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The Old Trails Road may soon become a concrete fact.

GIVE THAT THEY MAY LIVE

Give that they may not perish—this will be the unspoken appeal in the heart of every American man, woman and child the next few days. There is not in this country of ours one person, who would willingly allow a little child to starve, if he had the means to prevent it. Yet, if we Americans do not answer this call of the Near East, we are allowing millions of little children to starve.

These people have been the helpless victims of a cruel war and they have suffered many privations which have made them unable to help themselves.

The fortune of war has been ours. Victory is ours, and today America is by far the wealthiest country in the world. From this wealth, we must take care of our unfortunate neighbors, so it is the duty of America to give and to give freely that these neighbors of ours in the Near East may not perish.

And again Germany is crying for "justice". How she would cry if she got it!

UP TO THE SENATE

Will the League of Nations be taken as a party issue by the Senate? It was Taft our last Republican president, who attempted to work out this plan, even before the war started. Wilson put the idea into a more concrete form and introduced it at the Peace Conference at Versailles. He won his point and now it is up to the Senate for confirmation.

The Senate is sure of being Republican after March 4 and it will be up to it to decide the issue. Surety it will stand behind the President.

If it does not, the whole plan will, no doubt, be abandoned. Europe now understands the importance of having the United States included in the pact, which interests Europeans more than Americans.

Refusal would show that the people are not behind the President. It would mean that the war had been a failure from this nation's standpoint.

The two specified volunteer days for the Armenian-Syrian drive have passed but still give your share voluntarily. It will help the cause both financially and otherwise.

WEATHERING

The weather has been called the vestibule of conversation. It might almost be called the vestibule of happiness, for as the weather is, so are our spirits. It takes an uncommon amount of joyousness to overcome the effect of a dark, damp day, and he is truly a grouch who can remain disgruntled when the sun is shining and the air is sparkling.

Weather has made the fortune of some persons and some places. California! It means fair weather to our minds and all that goes with the fairest of fair weather; oranges, sunlight, happy days and good health. We call it weather from day to day; climate when we think in terms of years.

Someone else has said that without the weather 999 persons out of every 1,000 would have nothing to talk about. The Government is willing to pay thousands of dollars a year playing with the weather. Without our rain and sunshine, hail and high thermometers, this life would be as dreary and monotonous as—as a fog.

While we are hurrahing for Hoover we might give credit to our fellow Missourian, David Franklin Houston, Secretary of Agriculture. His work has not been as spectacular as Mr. Hoover's, but it was 100 per cent efficient.

The famed flat foot was the cause of only 1.3 per cent of the rejections for service, medical figures show. Cold feet casualties have never been compiled, but, judging by slacker marriages and other indications, their percentage was much higher.

Organize for Student Memorial. The Student Memorial Fund Committee met late yesterday and completed organization. Miss Frances Gray was elected secretary of the committee. Dr. John Pickard, representing the faculty committee, discussed with the committee tentative plans for the erection of a memorial.

Turner Long Recovers.

Turner Long, deputy county clerk until January 1, was again at the courthouse yesterday after being confined to his home for five weeks with the influenza and pneumonia. He will take up his duties as deputy county collector March 1.

SOCIETY NOTES

Miss Charlotte Lawnin of Edwardsville, Ill., will come Friday to attend the Sigma Alpha Epsilon dance. She will be the guest of Miss Mary Hill at the Pi Beta Phi house over the week-end.

Misses Margaret Spuehler, Vona Vance, Mildred Henderson, and Nellie Millan of the Chi Omega sorority will be dinner guests at the Delta Gamma house this evening.

Misses Sarah Keith, Catherine Carmack, Martha Prewitt and Hazel Hill of the Pi Beta Phi sorority will be dinner guests at the Alpha Lambda Pi house this evening.

Fenner Stice of Webster Groves, a former student in the University, is a guest at the Kappa Sigma house.

The Phi Delta Theta fraternity will entertain guests at dinner Thursday evening in honor of W. B. Burruss of Kansas City.

Lieutenant Robert E. Hedges, who recently returned from overseas service, will come from St. Louis to spend the week-end at the Sigma Chi house. Lieutenant Hedges is a former student of the University. While in service in France he received the Croix de Guerre and has been recommended for the Distinguished Service Medal.

H. H. Westbay returned to his home in Springfield yesterday, after spending the week-end with his son, Harry Westbay, at the Sigma Chi house.

Mrs. J. P. McBaine will entertain with a dinner this evening in honor of Mrs. Henry N. Ess, Jr., of Kansas City.

Mrs. Dudley Conley of New York is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Kate Conley, at her home in Sanford place. Captain Conley is with a Hospital Unit in France.

Misses Hazel Babb, Alice Wiedmer, Mary Moore and Catherine Carmack of the Pi Beta Phi sorority were dinner guests at the Delta Delta Delta house last night.

Misses Clyde Beedle, Alfreda Halligan, Clara White and Anna Mahr of the Alpha Phi sorority will be dinner guests at the Pi Beta Phi house this evening.

The chaperons at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon formal dance Friday night will be: Mrs. Louise Truckenmiller, Dr. A. Ross Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Sykes, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin O. Hockaday, Mrs. A. Davidson, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Thornton, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Bryant, Miss Eva Johnston, Mrs. Dwight Aultman, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bowling, Mrs. W. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Berry McAlester, Dr. and Mrs. Isidor Loeb, Mrs. M. L. Lipscomb and Mrs. Turner McBaine.

Ira Fisher, a former student in the University, will arrive Thursday to spend the week-end at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house.

Robert Curtin, Joseph Kessinger, John Edward Stocking and George Combs will arrive from Kansas City tomorrow to attend the Sigma Alpha Epsilon dance. They will remain over the week-end.

Colonel D. T. Sloan, assistant to the Chief of Staff of the Field Artillery at Washington, arrived in Columbia yesterday and is a guest at the Daniel Boone Tavern.

Mrs. J. H. Lightner has returned from Unionville, where she spent a week with her daughter, Miss Willie Lightner.

There will be an hour of dancing tonight after the Missouri-Kansas basketball game at Rothwell gymnasium.

Miss Dorothy McClain of 807 Virginia avenue will entertain a week-end party of girls from Sedalia. Her guests will be: Misses Hazel McClure Dorothy McCutchen, Josephine Hanley, Frances Adams, Ruth Short and Beatrice Shain. An informal dance Thursday evening will be a part of the entertainment.

Miss Vesta McClain entertained Misses Helen Redford, Dixie Harris and Helena Gilkeson at dinner last night.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Clark were dinner guests Monday night at the Sigma Chi house.

The Sigma Chi fraternity announces the pledging of Jack Roach of Linn Creek, Mo.

Miss Mary Lee of Bowling Green will come Friday to spend the week-end with Miss Helen Mitchell.

Miss Myrtle Kramer is spending the week-end at her home in St. Louis.

The Alpha Phi sorority announces the pledging of Miss Mary Hughes Damerell of Shelbyville.

Misses Mary McKee, Hazel Pipes, Lucille Royston and Gracia Rowley of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority will be dinner guests at the Alpha Phi house tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. McKim returned to their home in La Belle yesterday after visiting Mrs. McKim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Niedermeyer for the week-end.

Misses Ruby and Pearl Nevins entertained Tuesday evening for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jennings; Mr. and Mrs. Charles North-

cutt; Mr. and Mrs. Laton Groves; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nevins and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Diltz.

REPORTS PROGRESS IN SCHOOLS

Junior College Union Are Reaching Goal Set in 1917.

The members of the Junior College Union of Missouri are making unusual progress toward a goal they set in 1917, according to a report just made by the union on the five-year program it has adopted. The conditions are that the colleges shall have absolutely adequate classrooms, library and laboratory equipment for a first-class junior college, no regular teacher should be employed not possessing an A.B. degree and at least one year graduate work, and an endowment, free and above all indebtedness of \$100,000.

There are eight members of the union, two of which are located in Columbia: Christian and Stephens Colleges, Columbia; Central College for Women, Lexington; Howard-Payne, Fayette; Hardin, Mexico; Lindenwood, St. Charles; William Woods, Fulton, and Cotley College, Nevada.

President Joseph A. Serena of Williams Woods College has just been elected vice-president of the junior.

CASUALTY LIST

The following Missourians are on today's casualty list—all privates unless otherwise designated.

Wounded Severely. Lieut. Frank M. Elliott, St. Louis. Oliver W. Holmes, Kansas City. John Madison Pyle, Kansas City. Lee C. Warth, Portageville. Corp. Samuel Banks, Charleston. Raymond Noah Osborne, Green City.

Died of Disease. Byron E. Askbrook, Kansas City. Missing in Action. (Previously reported wounded severely.) Anton Wamsanz, St. Louis.

Killed in Action. (Previously reported missing in action.) Chester J. Butts, Steelville. Wounded Severely. (Previously reported missing in action.) Herbert Hooper, Senath.

Wounded Slightly. (Previously reported missing in action.) Edward T. Charles, Rolla. Earl D. McMahan, Troy. Omara A. Pierce, Marble Hill.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined. (Previously reported missing in action.) Newton N. Bowman, Shell City. James A. Douglas, Kansas City.

TO SELL VAN BIBBER TAVERN

D. A. R.'s Wish to Preserve Historic Inn—Will Be Auctioned.

The old Van Bibber Tavern, one of the historic structures of this section of Missouri, located on the old Daniel Boone trail near Mineola Springs, east of Fulton, is to be sold at public auction February 22. It is a part of the estate of the late William Crane.

Announcement of the sale has caused the chapters of Daughters of the American Revolution of Calaway and a number of nearby counties to take steps to have the old landmark preserved. The D. A. R.'s have decided to try to induce the Crane estate to turn over the building to their organization.

The old tavern was erected by Colonel Van Bibber, a pioneer Missourian, and was for a long time the most pretentious structure in this part of the state. Colonel Van Bibber's table was an extremely popular one with travelers, and not only Daniel Boone but many other prominent early-day Missourians often stopped at the inn. Former Governor Elliott W. Major was entertained about six years ago at the Van Bibber Tavern, at a good

ANNOUNCEMENT

Superintendent of Schools. We are authorized to announce C. E. NORFOLK, who has recently returned from the court house in the City of Columbia, Missouri, to wit: Twenty-two (22) acres, more or less, the North one-half (1/2) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of Section twenty-one (21), Township 11 N., Range Eleven (11) West of the 5th P. M.; which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the court house in the City of Columbia, Boone County, Missouri, on the 7th day of April, 1919, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise judgment will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, ) ss. County of Boone, )

In the Circuit Court, in vacation before April Term, 1919.

Ruth Walker and Frank L. Walker, husband and wife ) Plaintiffs, against (25930)

F. A. Elkin, William M. Elkin, N. B. Elkin, Ida Elkin, Fannie Wilhite, Nola Potts, Ida G. Elkin, Cornelia Elkin, A. B. Elkin, Virginia Robinson, Lizzie Sebastian, Eva Elkin, James W. Elkin, A. P. Elkin, Alice Woolfork, Carl Francis Hulien, Rosa Katherine Hulien, Margaret Jettine Hulien, and Hugh Edwards. Defendants

THE STATE OF MISSOURI, to the above named non-resident defendants, Ida G. Elkin, Cornelia Elkin, Lizzie Sebastian and Eva Elkin, GREETING:— You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you, and the other defendants herein, in the Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, affecting the title to the following described lands and tenements lying, being and situate in Boone County, Missouri, to wit:—Twenty-two (22) acres, more or less, the North one-half (1/2) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of Section twenty-one (21), Township 11 N., Range Eleven (11) West of the 5th P. M.; which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the court house in the City of Columbia, Boone County, Missouri, on the 7th day of April, 1919, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise judgment will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

A true copy from the record: WITNESS my hand as clerk of the Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, and the seal of said court. Done at office in Columbia, Missouri, this 5th day of February, 1919. R. S. POLLARD, Clerk. (SEAL) E. C. ANDERSON, Atty. for Pfs.

roads meeting. But this event was held out in the open.

The seasons have treated the old inn kindly, and, although it is weather-beaten, the tavern is still in a fair state of preservation. The D. A. R.'s are especially anxious that the old building be preserved because it is located on the Missouri Cross-State Highway.

Board of Education to Meet Monday.

The Board of Education will meet at the Columbia High School at 7:30 o'clock next Monday night. This meeting is for the purpose of settling of accounts and the paying salaries of the teachers.

Light Blue and Green Win.

The Light Blue team won from the Yellow, 24 to 12, and the Green from the Navy Blue, 16 to 14, in the girls' basketball games last night.

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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. D-50

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity pin, plain. Number 16284. Finder call 324. Reward. S-148

LOST—Conklin fountain pen without the cap somewhere near library. Return to 511 Hut. Reward. D-140af

LOST—A pair of tortoise-shell glasses. J. M. Bewick, 410 Stewart Road. Phone 600 Red. Reward. D-140af

LOST—My little white poodle dog, answers to name Powder Puff. Left home last Friday night. Return or phone 407, and get reward. Rosemary Belcher, 315 Wilson Ave. B-142

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Will Give French Program.

The Cosmopolitan Club will meet at the home of Dean J. C. Jones tonight. The following program on France will be given: Song, Mrs. J. W. Hudson; "Pre-war France," Frank Lowe, Jr.; "School Life in France," Aurilla Brigham; "French Manners and Customs," Miss Cecilia Stenger; "How France is changed," Mlle. Patewin; "France in War Time," Dr. J. W. Hudson, and the Marsellaise by Mrs. J. W. Hudson.

Captain Gill to Speak.

Captain Everett Gill will speak at the regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon on "My Experiences at the Front." There will also be a program of special music. The meeting will be held in Room 130 Academic Hall.

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