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CHAS. WITTSTRUCK WRITES HOME

TELLS OF LIFE IN THE PHILIPPINES, AND HOW THEY HAVE THE SPANISH INFLUENZA.

HE LIKES ARMY LIFE FINE

Is Eighteen Years Old And Has Been In the Army For Over Eleven Months.

Med. Dept. Ft. Mills, Corregidor, P. I., Nov. 15.

Dear Folks At Home:

I received your kind and ever welcome letter yesterday and was sure glad to hear from you and that you were well. I am well now and hope this letter reaches you the same. I am glad that Francis and the baby are well and got to come to see you. I would have liked to have seen her and the baby awfully well but you know how it is, we can not get a furlough over here to go any place. Of course we get to go to Manila as often as we want to and our money lasts. I have nearly all of my money invested in the Fourth Liberty Loan. I took out three fifty dollar ones and I have my \$10,000 insurance to pay on every month. And then I only draw \$10.50 gold every month after everything is taken out. I got the Plattsmouth paper today and sure thank Lilley and Heine for sending it to me. I sure have been sick for some time. I had the flu. I only lost about 8 or 10 lbs. in about one week but otherwise I am O. K. now. I had a fever of 104 3-10 for three or four days. They would not give me anything to eat but coffee or cocoa for five or six days. There is lots of people down with it over here. I don't know whether you can have it twice or not. I see in the Plattsmouth paper where it is caused some times from kissing. Lord I would never look any white person in the face if I ever kissed one of these natives. That is how much I think of the Little Brown Sisters. Ha. Ha.

I'll send you clipping? I wrote to Mr. C. E. Wescott the other day and told him about what a good time I had in Manila the 28th of October, that was my birthday. I was 18 years old, so I sure did have to celebrate. I sure had some swell

time to. I can say I did not have to register and then wait for Uncle Sam to call for me. I knew he needed me, so I didn't wait for him to ask. I will soon be sworn in 11 months. You know I enlisted last November 17th, but my papers got mixed up and I wasn't sworn in till Jan. 11, 1918. I like army life fine and am trying to enjoy myself as best I can. I guess I am a short timer in these Philippine Islands as the boys say. I had a quarrel with a fellow the other day about storying on my age when I got into the army and I asked him if he had registered and he said, yes. Well I told him I didn't have to register and wait until I had to enlist or be drafted and he sure did get hot. I asked him how many Liberty Bonds he had taken out and he told me to go to H—. I told him I was very near there. I was in the Philippines and I had three Liberty Bonds. He was going to slap my face then and I told him that I wouldn't if I was him. Say, Lilley said Harrison's wife's brother was in the islands. Find out where he is stationed and I will look him up. His name is Leland O. Bennett. Find out and then rush that letter. There is one place over here that there is not enough of the well people to bury the dead. They died from the flu. We haven't lost any soldiers yet, but there is not enough doctors to take care of the soldiers and natives too and they are so far away from the hospitals, they can't get the proper attention. Well I will have to ring off for this time, so good-bye. Answer soon. Your loving son, PVT. CHARLEY WITTSTRUCK.

STARTING EVEN IN THE RACE.

From Friday's Daily. On New Years, starting neck and neck, a little boy who will make his home with Otto Findar and wife and who will take delight in calling Mr. and Mrs. Findar father and mother in the years to come, arrived at the aforementioned home to take up his residence. We hope and trust the young man will be a great blessing to his proud parents and that he will live to become a man who will fight for the principles of right and justice. While the parents are proud of the young man now, we would that the day may come when they may be doubly proud of their son, for having contributed to the welfare of the race.

Misses Marie and Clare Bookmeyer who are teaching in Omaha, in the city schools, came home last evening and are visiting with their mother for over Sunday.

CHRISTIAN MINISTER WRITES MEMBERS

SOME SUGGESTIONS REGARDING CHURCH ATTENDANCE, AND FAITHFUL ALLEGIANCE.

PUBLISHED FRIDAY BECAUSE

Country Members Failed To Receive Them In Time In Saturday Publication.

From Friday's Daily. We have been asked to give our notes on Friday so that the country folk can get them before Sunday, and wishing always to please, here they come on Friday to invite you in plenty of time to get ready to come to church Sunday. And, by the way, won't you, country brethren, try to get into the morning service? We know a farmer's work and it is cold, but we want to get acquainted, and hope this feeling is mutual. We would like to see you in every service, but while it is so cold and dark and the roads are so rough, we are just going to rejoice and do our best for you if you will attend the Morning Bible School and Preaching Service.

Everybody come next Sunday and get started with the first lesson of the New Year. Kind courtesies, qualified teachers, who are interested in you. Lesson subject, "Pharaoh Oppresses Israel."

During 1918 we excuse ourselves, (doubt whether we justified ourselves on the sight of God) from church attendance and church financial support, on account of the war and its many calls.

There will be calls for money both in the church and out, but after the shaking up of our financial troubles for the last twelve months, we have learned how to give liberally.

Peace has seemingly come, though at a great cost of money and loss of life, and we should all put forth better efforts along all church lines, so that our religious temperature will be brought up to the same degree as our patriotic temperature.

He who remains a "Might Word" will soon die of muscular paralysis of the heart brought on by a "Contracted wallet."

Loosen up in that alone is safety, some think we need a new church, and new arrangements, adjustments, etc. for the twentieth century, but we are inclined to think the church apes the ways of the world so much, that she becomes like the world so like the world that people who can not see the fine distinguishing features of theology, can see but little difference, and wonder why we have two agencies so similar.

The C. E. Society.

Miss Esther Godwin is the president elect of the C. E. Society. She is a young lady of marked ability, plenty of zeal and ambition, and would sacrifice much to lead the society into a broader field of activity. Let all join the movement and help her.

The Bible School. The Bible School has a good leader in the person of Luke Wiles, but remember pews were made to sit in, not to "talk to." Do you get it? Why, of course. You couldn't miss it. On time, too.

Special music by members of chorus Sunday evening.

We are going to promise you that the house will be warm and comfortable, but of course we shall have to look to some one else to make it so. See! How easy to promise when someone else carries the load!

We do not need a new church or a new religion for the twentieth century, but give the church of the first century a chance, and an honest support in the twentieth century. The gospel is the power of God unto salvation, is still His recognized agency for regeneration.

In the language of the little boy, his father, mother and sister, too, we hope to make the sermons Sunday, both morning and evening "Some Sermons" for the welfare of the church.

Morning subject: "The Lost Commandments" and in the evening we will tell you about "When the White Man and the Black Men Met in the Desert." Don't be compelled to have another tell you what happened when they met, come and hear for yourself. MINISTER.

Quick Cure for Croup.

Watch for the first symptom, hoarseness and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once. It is prompt and effectual.

Now is the time to join the War Stamp Limit Club. See Chas C Parmele for particulars.

DON'T LET A COLD KEEP YOU AT HOME

Dr. King's New Discovery almost never fails to bring quick relief

Small doses once in awhile and that throat-tearing, lung-splitting cough soon quiets down. Another dose and a hot bath before jumping into bed, a good sleep, and back to normal in the morning.

Dr. King's New Discovery is well known. For fifty years it's been relieving coughs, colds and bronchial attacks. For fifty years it has been sold by druggists everywhere. A reliable remedy that you yourself or any member of your family can take safely.

Train Those Stubborn Bowels Help nature take its course, not with a violent, habit-forming purgative, but with gentle but certain and natural-laxative, Dr. King's New Life Pills. Tonic in action, it stimulates the laxbowels. Sold by druggists everywhere.

LITTLE HARD ON WATER PIPES

From Friday's Daily. This morning with the government thermometer at the Burlington station registering twenty below zero, and everybody humping like they were going to a fire, it made a fellow think "What have I done with my summer's wages." Of course we do not expect the ice bill to be lower because the thermometer nor do we think that the plumber will give a special discount, because of the increased business, but they should both be satisfied.

THRASHED 38,070 BUSHELS OF WHEAT

The Fall Campaign Was One Of Much Rustling. In Collecting All Grains.

From Friday's Daily. George Threlford who has been in the west for some time past, where he has been conducting a thrashing outfit, returned home a few days since, having just completed his fall's work. He was pretty well satisfied with the work, as besides the wheat he thrashed a large amount of oats, and rye, which added to the volume of the business.

A VERY BUSY STORK JUST NOW.

From Friday's Daily. Just helping out Santa Claus, and working over-time at that, is that old bird, the stork. During the night last night some time after the hour of midnight, he made a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pitz, where out of a bundle which he carried, he selected one of the prettiest little girl babies one would care to take, and made a present of it to the fond father and mother. Some time ago he had made a visit to this happy household and left at that time another little girl. The parents were so well pleased and afforded such a nice home for the little one, that His Storkship thought it only the proper thing that he bring another little one for company to the first. The parents are surely tickled almost to death.

IS MEETING WITH THE COMMITTEE

From Friday's Daily. This morning Attorney C. A. Rawls departed for Omaha, where he is meeting with a committee of the Y. M. C. A., who are taking up the matter of work for the organization, for the solution of the "After War Problems."

At a meeting of the national organization, which was held in the east a few weeks since, a plan was outlined, for this work, and the delegates who were in attendance from the west, held a meeting which embraced a large number of people from this state in Omaha on December 18th. At that time Dean Ringler, called a meeting for special work, and said he would name the personal later. Mr. Rawls received a notification that he had been selected as a member of that committee, and goes today to meet with them.

TAFT APPROVES WILSON'S TRIP

New York, Dec. 31.—Approval of President Wilson's trip to Europe and of his plans for a League of Nations was expressed by William Howard Taft in an address today under the auspices of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences. He asserted that the President had more influence with the common people of England and the other Allies "than their own princes," and attributed this to his enunciation of the principles for which the United States entered the war and to the League of Nations proposal.

FARM FOR SALE.

A finely improved 260 acre farm for sale, possession given, March 1st, 1919. One mile north of Murray, Epuree of Lloyd Gopen, Murray, Neb. 29-4wksd&w

LIVELY GAME BASKET BALL WAS PLAYED

LAST EVENING AT THE GYM AT THE HIGH SCHOOL, AN INTERESTING TIME WAS HAD.

FORMER H. S. PUPILS PLAYED

And Are Trimmed By the Present High School Squad Who Are a Fast Bunch.

From Saturday's Daily. A very interesting game was played last evening at the high school to a large number of young people, who were greatly interested in the results. The first number on the program was the contest between the Senior and Junior girls, in which they put up a pretty good game, and which was won by the girls of the Junior Class. Just what the exact result was, we do not know, but they were running too big numbers, and were considered of sufficient size to be worthy of going down into history as worthy of note.

Then followed the Freshman and Sophomore game, which was remarkable for the fact that the score was in the free silver ratio, sixteen to one, or thirty-two to two, the Sophomore's the larger number.

Then came the event of the evening. The team which the high school boasts of are some players, and are composed of Harley Cecil, Roscoe Hill, John Settler, H.H. Martin and Joseph McCarthy. They are some players sure, and feeling they should try some of the former basket ball experts, they challenged some of the Alumni, or former students, and succeeding in rounding up a bunch of unsuspecting youths for the event. They being Albert Janda, June Marshall, Fred Saack, Lawrence Sprecher and Leslie Neill all good players but perhaps a little out of practice.

As a result the High school team walked into the game with a zest and earnestness, which immediately won a victory.

Superintendent G. E. DeWolf was selected as the referee, and his decisions were said to have been fair, and just in all the cases. When the fray was ended and the accounts taken, it was found the younger team, the high school squad, had the scraps of the older ones dangling from their belts, and had 33 scores to their credit, while the men of the world, had only 10.

ORDER OF HEARING

and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.

On reading the petition of N. H. Meeker praying a final settlement and allowance of the account filed in this court on the 20th day of December, 1918, and for finding of heirship and distribution of estate.

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do appear at the County Court to be held in and for said County on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Plattsmouth Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county, for one week prior to said day of hearing, and witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of said Court this 26th day of December, A. D. 1918. ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

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INFLUENZA STILL CLAIMING VICTIMS BY THE THOUSANDS

Epidemic Breaking Out Anew from One End of the Country to the Other of Late.

Warning to the country that the influenza epidemic is by no means ended, and that all possible precautions against the disease should be taken has just been issued by the public health authorities at Washington.

Late reports show that the disease is breaking out anew in its worst form from practically one end of the country to the other. Already there have been over 300,000 deaths from the disease and one prominent health official predicts that there will possibly be 750,000 deaths in his country next year from influenza and the ailments which follow it. The disease has been very baffling to the medical profession and health authorities frankly admit that ordinary preventative measures such as wearing of masks and closing public places seem of little avail.

Persons who are weak and run-down, and who have not the strength to throw off the influenza germ, are the earliest victims. Those who catch colds easily or who are suffering from catarrhal troubles are also early victims, as the inflamed mucus membrane linings of the nose and throat are an open door to the germs. If you are suffering from any of these symptoms, nothing will build you up and fortify your system against attack like Tanlac, which contains the most powerful tonic properties known to science. This statement is easily proven by the fact that this celebrated medicine is now having the greatest sale of any system tonic in the history of medicine.

Actual experience has shown that the best way to keep from taking influenza is to keep the system in good shape as it is a well known fact that the powers of resistance of the human system can be so perfected that it can throw off almost any infection, not even excepting Spanish influenza, which is one of the most contagious diseases known.

Tanlac increases your strength and weight and creates a good, healthy appetite for nourishing food. It keeps you physically fit and makes you strong, vigorous and well, and in this way fortifies you against deadly disease germs. In connection with the Tanlac treatment, be sure to keep the bowels open by taking Tanlac Laxative Tablets. Tanlac is sold in Plattsmouth by F. G. Fricke & Co., in Alvo by the Alvo Drug Co., in Avoca by O. E. Copes, in South Bend by E. Sturzenegger, in Greenwood by E. F. Smith, in Weeping Water by Meier Drug Co., in Elmwood by L. A. Tyson, in Murdock by H. V. McDonald, in Louisville by Blake's Pharmacy, in Eagle by F. W. Bloemenkamp, and in Union by E. W. Keedy. (21w)

Chamberlain's Tablets. When you are troubled with indigestion or constipation, take Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Indigestion is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by it. Chamberlain's Tablets cause a gentle movement of the bowels, relieving the constipated condition. Journal Want-Ads Pav'

A Few Specials! Sweet Cider 70c Gal. Evaporated Corn, 15c package Black Walnuts, \$2.00 per bushel Onions, 5c per pound Large Can Pineapple, 35 and 40c Large Jar Mustard, 10c ..HATT & SON..

Go Ahead With Your Plans: That is the advice of the War Industries Board. Maybe you have hoped that another year would see your plans of a new home realized. Those hopes can be a reality. Building Restrictions Have Been Removed On All farm and ranch buildings All schools, churches, hospitals and public buildings costing not more than \$25,000.00. All new homes costing not more than \$10,000.00. Now is the time to plan. Let us help you do it. E. J. RICHEY

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