

That Rookie from the 13th Squad By F.L. Crosby

THE WAR AT A GLANCE

BUSINESS MEN OF THE CITY GET TOGETHER FOR DEVELOPMENT

First Joint Luncheon of Commerce Chamber and Clubs Brings Out Hundreds to Dedication of Chamber's Service Flag and Presentation of Trophy Cups for Soldiers' Athletics; Generals, Honor Guests.

SEVERAL hundred enthusiastic El Paso business and professional men gathered in the first dining room at the Pass and Norris hotel at noon Wednesday at the first monthly joint meeting of the chamber of commerce, history, Kiwanis, Advertising, Automobile club and Hotel Estate board. The occasion was "Liberty Loan and McAdoo Day," as characterized by C. C. Cole, president of the chamber, who was chairman of the meeting.

Gen. George W. Bland, commander in chief of the El Paso military district, and his aids, and Gen. Robert L. Hazen, commander of the second brigade, 15th cavalry division, and his aids were guests from the army and participated in the program.

Purpose to Get Together. At the meeting, Mr. Bland explained that members of the various clubs have had occasion to meet their fellow members through their luncheons and the general meeting was designed that members of all clubs could become acquainted, and could have an opportunity to help in the development of the chamber of commerce.

Chambers of commerce are recognized important institutions over the country," Mr. Cole said, "and at the last meeting of the chamber of commerce of the nation, cabinet members were present, and industries of the country were urged through the medium of cooperative in efforts towards winning the war."

Gen. Bland delivered service flag. A magnificent service flag, donated by Maurice Schwartz and containing the names of 40 members of commerce, was displayed on the wall at the meeting, and Gen. Bland was called on to make the dedication speech.

The dedication of a service flag is an act of confidence in the general public. It is the act of transferring a piece of hunting on which has been sewed some stars into the excited sentiment of patriotism. The stars are all of the same size, because they are equal merit on the part of all who offer their lives for their country, from the commonest to the noblest.

Secretary A. W. Reeves then read the list of members represented on the flag, as follows: Will K. Barr, Dr. C. P. Austin, Forrest H. Baber, C. B. Barks, Roger Brown, Richard P. Burton, Britton Davis, Lee S. Davis, Sam Deaton, F. M. Edwards, Dr. Paul Gallacher, Edwin Gillett, J. N. Gladden, James S. Gould, L. L. Hall, Donald G. Hart, E. T. Harp, John C. Jackson, Laurence Koch, Gunther Lanning, Mr. Henri Letford, C. R. Piquera, Wilson C. Porterfield, Russell H. Rouse, H. L. Sawyer, H. H. Silber, H. T. Ritter, H. H. Schumacher, Joseph H. Smith, Dr. H. B. Stevenson, E. A. Tamm.

Speaks of Military Appreciation. Although the chamber of commerce



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OVER THE TOP IN NINE DAYS

That's El Paso's Third Liberty Loan Record, Brought Out at Lunch.

El Paso has again overtopped its Liberty Loan quota. This was officially announced at the luncheon of the Liberty loan workers and clubs with the chamber of commerce at the Pass del Norte Wednesday noon. The exact amount that the subscription would reach could not be ascertained, though it was said that the subscription would be nearly \$1,000,000. El Paso's quota of the third loan was \$2,333,889.

Did It in Nine Days. "El Paso has not only overtopped its quota; it has done in nine days what the government expected would take 30 days to do. The credit for the work is not due to the executive committee, but rather to the captains and the team workers."

Donates Pointing Bill. A bill was received from the McClintock company for \$14.50 for nine printing and other work done for the Liberty loan committee, accompanied by a letter from the firm saying that the work was done with a view to accepting the donation as their part in the campaign.

Some Haven't Hung True. "In this campaign the soldiers have met people who have not hung true as true American citizens. They have caused our allies and sometimes no returns and other things made very slight returns. I am in favor of getting the names of these men and publishing them. I believe we should know who is who in this city. If it was squandered through the bank of Jay Bird with hydraulic pump into the eye of an ant, would not make it wiser."

No Place For Enemies. "There is no place now for German-Americans. There is room but for Americans, no Germans. There is no room for any other kind of American except 100 percent, slimy sure Americans. It is now a case of them being either for or against us. There can be no lukewarm patriotism. God himself wants no lukewarm people in his army."

Time For Supreme Sacrifice. "This is the greatest crisis that has ever confronted this country and it will take every drop of blood of all of us to succeed. We must think of it as a matter of life or death. We must drink it. We are not going to win by talking. War talk will not win. What our fathers did, what our forefathers did, what we should know who is who in this city. If it was squandered through the bank of Jay Bird with hydraulic pump into the eye of an ant, would not make it wiser."

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HAVING driven the British from the British and Wye, the Germans are battling desperately to gain other points on the high ground south and southwest of Ypres. After fighting with huge forces for eight days, the Germans today got out of the jaws of the British, but in making their advance, they must push on further. The British, standing every step of the way, are striking back bravely. The situation, it is admitted in London, is more serious than at any time since the German drive in the north began. The evacuation of the third war sector of Ypres is under way.

German Heavy Attack in South.—German attacks have broken out south of Arras. Since around Albert and across the Somme the German artillery has been increased. The enemy bombardment is violent in the Mont Douler sector, but no infantry operations have developed.

Quiet in American Sector.—On the American sector around St. Mihiel the weather has been unfavorable for three days, but the German tanks and repeated their attacks of last week. Near the Arras front, east of St. Mihiel, American patrols have crossed no man's land and reached the German barbed wire without molestation. East of the American sector near the Bois de France, the French have repulsed German efforts.

After War in Macedonia.—In Macedonia, northeast of Salonika, the Bulgarians have been driven from about two villages along a front of 15 miles from the left bank of the Struma, north-

west from Lake Tsalina. Greek and British troops participated in the operations. Prisoners were taken and severe losses inflicted on the enemy. The government loan power bill with the Irish concentration clause included, passed the British house of commons on third reading by a majority of 128 votes. An Irish home rule bill will be introduced soon by the government and premier Lloyd George and his colleagues will meet on its passage or leave office. Nationalist opposition continues unabated. Dole Pasha is expected.

British Officer Incognito, IS FOUND DEAD AT NOGALES. Nogalet, Ariz., April 17.—A man named Jack Greene, who has been working here as a timekeeper, was found dead here Monday night, with a discolored pistol beside him, in front of the home of a young woman to whom he had paid much attention. Investigation of papers found among his effects showed his name was assumed and that he was in reality James Hamilton, son of E. J. Argyle, son of the ex-governor of Illinois of Coburn Hall, Coburn, Kent county, England. He left a letter addressed to his mother.

His papers showed he entered service in 1911 in the Fourth battalion of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and was discharged in March, 1917. He had three bayonet wounds and a bullet wound in his thigh.

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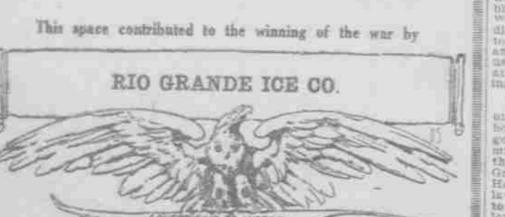
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