WEST POINT WINS DEBATE

WEST POINT, Neb., March 2 - (Special

Telegram.)-West Point High school de-

bating team defeated the Newman Grove

team at the West Point auditorium last

night. The teams represented the North

first of the series. The subject was, "Preparedness," Newman Grove sent D. Hale Harvey, Arthur Finstrom and Harold

Central district and the debate was the

Gerhard. West Point had Miss Lill's

Solfemoser, Charles Korg and Marion

Staht. The judges were E. E. Carr, Guy Chambers of the State university and T.

A. Brown of Lincoln. The decision was

FROM NEWMAN GROVE

FIVE MORE VESSELS ARE REPORTED SUNK

Three British Fishing Smacks, One Italian Ship and One Russian Ship Go Down,

EIGHTEEN ON LATTER DROWN

LONDON, March 2 .- The sinking of five more vessels was reported to day. The crews of three British smacks landed at Lowestoft. Their vessels are said to have been sunk in the North sea

The Italian ship Eliza also is reported to have been sunk.

The Russian steamship Alexander Wentzell has been sunk. Eighteen of the crew were drowned and eleven rescued.

Reports Sinking of Thornaby. Lloyd's agent at Blyth reports that the British steamship Thornsoy was sunk by a mine on Monday night.

A dispatch of yesterday's date announced that the Thornaby had been sunk in the North Sea and that nearly all of the crew were killed or drowned Later it was reported that the steamer Devereux had arrived in the Tyne bringing the steward of the Thornaby, who had been rescued from the wreckage and reporting that two other persons had been saved by the steamer High Gate.

The Alexander Wentzell was 2,328 gross tons, was 320 feet long and 45-foot beam It was owned by the Northern Steamship company of Petrograd.

Six Weeks More and He Could Have Got A Million Together

NEW YORK, March 2-John Grant Lyman, who was arrested several days ago at St. Petersburg, Fla., where he fied from this city February 8, after the discovery of an alleged oil stock swindle, said to have netted him more than \$300,custody of government agents. Deputy United States Marshal W. D. Vinzant of Florida, who accompanied the party, declared Lyman confided in him on the way here that if he could have operated six weeks longer as "John H. Putnam and company," he could have "cleaned up a million dollars."

Lyman, who, it is believed, was about to leave for Spanish Honduras on a motor boat when he was apprehended, boasted that persons throughout the country, who sent their money to him for investment, were above the average in intelligence and "it was a pleasure to him to know that he got the best of them," according to Vinzant.

The prisoner complained that 20,000 of \$1,000 each were taken from him by not since been accounted for.

Judge Wade Orator for

The fourth degree Knights of Columbus gave a banquet at the Fontenelle hotel last evening at which Martin J. Wade. judge of the United States circuit court of the southern district of Iowa, gave an address on the subject, "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" During his address the judge set forth various principles of the order and urged each and every one of the members present to look more upon the welfare of his more unfortunate

Several vocal and instrumental selections were given during the evening by Miss Ruth Flynn, Miss Buelah Dale Turner and Miss Loretta LeLone. Charles F. McLaughlin was toastmaster About 160 couples were present

GO WITHOUT FOOD FOR DAYS UNDER CANNON FIRE

BERLIN, March 2 .- (Wireless to Sayville.)-Dispatches to the Lokal Anzeiger, dealing with the recent fighting on the Verdun front in the Woevre region, state that the Germans who stormed hill No. 344 under a rain of shells and through all sorts of entanglements were forced to maintain themselves without food during two days and nights against incessant attacks, as the French curtain of fire made the bringing up of supplies impossible. According to the corresepondent, French troops who were placed in the same circumstances surrendered, the prisoners, it is declared, simply announcing "we got no food and surren-

dered.' Geneva Beats Beatrice.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 2-(Special.) -In the last basket ball game of the season, played here last evening between Beatrice and Geneva High school teams, the visitors won by the score of 29 to 21. A large crowd witnessed the game, which was closely contested.

Heavy Snow in Gage. BEATRICE, Neb., March 2.-(Special Telegram.)-A blizzard is raging here tonight, heavy snow is falling. The temperature has dropped to eighteen above

Sign of Good Digestion.

When you see a cheerful and happy old lady you may know that she has good digestion. If your digestion is impaired

Washington Affairs

Orders approved by President Wilson restore to entry 113 hs acres of public land in Wisconsin. 15,35 acres in eastern 1 tah and 10.988 acres in western central Montana. The Wyoming and Montana lands had been reserved for phosphete deposits, which they later were found not to contain, and those in Utah had been included in a coal land withdrawal. Senator Sheppard of Texas blocked another effort to bring to an early vote the Shield waterpower bill permitting construction of dams on navigable rivers by refusing unanimously agreement to limit debate on the bill to five-minute speeches after 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and to keep the measure the exclusive subject for discussion before the senate in the meantime.

The relations of Louis D. Brandels to the United Shoe Machinery company and his conduct while its counsel and afterwards were defended by his law partner Edward F McCliennon. of Bosion, before the senate subcommittee investigating Mr. Brandels' fitness to be a subreme court justice. Stephen S. Gregory of Chicago, former president of the American Per association, testified that Brandels' reputation throughout the country was excellent as to both ability and character.

WOMEN FIGURING IN CHICAGO'S AMAZING GRAFT REVELATION -- Left to right: Mrs. Page Walter Eaton, Mrs. Margaret E. Mivolaz, Mrs. Louise Osborne Rowe.



Old Naval System of Promotion Through Seniority Abandoned

WASHINGTON, March 1.-Promotion of naval officers by selection instead of by seniority, an increase of 50 per cent in officers of all grades, creation of a war eserve list and restoration of the popular old rank of commodore are proposed in a bill drafted by the navy personnel board and transmitted to congress today by Secretary Daniels.

The measure, the result of two years of study and work by the board, is designed to increase the efficiency of the service, put able men in commanding positions at an earlier age, and open the way for the rise of subordinate officers now virtually barred from hope of promotion

Under the plan, all officers above the rank of lieutenant would be subject to promotion by selection upon passage of the bill, the selections being made from each grade by officers of the ranks above. The board reported that it was conrinced the system of promotion by senior ity must be abandoned.

Australia Prohibits Remington Machines

WASHINGTON, March 2.-Australia at the request of the British government, has put a prohibition on the sale of typewriters manufactured by the Remthe arresting officers in Florida and have inston Typewriter company on the ground that the corporation is suspected of selling to enemies of the allies. It became known today that the Remington company has laid its case before the Knights of Columbus State department denying the charge and alleging it is the victim of the jealousy of English manufacturers.

German Seaplane Shells English Coast

LONDON, March 2.-A German seaeast of England tonight, according to an official statement.

A 9-month-old child was killed. There was no military damage.

KING OF BULGARIA IS ILL WITH BRONCHITIS

AMSTERDAM (Via London), March 2 -A Vienna dispatch says that King Ferdiand of Bulgaria, who is visiting the Austrian capital, is suffering from an attack of bronchitis and is confined to bed:

KING HAAKON OF NORWAY FRACTURES HIS LEFT WRIST

CHRISTIANIA, Norway (via London.) March 2.-King Haaken fractured a bon-

in his jeft wrist while skiing today.

The Boy is Father

Old sayings like this are fraught with

a most important meaning. And what will ald the expectan mother in conserving her shealth, her strength, her menta rep e and the at sence of veratiou pains is a subject o vast moment. Among the recognized helps he appended reme d. a splendid remedy known as "Mother's Friend." Applied to the juscles it sinks in

the Juscles it sinks in deeply to make them firm and pilant, it thus lifts the Jain on ligaments that produce pain, it lightens the burden on the nervous system, induces calm, estful nights of health-giving sleep and makes the days sunny and happy. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" of any druggist and you will then realize why it has been considered true to its name in our best homes through three generations. It is perfectly harmless but so effective that once used it digestion. If your digestion is impaired or if you do not relish your meals take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach, improve the digestion and cause a sentle movement of the bowels. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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New Spring Suits, Coats & **Dresses Arriving Daily** BEDDEO, 1417 DOUGLAS

The Manicure Lady

She Gives Her Ideas on Poetry and the Poets

By W. F. KIRK. 'Do you know, George," said the Manieure Lady, "I am getting so l

an't read nothing but poetry." "That's one of the first signs of what he doctors call senile senility," declared the Head Barber. "You are getting woozy in the head."

"I could get a whole lot woozier in the head and still be too bright for a comset down at night and spend a hour any edition of the Register this year, en Robert Keats or John Burns than to be edition. all the time reading about how many tional league instead of leaping to the through a sporting page."

"Who wants a great intellect? I don't or one," declared the Head Barber. "I was reading about a fellow named Chatterton that had a great intellect and starved to death in a garret. It's funny that his intellect didn't steer him around to a free lunch somewhere."

"They didn't have free lunch in them said the Manicure Lady, "and if they did, do you suppose a great poet like Mister Chatterton would eat free would know that much." "I seen a song writer eating liverwurst

the other day," said the Head Barber

Manicure Lady. "All they can do is to "Yesterday there were twenty air enmake every line begin with a capital counters on our front. The enemy losses letter. The kind of poets I mean kind like Mister Cratterton, is all dead machines falled to return from a reconnow, and the ones that is trying to be now, and the ones that is trying to be like him ought to be dead.

"Oh, gee, George, how I wish I could have been living in them brave days when Lord Byron was fussing around and flirting with the girls. If his photographs don't flatter him he was awful handsome, and maybe he might have dropped around to have his nails did if I had been living then."

"He wouldn't have gave you no tip like Joe Blow," said the Head Barber. "Poets for romance and bookmakers for tips, kid. You want to stop thinking about them old-time poets and begin thinking about marrying some nice, rich real estate man with a million feet of ground on Staten Island and one foot in the cold grave.

"I wouldn't marry a rich man unless he loved me an awful lot," said the

Manleure Lady. "Most or them rich men make their wives keep an expense account, and they have to keep it as strict and crooked as a drummer, too, to make both ends meet. No. George, shall never wed a rich man unless I should happen to fall in love with him. "Suit yourself about that," said the

"I will if I want to," snapped the Manicure Lady. "All right," warned the Head Barber,

don't marry no poet."

High School Girls Record Ad Getters

the next week looking for your old job.

Register was issued yesterday and connon gent like you to get gay with," tained many innovations. The girls by a said the Manicure Lady. "I think it is whirtwind campaign collected the largest a whole lot nicer for a human being to amount of advertising that has been in reading something that was wrote by abling them to add several pages to the

The officers of the girls' staff which players wish they had stuck to the Na- edited this number are: Gertrude Matison, editor-in-chief; Elizabeth Sturtevant. Federals, Goodness knows, George, it assistant editor. Helen Giltner, business don't take no great intellect to go manager; Martha Gyger and Myrne Gilchrist, assistant business managers. One of the interesting sections contains biographies of several students of the high school and Miss Jessie Towne of the faculty, with accompanying photographs taken at an early age.

ARMY OFFICER INSPECTS COMPANY C OF THE GUARD

Company C of the Nebraska National Guard of Omaha was inspected at their unch? Poets can't digest cold wieners, armory last night by Captain Gordon of George. Barbers can, maybe, but not the United States army. Captain Irvin poets, such vulgar things as sausages Todd had a full attendance of his men are not for singers. I should think you for the occasion and it was said the company came through with a good report.

Twenty Air Fights. LONDON, March 2-The British offi-"Song writers ain't poets," said the cial communication issued this evening:

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GERM NSE RAIDER MOEWE IS TAKEN

Report from Buenos Ayres Says Teuton Commerce Destroyer Captured by Brtish Cruiser.

IDENTITY OF SHIP NOT CLEAR

Press dispatches from Montev deo exter while during the same period exsay that a steamer from Europe in- perts of gold amounted to \$14,909,000, so tercepted near the coast of Brazil a wireless message stating that British cruisers had captured the German auxiliary cruiser Moewe.

The Sloews, it is said, was taken by the British cruisers to Trinidad Island. The American Steamer Santa Bara has ing the announcement that a French craiter, which put out from Dakar, on the west coast of Africa, encountered a German raider, name not given, and epened fire on it. Under cover of darkness the German ship got away. It was, however, damaged on its upper works by the French fire.

There is some doubt, however, as to the identity of the German vessel reported to have been captured. Another version of the account is that the vessel in question is the German cruiser

The Moewe first came into prominence with the arrival at Hampton Roads several weeks ago of the British steamship Appam, in charge of a German prize crew. It brought word of a mysterious German commerce raider, the Moewe, Head Barber, "hur whatever you do, which was roaming the seas and had captured and sunk seven British merchantmen and admiralty transports, in addition to capturing the Appam.

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right there don't be afraid—that's it feel how smooth the skin is? Well, that's where the corn was. Well that beats all!" That's the way "Gets-It" works on all corns, every corn, every time. It's the new, simple way of curing corns, You'll say good-bye to all foolish contraptions like bundling bandages, sticky tape, plasters, toe-eating salves, and grave-diggers such as knives, razors and scissors. "Gets-It" stops pain. Applied in 2 seconds. Never fails. Nothing to atick to, hurt or press on the corn.

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RESORTS

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Can't Drink Any Raw

Alcohol in Germany

BERLIN, March 2-Owing to the great

smand for alcohol for technical purposes,

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German

sperial chancellor, today issued an or-

der prohibiting temporarily the exercising of raw alcohol for drinking purposes.

Gold Arriving Here.

WASHINGTON, March 2-Gold im

ported into the United States from Jan-

vary 1 to February 18, amounted to \$22,

ording to the figures made public today by the federal reserve board.



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