

FOUNDER HONORED

Washington's Birthday Is Observed All Over Country.

FRANCE PAYS ITS TRIBUTE

Ambassador Jusserand Delivers Address at Washington Under Auspices of Sons and Daughters of Revolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Congress today observed Washington's birthday in accordance with time-honored custom.

The memory of Washington was extolled by M. Jusserand, French Ambassador, in an address delivered at a commemorative mass meeting held today under the auspices of the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution.

"Everybody," said M. Jusserand, "knows the unanimity of feeling of all French people who ever met Washington; how, during our revolution French citizenship was bestowed on him as being 'one of the benefactors of humanity,' and how, when he died, the French nation went into mourning, officers wore crepe and our flags were flown at half mast."

Referring to the present war, M. Jusserand declared: "The fight is on. As we shall no more desert than Washington did, even at this most perilous hour, the result is certain. The work must be done so that it may not have to be done again. In this we are all of us with you, whose enthusiasm, valor, resourcefulness and inexhaustible generosity bring us such cheer and courage."

Army Camps Celebrate. Washington's birthday was observed in all Army camps throughout the country with various exercises and the soldiers enjoyed a rest from military training.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A parade of 10,000 troops from the 77th Division of the National Army at Camp Upton was the feature of the Washington birthday celebration in New York City.

Fifth avenue, the principal line of march for the parade, was literally a waving lane of red, white and blue. The reviewing officers included Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

Tonight a mass meeting under the auspices of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy was addressed by Secretary Daniels and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Chicago today celebrated Washington's birthday with a military holiday, a parade of 5000 men of the new Illinois Reserve Militia being a feature of the celebration.

Seven States Represented. Governors of seven states in Chicago for the Congressional National Service reviewed the parade.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 22.—Yale men in the Army and Navy joined with undergraduates today in celebrating Washington's birthday. Service flags bearing 313 stars for the university and 244 stars for the scientific school were presented.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 22.—Washington's birthday parade through the business district today by the entire 13th Division, National Army, was featured by the aerial participation of the Army aeronautical school here, which had 15 regulation balloons over the city during the parade. Aeroplanes from Kelly Field also participated in the demonstration.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 22.—The United States and American Red Cross received a share of tribute at a Washington's birthday celebration here today, which was attended by Lieutenant-Governor Grant, United States Consul Young and a large body of representative citizens.

Tribute Paid Red Cross. "We desire not only to honor George Washington," said Sir Frederick Fraser, superintendent of the Halifax School for the Blind, in an address, "but also the country his name represents. We want to recognize as ally who is fighting side by side with us and we want also to recognize the greatest ally we have had in Halifax in the days following the explosion—the American Red Cross."

DENVER, Feb. 22.—The British-Canadian recruiting mission here was of George Washington. A notice on the closed today in honor of the memory of the father of American liberty. The British-Canadian recruiting mission, America's partner in the cause of world liberty, will be closed for the day.

RUPERT STAYS MARRIAGE

Convicted Bond Thief Says He Intends to "Come Back" First.

Clyde J. (Red) Rupert, who was sentenced Thursday in the Circuit Court for from one to three years in the Penitentiary for the theft of \$2000 in Liberty bonds from the Northwestern National Bank, is held at the county jail and unless there is a Federal charge placed against him he will be taken to the State Penitentiary in a few days.

The expected re-marriage of Rupert and his divorced wife, Pearl Rupert, will not take place until Rupert pays the penalty for his offense, he said yesterday. He said that after he had completed his penitentiary sentence and convinced his wife he could "come back," they probably would be re-married.

"We understand each other perfectly," he said, "but both feel that it is for the best interests of our 4-year-old son, Baden, in fact, I would not even let them bring the boy up to see me here in the county jail."

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SOCIETY NEWS

YOUNG PORTLAND BRIDE WHO HAS RETURNED HERE FOR VISIT.



Mrs. Geo. Eckels (Elizabeth Stanley)

WASHINGTON'S birthday proved to be a real holiday for many folk, bankers, railroad folk, school children, Army and Navy men, as well as dozens of business men, many of whom passed the day on the golf links or the tennis or squash courts at the leading clubs.

Thomas Kerr, whose marriage to Miss Marian Smith, will be solemnized tonight, entertained with a bachelor dinner Monday evening in one of the private dining-rooms of Hotel Portland. Covers were laid for five.

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Mrs. H. M. Bond, of 223 Cook avenue, entertained the Klatter Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. H. M. Bond, Mrs. W. Glover, Mrs. J. J. Tryon, Mrs. Kate Wood, Mrs. G. Egan, Mrs. Coffey and son, Mrs. William Alston and Mrs. Charles Nation.

Mrs. David Lincoln Herman, of Seattle, is visiting Judge and Mrs. F. H. Whitfield, of 1323 Alameda Drive. Mrs. Herman is an old friend of both Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield and will be with them for a week.

Hundreds of women called during the afternoon, and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. P. M. Warren, Mrs. E. C. Shevlin, Mrs. Charles Gaud and Mrs. H. H. Parker, who presided at the prettily appointed tea table. The refreshments served conformed strictly to the conservation rules, flour and sugar substitutes being used throughout the menu.

Today's important social event in the wedding of Miss Marian Smith, which will be solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Warren, 613 Kearney street, at 1:30 o'clock. The bride will be attended by Mrs. Lovell D. Winters as matron of honor, and Miss Dorothy Strowbridge and Vernal Beach will act as best-mans. Rev. A. A. Morrison will officiate, and the affair will be attended only by close friends and relatives. Mr. Kerr's father, Alexander Kerr, came on from Washington to be present at the ceremony, and his mother and sister, Mrs. Kenneth Holbrook, came from Boston to attend the wedding.

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Members of the Breal Brial have made final arrangements for an elaborate annual dinner party tomorrow night in the Multnomah Hotel. S. Cohn is in charge of the arrangements, and "plans" to attend the function, and with short talks by prominent men, who are members of this organization.

Tonight the big Army, with its trappings of military atmosphere and patriotism, will abound with the hundreds of merry-makers who are to attend the dance to be given for the benefit of Company D, 218th Engineers. The proceeds from the dance will be used to purchase equipment for the men who will leave soon for France. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this affair and help to make it a success socially and financially. A number of the men in Company D will be "buses" to attend the function, and the list of patronesses who include prominent women of the city, assure a well-attended and interesting party. The hostesses will include Mrs. and Mrs. Herbert Garr Reed, Mrs. C. E. Dentler, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waldo Coe, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Templeton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Arnet, Mrs. Charles Dant, Mrs. G. Halliwell, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Neuhau, Mrs. Missella Winner, Mrs. Vestina Sanderson, Dr. Florence Watson, Mrs. G. J. Frankel and Mrs. C. B. Simmons.

The junior members of the Irvington Club will entertain with an informal dance tomorrow night, for all members of the club and their friends. The patronesses for the event will be Mrs. F. P. Reno, Mrs. H. E. Lounsbury and Mrs. W. H. Cullers.

An informal and varied entertainment has been planned by the Knights of Columbus for soldiers in and around Portland for this evening at the Mult-

nomah Hotel. The affair will be held in the ballroom, and on the programme are speeches by prominent men, dance music and vocal selections. Refreshments will be served and the committee will endeavor to make this evening a notable one for the soldiers and their friends.

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Men and Guns Germany Gains By Russia's Surrender

When the Russian Muzhik trades his machine-gun to the Germans for a drink of vodka, as many are doing, he comes near typifying the act of his Bolshevik superiors in giving up their military power for an intoxicating dream of anarchistic liberty. Like them too, he may hit off the transaction with some fine phrase that seems to sanctify his murderous bargain.

Declaring piously that they can not continue a war with the German and Austrian workers, they release those unhappy workers for transfer to the Western front where they may soon be thrown in masses at the Allied guns with far more disastrous results to themselves than if they had remained in the quiet trenches of Poland.

What is of most concern to the American people, however, is what gain Germany has made in men and guns by Russia's unconditional surrender, and in the leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST for February 23d, there is a careful examination of this phase of 'developments' on the Eastern front, and other contingencies that may arise in the near future.

Other articles of almost equal importance in this number of "The Digest" are:

- President Wilson His Own War Lord
- All Shades of Editorial Opinion on the Proposed Legislation to Speed Up the War, Either by Limiting Or Giving Greater Power to the President
- The Ukrainian Peace
- Longevity of Spies Here
- Austro-German Friction
- A Captured Tank in Berlin Streets
- Gas-Driven Motor Cars
- Creatures That Live in Snow
- Fats for Fighters
- (Prepared by U. S. Food Administration)
- Cardinal Gibbons on Prohibition
- The Future of Denominationalism
- Government Control of Business for War
- German Comments on "Tuscania" Torpedoing
- Japan's Criticism of Our War Aims
- War and Defective Brains
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WOMEN'S PATRIOTIC SERVICE BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES

Capitol Hill Parent-Teacher Red Cross unit held its regular meeting in the schoolhouse on Thursday. In the forenoon Miss Dunlap spoke to the school children about Joan of Arc, which was interesting also to some of the women who were fortunate enough to be present. In the afternoon Mrs. C. C. Chapman gave a detailed account of the work being done by the Parent-Teacher Council.

An event anticipated as a patriotic and social gathering in the silver tea to be given on March 7 at the home of Mrs. C. C. Chapman. The Shaacpears Club members have arranged the festivity for the benefit of their worsted fund for Red Cross work.

Woodlawn Red Cross unit will meet Monday in Woodlawn School from 10 to 4 o'clock.

The Lavender Club, branch No. 1, met in the headquarters of the East Side Business Men's Club on Friday and the regular business was transacted, after which an interesting address was given by Mrs. Frazell on the subject of "Child Literature." The meeting was well attended and the club will meet again on Friday, at which time the members are requested to come supplied with thimble and needles to take part in war work.

Lavender Club, branch 2, will meet on Tuesday at 2 o'clock with Mrs. B. Knight, 235 Chapman street (Jefferson car to Chapman, walk two blocks north).

Auxiliary to Batteries A and B, 147th Field Artillery, will meet Monday at 8 P. M., room 125, Courthouse.

In the housewives' campaign, Miss Gertrude Talbot will speak on foods today at the Civic Club luncheon, Multnomah Hotel.

Falling School is doing its bit in spreading the doctrine of food conservation. The children copy the recipes and explain them at home to their parents. Many of the women are foreign-speaking and otherwise would not be reached by those holding the housewives' meetings. The domestic science department of the school held a creditable exhibition of foods in the South Portland Library.

Blackmar Circle No. 26, Ladies of the G. A. R., celebrated the birthdays of Washington and Lincoln at a meeting in Wall's Hall, Sellwood. There was a patriotic programme, to which the following contributed: Thelma Holden, Mildred Elbert, Comrades Palmer, Wallridge, J. D. Stevens, a number of school children, I. J. Edwards and others.

Man Supposed Lost Safe. BEAVERTON, Or., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Johnson brothers, prominent onion growers living two miles north of town, have received a telegram from Washington, D. C., stating that Hand M. Erickson, one of the passengers

aboard the Tuscania on her fateful trip was still safe in England. First reports indicated that Erickson was among the missing. Erickson was formerly an employee of Johnson brothers.

German in the public schools and asked Dr. Foster's advice. In reply he said: "It would be short-sighted to stop studying German now. It is more important than ever before that we should know the language."

The New England Society held an enjoyable meeting Tuesday evening in the assembly-room of the Hotel Portland. After the business session there was a programme and social time.

New classes in cookery are being organized at the Y. W. C. A. for the Spring term which will follow a conservation programme. Regular and favorite recipes will be given, showing how they may be adapted to the new conservation methods. There also will be a number of entirely new recipes used. Each course will have 14 lessons and the classes will meet evenings and afternoons.

The current literature department of the Portland Woman's Club will meet next Thursday with Mrs. J. Francis Drake, 635 Elliott avenue. Mrs. A. B. Cull, Mrs. J. B. Coffey and Mrs. Frank Nae will be assisting hostesses.

"August the First" will be the book read by Mrs. A. B. Manley. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock.

MARIAN MILLER'S ANSWERS

JUST the other day I was thinking that all the selfish people had been converted or become extinct and that all the gossips had become interested in some work and had ceased their mean, small, unkind ways and then I ran right into a little group of the real, old-fashioned, malicious, gossipy variety of women. They were so busy tearing another woman's reputation to scraps and they asked me what I thought about it all.

Well, what I answered them left them gasping. I said: "Get to work and do something constructive. This war will never cease until every person has set aside just such feelings and thoughts as you have. Think kind thoughts. Look for the good in the other fellow. And give and work for humanity. If you can't do any of these things, at least mind your own business."

But, boys and girls, what is our own business? After all, isn't it doing something to make the world better? Isn't it saying a kind word when we have a chance? Isn't it keeping our hearts and lives clean and strong so that we may be citizens worth while?

A girl writes me that her mother says she can't have a lot of new Spring clothes because they can't afford to pay a dressmaker and she doesn't like ready-made garments, and what shall she do? Shall she go into debt or shall she get some material and try to make her own clothes.

My dear Sadie, why don't you join one of the night classes at the Girls' Polytechnic School and you can learn how to make all your garments and make them well under the instruction of an able teacher. I called up Miss Arnold, the principal, and asked her if she had any room in the evening classes

and she answered: "We can accommodate a few more." So hurry up and join. It's ever so much fun to fashion your own clothes and your letter hints that you are planning to marry in June. Why not learn to make all the trousseau? They'll teach you first to fashion lingerie, then elementary dressmaking, waists and later tailoring. Your married sister can go, too, if she wants to, and learn to make her little girl some frocks. There's no excuse nowadays for not learning to sew, cook, keep house or do any of the practical work and do it well. The useful arts are more important accomplishments than to be able to sing or dance.

Dear Marian Miller: Is it correct for a girl to meet a soldier at a dance and make a date to go out with him if he doesn't know her family? I met a handsome fellow recently and he asked me to go to a show the next Saturday. Shall I accept?

ALICE B.

Invite him to call at the house to meet your family. Have some music or just a quiet home evening and give him some chocolate and cake and let the family and yourself "look him over." Your good sense will tell you the answer.

Dear Marian Miller: Some girls are coming to spend the afternoon with me and I don't know what to do without any refreshments? Shall we do without any refreshments?

MILLIE A.

Some brown bread sandwiches and tea or cocoa would be just right. A little simple refreshment makes the afternoon more sociable. One may Hooverize and yet one must not do without any entertaining. All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. They used to say, and I believe that statement still holds good.

Dear Marian Miller: What is good for a rough and scowling complexion? I have tried several kinds of face powder and cream. I am so unattractive, no one admires me. I always like your answers. Your unhappy friend,

MARIE C. S.

Try soap and water. Wash the face with warm water, a little pure soap, wipe with a soft towel. Then eat simple food. Don't eat pie and pastry. Go to bed early, walk in the fresh air. Sleep with the windows widely open. Drink a glass of warm water every morning. Think cheerful, happy thoughts. If this doesn't work, let me know.

MARIAN MILLER.

CHINESE STUDENT SCORES

Harry Pond One of Few Who Will in English Test.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Harry Pond, one of the six Chinese students in the University this year, is one among six out of 75 members of two freshmen classes taught by Mary H. Perkins, who showed proficiency in English in a recent test.

Although Pond, who was born in China, did not take up the study of English until he was 14 years old, he was one of the few who rewrote correctly 15 sentences containing numerous mistakes.

Pacific States Firm on 8-Hour Day

SELLECK, Wash., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The Pacific States Lumber Company, of Sellick, patriotically have decided to put the eight-hour system in force in both their mill and their camps here. This goes into effect March 1. They employ about 250 men in all.

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PORTLAND - SEASIDE

JOHAN POULSEN RELEASED

Schooner Seized for Liquor to Be Taken to Westport.

ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Deputy United States Marshal Berry, who seized the steam schooner Johan Poulsen, following the raid last evening, released the vessel this evening, as well as Captain Ulvestad, Chief Engineer Lockhart and a sufficient number of the crew to take the craft to Westport, where she is to load lumber.

So far as could be learned, two members of the crew were willing to assume responsibility for the whole affair and will claim the entire contraband cargo belongs to them. The authorities, however, do not believe this story. The liquor is worth at wholesale from \$20 to \$22.50 a case, so the amount seized cost close to \$1700, and the officers