145th Squadron, Kelly Field's latest daredevil, who created a sensation when he jumped from a plane at the height of 4,800 feet here last week, bettering the record made by the redoubtable Rodman Law.

Some Service Flag.

(Special to The Eagle by Radio) New York .- A service flag, which represents 25,895 employes, 60 gold stars for those fallen in battle during the present war, is displayed by the United States Steel Corporation comrades in Hospital

The flag measures

34x44 feet. Each numeral is six
feet high and four feet broad. It
weighs 110 pounds, contains 408 yards of bunting.

#### Kelly Woodworkers Make Propeller For Col. Fechet

The woodworking branch of the Flying Department, under the direction of First Lieut. L. J. Shoemaker, is making a propeller for the use of Col. James E. Fechet, until a short time ago Kelly Field commandant, now supervisor of military aeronautics in the Southern

The stick, which is of an unusual shape, having a bewildering varety of angles, is for use with the powwhich Colonel Fechet's new plane is equipped. It is constructed so as to withstand the air pressure while doing 1400 revolutions per minute or more.

Will sound at 4 o'clock, retreat at 5:10 o'clock and supper at 5:30. On Sunday guard mounting will take place at 10 o'clock.

Rickenbacker Fragerical Charities and the war related charities and the suppersion of the minute or more.

The propeller is made of laminated birch, eight feet, six inches long and will weigh when varnished thirty-five pounds. Eight layers of wood has been used in its construction and it is a particularly well executed sample of artistic workmanship. Work on it will be completely finded in a day or two and it will be shipped to Colonel Fechet.

Library Open Again.

used as a temporary nurses' quarters while the number of cases of influenza necessitated an additional force of nurses here, has been reopened for regular library purposes

Large heaters were put up the early part of this week in all the Knights of Columbus buildings in the San Antnio district. The chilly nights of the past week have made a good fire necessary for the comfort of the men who spend their evenings in the huts.

#### Bugler Is Safe; Reveille at 6 Now

Change in Schedule of Daily Formations Effective November 1

Beginning November 1 men on Kelly Field will sleep half an hour longer in the morning as reveille will sound at 6 o'clock instead of at 5:30. The day's program has been revised so that mess call, sick call and fatigue call will be sounded half an hour later in the forenoon. The time for guard mount has not been changed. Recall from fatigue

York.—Announcement made here and at Los Angeles of the engagement of Eddie Rickenbacker, American ace now in the service of the United States Aviation Service in France, and Miss Priscilla Dean, moving picture actress. The pair met at Santa Monica, where Rickenbacker was automoboile racing.

### The camp library, which was Maverick-Clarke Litho Co.

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# 2 KULLY FIELD S

## Rice Institute Eleven Will Oppose Kelly Field

Field Team Plays Its First Out-of-town Game Saturday at Houston, Tex.-Overbaugh in Hospital With Fractured Jaw-Overlees at Quarter

R outside the pale of the army, will oppose the mighty Kelly Field football outfit on Saturday at Houston, Tex. The Kelly Field team will leave here Friday night and return Sunday.

Saturday's out-of-town game marks the initial battle of the Kelly Field eleven outside their own field, due to the influenza quarantine, field eleven outside their own field, due to the influenza quarantine,

which has wrecked army and college football schedules over all the country thus far this season. The Field team has played two practice games with the Air Service Mechanics' School, winning both contests

The Kelly Field team goes to Houston Saturday minus its main-the backfield. Overbaugh, Wise to Have stay in the backfield. Overbaugh, the former All-American star now is recovering in the Field Hospital from injuries received in the last practice game with the Air Service Mechanics' School, when he suffered a fractured jaw. Overlees, the Haskell Indian, will take Overbaugh's place against Rice Institute.

Nearby Balloonists Making Ready for Big Foot-

#### Have Formidable Team.

The Rice eleven is being coached this season by Jack Coombs, the former Philadelphia Athletics hurler, who has moulded a speedy aggregation of football talent into a formidable team for any opponent. Coombs has been very anxious for several weeks to match his outfit against Kelly Field and an earlier game was called off by the quaran-

opment. Larry Splawn, the former old-time form and is a bearcat in heaving forward passes and booting the old pigskin. Much is expected of Splawn in Saturday's game. His running mate, Overbaugh, will be years. He was elected captain in his leaf to the greatest negro football star of all time. Overbaugh directed the play of the Rhode Island Clan the years. He was elected captain in his leaf to the greatest negro football star of all time. Overbaugh directed the play of the Rhode Island Clan the years they trailed Yale's Blue in the greatest negro football star of all time. sorely missed, but Overlees is a sorely missed, but Overlees is a sorely missed, but Overlees is a sold second for the former Brown star and has been running the team coach, was formerly a member of to that of his dusky rival. exceptionally well in practice.

Arrangements have been made for the team to leave San Antonio Friday night at 11:30 over the Southern Pacific and return Sunday morn-

for the following players: Hutchinson, Splawn, Brick, Harper, Keaney, players, placing them on an all-Fraser, Walker, Dahlen, VanDuzen, star team that will represent Camp Bingaman, Brewer, Galvin, Downey, Wise, Sherwood, Overlees, Ross, Fyan. Sullivan, McDermott, Newton and Sheppard. The coaches, Major Krapf head coach, Lieut. Clough and Cadet Johnston and the Sporting Editor Camp John Wise will be ready to this year.

Unfortunately Overbaugh suffered a broken jaw the other day and will be lost to the team for some time. of The Eagle, also will accompany While in Houston the party will be guests at the Rice

## Tate Would Scrap Any Two Fighters

Texas Tate is on the war path again. "Tex" now is offering to fight any two men in the army camps about San Antonio.

Former Kelly Field Boxer Pneumonia Victim at

Tate also declares that he doesn't care a rap who is put against him and that his challenge is aimed primarily at the Kelly Field boxers.
"Theodore (Kid) Soliz, one of the best known fighters of Camp John according to Lieut. Lyle Stringer, assistant athletic officer at Kelly ten by the Grim Reaper on October Field, who is in charge of the boxing cards, Tate may have to eat his

Tate says he will box any number of three-minute rounds with five-ounce gloves and prefers to stage the match at Ryan Field as soon as the quarantine has been declared off. Two men mentioned to be sent against Tate are Battling Beaver, a native Texan, at 192 pounds, and Moidel of New York City, at 190 pounds.

The hig idea with Teta is that

## Jack Gilroy Ill

"Jack" Gilroy, former third base-man on the Kelly Field baseball team, is seriously ill of pleuropneumonia at the Central Officers' Training Camp at Waco, Texas.

Gilroy is a former college football star of national fame and has a host of friends on Kelly Field who are interested in his welfare. While at Georgetown University two years at Georgetown University two years ago, Gilroy achieved the distinction of scoring the greatest number of individual points on the gridiron of either at tackle or in the backfield at Kelly Field have not been played any other college player during the and is one of the biggest men on off. The games will be played

# Team In Field

ball Season

Camp Wise is to have a football team this season. More than fifty candidates now are reporting for practice and the coaches expect to select a first team within a few days. As in the other camps the season has been retarded by the influenza epidemic. The management now is arranging games with other camps.

In daily practice the Kelly eleven has been showing remarkable development. Larry Sylven and is held to the team and is held. ing the team and is being assisted by Lieut. H. D. DeLamatre and Lieut. Michigan star, is back again in his Carl Lobitz, two former college

the University of Illinois football team and is at present looking after the ends.

Lieutenant McKenzie, former Harvard "strong man," is a football player of no small ability, having played on Harvard for three years. The team will make the trip in a special Pullman over the Sunset route. Reservations have been made ing under each one of the coaches, who will pick out the individual star team that will represent Camp

meet all comers on the gridiron.

Included in the material are Gilbert of Northwestern University; Judelavitz, of the University of Colorado; Oliver of the Chicago Hamburgs, Gribi of Notre Dame, and Burns, formerly with the Winged V eleven of Vallejo, Cal.

### From Kelly Field GrimReaperMakes Soliz Take Count

Camp Wise

Theodore (Kid) Soliz, one of the 18th at the Camp Wise Hospital. Soliz was taken sick with the influenza on October 7th and after

City, at 190 pounds.

The big idea with Tate is that he is real anxious to fight. Just at present he is claiming the heavy-weight title of the U. S. Army.

Army.

All the fight fans as the boy substituting for Gonzales, who put up such a wonderful fight against Battling Stettinger, the welter-weight champion of Kelly Field.

He was a boy possessed of an ideal character, liked by all who knew The Air Service Mechanics' School

him. Pleuro-Pneumonia racks December 15, 1917, and shortwhere he remained up until August 10, when he was sent to Camp

#### CAPTAIN TRAVIS ELEVEN.

the team.

#### Here He Is



-Photo by Cadet Wing. ALFRED A. OVERBAUGH.

Alfred A. Overbaugh, Kelly Field's superb quarterback, made his reputation at Brown University, where he played on the same team with Pollard, named by Camp as All-American halfback two years and the greatest negro football star of all time. Overbaugh directed the play of the Rhode Island Clan the year they trailed Yale's Blue in the dust and his work in that classic contest did not suffer by comparison to that of his dusky rival.

Dear Side Slips:—

Something is the matter with me and I request your advice. What shall I do?

I don't feel just right,
Can't sleep at night,
I mean and sigh,
My throat is dry,
I can't smoke or drink,
My heart doesn't beat,
I've got cold feet,
My head's in a whirl.
Answer—"Then why don't you marry the girl?"

Answer—"Then why don't you marry the girl?" Alfred A. Overbaugh, Kelly Field's

The same year Brown journeyed to Pasadena, California, where they locked horns with Washington State's great team but came out

washington
great team but came out
on the short end of 14 to 0 score.
Overbaugh is a great field general, cool at all times, and his broken field running is a delight to the eye. He also is especially deadly as a thrower and receiver of the forward pass, his work in this line being responsible for the second statement of the forward pass, his work in this line being responsible for the second statement of the short end of 14 to 0 score.

HOW LITTLE IT TAKES TO MAKE LIFE UNBEARABLE!

\* A PEBBLE IN THE SPAGHETTI, A WOMAN'S LAUGH!
SWAT 'EM.

Of many results. the forward pass, his work in this line being responsible for the ma-jority of the ground gained by Kelly this year.

## Mechanics Win Two New Grid Stars In Sea of Mud

PLAYING on a heavy field due to rains, the Air Service Mechanics' School defeated the West Texas Mil-Field gridiron Saturday afternoon, 20 to 0. Because of the sea of mud no forward passing was attempted by either team and the game reverted to the old-style of line-plunging football.

The entire backfield of the Mechanics' team featured and all proved consistent in gaining through the Military Academy line. It was the first game for the losers and they were no match for their heav-

ier and more experienced opponents. Lieut. Earl H. Jewell, athletic officer of the Air Service Mechanics' School, played his first game of the season during the last two quarters at right half and proved a reliable ground gainer

Moore made a touchdown in the

ined up as follows: Swisher, l. e.; Soliz enlisted at Vancouver Bardacks December 15, 1917, and shorty after he was sent to Kelly Field
where he remained up until Autors to the remained up as follows: Swisner, i. e.;

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Jones, r. e.; Wagner, a. b.; Moore to the remained up until Autors to the remained up until Autor or Swisher; Cowie for Wagner His home is at El Paso, and his body was accompanied home by a fighter, Kid Hutton, as it was known that it was his last wish.

for Swisher; Cowie for Wagner: Noetzel for Moore; Jewell for Millerburg; Campbell for DeMuth. Officials—Simpson, referee; Corbett, umpire; Haminowitz, head-linesman. umpire; Haminowitz, head-linesman.

#### INDOOR BASEBALL.

next week.

ROY C. ELMENDORF

Marriage

Which is

Great adventure

For the woman, usually

Ends all adventure for the man.

Mitchell Moon, who makes those funny little drawings on the "Caught on the Fly" page of The Eagle, thought he had influenza and took some gasoline by mistake for medicine they had prescribed at the medicine they had prescribed at the control of the capter of hospital. Now instead of sneezinghe honks.

NOT A NEW ONE.

Dear Side Slips:—
Who was that new red-headed dame I saw you with at the Community House the other night?

MAC. That wasn't a new one, Mac. Just the old one painted over.

RIGHTO. Early to bed
And early to rise
Saves a lotta lying
And alibis.

HOW LITTLE.

Who calls his wife "the kid."

Agreed! And when you've finished him,

Pray swat the female dub, Who has a spouse by wedded vows But knows him as her "hub."

It has been computed that the average man drinks one ton of water in the course of a year.—Scientific Magazine.
How much water will the average Kelly Fielder drink now that he's in the army and can't get any of the fluid that inebriates and breeds conviviality? Quick, Watsen, the adding machine!

A PROBLEM.

OH, LADY, LADY.

CIRCUMSTANCES COMPEL ME . . .

IF.

If you can held the stick while the other birds

Are freezin' to theirs and smashin' to the ground;

If you can neem, an' loop, an' spin and Immelman,
While others are just flyin' straight around;

If you can fly right up into the heavens An' leave the ol' carth far behind,
An' not have that quivery feelin'
That overcomes the "kiwee" kind.

If you can finish a "cross-country"
An'make a perfect landin' at your wil,
While others are "pancakin'" into fences
An' runnin' up an ungedly damage bill.

If you can do all these and win your "wings,"
An' join a flyin' squadron overseas,
An' drop a Hun fokker as the millitreuse sings,
Or bomb a German village when you please.

Bo, if you can do these things unaided, an' yet come back alive,
The air is yours, my boy, an' all that's in it,
An' what is more, you're a here in every-body's eyes.

INSPIRATION.

Shakespeare used to tip the bottle, Byron loved the flowing bowl, Goldsmith used to wet his throttle, Tom Hood used to flood his soul. Shelly wasn't an abstainer,

Bobbie Burns was often tight, Pope would send a large container To the corner every night.

Edgar Poe was oft convivial, He imagined many a crime

From some incident quite trivial, And then set it down in rhyme. If each great and bygone volumist Got his pep from frequent rye, Wha d'ya expect from a minor

colyumist With the army so darn "dry?

## For Kelly Eleven

ern California gridirons a few years had been contemplated.

The other man is Cadet Galvin, itary Academy eleven on the Kelly who played a wonderful game at center for Columbia and was mentioned prominently for the All-American eleven by more than one expert.

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#### Baron Field Wins From Baylor Team

Among the promising football Waco, Tex.,—The football game material which reported for practice here Saturday between the Baron Soundly Trounce Boys from

West Texas Academy,

20 to 0

material which reported for practice during the past week were two men worthy of particular mention on the ground of past achievements. Lieut.

E. C. Dahlen, six feet two in his "Holeproofs," while a student of Pomona College was a star on South
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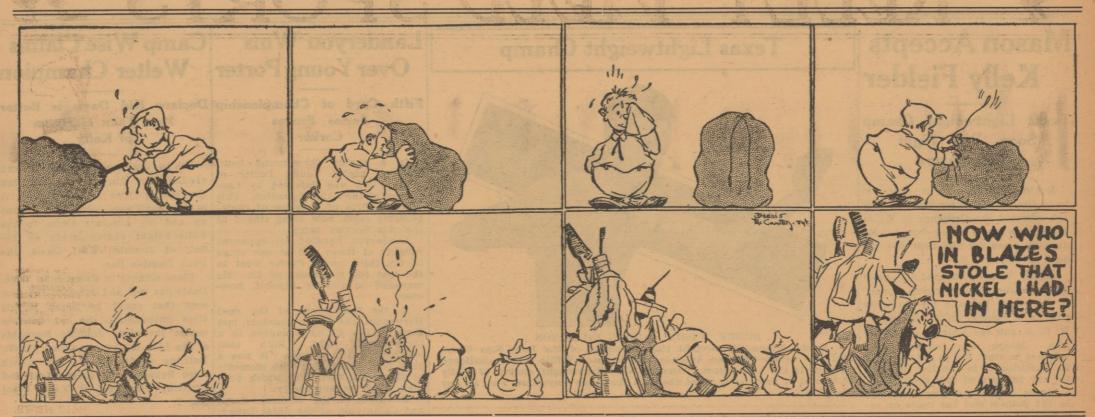
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## Adventures of Squads Wright

#### By Sgt. Dennis B. McCarthy



## Kelly Eleven To Take Part In Sport Week

Game at League Park to Benefit United War Work Campaign

To Raise Vast Sum For Allied Charity

Week of November 11-18 Devoted to National Sport Benefits

KELLY FIELD will take part in the greatest program of sports in the country's history. These events are being planned for the week of November 11-18, the week of the United War Work campaign.

No definite arrangements have been made as yet, but Kelly Field and some other nearby camp will play football at League Park in San Antonio for the benefit of this campaign and a big boxing carnival also will be staged with the men from all the San Antonio camps taking

Seven of the great organizations that have been devoting their energies to the welfare of the soldiers and sailors are numbered in striving to make the program the mo pendous that ever has been known in this country. Their aim is to secure the vast sum of \$170,500,-000. A portion of this money will be spent in securing athletic and sports equipment for the camps and cantonments in Europe and America.

The organizations that will benefit by the carnival are the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Red Cross, the National Catholic War Council of the Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare Board, the War Camp Community Service, the American Library Association and the Salvation Army.

Football is to have a prominent place in the program and so is box-The football contests are to coveted letter-so dear to the hearts include the meeting of teams from the various cantonments throughout the country, as there are many gridiron stars in the ranks. colleges are to play special matches. Their part will be handled by "Big Bill" Edwards. He will be assisted in working out the plans by William S. Langford of Trinity, Arthur Cummock of Harvard, John Garcelon, Harvard, Brink Thorne, Yale; Park H. Davis, William Lambeth of Virginia, Alonzo A. Stagg of University of Chicago, John Reisman of Georgia Tech, and others.

The boxing bouts throughout the and weighs 185 pounds. He is the

country will be directly under the special supervision of James W. Cof- and on the defense frequently smears froth.

#### Willard to Choose His Own Opponent

New York, Oct. 31.—In accepting Harvard "Strong Man" the proffered service of Champion Jess Willard to help the war work campaigu's boxing division the sports committee thanked him by telegraph. They suggested the best stride at Camp John Wise under the leadership of Lieut. A. G. Mefrom a six to ten-round no-decision Kenzie who was appointed Athletic bout at Madison Square Garden on officer, to succeed Lieut O. B. Rob. November 16 or 26. The names of erts. Dempsey, Levinsky, Coffey, Meehan, Miske and Fulton were mentioned adapted to fill this position as he from which Willard could choose has been engaged in all forms of an opponent.

College Station, Tex.,—The A. & After graduating from high football eleven defeated Ream school, he attended Harvard Uni-M. football eleven defeated Ream Field from Houston, here Saturday, 6 to 0, on a muddy field. Garth's 30-yard run through a broken field Man." He also was assistant physical instructor.

School, he attended Harvard University where for two years he was known as the "Harvard Strong Man." He also was assistant physical instructor.

Was the only score.

#### In Pivot Position

-Photo by Cadet Wing.

B. M. HUTCHINSON, CENTER.

"Hutch," as the popular center

on the Kelly Field football team,

is known to his host of friends and

admirers, was born and raised in

Altoona, Pa., and gained his first

gridiron experience with the High School of his native metropolis,

where he starred for four years at tackle and fullback... He was next

he made a reputation second to

none, playing a star game and being

captain of the freshman team. The

next year-1910-he received the

of all college athletes-for his work

at tackle and was picked for the

All-Ohio team in this position.

Hutchinson continued to improve

given his all-state place by the newspapers. Then in his last year

made good with a vengeance and so

distinguished himself that he was

Last but not least, "Hutch"

passed his final tests for an R. M.

A. last week and will be saluted

Athletics have at last hit their

Lieut. McKenzie is very well

sports throughout his high school

ean pass the pigskin.

from now on.

and college years.

#### Plan Big Card At Camp Wise Kelly Field Boxers Will Feature "Fite Nite" for Balloonists-

Camp Wise, Oct. 31.—An enormous "Fite Nite" is being arranged, to take place as soon as the restriction is lifted from Camp Wise. Matchmaker "Caveman" Patrice has been busy on the card and it is planned that the fight fans of the camp will see one of the finest programs of bouts ever offered at an Army Camp.

According to the "Caveman's" present plans the main go on this night will feature Fighting Hart-man, Kelly Field's champion and Jimmy (Kid) Davis, Camp Wise crack welterweight and claimant of the championship of the entire Southern Division. These boys met about a month ago at Kelly Field in a four round go and while Kid Davis was accorded a slight decision, those present declared it the best bout they had seen in these parts for some time and all expressed a desire to see these two

boys mix it again.

Kid Cruze, lightning featherweight is being groomed to meet Cavaretta, that fast boy from the flying wings at Kelly 8. has never been seen in action before against any of the Camp Wise boys but he has fought the best of them at Kelly Field and Camp Travis and on all occasions he has given a other stars of the Kelly Field eleven, good account of himself, proving a mixer from start to finish. He is He was born at Comanche, Tex., accorded, along with Willie Ames, and gained his first gridiron expense of the best featherweights rience at Portales. New Mexico. around San Antonio and Kid Cruze will have to step to beat him. How-ever, the Kid is in good shape and

fight fans a knockout. Another all-star bout which will be seen here in the near future will heard of at Ohio Wesleyan where bring together Slim Steinback, fast middleweight and Kid Murray of the 54th Heavy Field Artillery of Camp Travis. This will be a rattling affair as both these boys are the best at their weight that the camps hereabouts can produce.

A good preliminary card is to be arranged and all can rest assured that the next fight card will be the and the following year was again best ever seen at Camp John Wise.

#### he was shifted to center, where he 54th Artillery Team Issues Defy To All

elected captain and again picked as all-state material. After graduating he was selected as a member teams in Camp Travis or similar 150 pounds and stands 5 feet, 8 teams in the surrounding camps and is willing to take on any college essence of strength on the offense which still has a date open between now and Thanksgiving. a play before the opposing quarter

The 54th team has been practicing regularly now every day for the last two weeks and Lieutenant Clyde, the regimental athletic of-ficer and Mr. Venne, of "Y" hut 33, the coach, state that they have a team that will make a good showing at any time, any place and Officer at Camp Wise against any of the above named possibilities.

> Detroit, Mich.—Bill Coughlin, former third baseman of the Detroit American League team left to join Johnny Evers in France as a Knights of Columbus secretary.



### Star Halfback



-Photo by Cadet Wing. McDERMOTT, HALFBACK.

H. V. McDermott, like several broad jump and mile run. is a native of the Lone Star state. he made an enviable reputation as

good on the freshman team at halfback and during the 1916 and 1917 seasons he starred at the same position on the varsity, contributing in no small degree to the success of

Just before leaving college for the service of his country, he was elected captain unanimously as the result of his exceptional work.
"Mac," as he is best known to the

gridiron fanatics of the field, shows to the best advantage in open play, being especially adept at receiving the forward pass and dodging tacklers. He is strong on offensive and is a particularly hard man to get off his feet, his peculiar twisting The 54th Field Artillery team is-sues a challenge to all regimental in shaking off tacklers. He weighs

#### "Durable Dane" Is Afraid of Larson

Declines Standard A. A. U. Challenge and Substitutes "57 Varieties"

Clinton Larson, world's champion high jumper now stationed at Kelly Field, challenged Chris Christensen for honors in all-around athletic meet, but in his answer to the challenge, "The Durable Dane," gives an imitation of a pickle of the w. k. Heinz variety.

Christensen concedes that Larson is the greatest high jumper in the world and will not meet him in the regulation all-arounds as prescribed by the A. A. U. Instead he claims that he is a "versatile" all-around athlete and says he will meet Larson in a list of "57" different events. He declines to follow the A. A. U. all-around standard, as his eyes undoubtedly are good enough to read the inevitable hand writing.

Larson's challenge included the events as laid down by the Amateur Athletic Union as follows: Standard Pentatathon—running broad jump, throwing javelin, 220-yard dash, discus throw and mile run. All-Arounds-100-yard dash, 16-lb shot put, high jump, 880-yard run, lb. hammer throw, pole vault, 12-yard hurdle, 56-lb. weight, running

Christensen is a secretary at the Camp Travis Y. M. C. A. He recently lost a five-mile race against five picked men from Camp Travis. rience at Portales, New Mexico, Larson is a Bingham Young Uni-High School, where as quarterback versity star athlete and won the world's record in the high jump ever, the Kid is in good shape and a great field general and a broken at the A. A. U. in Chicago last promises to show Camp John Wise field runner of unusual ability. year. He has been stationed at Entering the University of Okla- Kelly Field for several months and homa in 1915, he immediately made is captain of the track team here.



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## Additional News From Realm of Sportdom

## **Mason Accepts** Kelly Fielder

Texas Lightweight Champ Soon Will Fight Willie Ames

Bobby Mason, who is conceded to be the best of Texas lightweights, has accepted the challenge of Willie Ames, the Kelly Field boxer. No date or place for the bout has yet been arranged.

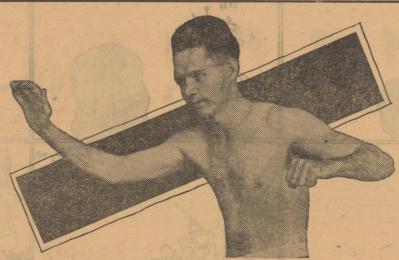
Mason also is booked to meet Mickey Riley, the "Singing Boxer" of Fort Sam Houston for the state title in a benefit show for the Y. M. C. A. and the Knights of Colum-Mason has several other matches in view, but is not too busy for the soldiers or any good cause.

Mason enters the ring from 128 time. ring career. Some of his best fights include the following:
Frankie Russell, six rounds, no decision: Sailor Johnson with the following of the to 133 pounds and has made an excision; Sailor Johnson, won in three rounds; Bobby Waugh, four rounds, no decision; Johnnie Nash, won in ten rounds; Johnnie Nash, knock-out in seven rounds; Benny Palmer. no decision, four rounds; Bennie Cordovo, no decision in four rounds; Stanley Yoakum, no decision in four rounds; Jack Denny, no the scheduled three-round go and decision in four rounds; Ad Wolgast, awarded the decision to Thomas. no decision, three rounds; Louis Reese, lost in four rounds; Soldier Miller, knockout in five rounds; Jack Denny, no decision, four rounds; Young Jeffries, no decision in four rounds; Battling Kelly, won four rounds; Stockyards Tommy Murphy, won in 20 rounds; Cyclone with the deadly scissors.

Tommy Daley, knockout in 16 Wigley of Squadron

Mason in action here. He is a of the 322nd Squadron and Sandy clever boxer and means business Carrol of the Air Service Mechanics from gong to gong and only is too School fought a three-round exhifurnish entertainment for the soldiers whenever this is pos-

#### Texas Lightweight Champ



BOBBY MASON, BOXING CHAMPION Bobby Mason, lightweight ring champion of the Lone Star State, matches in view, but is not too busy who has returned to San Antonio and accepted Willie Ames' challenge to participate in boxing benefits for a go in the near future. Ames is the lightweight champ of Kelly Field and is anxious to meet the San Antonian anywhere and at any

Kid Thomas featured the fight bill in the Concentration Brigade last Wednesday night when he put Young Ahren to the floor three times before the end of the second round. Referree Soule stopped

There was a big crowd of several hundred fight fans on hand to witness the fine card arranged by Captain Soule. Newton of Squadron F. Flying Department and Cronk of Squadron B opened the bill with in 20 rounds; Sailor Kirk, lost in a wrestling match the former won in two minutes and five seconds

> School fought a three-round exhibition. Persing was to have been Carrol's opponent but was kept W. Mitchell, C. Mitchell, Cunningfrom the ring by illness.

## Join Steel League

Several Big Leaguers Signed Up With Uncle Sam

It is estimated that at least 200 major league baseball players are now in the service of the army or the navy, including those who en-listed in 1917.

Since the opening of the major league season in April, the following players, who reported at the ball parks, have joined the colors: Eddie Collins, Ty Cobb, Pipps, Wambsganns, Heilman, McMullen, Thomas, Risberg, Shannon, Gerber, Picinish, Hoblitzel, Faber, Shocker, Erickson, Shawkey, James, Myers, Tommy Daley, knockout in 16 Wigley of Squadron C, Flying Geary, Kauff, Regan, Schmandt, Kelly Field boxing fans may a fierce bout which was declared have the opportunity soon of seeing a draw. In the third event Angler Geffigner, Pfeffer, Cadore, Alexander, Wassen in action box. Fillingam, May, Anderson, Benton, Barnes, C. Ward, A. Ward, Lamar, ham and several others.

## Landeryou Wins

Fifth Card of Championship Declare Kid Davis is Better Series Proves Corker

In a speedy three-round bout, Tuesday night, Young Porter of Kelly Field was defeated by Lan-deryou of the 819th Squadron. This was the fifth of a series of championship cards now being staged at the Air Service camp.

Landeryou handled his opponent

roughly at times and at one stage of the third round Porter went to the mat for the count of six. He managed to recover himself, how-

three-round fight. Both men weighed at 150 pounds. It was a good bout punctuated with moments of slam-bang tactics in which both men tried for supremacy.

McAulise of the Medical Corps No. 2.

and Colantonlo of the 681st Squadron, at 130 pounds, figured in a sensational bout, also. Many times during the three rounds the men stood toe to toe and slugged, breakaway only to resume the close-up fighting. It was a draw. Keller of Kelly No. 2 and Sararl of Kelly No. 2 at 150 pounds were

next on the bill. It was a slow af-

fair, and a draw. Wigley and Thomas, who were to have gone in for a decisive fight, surprised the crowd by making it at exhibition affair. they will carry out their decisive

program in the near future. It was announced last night that Bumble Bee Davis, welterweight champion at Camp John Wise would meet Fighting Hartman of Kelly No. 2 at the Young Men's Christian Association Tuesday night for the championship of the two camps.

Captain Soule refereed the fights last night and Lieutenant Reiker, Lieutenant Herlihy and Mr. Man-ning acted as judges. The program was in charge of Lieutenant Van-

Houston, Tex.—Rice Institute and the Fifteenth Division eleven from Camp Logan played a scorless tie

#### Camp Wise Claims Over Young Porter Welter Champion

Man Than Hartman of Kelly

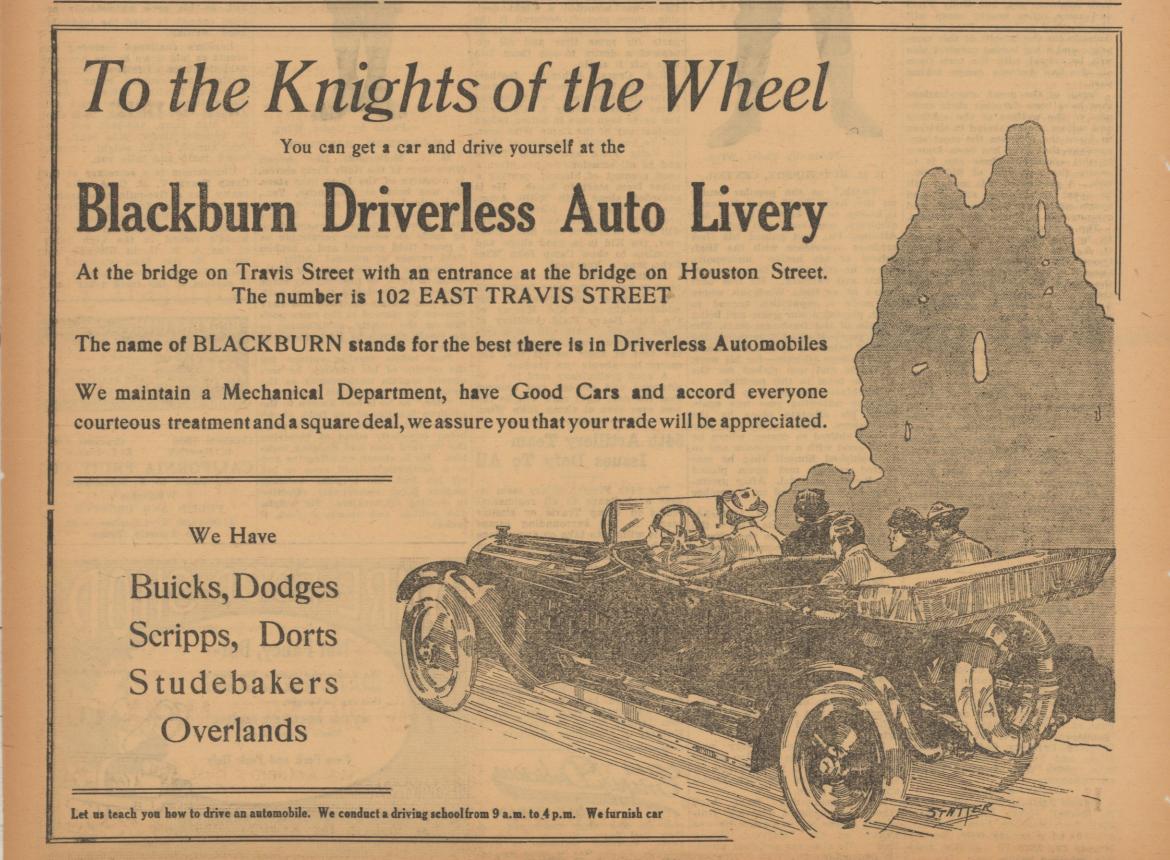
While the other camps in and around San Antonio are claiming the boxing titles for their men, it is time for Camp John Wise to step up and lay absolute claim to the welterweight championship on behalf of Jimmie (Kid) Davis, the Utah Bumble Bee.

Since coming to Camp John Wise, Davis has met and defeated the best men that could be found in his In the first event of the card Hernandez, the Cuban phantom, met Frye of the 632nd Squadron in a three-round fight. Both men of the 19th Infantry at Camp Travis. men of the 19th Infantry at Camp Travis, Battling Goldman of the 144th Aero Squadron of Kelly Field and Fighting Hartman of Kelly Field

> In his fight with Reynolds, Davis completely outclassed his man at all stages of the game and Davis was awarded the decision by the referee.

> His next fight was against Battling Goldman, well-known through-out Kelly Field as a boy that has beat the best of them. This was a scheduled four-round go, but at the end of the second round Goldman was so far outclassed that he left the ring and Davis was accorded a technical knock-out.

> Kelly Field was on the next oc-casion invaded by the Camp John Wise crowd and the man that they had picked to fight the Bumble Bee was Fighting Hartman, the recognized champion of Kelly Field. Shortly before Hartman was called upon to meet Davis, he had been fighting weekly at Kelly Field and on several occasions, he represented Kelly Field in out of town battles, returning victoriously on all times. To fight as much as he is accustomed to doing, one must be in the pink of condition, so at the time he met Davis, no alibis can be offered that he was not in the best of condition. They met in a four-round go and at the conclusion Davis was awarded the decision.-Camp John Wise Balloon Pilot.



## **Auto Livery** Nicks Soldier For Joy Ride

Profiteer Agrees to One Rate Then Charges Another

Craig Auto Livery Now On Blacklist

Square Deal Association Pickets Place of Man Who Tries to Gouge Soldier

BECAUSE he not only overcharged a soldier and did not abide by his agreement as to the price at which a service car was to be rented but added insult to injury by making scurrilous remarks against the soldier hiring the car, W. A.
Craig, proprietor of the Tower Auto
Livery, operating at 1420 Grayson
street, opposite the Quadrangle at
lieutenant last week. Fort Sam Houston, was denounced as a profiteer by the Square Deal Association. A resolution was passed to picket his place of busi-ness and to forbid any man in uniform riding in one of the cars for which Mr. Craig holds licenses; the numbers of the licenses to be pub-

On the afternoon of October 18, Private Charles W. Ames, of the Quartermaster Detachment at Fort Sam Houston, hired a service car with driver from W. A. Craig at a rate of two dollars an hour. When Mr. Craig asked where Ames want-od to go he replied that it did not only overcharged a passenger but had defied the power of the Square Deal Association and military authorities to secure justice the motion to have him refund the money and drop the matter was dismissed and instead it was unani-only in a national reputation and the Director of Military Aeronautics, in an official communication the city or in the country. Apparently the manager had no objections to using the car on country roads. Accordingly Ames and a companion, a young woman, let the Deal Association, approved of this driver choose his own roads during the course of an afternoon's drive.

When Ames and the driver returned soldi to the Tower Auto Company Ames tendered Mr. Craig a twenty dollar note in payment, expecting the charge to be six dollars and fifty cents for the three hours and fifteen minutes the car had been in use. Mr. Craig started to give out the correct change when the driver informed him that he had gone into the country. Then Mr. Craig said the bill would be ten dollars. Ames protested that he had not been told that the rate would be higher if they drove into the country and furthermore he had not asked the driver to go into the country, that the driver had chosen the roads. However, Craig would not give him more than ten dollars and Ames refusing to accept change at such a rate, went to the Post Traffic Officer at Fort Sam Houston, 1st Lieut. Samuel R. Mann, to inform him of the overghange. Lieutenant him of the overcharge. Lieutenant Mann was not in, but the sergeant in charge, Wm. R. Flenner, went with Ames to the Tower Auto Livery and tried to collect the extra three and a half dollars. attempt was unsuccessful.
When Sergeant Flenner called Mr.

Craig's attention to the fact that nothing had been said at the time the agreement was made where the driver was to take the car, Mr. Craig said: "To hell with the agree-I have got the ten dollars and am going to keep it, and I do not give a (deleted) who you report it to—to the Military authority or Square Deal Association. I have got the ten dollars and you can do as you (deleted) please." Seeing that further argument was useless Ames accepted the ten dollars change and reported the affair to Lieutenant Mann, who brought it to the attention of the Square Deal Association.

Mr. Craig was not present at the meeting of the Square Deal Association but W. C. Burns, secretary of the Square Deal Association, had a long telephone conversation with In the course of the conversation, Craig managed to evade answering the question whether there had been any agreement as to where the car was to be driven, and, according to Mr. Burns' report, resorted to the use of scurrilous statements regarding the character of the soldier. Investigation by Mr.

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#### Lt. W. F. Jacobs



adjutant, received promotion to first

mously voted to have the Tower Auto Livery picketed and to forbid soldiers from using their cars. flying pointed to Bartlett's feat

The numbers of the cars which soldiers may not use are: State licenses: 6368, 244693, 274561; city licenses: 77, 78, 625.

#### Capt. Bartlett Flying Chief Leaves Field

Goes to Birmingham as Adjutant to Supervisor of Flying

Captain Frank M. Bartlett, Officer in Charge of Flying since last April and one of the Flying Department's veterans has been transferred out and assigned to duty as adjutant to the Supervisor of Flying for the Birmingham district, with headquar-

ters in that city.

Captain Bartlett came to Kelly
Field last October as a flying cadet after having passed his R. M. A. tests at Rockwell Field and entered the flying instructors school, from which he graduated on November 6. He was commissioned First Lieutenant on November 23 and made instructor of the Dual

Lieutenant Bartlett's work in this capacity was so satisfactory that on November 30 he was made assistant officer in charge of the First Solo Lieutenant Jacobs, assistant field stage and on December 4 was again promoted, this time being given entire charge of this stage.

Burns and military authorities and testimonies proved these assertions to be absolutely false and merely a subterfuge for lack of a real destination. subterfuge for lack of a real defense of his position as a profiteer. Flying have in no small degree concraig asserted that he would retributed to the success of work on Craig asserted that he would re-tributed to the success of work on port the case to the military au-the field generally and have earned

as a sample of what could be accom-plished in this line provided the pilot possessed the required nerve and

Lieutenant Bartlett was made Captain last August and in his departure the field loses not only an efficient officer but one of its most efficient and daring aviators.



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Captain Johnson Was Assistant to Officer in Charge of Flying

Captain Arthur W. Johnson, First Lieut. James H. Maupin and Thomas J. Lenihan, and Second Lieut. John W. Powell, four of Kelly Field's oldest and most skillful flyers are under orders to report in ten days at Hoboken, New Jersey, fully equipped for everseas service.

terim at their homes, having been neral as well as a great number of granted leaves of absence until the business friends of Lieutenant Fragranted leaves of assence that the sailing date. They will engage in ser.

Sailing date. They will engage in ser.

Lieutenant Fraser was a resident was claimed by the Spanish Incourage and skill, on the Western of San Antonio nearly all his life, fluenza and pneumonia the latter

on January 10 and then assigned to the flying instructors' school and graduated from that course on January 22, 1918. He was then made instructor in the dual stage and later promoted to be officer in charge. He took charge of the 322rd Squadron sometime later and 322nd Squadron sometime later and was made engineer officer. After serving in this capacity for several months he was made assistant of-ficer in charge of flying. He was promoted to a captaincy on October

Lieutenant Maupin who took his flying training course at Gerstner Field, Lake Charles, Louisiana, came to this field in February of this year and was assigned to duty as instructor in dual control. Later he was put in charge of this stage which position he held until promoted to officer in charge of First Sele attern. In addition to this had Solo stage. In addition to this he was also at different times commander of various squadrons.

Lieutenant Lenihan, who took his flying instruction and passed his R. M. A. tests at Rockwell Field, San Diego, California, arrived here in October, 1917, and graduated from the Kelly Field flying instructors school on December 3. He was commissioned First Lieutenant on January 5, 1918, and after acting as instructors in the dual stage. ing as instructor in the dual stage for some time, Lieutenant Lenihan showed an unusual knowledge of engines and was transferred to the Engineering Department and made from military school, Lieutenant which passes on the qualifications the is considered an expert on both airplanes and engines.

Clamp, who with an eight year old metal work and engine installation. In speaking of Lieut. Fraser Tuesting and engines. airplanes and engines.

Lieutenant Powell is a graduate of the Georgia Technical Ground School and took his flying instruction at Kelly Field. He passed his R. M. A. tests on January 12 of this year and was commissioned second lieutenant on February 9. He graduated from the flying instruction at Kelly field. He passed his who passed through San Antonio Tuesday morning on his way overwhole for the flying instruction at Kelly Field. He passed his who passed through San Antonio Tuesday morning on his way overwhole find.

In speaking of Lieut. Fraser Tuesday afternoon, Capt. Ed C. J. Mc-Shane, who has worked with him for several months, said, "Lieutenant Fraser was one of the hardest working men we had in the school, and he was liked by all officers and who is at Camp MacArthur; two sissents and he was liked by all officers and who is at Camp MacArthur; two sissents are found in the school of the first form o graduated from the flying instructors school here on March 27 last and since that time has rendered noteworthy service as instructor in advanced cross country work.

Athletic Director Transferred.

H. M. Manning, of Waco, Texas, who has been stationed at Y. M. C. A. No. 157 for some time past as Physical Director has been transferred to Y. M. C. A. 72, Flying Department, in the same capacity. Before engaging in soldier welfare work Mr. Manning attended Baylor University where he made an enviable reputation as an all around athlete.

Billy Church Joins.

(Special to The Eagle by Radio)
Chillieothe, Ohio—Billy Church,
noted minstrel, is now a private in the army in a western military camp. Billy is t centertain his fellow rookies at camp entertainments.

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In justice to San Antonio and her merchants we feel it our duty to state that these other publications are assuming an attitude which The Eagle cannot consisently support. The Kelly Field Eagle feels that the greater number of San Antonio merchants have the soldier in their heart and are doing their best in co-operation with the Chamber of Commerce and the Square Deal Association to guarantee the soldier fair treatment.

An analysis of most cases of profiteering reveals that the persons involved are in the "traveling merchant" class, an unscrupulous lot of persons who have taken advantage of a war situation to move into the city. And the Kelly Field Eagle wishes to state now and clearly that it has no quarrel with San Autonio or the loyal men who believe that publicity, such as the Kelly Field Eagle gives, is one of the best weapons by which this, situation can be fought.

Military Funeral Is Given Lt. Fraser

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These officers will spend the in- San Antonio camps attended the fu-



was declared, he entered the service of the United States. At that time he was owner of the Fraser Automobile Company in San An-

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chief tester. His work in this capa-city has proved of great value and daughter of Judge and Mrs. C. C. Recently he was connected with the

Pvt. Sherrill Dies; Was Canteen Employe

Second Post Exchange Worker To Succumb to Spanish Influenza

front.

Captain Jehnson came to Kelly Field from the University of Texas in August, 1917 and passed his R. M. A. tests on December 14. He was commissioned First Lieutenant on January 16 and then assigned to the fiving instructors, school, and the fiving instructors, school, and the fiving instructors, school, and the second army matters, and shortly after was graduated at the Main Hospital. Sherill worked at Exchange No. 2 for several months and is the second employe of the canteen to succumb to the fiving instructors, school, and his home for burial. another exchange worker, died week before last. Coyer was manager of Exchange No. 2.

Practical Persuasion.

At Camp Travis they have a number of prisoners who were arrested for trying to escape the draft. Among the prisoners was a darky. After serving about five days he went to the officer in charge and said: "Boss, before dis yere war said: "Boss, before dis yere war started I sure was a peaceful nigger; and dey done brung me here cause I didn't want to fight dem Germans. But aftah workin' on dis here garbarge wagon fo' five days, I's ready to fight any man any place!"

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Lieutenant Fraser was a member of the Rotary Club of San Antonio, the San Antonio Country Club, the Casino association, the Masonic fraternities, and took an active part in all affairs of the city.

On Examining Board

After becoming attached to the Mechanical School, Service Lieutenant Fraser held several high positions on the staff of the organi-zation. For some time he was

In speaking of Lieut. Fraser Tues-

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## Gen. Pershing Calls Kelly Quartermaster

Capt. Louis V. De Birney Leaves for Overseas Duty

May Use Lingual Abilities as Interpreter

Has Been in Service of Uncle Sam More Than 35 Years

"Yes, I am to go to France," said Capt. Louis V. De Birney, Kelly Field camp quartermaster, who has been personally called by General Pershing to assist the American forces and the allies in the great western theater of the "I have been aching to get into the scrap and take a more active part for months, and at last the chance has come to me to go,' he continued.

Word that Capt. De Birney would be relieved from his command here as camp quartermaster, and proceed to Washington in a few days, preparatory to sailing for France, was received at Field Headquarters last Thursday. Although Capt. De Birney is not personally acquainted with the American army chief, he has a number of friends on the general staff, and it is through them that his services here were brought to the notice of General Pershing, and the call overseas was

Probably the principal reason Capt. De Birney has been chosen at this time is, because he was born in Antwerp, Belgium, and educated in that country and Holland, France

tended college at Roermond and in Germany he was enrolled in a military school for two years.

It is also most natural that he should be called overseas, for as the allies advance toward the Rhine continues, more and more soil of Belgium, France and eventually Germany will come under their control and hundreds of officer interpreters will be needed. Although Capt. De Birney is not positive what branch Birney is not positive what branch of the service he will draw when he arrives in France, he does not bearrives in France, he does not be-lieve that he will continue with the

quartermaster corps.
Captain De Birney is an officer of the old school, having been in the service of the United States for 35 years, 16 of which have been in the Meuse is particularly fierce. the quartermaster corps. His first The Germans appear to be making position with the government was as a Texas ranger in 1877 and '78 when he patrolled the border from Brownsville to El Paso, and in his company words "both on the watch for much length in their present posiown words "kept on the watch for all renegades and crooks of every caliber." From that time up to the present he has served in various po-sitions in defense of the nation.

Captain De Birney came to this country when a young man and after a brief sojourn in New York came direct to Texas where he has spent most of his life. The reason for this, as he explained, was because he had sipped water from the Rio Grande river when he was a ranger and that was a sure indica-tion that he would make his home in the state the balance of his life. When he came here he was told by the settlers, if he swallowed water from the river, the state would be his home as long as he lived, but he only laughed at the idea and went about his work. Once he left the state to make his home in the

the state to make his home in the East, only to return a few years later. Since that time he has been a firm believer in the fable.

In talking about his past army life and the outlook of the future, he said. "You know ever since I have been in the army, and it has been a long time, I have ached for a real scrap. When the trouble with a real scrap. When the trouble with

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### Capt. Louis V. De Birney



## At Day Nursery Is Woman's Club Plan

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Germans Weaken on Meuse.

much longer in their present positions.

Prisoners Increased to 7000.

London.-The British troops have overcome the enemy along the whole front between the Cambrai Canal and the Scheldt and their advance is being continued, Field Marshal Haig reports from headquarters last night. Since Wednesday morning the British have taken 7000 prisoners and more than 100 guns.

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If any of your men are profiteered upon in Austin, have them report this matter immediately to the office of the Chamber of Commerce, and in reporting it, leave a fairly full account of the details of the transaction, the name, street number of the party selling the goods and the name and address of the soldier and we will do the rest. Please give this matter publicity in your paper, urging soldiers to report paper, urging soldiers to report cases of this kind immediately to the Austin Chamber of Commerce.

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#### American Flyers On Verdun Front Get Huns' Goat

Verdun and the Germans facing them have been having some of the biggest aerial combats that have occurred during the war. Since the taining furloughs in Kelly Field Americans with 140 planes raided a number of German towns and cities the first of last week, the Germans have been trying to get even with taining furioughs in Kelly Fleid by going through the Red Cross has only been in practice about 10 days, much improvement in the method of their handling is noticeable.

According to Field Director Arthur

Extraordinary good aerial weather near Verdun Tuesday, gave the Americans a chance to get into battle again, and a Hanover, and Rumpler plane and observation balloon were chart down.

#### Dependents Lose Pay Of Soldier A.W.O.L.

according to a new ruling of the judge advocate general's decision However, war risk insurance allotments and Liberty Loan payments are not affected and will be taken from the soldier's pay even thoughhe is court-martialed or discharged.

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#### New Method of Granting Leaves Is Efficient

The American forces northwest of No Time Is Lost in Obtaining Furloughs By New System

the first of last week, the Germans have been trying to get even with the Yankee birdmen but to no avail. Seventeen Hun flyers were downed in the great attack.

Since then the German aviators have been attempting to hurl destruction on the American forces at every turn, and last Tuesday night after several efforts to bomb the American bases of supplies the Boches turned their planes on an American hospital, but failed to do much material damage. A small out building was all that was destroyed. A nurse, Miss Margaret Sawyer of Buffalo, New York, was blown from her bed but was not injured.

Extraordinary good aerial weather

Much improvement in the method of their handling is noticeable.

According to Field Director Arthur Shaw, a furlough is secured much quicker in the new way than by the eyetem must necessarily improve. Nearly every telegram sent by the Red Cross to an applicant's home town to ascertain if his presence is needed at the time in which he is, basing his furlough on, is answered within a very few hours. Of course, in handling the great volume of business there have been many delays occur with the telegraph companies. However, everything that can be done to rush a furlough through where it is necessarily improve. Nearly every telegram sent by the Red Cross to an applicant's home town to ascertain if his presence is needed at the time in which he is, basing his furlough on, is answered within a very few hours. Of course, in handling the great volume of business there have been many delays occur with the telegraph companies. However, everything that can be done to rush a furlough through where it is necessarily improve. Nearly every telegram sent by the Red Cross to an applicant's home town to ascertain if his presence is needed at the time in which he is, basing his furlough on, is answered within a very few hours. Of course, in handling the great volume of business there have been many delays occur with the telegram sent by the Red Cross to an applicant's home town to ascertain if his presence is at

"just to go home for a few days" have been discovered. Under the old method such furloughs would be granted when men who were needed at home were denied.

Mr. Shaw is very well satisfied with the way the soldiers and offi-

Allotments to dependents automatically stop when a soldier is absent without leave, is in desertion, or sick in hospital as a result working as well here in a short time way the soldiers and officers are responding to the new plan, and feels sure that it will be a decided success. He hopes to have it working as well here in a short time of his own misconduct or negligence as it is in other army camps and according to a new ruling of the fields over the country.

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#### Succeeds In Reaching Record Height

Capt. R. W. Schroeder Attains Altitude of Highest Mountain Peak; Plans To Go Higher

How it feels to establish a new world's altitude record has been revealed for the first time by Capt. R. W. Schroeder of the United States Air Service who after numerous attempts to hang up a new mark, finally climbed to 28.900 feet September 18, 1918.

According to Capt. Schroeder, he has been connected with aviation in this country since 1910, and has during that time worked as a mechanician for some of America's leading pilots and made hundreds

sulting in him attaining an altitude of 24,000 feet, the second to 27,000 feet and the last one to 28,900 feet. But since his last effort was a suctermagant; vixen.

the flow of blood and my face grew ambulances and was not a booking that has the most efficient auto- adopted by the gentler sex. from the oxygen bottle, which I regulated with a valve on the bottle. The hose was placed in my mouth so that I could breathe air and oxygen at the same time. I also that they need not come out. These delightful, autumnal evenings. He told those who were not there for the purpose of gaining knowledge of motors and driving that they need not come out. These that they need not come out. These oxygen was still flowing. This method was very satisfactory except that the oxygen bottle and the rubber tube gathered about a quarter of an inch of frost, which made it very unpleasant.

"The day I made the record flight, overall-clad Jayne, and then have I took off at 1:45 in the afternoon, and made a steady circular climb, passing through clouds 8,000 feet, 2,000 feet and 16,000 feet. While still climbing in large circles my goggles became frosted, making it very difficult for me to watch my instruments. The temperature at this altitude was two degrees below zero, Centigrade.

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Construction on the extension to the Stone & Webster company is to the Air Service Mechanics School was started Monday morning, when a gang of men commenced clearing the ground for the big Reclamation building which will be the first Knights of Columbus building probable will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital. The presability will be repaired and made into an emergency hospital facilities are an in the fect and on the last Sunday morning of next March,—

I to store the first that the barracks below the first the first will be from the Stone & Webster Const zero, Centigrade. When I reached 25,000 feet I noticed the sun growing very dim, I could hardly hear my motor run and I felt very hungry. The trend of my thought was that it must be getting late, as the sun was getting very dim. But the machine continued to go skywards, and algetting very dim. But the machine continued to go skywards, and although I knew absolutely that it was nearly evening, the thought of landing at night did not make me hesitate about going on, for I had made several landings at night.

eyes water. I kept going higher make the plane lighter.

## Masculine Feminality In San Antonio



and magnetos also were made in this country.

Before Capt. Schroeder was able to reach the new record mark, numerous efforts were made, the first remasculine woman; a virago." Then masculine woman; a virago." Then Antonio is "dry?"

But since his last effort was a success he believes that he can now reach the 30,000 mark, and is planning on making an attempt in a short time.

Oxygen Revives Him

The altitude reached in his last effort is only 102 feet short of the highest mountain peak, Mt. Everest the great Himalaya peak, Which is

Capt. Schroeder said: The cold thin air is one's great adversary. First of all, one must make a study of the performance of his motor at these joining the class is the goal setter grease, the change is most striking and the cute little mechanicess is taken a masculine trend and she is taken a masculine trend and she is transformed back into the dainty bit performance of his motor at these joining the class is to cast the flirtance. The daylight saying plants are the cold thin and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter grease, the change is most striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold thin are the cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the goal setter greater. The cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the cold than a striking and the cute little mechanices is the cold than a striking and the cute li

numb, so I used a rubber hose direct bureau for erstwhile companionship pressed my tongue against the end remarks were cast indiscriminately of the hose in order to tell if the at those silken-clad females, who

> male instructor, who is perspiringly trying to explain the intricacies of a gasoline motor to a real interested,

was nearly evening, the thought of landing at night did not make me hesitate about going on, for I had made several landings at night. When at about 25,000 feet I began to take oxygen and the temperature was about 60 degrees Centigrade below zero.

"It was wonderful to see the clear blue sky with the clouds at 4,000 feet over canton." It was wonderful to see the clear blue sky with the clouds thousands of feet below. The frost on my goggles bothered me considerable. When I was about 27,000 feet, I had to remove my goggles, as I was unable to keep a steady climb. My hands by this time were numb with cold. The cold raw air made my long from the time he left it at Dayton, will be filled with gravel, so that it will be well drained. Will be side of Hangar No. 4. The new ambulance shed for the dain Hospital is nearly completed by the new chosts the sate of the week. With the addition of the new lib completed by the last of the week. With the addition of the new lost of the week. With the addition of the new officers' barracks on the found that his lips and to remove my goggles, as I was unable to keep a steady climb. My hands by this time were numb with cold. The cold raw air made my cold for the side of Hangar No. 4. The new abulace of the side of Hangar No. 4. The new abulace of the side of Hangar No. 4. The new abulace of the side of Hangar No. 4. The new side of Hangar No. 4. The new scale of the side of Hangar No. 4. The new scale of the side of Hangar No. 4. The new side of Hangar No. 4. The new scale of the side of Hangar No. 4. The new side of the si

leading pilots and made hundreds of flights in various kinds of machines.

The last world's altitude record held by America was made by Lincoln Beachey when he went up little better than 11,000 feet at a big aviation meet in Chicago in 1911. For military reasons, Capt. Schroeder is unable to make public what adjustments he made to the machine in which he made the record flight, but it was an American-built motor and the carburetors and magnetos also were made in this country.

SAN ANTONIO has a new type of feminality. It is distinctive and has a strong touch of masculinity in its make-up, for she has abandoned all the delightful traits of bewildering wrendom.

This new super-woman dons overalls and assumes other male characteristics, and apparently has lost the affectionate, tender traits of her sex, because she is assuming the "Amazon" type and endeavoring to do the things men do.

Our old friend Noah Webster declared many years ago when he care type and truck?"

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#### "Damn the Kaiser"

the field to a location near the red hangars, below the Air Service Mechanics School. The sub postoffice summer. chanics School. The sub postomee that has been near the same place also will be moved below Barrack No. 33 on the Frio City Road, near the main Knights of Columbus building and the Jewish Welfare home. When the ground is cleared, home. When the ground is cleared, home of the new officers quarbles of Summer.

Congress was willing to decree continuance of the schedule if the administration said so, but it was decided in a conference two weeks ago to let the original provision of the law stand and to change time construction of the new officers quar- last Sunday.

Construction on the extension to ters will be started at once.

#### Sleep Rule When Sun Time Is Returned

After 209 Days of Daylight Saving, Hour Lost Last March Is Made Up By Change in Time

Those soldiers in Kelly Field, who have been bemoaning the fact that they lost an hour's sleep Easter. eve., last March, when the daylight saving law went into effect, welcomed the lost time Saturday night when the hands of the clock all over the nation were turned back one

Some few soldiers in the field, did not take advantage of the hour to snooze it "off," but spent the time remaining up an hour later, talking with their bunkies or dis-turbing those who would sleep. But this was only the exception, for the average soldier tries to get as much sleep as he can, and the extra hour of "bunk fatigue" was appreciated by most all the men.

Under the federal law, the time for restoring the clocks to sun time, by setting them back one hour, was at 2 o'clock last Sunday morning.
The time picked was chiefly for
the arrangement of the railroads.
Most of the men in the field set their watches back one hour before they went to bed Saturday night, so when they awoke Sunday morning they were right with the official time

they were right with the official time pieces in the camp and the remainder of the country.

The difference in time will be noticed probably more by the soldiers in Kelly Field, and other army camps and aviation fields over the United States than the average civilian who is not called by a shrill civilian who is not called by a shrill whistle, brazen bugle, or rap on the walls of his tent at the early hour a soldier must start his daily grind. The civilian usually goes to bed in the evening after dark the same as a soldier, but when he arises it is The altitude reached in his last effort is only 102 feet short of the highest mountain peak, Mt. Everest the great Himalaya peak, which is 29,002 feet high. After reaching the 23,000 foot mark, Captain Schroeder in telling of his adventure declared that he would feel sleepy, tired, cross and hungry which he was unable to overcome except through the use of oxygen.

But after taking the needed stimulant at such great heights, he was as efficient again as he was but a few feet off the ground, and could continue to go higher as long as thouse oxygen lasted and his engine would run.

In speaking of the record flight, Capt. Schroeder said: "The cold thin, Lags, Schroeder said

In Operation 209 Days the necessary changes each time before trying again. A very positive oxygen regulator and face mask should be used. These were unobtainable for the sets I had previously tried out had failed to function above 21,000 feet. Furthermore, the face mask pressed so tight to my face that it interferred with the flow of blood and my face grew and secure a sparring the flow of the flow o The daylight saving plan was in around. This would probably have Concentration Headquarters for the been unwise, as there is little day-Second Wing are also under way. light to save at either end of the The time office of the Stone & Web- day in winter. Also a permanent ster company is being moved across change in time might cause working

The daylight saving law will re-Information from C. E. Stevens of main in effect and on the last



## The "Made-in-Germany" Press Agent BY JAMES W. GERARD, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO GERMANY

in Collier's Weekly

THE press agent, like the submarine, is an lation, when the severest punishment, which boat, too, the press agent has undergone a would be inflicted. There is no future for development at the hands of the Germans such a man unless he works hand in glove never contemplated in the purposes of the with the Government. Consequently all the original inventors. For the Germany of elements of German society which possess today is a land ruled, and in a sense created, possibilities for the development of public by the press agent.

The press agent of the most comprehensive type directed his energies first toward the press and then toward the minor methods of publication. In America the press agent commonly sought to have printed, or repeated, statements which would help his would not be put in circulation with any permanent benefit to the cause represented by the press agent. So for the most part in this country-aside from an occasional story about an actress who had lost her jewelspress agent were presented.

In Germany, however, the Governmentcontrolled press agent creates any value his masters think best and molds public opinion literally in a way impossible in any other country on earth.

The means or mediums through which Fovernment-directed publicity is diffused consist in Germany of: (1) Newspapers, large and small. (2) The university professors. (3) The state-paid school-teachers. (4) The motion-picture film.

In order to realize how it is possible for any sense a representative government. The Reichstag is little more than a debating for creating public opinion.

The Imperial Government Says-

THERE is no future for any man who is in opposition of the Government. The owners and editors of great newspapers, in common with the rest of the country, are made to feel this. They cannot receive distinctions, make advancement, have their sons in the army or receive places of official honor, or even continue the publication of their newspapers, if they are in opposition. Their papers may be suppressed at any time countries not at present arrayed on the side for any period desired by the Government.

And so with the professors, the teachers, himself in opposition to the Government, he potent ally of German arms. would first lose his place; then spies would

American invention. Like the undersea might involve his disappearance from society, opinion are slavish in their adherence to the Government.

The editors of important papers, with a very few exceptions, have made themselves mere tools for repeating what the Prussian Government wishes repeated. And those few editors who from time to time have cause. It was commonly recognized that lies dared to tell the truth have been made to suffer through suppression of their newspapers for varying periods.

The servile group of editors meet with members of the Government from time to time and are told just what policies they the facts that would aid the cause of the may pursue. Any mistakes in adhering to the Government's wishes are carefully point-

> Then, too, the newspapers are furnished throughout Germany with "news" issued by the Government. The teachers and ministers also receive carefully edited news sheets issued by the Government which are filled with misstatements, often plain lies, which they must diffuse through the channels of their public influence.

The motion-picture film, so treated that in subtitles and pictorial effect some Government doctrine or misstatement of fact is ly upon all of these factors of publicity it is another means of Government publicity. The necessary to recall that Germany is not in result is that the Government is in full possession of one of the best possible systems

> The objects sought to be attained by this German press-agent organization are:

(1) To cause the German public to believe anything that it is the desire of the Imperial Government to have believed. (2) To influence public opinion in neutral countries. (3) To influence Germany's antagonists and to cause, if possible, dissension among them. (4) To torture mentally the prisoners of war held within Germany. (5) To stir up the national jealousies of of the Allies, for the benefit of Germany. (6) To create throughout the entire world the ministers. If any one of them placed a terror of Germany which will act as a

watch him closely until he should be detected out in practical effect. When Germany was papers got their news service, doctored by

Der Tag was dawning and that she would start upon a speedy conquest of the world, she decided that it was necessary to arouse among the German people hatred of the

Accordingly, orders were sent out to all of these men of publicity to arouse hate of Russia. Facts and perversions of facts were furnished from the central press bureau in Berlin in the form of a regular news service. Immediately throughout the empire, from the pages of newspapers, from pulpits and platforms and from every instrument of publicity, sounded denunciations of Russia and the Russians.

Duped but Unified

LITTLE later, to the manifest surprise A of the Government, Great Britain began to show signs of casting her lot with the nations against which Germany was waging war. Instantly the whole publicity forces of the German Empire were turned to inculcating hatred of England. The nation was worked into a frenzy. This was the period of the invention of the hymns of hate and the "Gott strafe England" craze. This latter phrase was placed upon everything German, upon printed matter, upon articles of manufacture for war and for peace purposes, and even upon stamps. A German employee of the American Embassy in Berlin was upon one occasion detected pasting these stamps upon the embassy's official correspondence. Somewhat later, when America fell under the German displeasure because of the muni tions question, "und Amerika" was added to the "Gott strafe England."

Thus through the medium of press-agent publicity Germany is able to make her people think anything she desires. This is a great asset for the kind of warfare that Germany wages since it insures at her back always a duped people—but a unified people.

After Germany got well into the war the uses of these publicity mediums increased, and were developed into an intricate and subtle system of creating popular impressions. If the German arms were defeated in the west, the newspapers under master manipulations in Berlin turned to victories on the eastern front. If many Germans were killed and wounded, the newspapers throughout the empire dilated upon the number of prisoners taken by German arms.

Every check received by the German arms was artfully parried by the German publicity Let us see how some of these aims work system. And at the same time that the news-

and preachers received their instructions for their own public activities.

In order to influence readers of English, if possible, to arouse a spirit of revolt in Ireland, and to torment English prisoners, the Government sustains, by the simple expedient of buying thousands of copies, a newspaper printed in English in Berlin, known as the "Continental Times." It is owned by an Austrian and is edited by an Englishman named Stanhope. News distorted to suit the purposes of Germany is printed in it, and the paper bears prominently displayed the words "A Paper for Americans.'

This publication was circulated among English prisoners. It invariably represented he war as going against the Allies. Eventually the prisoner readers realized that the publication was simply another manifestation of the perverted German point of view. This 'Continental Times" press was used, too, for the issuing of German cartoons which attempted to foment revolution in Ireland and to cause discord between the English and the French. The lengthy explanations of the German jokes were printed in English, German, and French so that the matter could be circulated in France, England, or Ireland as opportunity offered.

In certain neutral nations close to Germany there are a number of newspapers which are subsidized with German money. In South America, too, the Germans have their own mediums.

Under the operations of the official German press bureaus the kinds of news sent out are as various as the countries to which they are sent-e. g., for a purely local purpose news is colored in one way for publication in Germany; it may receive another point of view for transmission to Europe and still another for use in the East.

This is the nation which we have to fight-for its own good and for our own salvation. For the mind of Germany, with its low cunning, its subtle poisoning of the free institutions of the world, cannot dominate if we are to remain a free nation-if indeed there is to be any honor, honesty, or democracy in the world. We can only beat into such a consciousness with the force of arms. The Prussian, the Junker, cannot understand any other appeal. Brought up in arms, trained and molded to docile in some minute infraction of a law or regu- ready to have war come, confident that by the Government, the professors, teachers, be influenced by "force to the utmost." obedience to military leaders, he can only

#### Aerial Mail Service To Include Denver

Extension of the proposed aerial mail service to Denver after the war is suggested in a telegram sent to Senator John F. Shafroth of Colorado by Postmaster General Burle-

Here is the telegram:

until the termination of the war, the Postmaster General is giving some time to the laying out of important trunk lines which will act as feeders to the chief east and west lines that will run from New York to San Francisco.

Two more pay telephone booths were placed in the field last week, who have been Y. M. C. A. secretaries at "Y" Nos. 3 and 158 respectively, are assisting in the War men's social room in "Y" No. 151. Work Drive Campaign in Oklahoma.

#### Bombing Plane Test Flight a Success

Carrying Passengers and Guns Plane Covers 86 Miles of Journey in 46 Minutes

Here is the telegram:

"Referring to conferences with me relative to extension of aerial mail service to Colorado points, I have directed the extension immediately directed the extension immediately directed seven men and five medium-time directed seven men and five medium-time directed seven men and five men and f

#### Although Injured Attempts Escape

An American aviator, Lieut. Duncan who with a companion landed in the Swiss Alps about a month ago and was interned, made an effort to escape from the internment camp A big Handley-Page army bomb- at Andermatt one night last week.

service to Colorado points, I have directed the extension immediately after the war of aerial mail service to Denver in connection with the transcontinental route from New York to San Francisco."

While the general extension of the aerial mail service, outside of the Washington—New York route now in operation and the New York—Chicago route to be established this winter, is being held in abeyance until the termination of the war, the Postmaster General is giving some

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Men Who Must Remain on Duty in America Entitled to Some Recognition

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"Why not have some mark for length of service in this country during the present emergency? There are thousands of men on duty in the United States who have not had the good luck to be sent abroad, their service has been faithful and true to their country, but they receive no mark of reward such as a six months' service stripe. This would be justified provided they were here by choice, but this is not so. Though they are fit in every way and are being promoted every way and are being promoted.

819th—Chauf. Herbert G. Thompton is related in a story of how an airto be corporal; Corps. James M. St. Leger, Frank V. McCue, James A. the ground fluttering like a leaf but for efficiency, the general view of the civilian is that they must be recently commissioned officers, or chauffeurs; Pvt. Earl Hemby to be found himself in the machine upside newly enlisted men, or men who private first class. have evaded foreign service.

ject to for the reason that we are held in this country doing necessary work which cannot be handled by inexperienced men.

ONE OF THEM."

#### **Mechanics School Preparing For Big** Influx of Students

Course Enlarged to Include Intensive Ignition Instruction

The Aero Motor Department of the Air Service Mechanics School is being enlarged so as to provide fa-cilities for 1,041 students, instead of 500. as heretofore, and an intensive ignition course of three months added to the schedule. been done with the end in view of providing ignition specialists, who of the town, which they could see understand the work in its minutest glimmering in the distance. detail and is something that has not attempted before at Kelly

The department, which formerly occupied Hangar 1 and the old enengineers building, because of the increase in personnel, also has taken possession of Hangar 2. Work on the new test blocks, which will be finished in two weeks, has been started, thereby increasing the capacity of this branch of the school from twelve to twenty-four blocks.

#### Here's a British Colonel 24 Years Old

With seventy-two German planes to his credit, topping Rene Fronck's great record by two planes, and having been decorated with all the military orders the Allies can bestow, Col. W. A. Bishop of Owen Sound, Ontario, is perhaps the youngest offi-cer of his rank. Colonel Bishop is now in the United States on his way home for a short rest from the strenuous life on the Western front.

#### Four Divisions in Solo Stage Now

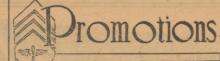
The first and second Solo Stages, Flying Department, have been subdivided into Primary Solo A and B stages, and in the future will be separate and distinct stages.

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rad B. Molina to chauffeur.

ton Gosnell and Harry C. Holverson to be corporals; Corporal Thomas P. Anderson and Pvt. first class Henry Morton to be chauffeurs; Pvt. Dexter H. Vessels to be private first he escaped with but slight injuries.

"Therefore, why not have some mark for service which would also mean experience, faithfulness and fortifude? This would halv to be sergeant; Pvts. first class Paul A. Wilson, George S. Molton fortitude? This would help to drive away the blues which we are subject to for the reason that we are Hyde and Pvts. first class Richard H. Maus and Charles S. Thompson to be chauffeurs; Pvts. James L. Miniter, Robert O. Knoll, Ray D. Boneau, Dick Loyd, Frank R. Rodgers, James M. Turple and Edward S. Fagan to be privates first class.

#### Natives Think Kelly Aviators Enemy Raiders

During a flight last week, three airplanes from Kelly Field were Major Blankenship overtaken by darkness and became lost in a heavy mist while traveling along the coast near Port Aransas.

Being unable to tell in what direction they were flying or anything else under such adverse conditions else under such adverse conditions ida where he will join the 9th Di-all three pilots turned the noses of their planes toward the lights General Holbrook and Brigadier This has all three pilots turned the noses

> Their consternation may be imagined when upon arriving over the city limits, all the lights were extinguished suddenly—the inhabitants of the community evidently thinking that the machines were hostile and were intent on destroying the large shipyards at that point.

> Without being able to tell their whereabouts or to distinguish on what they were landing—almost out of gas and unable to see their comtheir misgivings and dove for the ground. The boldness of the thing seemed to bring good luck and the entire party landed without slightest semblance of a mishap, much to their surprise and relief.

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#### Aviator Plays Horse When Plane Flops Upside Down

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Instead of falling to the earth, the craft turned upside down out of control and the pilot was thrown out of his seat. By some inexplicable maneuver he managed to Services heretofore held in Y. M.C. A. rad B. Molina to chauffeur.

668th—Pvt. Milford D. Chatlin and Corporal William P. Brennan to be sergeant; Pvts. first class Clifton Gosnell and Harry C. Holverson to be corporals; Corporal Thomas P. downward. When but a short distance is that it glided steadily downward. When but a short distance is the first class Clifton Gosnell and Harry C. Holverson to be corporals; Corporal Thomas P. tance from the ground, the aviator has been established and the Bible missed his hold and fell, although and all authorized Christian Science

> Another unusual incident that occurred recently on the western front down in a marsh unhurt.

#### Chum of Roosevelt Killed on Marne

Lieut. Walter M. Smyth, a close friend of Quentin Roosevelt was killed in France the middle of August according to word just received in this country. Lieut. Smyth was an aviator in the same squadron with Roosevelt and met his end in nearly the same manner.

Lieut. Smyth, like a number of other American boys, did not wait tinuance. for the United States to enter the world war, but went to France where he enlisted in the Lafayette Escadrille, later being transferred to the 94th Aero Squadron. He was killed while flying over the enemy lines on the Marne battle front.

## Leaves for Florida

Major James A. Blankenship, Adjutant General of the Southern Department, leaves this week for Flor-General Ryan are other Southern Department officers who have recently been assigned to the 9th Division.

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In keeping with this theory, Lieut. Manookin declares that good radio men almost invariably understand and appreciate good mucians. And vice versa, he says, good musicians readily learn wire-

"The main cause for this relationship between music and radio is that the radio spark is a musical spark and if a man has no music in his make-up, it is difficult for him to detect the tune of the musical radio spark," is the explanation.

"Several cadets have been 'flunked' because they could not tell whether they were reading static or radio, because they were unable to distinguish one certain note in a jambe of notes. They were not musicians," he said.

In proof of this theory, Lieut. Manookin has organized The Radio Sextette, a quartet and a chorus from among his instructors in radio. All of these organizations will make their debut in a week or change No. 1.

The Radio Sextette is comprised of Corp. George C. Rhoderick, first tenor; Sgt. W. H. McIntyre and Corp. Lewis Wilbur, second tenor; Corp. W. F. Fram, baritone; and Sgt. E. H. Witcraft and Sgt. Wilfred Rasmussen, bass. Four of these men are something better than novices in the use of instruments. Corp. Fram is the piano player for the sextette in practice and Corps. Wilbur and Rhoderick are his underclarinet and Sgt. Witcraft is an "old timer" at choir singing.

structors in the school, most of and coffee—quick and hot."

J. F. Boseck, first tenor; Pvt. J. J. Elberry, second tenor; Sgt. N. J. Witcraft, bass. Sgt. Buren and stunts. Whistling the rollicking A department store on a small port. Elberry are former students "Hot-cake Rag," the juggling wiz-scale—that's what the canteen is.

Lieut. Manookin is conducting the Fly" before the large crowd.

radio work," he declared.

ian numbers. Practice is held every and equipment. night in the buzzer room at the Cadet Wing School where a piano has been installed.

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'Fried chicken—take her out.' streaks of dawn when the hungry flying through the air fall where wouldn't mind if the whole army that the Trade Test Board oughta army vaults over the top into the they may. The men stand at the were officers for that would mean give out a decoration or medal of sixty chairs and entrenches at the position of a soldier. studies. Sgt. Rasmussen plays the

then tailspin into the plate—those three others in the field. Buren, baritone; and Sgt. E. H. hot cakes-before they are served Witcraft, bass. Sgt. Buren and to aviators with which to do fancy

David Griffin, camp song leader, when more than 1,500 hungry men

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which turns out pies like the Ford plant makes flivvers. If necessary the pieman can bake 200 pies in necessary.

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Pies are not the only delicacies. Home-made pastry, and layer cake find favor. Bread is also baked, and the oven can turn out 85 loaves in 45 minutes.

rant at the Kelly Field Post Ex-change No. 1. half that, contain real coffee. Then ply busily at their trade. While re-pairs form a big volume of business, Fifteen dollar man greeted a \$150 There officers and enlisted men heated, which keeps food hot till there are so many orders for suits a week automobile salesman, a

When taking an order from an is finished. officer, waiters don't pause with dishes in their hands, and lean over as they do to a plain buck private. "Gawge" of congenial disposition mobile mechanic, and thirty others They stand at attention. When a and black complexion. A private whose aggregate salaries in ci-"Hot coffee! Hot dogs!" The high officer enters, even the Hot- has only shoes to be shined, but vilian life totaled \$3000. food attack is launched in the early cake King lets the buckwheat cakes an officer-leather puttees. "Gawge"

the morning when General Orders has a competitor in the "Pop" councommands the breakfast battle to ter. "Red" rules supreme here. He to look at the calendar to know before he joined the Aviation bartender in Texas. when pay day arrives for privates Corps. Customers at this canteen number- order: "Cut it all off. It will be And the c. c. who in private life "Cockney Jim," the Hot-cake ing at least 1,600 drink 3,600 bot- a long time till the ghost walks made \$65 a week in a department whom are non-commissioned officers. King is the euphonious name of the tles of soda and consume 1,500 again." up of four professional singers, Sgt. soldiers in charge of frying. They cones daily. A Texas sun creates The particular feature of the canspiral, loop the loop, nose dive and a thirst. It is the same at the teen is that it is trying its best to town and see Theda Bara in

#### Small Department Store.

is run on the ten per cent profit A department store on a small plan. ard presents his act, "Caught on the If you have the money and the inclination, you can buy anything change No. 1 there is another near He flapjacked on a tramp steamer here from a piano to a toothpick, Frio City and Stone Roads, and two practice of the three organizations before he enlisted. He calls it a except fancy vests, spats, straw hats, at the Flying Department. and will act as leader in their re"before he emisted. He can't while or a palm beach suit. "There ain't citals, though he himself lays no the hot cake rush is on, the King no call for 'em," one clerk said. "I think I have 'an ear' for mu- engages in his morning exercises Alarm clocks are for sale, but our sic though because of my love for flipping 3,000 cakes in four hours. bugler scorns this competition. What And so it goes throughout the day does a soldier want with a Big Ben?

After pay day, the pillow cases is supplying the music for the radio stream into the eating place. The are favored, and many a soldier has men. They will sing both popular restaurant, improved at a cost of sent her an aviation pillow top. and classical music, among the lat- \$2,000, not counting labor, was com- Lately baseball material was inter pieces being several Shakesper- pleted June 8, with latest facilities stalled which is now much in demand. There are books, and boots, novelties and shining gold bars for A feature is the monster oven the newly commissioned officers.

Cigarettes are the biggest sellers. About 16,000 are sold daily, 10,000 of one famous brand alone. Next and hour and a half, and often it is comes soap. Kelly Fielders are clean, for more than 288 bars of suds leave the shelves every day.

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"Who is he, Rodman Law?" the rook, said asking a question and then answering it himself for he knew it was someone of importance by the excited and awesome tones in the others speech.

"Nope, not Rodman," the c. c. ans-

"May be its Eddie Stinson or Mike Bessolo?" further questioned Robert Emmet Sullivan for that was the rookie's name, in a voice of ever increasing anxiety and won-

"It is neither Eddie Stinson nor Angelo Bessolo," the c.c. replied in a disgusted voice.

"Well then it must be Squads Wright or Philbert McNutt or the Eagle's Circulation Manager?" persisted the undrilled and undisciplined soldier.

"Wrong again. Why that guy is the most exclusive man on Kelly Field. He's the only fellow who ever made \$15 a week before he joined the army," the c. c. informed the rook, "Gee!" exclaimed R. Emmet Sul-There are enough candles on hand

menu is changed, and you may buy to light up this camp, and San An-livan properly impressed and he the good, old-fashioned meal you tonio for months should electric ran to the post office corner and used to before the Kaiser got too lighting suddenly fail. There is a watched the \$60 a month citizen well-stocked grocery store at the swing into the Post Headquar-Two big coffee urns, one with a Flying Department Post Exchange, ters Road. He watched him as he railroad station is the new restau- capacity of 10 gallons, and the other At the tailor shop, eight tailors passed the Post Library and Post that one must wait weeks before one \$300 a week cartoonist, a \$500 a week newspaperman, and \$75 a week circulation manager, a \$250 a week lawyer, a \$20 a day car-In the barber shop, you will find penter, a \$213.47 a month auto-

more exercise for him in each cus-some kind to that guy. He's the only soldier on the field who has

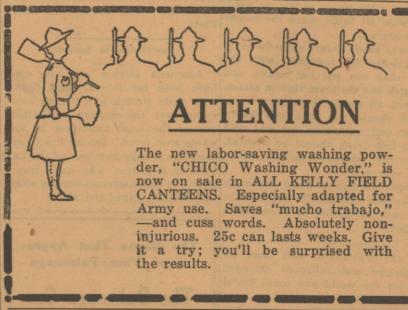
store said:

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#### Smile and World Smiles with You During Hot Days

Medical Office Offers Some Good Advice for Summer Weather

The man with a smile is the one one who will least feel the Texas heat this summer in the opinion of a Kelly Field medical officer.

Classifying intense heat as an invariable evil, he declares that an optimistic frame of mind is the only way to offset it. The pessimist, the doctor said is the man who will haunt Post Headquarters, shirt sleeves up, collar down, fanning and fretting, on the blistering days. The sane, every-day man will be wise if he is apparently oblivious to the weather, whether he be swinging a pick or holding down a swivel chair.

The Medical Department does not expect serious trouble from the heat this summer. The atmosphere here is dry and the humidity less than in the North. Natives declare heat prostration in Texas is a rarity.

Good food, fresh air, and nine hours sleep are necessary in hot weather to prevent prostration. Kelly Field men have all of these. The invariably cool nights of Texas offer an excellent opportunity to recuperate from the heat of the day if an early bed-time is inaugurated. In this way, energy may be stored up against the tiring heat.

A broad hat of medium weight, such as is issued, helps greatly in protecting the head and shoulders from the near-tropic rays of the sun. the inhabitants wear loose, light, clothing, especially khaki. all of which affords an excellent armor against the heat.

Ice water and ordinary cold water do more harm than benefit in hot weather. Texas drinking water, in South San Antonio, near this ting, and these, it is said, will comwhile not palatable, is in the de-field, was awarded to the Kearney- pare favorably with the efforts of nor and Reichenback, with their sired class. Sufficient water should Hayes Company of San Antonio by the biggest metropolitan producers. new dancing and singing act, are be drunk but eare should be taken, the War Department last week. All The two leading roles will be es- "pulling the house down" every especially in the heat of the day, not to overdrink.

#### Wet Paper in Hats Useless.

The placing of grass and wet paper in hats and around the body as a three largest in the United States. means of combating heat in practic- It is understood that fully another now hard at work originating new ally useless and is mostly due to \$500,000 will be spent in equipping mere superstition. The phycholog- the shops. A force of 2,500 men ical effect of these are bad as they will be employed. keep one's mind upon the weather.

Cleanliness is paramount in keeping cool. Daily baths and changes of clothing are advisable. All summer baths should be in the nature of a plunge that the result may be a the Y. M. C. A. He will deliver sevrefreshing one instead of tiring the eral lectures for the benefit of solbather. Cold water should be used, diers and may appear at Kelly following all baths, when the bather Field. can endure it.

Heavy meals should never be eaten at mid-day for combined with the heat they can not but make one used sparingly.

harder than ever and the hottest days this country joined the Allies. days will be passed in comparative comfort.

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- 2. Stories should approach a Kelly Field background as far as
- 3. Preference will be given stories of a cheering rather than of a depressing nature.
- 4. Stories should be typewritten on one side of the paper and double spaced.
- 5. Stories will be returned if rejected only if accompanied by a stamped and addressed envelope.
- 6. Address stories to Magazine Editor, Kelly Field Eagle.

The Eagle will publish at least one short story a week if it can be obtained. The rate of payment of \$5 for 1,000 to 1,500 word stories is from one-third to onehalf a cent a word, as high a rate as is paid by many magazines. The Eagle feels justified in making its standard for the selection of stories high.

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#### John Masefield Here.

wright and poet, will visit San An- has rejected offers to enter upon a Itonio Saturday under the auspices of

Americans at Somme.

American airmen are now and sluggish and the brain slow in action. have been for several days flying In fact, all meals, during warm pe- with their British and French comriods, should be light and heavy rades over the Somme battlefield, foods and extremely hot and cold one of the most important in the foods and drink should be avoided. whole west front. Among the Amer-Seda "pop" and ice cream should be icans are former members of the La-Fayette Squadron who have trans-Above all, live as usual and work ferred to the American section since

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After its first complete reading, Kelly Field musical comedy. Author, make known the title next week. Harry Rubenstein, the well-known New York lyric writer read the play at the Gunter Monday night to the amusement unit performers and a day night, the Amusement Unit number of San Antonio society de- made its first public appearance, butantes.

on Training Camp Activites.

One Scene in Hell.

The plot deals with the adventures of two globe-trotters, one a and the trenches.

The technical staff has commenced each of his appearances.

motor repair work in the Southern sayed by "Mandy" Kay and "Abe" night. Department will be done in the Steiner, the popular team of comedians who have made numerous Kelly Field appearances. They have been assigned their parts and are

The selection of the female members of the cast is held in abevance, pending further try-outs. A "great find," however has been made in the person of Miss Nora Duessen, John Masefield, English play- the well known young amateur, who

professional career. Miss Deussen has been selected for the important part of a gabby "hello girl," and she declares it to be the best characterization she has ever under-

Candidates for roles in the piece will meet Saturday, after which the complete cast and chorus will be selected and daily and diligent rehearsals begun.

To date, "Ruby" has not titled plans were undertaken this week the comedy, but Lieut. Jacobson, for the production of an original Amusement Officer, promises to

> Kelly Kabaret at Gunter. At the Gunter Hotel last Thurswhen a "Kelly Kabaret" was staged

No definite time has been fixed in the Japanese Garden. The acts for its appearance. It is expected met with vigorous approval from that it will be staged early in July, the large crowd. Those who apunder one of the "big tops," which peared were Kay and Steiner, Tuckare now en route to the field from er and Lockard, a new team at the the War Department Commission field who have made themselves popular. Ellis and West, the black-

face comedians, and the Kelly Trio.

Amusement Notes.

Howard Melson, chalk cartoonist, secretary and confidant of the other, who has been making a big hit In the rural districts of the state, San Antonio Firm to Build Big and the situations involved are de- with his "Study in Colors," is an clared to be uproarious. The scenes old vaudeville star. He has been are laid in an American hotel lobby seen throughout the South with a and move successively to Hell, Paris rapid-fire sketching act. Melson receives an enthusiastic welcome at

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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 air service. 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.

#### How About That Pledge For War Savings Stamps

NOW THAT THE FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN has been anted, raised, passed and collected, it is not out of order to rise from our editorial chair with the remark that a great many of us have forgotten that we signed a little pledge some months ago to purchase a certain and definite number of thrift stamps each month. In the fever of giving dollars, some of us have overlooked our quarters and it is not a bad thing to begin to get back to the quarter idea.

To some people, writing their names, is a mere detail. They seem to be willing to do it just for the sake of seeing how prettily the ink runs off the pen point, and how large their name really looks when scrawled in handwriting. We do not doubt that a great many persons signed War Savings Stamp pledges without a sincere realization of what they were doing. We wish that there were some way of compelling such individuals to live up to their signatures. If your name is good enough to sign to a War Savings Stamp pledge, your pledge should certainly be as good as your name. Go to the Post Office on Kelly Field, or wherever you buy your stamps and live up to your pledge. You owe that much to yourself, and every quarter you lend the Government is good for one bullet at the Boche.

What's more you are getting your money back with interest at the same time that you are able to revel in the hope that one of your bullets has found a resting place in the seat of some German's trousers.

## Don't Forget That Pledge!



## On Leave

by Wright Kauffman

- in "Judge" -

THE ocean still is on your cheeks,
Great Britain's blown your hair;
You've traveled farther these last weeks
Than to the county fair;
The mud?—You know it upside down;
You're very worldly-wise,
But, oh, I think your own home town
Is gleaming in your eyes!

"That town is my town, too;
I landed just the other day"—
What, think you, would you do?
Would you—I guess you'd wrench my hand
And look hard in my face,
And ask about a certain land
That holds a certain place.

YOU'D talk of little local news,
"Our town" that can't be beat,
The folks back there in all their hues,
And dear old Centre Street
But I don't turn. You swagger down
The boulevards, world-wise,
Where no one sees your own home town
That's shining in your eyes.

## Bohunkus Liniment and Influenza

WHILE NOT WISHING TO ENTER into a controversy with Lydia Pinkham, Father John, Carter of Liver Pill fame or the makers of Nuxated Iron, we cannot resist the temptation to direct the attention of Influenza Sufferers to the "remarkable" fact that every patent medicine concern between San Antonio and the Gulf of Finland lays claim to the fact that their particular product is THE THING to use as a preventive measure.

It seems that about the only concern of this nature that has claimed exemption is Allen's Foot Ease, and it is obvious that their reason is well substantiated by the fact that Influenza, Spanish or Swedish, has not yet seized upon our toes, ankles or insteps. Peruna and old man Duffy are running neck to neck, with Lydia only a short distance in the rear; and it seems that Common Sense is in the "also ran" class.

We are also glad to note that the manufacturers of "Bohunkus Liniment," the only form of patent medicine advertising the Kelly Field Eagle accepts, have refrained from any undue claims as to their particular fitness as a cure for the malady in question.

When "Bohunkus Liniment" comes out and says that a few bottles will cure Spanish Influenza, the "Eagle" will gladly carry the advertisement, but until it does, we respectfully call our readers attention to the fact that we are not accepting any other form of patent medicine advertising no matter how great the financial lure.



FROM: Snapshot Bill
TO: The New Recruit.
SUBJECT: How are you?

Dear Recruit: I can remember several months ago when I came to Kelly Field just like you have done only recently, and I want to tell you, if I may, some of the things that will make you glad you came here. Joining the army with you is a new adventure and just how much you'll like it depends on how you allow yourself to look upon this new life. Here you will experience all the thrills and triumphs and here you will experience what may seem to you the opposite. You will not like to do pick and shovel because you will not at first see why you are do-

But let me tell you that there is a piece of headquarters road that I built when I was doing pick and shovel and one of the real triumphs of my young life is to walk over that piece of road and feel that I did it. When I see the Colonel come to work in the morning I feel the thrill in me that if I hadn't built that piece of road his automobile could never have got him to his office. I don't know whether the Colonel ever did pick and shovel but I guess he did and I guess he's proud of it. It's sort of nice to feel that you have built a piece of road for a Colonel or a General to ride over. Walter Raleigh when he threw his coat in the puddle so Queen Elizabeth wouldn't get her feet wet, did not experience any greater thrill than I do when I see the Commanding Officer come to work over MY road. Walter may have been more intimate with the Queen than I am with the Colonel but that doesn't make any great difference for the real thing at the bottom of the whole business is SERVICE.

Service is the greatest little word in the whole dictionary and until you get to realize what Service means you have lost half the joy of living. If everybody got together and did something for somebody else, this world would be the greatest world in the Universe. I have never been to Mars or Saturn, Venus or Siberia, so I can't say how people live there, but I do know that Service is THE THING in this world.

You may also feel that you're not getting much pay when you pull down thirty dollars a month, but let me tell you that you are the richest fighting man in the world. It reminds me of a story that I heard. It seems that a German and an Austrian were conversing with each other (these soldiers get nine cents a day) over the fine appearance of the American soldier.

"It beats Hell how they do it," the Austrian said.

"Ja," replied the German, "but look at the money they get."
So you see my friends that you are not so bad off after all.

Always remember Service, and what it means, and you will never be other than glad that you are wearing the finest little uniform in the world.

Yours in Service, SNAPSHOT BILL.

#### "Y" Launches Health Campaign For Soldiers

John B. Anthony, Public Health Expert, Takes Personal Charge in Kelly Field

On the trail of the epidemic of Spanish Influenza in Kelly Field, Brother of Gen. John Pershing, comcomes the announcement from the mander of the American forces in Y. M. C. A. that a health campaign will be conducted among the soldiers in the field the next few days. John B. Anthony, field worker for the Texas Public Health Associathe Texas Public Health Association, has been engaged by the Y. M. C. A. officials and already has to make any statement in regard to started a campaign to better the

There are four phases of the cam- publicity. paign, the first being an exhibition of placards in Y. M. C. A. buildings on the "Health of the Soldier." This display is divided into three (1) Showing how diseases are contracted through close contact, (2) Showing how diseases are prevented by intelligence and careful habits, and (3) Picturing the subject "Fitness for Fighting." These placards hang on the walls of a "Y" two or three days and are then removed to another building.

The second phase of the campaign is a lecture entitled "The Eternal Battle," illustrated by 41 slides, the subject being suggestive of the nature of diseases, viz., the life long conflict between the torces of nature which make for health and life on the one hand and the enemy germs which tend toward disease and death on the other.

#### Pershing Is Here, Not the General But His Brother

Yes Pershing was in San Antonio. But not the same Pershing so many men in Kelly Field have heard about and would like to see. Never-

theless it was Pershing.

To be exact, James F. Pershing, France, was in San Antonio last Sunday visiting with his son, Lieut. interest of the Fourth Liberty Loan. While here, Mr. Pershing declined his brother in France, declaring that neither wanted or desired any

Speaking of Warren Pershing, the nine year old son of Gen. Pershing, Mr. Pershing said he was just an ordinary American boy, but exactly like his father. He declared that Warren was interested in the great war and was watching his father's work with as much interest as any one in America.

#### Kelly Field Players Aid W.S.S. Campaign

vis Amusement Unit were given on the Gunter corner and on the Alamo Plaza four nights in the last week the Alamo Plaza four nights in the Pla Plaza four nights in the last week the Alpine Chaussures, the flower

#### Gives Mechanics Students Close-Up of Life Overseas

Mr. L. H. Wharton, pioneer Kelly Field Y. M. C. A. worker, just back from France, at "Y" No. 204 last Friday night told a large audience of Air Service Mechanics School students many interesting details of the life he had experi-enced during his stay of ten months kind was impossible over the mud on the Western front.

course of his lecture that he was a close observer. Many of his anecdotes of life overseas brought much sentials. laughter from his hearers.

the next time he was under shellfire he "would be scared."

Explosive Shells Terrible. Of all the various methods used to make war terrible-machine guns, mustard and other kinds of gas, shrapnel, bayonets, rifle fire, grenades, trench knives and high explosives—mind, high explosive shells were by far the worst and most disturbing, according to Mr.

He said that the men and women of America should feel particularly proud of the fact that when the great and much heralded Fifth German Offensive, which the Huns Street shows by the Kelly Field which they made no attempt to conceal, and which had Paris and suggestions and rules easily followed by the soldier in tents and barracks, and if followed minimize his chances for getting sick as far as germ diseases are concerned.

The work of the players as an adjunct to the Liberty Loan cambair was such an aid that their paign was such an aid that their p

#### Airplanes Deliver Food and Ammunition

Again the airmen on the western hattle front in Europe have taken an important part in the great allied advance, this time acting as Few Apply for Commissions as a transportation train and delivering

In certain days during the past and rain soaked fields of Flanders Mr. Wharton showed during the and the advancing units of the allied armies ran the risk of being without either of the two great es-

But just when it seemed that the drive would have to be halted until the speaker admitted that the first supplies were brought up, the airplanes came to the rescue, and in dent of the examining board at the speaker admitted that the first time he was under shell fire he was scared; the second time he was under shell fire he was scared, and the front line units. ammunition to the front line units.

He said they had gained the mastery now and had been superior to the Boche for some time past, but that prior to this time "the Germans used to bomb everything all work is less glorified and important along the line just as regularly as than that of the pilot's is a grave The speaker said it was not so error," said Lieutenant Sedgwick. much the material damage that these raids did but the bombing come an ace but must be able to

the remembrance of one night when

jumped out of their trenches with an exultant yell and went to meet until about three weeks ago when The Air S Mr. Anthony came to Kelly Field from Camp Bowle where he has just completed a similar campaign. He started his work the latter part of last week at "Y" No. 72 in the Flying Department and at present is at "Y" No. 157 in the Casual lines.

Steiner, Herbert Bergman, William an exultant yell and went to meet advancing enemy. For two days and nights the battle raged but when the smoke had cleared away our boys had not only held their ground but were in the German's third line trenches.

Another point that Mr. Wharton covered and came back to America.

#### Why Not Get In As Observer, Asks Examiner

Aerial Observers, Although Splendid Opportunities Are Offered

Enlisted men in the Air Service and civilians who are clamoring to get into this branch of service as pilots seem not to appreciate the opportunities for real service offered them as aerial observers, according to Lieut. Robert Sedgwick, Jr., presi-

Lieutenant Sedgwick bases this statement on the fact that a majorimade was the necessity for the ty of the applications received by allies having the control of the air. the board are for commissions as pilots, while very few are for commissions as observers.

"The notion that the observer's "It is true that he can never bekept the men in a constant state of sleepnessness and alarm, not pilot and besides he must be techrush from their beds and take to the woods, upon hearing the purr of the Mercedes motors used by the enemy, quite unlike the sound of any of the Allied engines. This service is a measure that entails Mr. Wharton laughed heartily at far more of danger, hazard and excitement than the piloting of a fighting plane," Lieutenant Sedgwick continued, "for the observer's plane must hover over the same place for many minutes at a time while he is sketching enemy fortifications, trenches, or observing their maneuvers, and the enemy may be sending shrapnel all about him. Again, if he is directing artillery fire he must circle over the place the big guns are to reach and correct their range by radio until the shells have finally found their goal. Not until this is accomplished may The Air Service examining board

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