THE NORTH PLATTE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE.

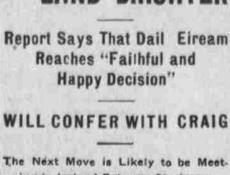


Combine to Pour Riches Into the Hands of Agriculturists.

There are those in nearly every state in the Union who have relatives or friends, or someone they have known, who are residents of some of the provinces of Western Canada. They have gone there to carry on the profession and occupation of farming, Their progress has been carefully watched and such news as may come from them or the country that they have taken partial possession of will be read with interest. Important news just now is the condition of the crops. Newspaper correspondents and government representatives are now in a posttion, after making a careful survey of conditions, to announce that the crop conditions in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta carry the promise of an early and bountiful harvest and farmers view the outlook with utmost pleasure. Good growing weather has prevailed since seeding and all cereal crops are well advanced. Wheat headed out has long, heavy heads, and big yields are indicated; predictions are being made that the record production per acre in 1915 will be exceeded, Harvesting began in some sections in the early part of August. An interesting feature of the situation is the fact that there are no bad reports from any part of the country from the Red river to the Rocky mountains and from the International boundary to Peace river. There will also be good fruit, vegetable and root. crops.

Most remarkable has been the germination of most of the grain. Marquis wheat sown on May 11 was fully headed out on June 30.

place in the last few years in the growing of corn. Sunflowers are also being grown quite extensively. Both these do wonderfully well. On July 4 the writer was shown a twenty-acre field of corn that had reached a height of upwards of five feet, while a fiveacre field of sunflowers close by, was entering for a keen race skyward. Both will doubtless be used for ensilage, to which will be added a splendid crop of alfalfa or sweet clover, which also have proved very successful, Now that corn, sunflowers, sweet clover and alfalfa have taken a liking to the conntry, it will mean a period of reconstruction in many farming districts, and mixed farming will supersede the period of "grain mining" that, no matter how fertile the soil, no matter how generous it may be in giving forth from its great storehouse of all the properties that have given to Western Canada its well-earned name of the wheat granary of the world, too much



ing in Ireland Between Sir James Craig and Mr. De Valera.

Dublin.-An air of unusual optimism prevails here. Eamonn De Valera, republican leader, had an informal meeting with some of his colleagues, after which it was confidently stated that a communication from him to Premier Lloyd George might be expected soon upon the proposed basis of a conference.

The next move is likely to be another meeting in Iroand between Sir James Craig, Ulster prertier, and Mr. De Valera, it is stated on good authority.

It was somewhat difficult to arrange for this meeting, but according to the informant "they have got over the fence.

The obstacle to Ireland's contribution to the imperial exchequer, it is reported, will be surmounted by Ireland assuming a portion of the national debt, instead of paying a yearly contribution to the imperial exchequer, which Sinn Feiners regard in the nature of tribute. This solution is considered less objectionable, and would satisy Premier Lloyd George's contention that Ireland ought to pay something toward the cost of the war. Letters which have been received from the imprisoned Sinn Feiners in-Considerable advancement has taken dicate that there has been much improvement in their treatment.

Elimination of Red Tape.

Washington, D. C .- Re-examination of the 4,500,000 former service men and elimination of the statutory red tape was suggested by Col. C. R. Forbes, director of the war risk insurance bureau, as the best solution of the soldiers' relief problem. It would cut off much "justifiable criticism," he said, and build a firm foundation for future dealings with veterans.

Colonel Forbes said claims had been reduced to between 40,000 and 50,000. but applications for claims were coming in at the rate of 1,000 a day, largely mental and nervous cases, and he saw no "peak" in prospect.

Cost of Troops on Rhine,

Washington, D. C .- Germany owed \$240,744,511 for maintenance of Ameri-

Mellon and Fordney Consider the Returning to Wartime Letter Rats. May Add to Stamp Tax.

3-CENT POSTAGE MAY RETURN.

Washington, D. C .- Plans for building a new tax law took more definite form as preparations were completed for the actual beginning of revision of the revenue laws by the house ways and means committee. President Harding heard details of

what house leaders propose to do from Chairman Fordney of the committee, and information leaked out indicating that the 3-cent postage stamp might be resorted to as revenue producer. The return to the 3-cent stamp was understood to have been discussed at the conference before Secretary Melion and Mr. Fordney and other republican members of the ways and means committee. The suggestion will be taken up with the postoffice department before any further moves are made, however, it was stated.

In the search for methods of raising around \$4,000,000,000 a year, members of the committee were declared to have talked also of a stamp tax on bank checks, but that suggestion was understood to have been frowned on by the treasury.

Mr. Mellon, it was said, had told the committee that he was opposed to the use of a sales tax to supplant the excess profits levy, which it is conceded will be abandoned. He was represented as being favorable to a flat tax on corporations.

Committee leaders declared they belleved the corporation tax would take the form of a 15 per cent levy on incomes with the exemption of \$2,000 now in effect, abolished.

Treaty Ratified.

Paris.-Ratification of the peace treaty with Hungary were exchanged at the Qual d'Orsay. The ceremony which lasted twenty minutes was presided over by Paul Campon.

Herr Krasnovsky, Hungarian minister to France, promised that Hungary would execute the treaty in good faith,

Volcano Again Active.

San Antonio, Tex.-For the first time In seventy-five years the volcano of Sar. Miguel threatens an eruption, according to a news dispatch from Mexico City received here. Vapor smoke and boiling water have spouted from the crater recently.

The last eruption of San Miguel occurred in 1846 when two small towns were destroyed.

Millions Given to Charity.

Chicago, Ill .- One of the largest individual gifts to charity ever announced in Chicago was disclosed thru the transfer of seven valuable pieces of property to the Chicago charitable corpotation. The first property deeded to the corporation is valued at \$4,500,000. the United States up to April 30 last, and was given by Mr. and Mrs. Werner A. Wieboldt.



RELIGION'S PART IN BIG WAR Senior Chaplain Found That 90 per

Cent of Fighters Were Men of Some Faith.

To those disquieting souls who publicly inment that the average Am-

erican lost what little religion he possessed during the trying days of 1917-18, Rev. Henry Russel Tal-840 bot, B. D., canon of the National Cathedral of Washington, D. C., makes answer. As senior chaplain of the embattled First Division, A.

F., in the Argonne fighting, Dr. Talbot viewed a cross section of the country's manhood and found a religion that will puzzle and amaze the orthodox church-goer.

In his work, Dr. Taibot collected and examined the personal effects of men killed in battle. In ninety percent of them he found either a Bible, a scapular, a prayer book, a cross, a crucifix or some other token which, he says in a letter to national headquarters of the American Legion, proved that religion was a real element in the men's lives. And in those days, the former chaplain continues, the First was not carrying a single article It did not consider essential.

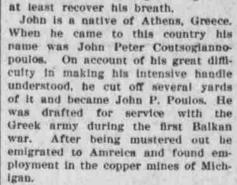
Admitting that the average American is "uncommonly timid in the exercise of his religion," Dr. Talbot declares that "nevertheless it is there and needs only to be cultivated and intelligently used." He summarizes his refutation of the assertion that the American soldler was an irreligious person by the statement: "If a simplicity which is elemental; a trust which is childlike although it expresses itself in what is called 'chance' or 'luck'; a sense of reverence which is so profound that it is never fooled by cant; an honesty which, while-it is apt to be communistic is so essential that shams don't last---if these are notes of religion, there was in the spiritual life of the Expeditionary Force something that was fine."





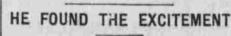
John P. Poulos, veteran of the World war and a member of Albert

V. Braden Post No. 58, the American Legion, 1shpeming, Mich., is getting tired of going to war every year or so. He has the United States government at work trying to get a red chevron that will keep him out of battle long enough to



After a few years in this country he returned to Greece for a visit. Greece was having another little scrap then, and he was drafted for the second Balkan war. He did his bit and left for America again. America entered the war just after John got back, and he enlisted for his third fling in the Infantry. He did it well, and after Uncle Sam had given him his discharge, he decided once more to visit Greece. Result, he's in again!

This time the Greeks have drafted him for service against the Turks. John recently appealed to his congressman, W. Frank James of the Twelfth Michigan district, opining that he was fed up on wars and that he wanted to get out of the army and be married. Mr. James has taken up the case with the State department. Poulos is a fully naturalized citizen, but in the absence of treaty agreements between the United States and Greece, his citizenship papers were not sufficient to prevent his being drafted.



Hoosier, Seeking Battle Lines, Discovered Liberal Share of What World War Offered.

Few bucks can equal the record of Raiph G. Patterson, Hoosier of strong

He his quiet home in Muncie, Ind., early



May Escape the Dreaded Sufferings of that Period by Taking Mrs. Block's Advice

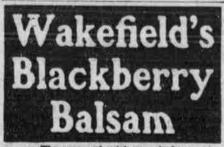
Hopkins, Minn. - "During Change of Life I had hot flashes and suffered for



mend your medicine to my friends and you may publish this fact as a testi-monial."-Mrs.Ros-ERT BLOCK, BOX 542, Hopkins, Minn. It has been said that not one woman in

a thousand passes this perfectly natural change without experiencing a train of very annoying and sometimes painful symptoms. Those dreadful hot flashes, sinking spells, spots before the eyes, dizzy spells, nervousness, are only a few of the symptoms. Every woman at this age should prefit by Mrs. Block's experi-ence and try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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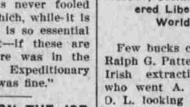
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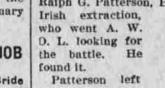
Acid Stomach for 10 Years **NOW A DIFFERENT WOMAN**

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"My wife was a great sufferer from acid stomach for 10 years," writes H. D. Crippen, "but is a different woman

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may be asked of it ; the departure from this into the sphere of more intensive not before indulged in, will add dollars per acre to the value of this productive land. Those who have watched the progress of Western Canada, have been looking for the day when corn and such like can be grown placed at \$275,324,192 successfully. It has now arrived.

The cattle and dairy industry will be given an impulse that will attract those who have been wedded to this kind of farm life, while none of the interest that may be taken by the grain grower will be lessened. Already there is an influence following the fact that corn and sunflowers can be grown, that is leading to the erection of silos in many parts of the country, all indicating a growing satisfaction as to the great future that lies before it.

Due chiefly to the drop in costs of materials and wages, farmers throughout the prairie provinces are erecting many buildings this year, says the editor and manager of the Prairie Lumberman, who was a visitor to Vancouver a few days ago, A campaign is under way among the retail lumbermen and farmers, urging the erection of 2.000 silos this year, and this is meeting with success, more plans and apecifications having been prepared and more structures being under way problably than at any other time in the history of the West .--- Advertisement.

Protection Against Radium.

A physician using radium has to insuiate himself thoroughly from its effects. Dr. Belchere of the French Academy of Medicine says they must wear gloves lined with lead, and spectacles containing lead sait; they must handle the radium salts with pincers and sit at the table lined with lead, He is perfecting a lead protector for the heart and lungs, but advises operators to wrap themselves in thin lead sheets.

Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says nature puts enough scales on a fish to give it more of a bathing suit than some human beings wear.

From Missouri.

"What in the world are you kicking about?" asked the red-headed landindy. "When I took my room you told me there was a single bair mattress on the bed," said the thin boarder. "So I did." "Well, will you please come up to my room and show me the single bair?"

Knows a Lot.

"So your son is home from college?" "Yep." "Has he learned much?" "He certainly has. More than his mother and I have picked up in a lifetime."

can troops on the Rhine. Secretary, Weeks sent the figures to the senate farming, covering many generalities in answer to a resolution by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho.

The total cost of the American occupation forces from December 18, 1918, to April 30, the last date for which accounts were available, was

There are now 500 officers, 13,241 enlisted men and fifty-four nurses in German territory.

Consulate at Shanghai Reopened.

Shanghai.-The German consulate at Shanghai has just been reopened with Dr. K. Schirmer in charge. Consulates also have been opened at Tientsin and Hankow. German merchants in China are active in the formation of Chinese-German trading and manufacturing companies. It has been announced that the Dutch-Asiatic bank has been reorganized and will be called the Sino-German bank.

Cub Bears Offered Harding.

Euphrata, Wash .-- President Harding has been proffered a pair of cub bears as an addition to the White House menageric, W. E. Southard, of this city, telegraphed the president he is preparing to ship a pair of "beautiful cub bears for Laddle Boy to practice on.

Emperor Charles Cannot Return.

Vienna .-- A treaty providing for a declaration of war on Hungary in the event Emperor Charles returns to the Hungarian throne has been signed by Roumania, Jugo-Slavia and Czecho-Slovakia, according to dispatches from Belgrade, reaching here.

Peace Effective September 1. London .- The date for the official termination of the war, except as regards Turkey, will be September 1, the prime minister, Mr. Lloyd George, announced in the house of commons.

Another Plea for Release of Debs.

Washington, D. C .- Another plea for release of Eugene V. Debs and other wartime prisoners was presented to President Harding by a delegation representing the socialist party and the political amnesty committee.

To Return Soldier Bodies.

Vladivostok .- The transport Merritt has arrived here to take home the bodies of American soldiers who died in Siberia.

Wina Pike Peak Race,

Colorado Springs, Colo .- Dr. Joseph B. Cherry, 63, Omaha, defeated four young men in ascending Pikes Peak. The doctor made the trip from Manitou to the summit in a little more than three hours. It was the 44th time the doctor has climbed the peak.

Fight Reduction of Corporation Tax. Washington, D. C .-- Representatives of farmers' organizations gave notice to the house ways and means committee, on opening hearings on tax revision, that the agricultural interests will fight reduction of taxes now imposed on profitable corporations and wealthy individuals.

Germans Send Silver to U. S.

New York .- Silver valued at from \$750,000 to \$800,000 to be converted into dollar credits to meet reparations payments before August 31, has arrived here from Germany. The shipment was consigned to the Equitable Trust company by the Reichsbank.

Forest Fires Destroys Hamlet,

Sydney, N. S .- Sweeping down the coast with the impetus of a fresh southwesterly breeze, a gigantic forest fire wiped out New Haven, a hamlet of 500 population, and for several hours menaced with destruction Nell's Harbor.

Cannot be Downed.

Washington, D. C .- The demand for soldier bonus bill is based on simple justice nd "will not and cannot be downed," Gilbert Battman, chairman of the American Legion legislative committee, told President Harding.

Demanda Prisoners' Release.

Riga .- An officia iemond by Secretary of State Hughes for the release of the American prisoners in Russia was handed by counsul Albrecht to Leonid Stark, the bolshevik minister here.

On Good Terms Again,

Berlin .- The first meeting since the war between Japanese and German scientists took place here when six eminent Japanese physicians attended a session of the Berlin Academy of Medicine.

Anthrax Among Stock.

Sloux City, Ia .- Anthrax has appeared among cattle and horses in the western part of Yankton county, South Dakota, and a large number of anlmals have died.

Bables Six Months Old Should Talk.

Chicago, Ill .- When baby says "googoo," the fond parents should not answer "shut up," but should reply in turn, "goo-goo," Likewise when the child points a finger at the proud father and remarks, "gump-gumpgump," papa should respond to the baby by saying, "papa, papa."

This advice is given by Dr. Waiter B. Swift, speech expert, who contends that children should talk when 6 months old and who is conducting a clinic for teachers of speech.

They met in France. He was a soldier, she a canteen worther The ro-



leans and the "vets' are now domiciled at Lincoln.

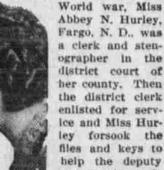
O'Conneil, during the summer of 1918, served at Le Mons, where he edited a soldier newspaper. Miss Blodgett was stationed there as a canteen worker with the Y. M. C. A. They had known each other as children, but not seriously. They met at Sable. Cupid did the rest.

On his return from France, O'Connell became active in Legion work. He was the first commander of the Lincoln post and has been adjutant of the department since its organization. He is widely known among the Cornhusker Legionnaires.

WAR BROUGHT WORK FOR HER

Fargo (N. D.) Girl Found Plenty to Do During and After Big Conflict.

Maybe woman's place was in the home, but when America entered the



carry on the work. Then the deputy collsted-and the little stenographer carried on the work alone while she broke in a new deputy. She did the task so well that she was named deputy clerk herself in October, 1919, a position which she now holds.

When the boys came marching home again, her brother, who had enlisted early in the state's infantry regiment, began forming a post of the American Legion and Miss Hurley started in to organize a unit of the Legion Women's auxiliary, Last May she was elected secretary treasurer of the North Dakota department of the aux-Illary. She is, ah-twenty-one.

in search of excitement. He found what he wanted in the cattle ranches of the Northwest, His life in riding the ranges was the most exciting career he had heard of until he convoyed a carload of cattle to Chicago in April, 1917, and found out that America had entered the war. So did Pat.

Going to France with Headquarters Troop of the First division shortly after Pershing, Private Patterson was stationed in the peaceful French village of Gondrecourt for weary and drab months while the battle was going on without him. Finally he and two buddles hopped a French meat truck bound for the front. It took them as far as Bar-le-Duc, from which place they hiked in the direction of the firing. They found the front line trenches around Luneville, introduced themselves to the amazed pollus and declined to leave because they couldn't understand what the horizon blues were so excited about. After ten days an American officer came to the front after them. They polished the company's pots and pans for two weeks for their pains.

Patterson finally found enough excitement. At Cantigny he came through unscathed. At Solssons a machine gun bullet got him through both ankles. At Seicheprey he jumped into a shell hole on top of a German with a bayonet. High explosive which got him in the Argonne on October 4, 1918, left his right leg stiff, tore open his shoulder and broke his nose,

INDIAN BOYS AS LEGION MEN Charter for Post in South Dakota

Bears the Names of Four Sloux Braves.

When adjutants of a number of western posts of the American Legion call the membership roll at meetings, It is not always the easiest thing in the world to "make out" the names, for American Indians who served during the World war, are lining up with the ex-service men's organization, according to applications for post charters received at national headquarters.

A recent charter request for a post at St. Charles, S. D., bears the names of four Indians who sign themselves: Benjamin Comes-Out-Bear, Charles Owl-Walks-in-the-House, Narcisse MacKenzle and John Bluebird. Sixty Sloux Indian braves have been engaged to stage a real war dance for the Legion's third annual national convention in Kansas City next fall, 'The Indians performed valiant service against the enemy in the World war as intelligence scouts.

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"The Price of Liberty."

The quotation, "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty," is from a speech delivered by John Philpot Curran in 1808.

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