

STIRRED BY GREAT PARADE

Many Will Think That the Little Man Was a Trifle Unjust to His Own Importance.

The swelling roar of cheers outside made the Little Man drop a paper weight on his ledger leaves and bolt to the nearest window, says Collier's Weekly. Down the street came the guard of honor, mounted police preceding some sunburnt regulars from our Mexican border, and behind them swung half a company of real French poilus, the sort that turned back the Boche from Verdun and the Chemin des Dames. Short, quick stepping, steel built men of France they were, with keen, dark faces under the lopping tam of shanter headgear of the Corps Alpin, rolling along with their Noah's ark packs and bayonets set for action. The cheering actually seemed to shove the buildings back from the street. Long ago the Fortuna must have welcomed thus the legionaries who had saved Roman civilization from the barbarian in those bitter struggles through Gaul and Dacia. Every man's sleeves showed the stripes that meant wounds, and his breast the decorations that meant valor.

"They did make one feel so old and useless and out of it," as the Little Man told his wife next morning. So he ground out the day's work with his teeth set hard, bought some more thrift stamps, took the first car for home, spent the rest of the daylight hours in curing for his beans, potatoes and cabbage, got through a warfare dinner and put in the evening selling Mr. McAdoo's pet bonds to some boss metal workers whom he had met in the lodge last winter. Getting home at 10:50 p. m., he routed out that 1917 model straw hat, cleaned it up for another campaign, and some time later fell into bed as if it had been a dogout.

"If this gets much worse I'll learn to knit," was his last waking thought. "and if they want to keep me out of this war they'll have to put bolts on it." After all, things seen are mightier than things heard, and the Little Man and Tennyson are both right.

NEW YORK'S MANY MINERALS

Astonishing Variety Is Known to Exist Beneath the Streets of American Metropolis.

Everyone knows that Boston is a great center of copper mining, and that New York is the center of all other mining industries of the country, but few realize that either of these cities have opportunities to mine for anything except subways at home. It seems, however, that New York's extraordinary activities in the mining business must have received their first impetus not from Wall street, but from a varied experience gained in dealing with the rock of Manhattan.

More than 118 varieties of minerals and several kinds of gems have been found on the island, according to Electrical Experimenter. Aquamarines weighing 1 1/2 karats have been found at Broadway and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street. The mining possibilities at Broadway and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street are almost unlimited. Green tourmaline gems, magnetite and iron ore, chalcopyrite, malachite, pyrrhotite and a crystal form of nickel have been found there.

Other minerals to be had on the island are zirconite, used in the manufacture of perikon detector, roebbingite, agate, amazon-stone, amber, amethyst, chrysoberyl, fire opal, garnet, peristerite, prehnite, rock crystal, rose quartz, smoky quartz, precious serpentine, tourmaline and willemite, silver, lead, zinc, copper, iron, tellurium, molybdenite—which is used in the molybdenite detector—graffite, asbestos, mica, beryl, torbernite and uraninite.

They Don't Have to See the Flag. When one is as patriotic and respectful to the flag as a Great Lakes bluejacket is the colors can be heard even when not seen.

Facing the station on the sidewalk in front of her home in North Chicago a woman noticed several chickens abruptly stop in their walk, come to attention and salute, standing thus for a couple of minutes. On several occasions she noticed this and finally her curiosity made her ask the reason thereof.

"Colors," replied a sailor. "But where do you see the flag?" asked the lady. "I can't see it," was the reply. "but I hear the sound of bugle and drums in 'To the Colors,' and I know this is the time of day."—Chicago News.

Good General Rule. A New York magistrate, warning chauffeurs to avoid accident, told them not to confuse a small child in the roadway by loud blasts of the horn, but to slow down and give the child a chance to get out of the way. Fewer accidents would happen to pedestrians of any age were other methods of prevention used by motorists, save the single one of blowing a horn and leaving the rest to chance or providence.—Baltimore American.

Clemenceau's Compromise. Here is a bon-mot of Clemenceau which is making the rounds of Paris: The usual number of rifles used in a French firing party at the death of a traitor is twelve. Many persons went to Clemenceau trying to influence him not to impose the death penalty on Bolo. "Anyway, he was only half a traitor," said one influential man to the Tiger. "That being so, it is easily arranged," said Clemenceau. "We will give him only six rifles."

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FOUND—A Kodak. Owner can get same by applying at Observer office and paying for this ad. and 50 cents. 8-8

Fraternal Directory.

REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting members are invited to attend. ROSA GLASS, N. G. LUCIA HALEY, Rec. Sec.

K. of L. of Security—Mt. Emily Council, No. 246, meets the second and fourth Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Eagle hall. Visiting members are welcome. J. K. FITZGERALD, Pres. ABE HARRIS, Fin'l. Sec. FLORENCE BRYANT, Rec. Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Camp No. 169 meets every first and third Monday at Eagles Hall. All visiting neighbors welcome. Dues payable at the office of the clerk, New Foley Bldg., 9 a. m., to 5 p. m. J. J. MURCHISON, C. C. R. J. KITCHEN, Clerk

O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Visiting members cordially welcomed. SADIE E. GIVEN, W. M. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.

B. F. O. E. ELKS, La Grande Lodge No. 432, Lodge meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Home and club privileges cheerfully extended to all Brother Elks. R. J. O'KEEN, Exalted Ruler. A. B. CHERRY, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27 meets every Monday night in Castle Hall (K. of P. Hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights. C. K. MCCORMICK, C. C. DELILE GREEN, K. of R. & S.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Iris Camp meets every second Friday afternoon and every fourth Friday evening, every month in K. P. hall. All visiting members cordially welcomed. HENRIETTA GHARST, Oracle. MARY L. WEST, Recorder.

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F. O. EAGLES, AERIE NO. 259.—Meet first and third Friday of each month at Eagles Hall. Visiting members welcome. J. F. STACEY, W. P. LEE BELLINGER, Secretary

L. O. O. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 850, Loyal Order of Moose holds regular meetings every Wednesday night at 8 p. m. in Eagle hall next to Elks' Bldg. on Washington Ave. Visitors always welcome. Dues payable at Young's Sweets. W. C. HANSEN, Dic. HARRY SWART, Sec.

Professional Directory

CRAWFORD & EAKIN—T. H. Crawford and Robert S. Eakin, Attorneys at law. Practice in all the courts of the state and the United States. Office, West-Jacobson Bldg., rooms 9-10-17, La Grande, Oregon.

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DR. MARGARET INGLE, Osteopathic Physician, specializing in diseases of Women and Children. Hours 10 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 6 p. m., and by appointment. Phone: office Red 1761. Residence Red 881. 37 New Foley Bldg. Dr. J. L. Ingle has entered the U. S. Army.

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DR. H. W. RILEY—Graduate Veterinarian. Hospital, 1409 Madison Ave. State Stallion Inspector and Inspector of stock for shipment. Home Independent Phone, Black 41; Farmers Co-operative Phone, Main 115.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Union county, state of Oregon, Administrator of the estate of Eliza E. Fowler, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to the undersigned, at the residence of the undersigned, at her residence, No. 1501 S. Street, in the city of La Grande, said county and state, or to her attorney, F. S. Ivanhoe, at his office in said city, on or before six months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice, which date is July 12, 1918.

side of the undersigned, at her residence, No. 1501 S. Street, in the city of La Grande, said county and state, or to her attorney, F. S. Ivanhoe, at his office in said city, on or before six months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice, which date is July 12, 1918.

F. S. IVANHOE, Attorney for Administratrix. ADAH D. MCCRARY, Administratrix of the Estate of Eliza E. Fowler, deceased. Daily: July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2, 9.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has filed his Final Account, as Administrator of the Estate of America F. Rees, deceased, in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Union County; and that said Court has fixed Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing and proving said final account, for the hearing of any objections thereto, and for the final settlement thereof, and of said estate. Dated, July 12th, 1918.

HARRY C. REES, Administrator of the Estate of AMERICA F. REES, deceased. To be published daily, July 12th, 19th, 26th, August 2nd and 9th.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, Syra E. Chick, have been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Peter Kuhn, deceased, and all persons having claims against the estate of said Peter Kuhn deceased, are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified to J. R. Oliver, at his office at La Grande, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated at La Grande, Oregon this 12th day of July A.D. 1918.

SYRA E. CHICK, Administratrix.

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