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### Here Is A Scheme Whereby Draftees Can Learn To Shoot

By Peter P. Carney (Writer of Interesting Topics) Score one for Atlantic City. It is the first town in the country to "each its draftees the rudiments of handling a shotgun, one of the most effective weapons yet brought into play against the Hun, actually in advance of their being called to the colors. This is the result of a patriotic offer by the proprietors of the trap-shooting school on the Million Dollar Pier. The owners offered to provide free the cos of guns, targets, shells and instructors for ten draftees weekly, the students to be designated by the draft boards.

With the ball rolling we may expect to hear of other clubs falling in line and making every effort to instruct the draftees in the art of shooting. There is no time like the present to prepare.

### ANGLO-FRENCH (Continued from page one)

outskirts of the village northwestward for about a mile and a quarter. Drive Germans Northward Paris, Oct. 26.—The allies are driving the Austro-Germans northward on the whole 45 mile front between Parabin and Kralievo, the war office announced today. Along the Danube an enemy monitor has been damaged by French artillery. French patrols inflicted casualties on the enemy detachments. "Along the Danube our artillery fire damaged an enemy monitor," the communique said. "French patrols inflicted casualties on German detachments and took some prisoners. "On the Serbian front, from Parabin to Kralievo, we pursued the enemy, taking 200 prisoners. The enemy is falling back northward."

### Allies Will Not Consider Austria-Hungaria At All

By Raymond Clapper. (United Press Staff Correspondent.) Washington, Oct. 25.—President Wilson and allied statesmen have virtually washed their hands of Austria, according to diplomatic views here today. At the Swedish legation no word had been received this morning of another Austrian note to President Wilson, but officials thought that one might arrive during the day, if press reports are correct. Austria, according to unofficial advices here, does not intend to deal with Czecho-Slovak and Jugo-Slav leaders in America, as President Wilson has told her she must do.

Instead, evidently Austria intends to deal with the Czecho-Slovak, in Austria so as to bribe them into acceptance of her autonomy proposition. Her game will be to put hand-picked Czechs and Slavs in power and bargain with them to keep her power over them as at present, diplomats say.

### Comic Opera Warrior Wants To Eat 'Em Alive

New York, Oct. 25.—Colonel Roosevelt is out in the open today in opposition to President Wilson's fourteen peace points, and his correspondence with Germany. In telegrams to Senators Lodge, Johnson and Poindexter, Roosevelt said he hoped the senate would declare against adoption of the fourteen points, "in their entirety" as a basis of a satisfactory peace. Roosevelt declared for the unconditional surrender of Germany and said he hoped the senate would take action in favor of an unconditional surrender peace and against a negotiated peace. "Let us dictate peace by the hammering of guns, and not chat about peace to the accompaniment of a clicking of a typewriter," the colonel said. He asserted the language of the fourteen points was not clear, that some of the points might form the basis of the unconditional surrender of the United States; that Wilson's terms are satisfactory to Germany and to pro-Germans and pacifists; and that many of the president's points are "thoroughly mischievous."

### STRANGE HAPPENINGS OF FIVE YEARS AGO

#### Town Was Getting Ready To Vote On Wet And Dry And Movies Were 10 Cents.

Five years is not so long a period in the life of a city unless it is measured by events. For instance, in the Capital Journal dated October 24, 1913, there appears a half page paid advertisement with the caption: "An appeal for a dry Salem by the business and professional men's campaign committee." In favor of a dry Salem there is the following argument offered in the advertisement: "The liquor business must be outlawed sometime. Why not begin now? The only reason it has not been outlawed in Salem long ago is because the saloon keepers are willing to pay almost any price for the privilege of carrying it on under the protection of the law. Salem is now receiving \$13,000 annually license money from her saloons. This is a paltry sum not to be compared to the value of one of our loved ones, many of whom are annually started down the road to ruin every year."

Among the men on the campaign committee who signed the appeal were E. T. Barnes, W. T. Rigdon, John Payne, C. M. Roberts, Dr. G. V. Ellis, Dr. B. L. Steeves, Dr. H. C. Epley and Dr. E. E. Fisher. Official seemed to have the right effect as on the election two weeks later the city went dry with a majority of 484.

Those were the days of long ago when it cost but ten cents to go to the movies. In the issue of the Capital Journal dated October 25, 1913, The Globe was advertising a last chance to see "The Girl and The Tiger." At the Liberty the offering was Master Hall, the wonderful boy soprano. Also a movie two reel about "The Homespun." The Wexford was offering a fine two reel movie of "Why Girls Leave Home." The High theatre offered three refined vaudeville acts.

One of the advertisements run in the issue of October 25, 1913, by the Salem Brewery Association presented its argument with the headline: "Why drink water when you can get Salem beer?" In the issue of the Capital Journal dated October 29, 1913, just a few days before the election which was to decide wet or dry for Salem, there appeared a half page advertisement, inserted by the Salem Welfare League which favored saloons, as follows: "The Saloon—its place in the social economy. No adequate substitute for it." And that was only five years ago.

The markets have changed wonderfully during the past five years. In the Capital Journal issue of October 30, 1913, wheat is quoted at 77 cents a bushel. It is now \$2.25. Patent flour then was quoted in the Portland market wholesale at \$4.70 a barrel. Today flour costs in Salem from \$12 to \$13 a barrel. Oregon creamery butter was then quoted at 30 cents a pound wholesale. Today it is 66 cents with a retail price of 75 cents. Dealers were paying 38 cents for eggs in Salem five years ago while today the price is 55 cents. The market price on potatoes five years ago was from 75 cents to \$1.00 per hundred. Today it is just \$2.00 a hundred.

In the issue of November 1, 1913, Max Buren and William Stausloff insert an advertisement stating they are not candidates for councilmen in the second ward at the coming election. On the same day is the news item that "John J. Roberts, the well known business man now conducting the 'Togery' had the misfortune to receive a broken wrist while attempting to crank his automobile." In the same issue Chas. H. Hinges, jeweler and optician, announces that he is positively going out of business. "The Chocolate Soldier" is billed at the opera house for the evening of November 3, 1913.

### THE MEN IN CLASS A-1

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### Commission Refuses To Give Up Authority

Announcement was made yesterday by members of the Oregon Public Service commission that the commission would not concede that all authority over the regulation of the telephone rates in this state had been taken over by the postmaster general when the government took over control of telephone and telegraph lines. "This announcement was prompted by a newspaper article from Olympia stating that the Washington commission

### Former Dallas Boy Receives Commission

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Dallas, Oct. 26.—Elmer Strayer, a former Dallas boy, who has been living in Portland for the last couple of years has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the engineer corps of the army and has been ordered to report at Fort Douglas, Utah, for training. Mrs. Strayer, who before her marriage was Miss Vera Cosper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cosper, will make her home with her parents in this city during the absence of her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Cosper were in Portland the first of the week helping the Strayers pack their household goods for shipment to this city.

Dallas Soldier Hurt in France. Corporal Uda Burk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burk, of Airle, was injured recently in France while instructing in grenade throwing in a school up close to the firing lines. Corporal Burk was a member of Company L of this city and since that organization arrived in France he has been an instructor in a grenade school. The premature explosion of the grenade caused him serious injury but will not incapacitate him from further service with the army.

Small Boy Hurt While Plowing. Clem Swenson, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Swenson, residing about two miles east of this city, was quite badly injured this week while plowing with a four-horse team. The boy stumbled and fell against one of the discs on the plow which threw him down and injured him quite badly.

Dallas Business Houses Close Early. Upon advice from the State Council of National Defense the business houses of this city will hereafter close promptly at 6 o'clock in the evening of the week and at 8 o'clock on Saturday nights. Instead of opening at early hours as heretofore the houses will not open until 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Butz and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Melton were McMinnville visitors this week. Mrs. Roland Holman and little daughter are guests this week at the home of Mrs. Holman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Boydston, in the western part of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kraber and family have returned to Dallas to make their future home. The Krabers have been living in Portland for the past year. Homey Calkins returned this week from an extended visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Hornshoe, at Medford. Mr. and Mrs. G. Harder and daughter, Nettie, left this week for Kansas where they will visit with relatives during the coming winter.

Mrs. Ralph Bennett has returned to her home in Tillamook after a short visit at the home of Mrs. A. W. Bennett and family on Mill street. Mrs. George T. Gerlinger and children of Portland are in the city this week for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Crider and daughters were Portland business visitors, the first of the week. Bert Teats, principal of the city schools of Newport, is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Teats, owing to the closing of the schools of that city by the epidemic of Spanish Flu. J. A. Baxter, a prominent farmer of the Salt Creek community, was a Dallas business visitor this week.

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week for a short visit with relatives and friends. Miss Marie Quall was home from Portland Tuesday visiting her sister, Miss Myrtle. Silvertown schools, churches, and the theatre were closed Wednesday morning on account of the influenza. So far there has been but one family here stricken with the epidemic—a family by the name of Evans living on South

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### SILVERTON NEWS

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Silvertown, Oct. 26.—Julius C. Wolf was in Portland and Salem Wednesday. Julius Stark went to Salem this week to take his examination before the local board. Marie Paulson, a Silvertown attorney, has joined the service this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bitler are the proud parents of a baby girl—born Thursday. E. E. Kirkpatrick, of Chicago, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. M. Peyton, this week. F. M. Morley, a local hop buyer and real estate man, was married Wednesday at Salem to Miss Mabel Anderson, of this city. They are spending a few days in Portland. Miss Bess Cowden spent the week visiting in Portland. John Karstetter and wife, of Portland, have been visiting Mr. Karstetter's parents here. Miss Louise Adams, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Reynolds, at Portland, returned to Silvertown this week. Miss Anna Sebo was a Portland visitor the first of the week. Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Roseland went to Woodburn last Sunday, where Mr. Roseland conducted services. Miss Sylvia Johnson, of Portland spent a few days visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jacob Iverson. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Preston and Mr. Bennett attended the funeral of Miss Rachel Angel at North Santrain. G. B. Benson, George Hubbs and



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