

# IN THE LIMELIGHT

## FRENCH HERO OF THE AIR

Sub-Lieut. Rene Fonck of the French aviation service started out the other day to avenge his friend, Lieutenant Chaput, who had just been killed by the Huns.

Lieutenant Fonck had only just left the region of the airfield when he encountered an enemy squad. He drove straight at them, opening fire with his machine gun, and shot down two of the Germans. He then went after a third machine and sent it crashing to earth.

Fonck returned to the airfield to take on more gasoline and to rest before going out for the second patrol. On this patrol he met another squad. One two-seater he shot to pieces in the air and two others he saw strike the ground, all within five minutes.

Lieutenant Fonck's achievement has never been equaled. He recently took a leading place among French aces, and is the greatest French air fighter since the death of Captain Guynemer. He is described as a remarkably cool and daring fighter. Recently he fought two German machines in a squadron of eight, felled one of them and put the other to flight.



## PERSISTENT HARRY NEW



For insistency perhaps Senator Harry New of Indiana wins the prize in the war senate of the United States. The junior senator from Indiana has a sticking power that equals that of the proverbial bulldog.

When New gets behind a war measure he stays behind it until it is put through. As one of the strongest advocates of universal military service he has brought the subject to the attention of the senate almost daily, despite the fact that at times it has seemed almost hopeless.

Tucked away in a seat beneath the galleries, Senator New is not often seen, but he is heard. He is quick to his feet whenever promise for action opens up, and he never leaves the chamber until his fight is disposed of.

When the Spanish war broke out Harry New was quick to get into the service. His service during that war gave him an insight into military affairs which has served him in good stead during the present crisis. Senator New is young for his age and comes from Indianapolis, where he used to engage in newspaper work.

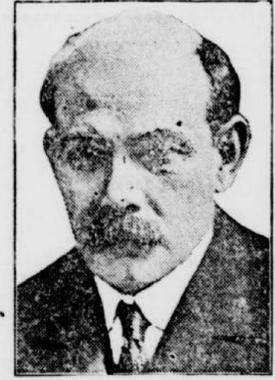
## CHAMPION OF BABIES

In all the cities of America there is a feud between the landlord and the baby. And in all the cities but one the landlord is usually the winner. Babies are not wanted in modern flats.

But one city official, James F. Cannon, Jr., commissioner of revenue and finance in Jersey City, has been nursing about in the crevices of the law and has discovered a way of assuring to the baby its happy home. He has already opened fire on the baby-slay landlords of the city and dared them to put another infant out on the streets. Moreover, he offers his plan free of charge to all other cities, with the assurance that they can stolidly make use of it to protect America's next generation. Commissioner Cannon admits that the landlord is within his technical rights in choosing whom ever he likes for his tenants. But the city has technical rights, too. And he says to the landlord: "Very well, if you insist on the letter of the law the city will do the same. If you insist on discriminating against families with children the city will raise your tax assessment to the limit. If you try to come back we will fight the case out before the bar of public opinion. And you will lose. For Jersey City is on the side of the babies, and don't you forget it!"



## SCULPTOR WHO RAISED A ROW



Gutzon Borglum, though a distinguished sculptor, probably attracted more attention to himself by his accusations against the members of the old aircraft production board than he ever did by his art work. Selected by his friend, President Wilson, to find out why the airplane program had collapsed, he asserted he had found plain evidence of incompetency, graft and pro-German influences. These involved came back with counter-charges impugning Mr. Borglum's disinterestedness, which he angrily repelled.

Mr. Borglum, whose full name is John Gutzon de la Mothe Borglum, was born in Idaho in 1867, and was educated at St. Mary's college in Kansas. After studying art for a time in San Francisco, he went to Paris at the age of twenty-three and there studied and worked in the Academie Julian and the Ecole des Beaux Arts. He exhibited as a painter and sculptor in the Paris salon and in Spain and California, and in 1896 went to London, where he resided for five years.

## MAY LOSE HER THRONE

Queen Marie of Roumania is in danger of losing her throne because of her hot opposition to the peace treaty forced on her country by the central powers. She has the support of her children.

"I shall never become reconciled to a humiliating peace with Germany—never!" said the queen recently at Jassy. "And I hope—indeed, I know—that I shall have the support of Americans as well as Roumanians in continuing the fight against the invader. The time is a critical one for Roumania, but we know we are right and our courage is undaunted. We have been through critical times before. We have borne great hardships and undergone great suffering. Greater hardships and suffering are perhaps in store, but I continue to hope. It is only a woman's hope, but I cannot abandon it."

Marie, who before her marriage was a princess of Saxe-Coburg, is very popular with the Roumanian people, and her love for them seems to be deep and sincere.



## COLONISTS HAD LAST LAUGH

"Yankee Doodle," Composed by British Officer in Ridicule, Became War Song of Free Men.

History tells us the origin of our national march—the famous "Yankee Doodle." For more than 150 years it has led us to victory. Few, perhaps, remember that to an English wit and musical genius we are indebted for the old tune. But true it is, although it was composed in a spirit of raillery, awakened by the sight of the "Yankee Doodles who came to town" in answer to General Amherst's appeal to the colonists for aid.

It was in the summer of 1755 that the British army was encamped on the east bank of the Hudson, a little below Albany.

They were to open a campaign against the French Canadians, and the well-disciplined and uniformed troops awaited the arrival of the volunteers.

In they came, a motley crowd, old men, middle-aged men and young men, but all with brave hearts beating and strong arms ready to do battle. Some were mounted on ponies, others on old farm horses, taken from the plow, and many, with a zeal which knew no fatigue, hurried in on foot.

Each carried his own outfit and provisions. No two were dressed alike; there were long coats and short coats, and no coats at all; there were high hats and low hats, covering closely cropped heads, or wigs with flowing curls. In they marched, and the regular soldiers made merry at their expense.

Even the officers were not better mannered, and the surgeon, Doctor Shackburg, entertained his friends at mess by playing "Yankee Doodle," which he had composed in derision of the volunteers.

Greatly to the amusement of the British officers, the provincials received the tune in good faith, when Doctor Shackburg gravely assured them that it was a "celebrated air of martial music," and daily it was heard played in their camp.

Little did those merry Englishmen realize that the time would come when to those ringing notes the same colonists would march to freedom.

Twenty years later "Yankee Doodle" cheered the heroes of Bunker Hill, and later still, more than ever endeared to American hearts, it was exultantly played as Lord Cornwallis' army marched into Washington's camp at Yorktown.

## French Rainfall Statistics.

The investigation of French rainfall, as planned by the central meteorological office, has been carried out for a portion of the country—the northwest provinces. Maps of the average rainfall for 50 years—1851-1900—have been compiled, and comparison has been made with the records of 16 stations in France and across the border in adjacent countries. The leading rainfall features for each month and for each year have been summarized. A wide variation over small patches of territory is indicated, and while the annual precipitation is more than 40 inches at very few stations, it is 48 inches in the Monts d'Arree, and only 20 to 24 inches in the basins of the Seine, the Loire and the Oise. In nearly all parts of the territory, the wettest month is October. The rainfall for this month exceeds four inches in the country of Caux, the department of the Manche, the western part of Brittany, and the heights of Gatinne, reaching the maximum of six inches at Saussemesnil, and the driest areas, with a fall of two to three inches, are the middle valley of the Seine, the basin of the Eure, and in the Beauce. The driest month is February.

## How as Freedom's Weapon.

"We, the people of the United States, in gardens assembled, might well be the beginning of a new prelude of American liberty, stating that the people had decided to fight for freedom with hoses, proclaiming to the world the declaration that the welfare, prosperity and happiness of this nation are to be maintained; that the freedom of other peoples is to be guaranteed against oppression," writes Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the national war garden commission, in the People's Home Journal.

This preamble could state that it had been decided by "an American people armed with hoses" that they would help to raise enough food to win the war. Every man in the army would be doing his duty in the trenches of his own back yard or a near-by vacant lot. The work in those trenches is just as important as that in the front battle lines of Europe. It will constitute as vital a factor in the final result.

## No Wonder He Left.

According to the camp pastor at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Washington, camp record blanks have been found insufficient to accommodate the address of an Australian who came indirectly from Spokane, Wash. Jones was the unassuming name of the individual, but he hailed originally from Llanfawrwyllwgynylligog erayrn droplantisilogogoch, of the parish of Nalmigomshira, near Festiniog, Anglesey, South Wales. When he joined the army he held a residence at Waenarwgdd, Swansea road, Gwerton, South Wales.—Methodist Century Bulletin.

## Deposit of Mineral Salt.

Experts employed in the department of biological studies of Mexico have reported that after careful investigation of the lands reclaimed by the drainage of Lake Texcoco, in the vicinity of Mexico City, there have been rendered available some 30,000,000 tons of mineral salts, including common salt, caustic soda, bicarbonate of soda, etc., for all of which there is a large demand in the republic in various industries.

## Health Comes First.

The human body is kept in health by simple living, which after all is a test of fitness for success. Without health there can be no success, for gain of fame or gold will not profit a man who hatters away his health. The wealth of the world some day will be judged by the health and happiness of mankind.—Elmer Lee, M. D., in Health Culture.

## THIS WEAK, NERVOUS MOTHER

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which added to my weak condition kept me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness."—Mrs. J. WORTLENE, 2842 North Taylor St., Philadelphia, Pa.



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Careful Witness. "You say you had no sleep," sternly asked the prosecuting attorney of the timid but careful witness; "remember you are under oath. Don't make a mistake." "I—I that is, I had had no sleep at all, sir, unless—unless you mean the fact that my foot went asleep—and—and—you count the nap of my neck."—Florida Times-Union.

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## CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY

War Worker's Unusually Effusive Welcome Not Due to Her Services to the Country.

The new chief of the British W. A. A. C., Mrs. Burling Leitch, tells an amusing story concerning an officer of that organization who had been detailed call at a certain house in order to interview a young woman living there who had expressed a desire to join up.

A buxom, hearty old lady, who, it afterward transpired, was the mother of the would-be recruit, answered the door, and welcomed the visitor most cordially.

"Come in, my dear," she exclaimed. "Come in; you must be hot and tired and ready for a cupful of tea. Jim'll be here in a minute and—"

"If you don't mind—" faltered the officer. But it was hopeless to stem the tide of the old lady's loquacious hospitality. She rattled on insistently until she had to stop to take breath. This was the visitor's opportunity, and she explained the purpose of her call.

The elder lady was evidently disappointed. "Oh!" she said in tones of chagrin. "And I thought you was our Jim's noo young woman!"

## That Silvery Kind.

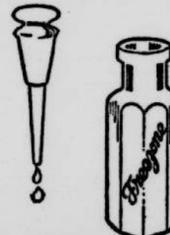
Marjorie went over next door to call on the new neighbors who had just moved in. When she returned she said, "Oh, mother, there is a little girl named Mary and her grandmother going to live next door to us."

"Did the little girl tell you it was her grandmother?" she was asked. "No, she didn't tell me, but I know it is because she had grandmother hair."

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Had Not Studied German. A twelve-year-old boy attending an Indianapolis school has established a reputation for patriotism. Recently he started home so full of Americanism and the trenches that he began to yell "Hoch der kaiser." People listened and wondered why the youngster was giving forth such an utterance. Just before he reached the gate a man stopped him and asked him why he was cheering for the kaiser. The boy denied it. "That means hang the kaiser," the boy said. The man put him right and that night the boy went over the same route yelling "Hang the kaiser, hang the kaiser."

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