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GOOD FOR MR. LARSON.

We never met George Larson of Hammond until he, without any ceremony, obtruded his personality in the limelight the other day and quietly got out of it again.

WHERE IS THE COAL?

A dispatch from Washington says: "Both coal producers and retailers report orders filled vastly in excess of the supply available for immediate delivery."

HOW ARE THE MIGHTY FALLEN.

The other day certain New York bankers desired the presence at an important meeting of the president of a fairly large western railroad.

SEAMEN'S INSURANCE.

More than 60,000 masters, officers and seamen on American merchant vessels traveling the war zone have been insured by the United States government.

ing only 25 cents for each \$100 of insurance. Since the American fleet has been patrolling the seas the rate has been reduced from 50 cents for each \$100 of insurance.

THE CAMPAIGN ABOUT TO BEGIN.

Joseph D. Oliver, the South Bend manufacturer, who is state director of the War Thrift Savings campaign in Indiana, said in a speech:

"There is no question about it, gentlemen, but we Americans have got to bear the burden of this fight from now on.

People of this locality will be wise to take these words to their hearts. The great drive for the sale of War Thrift Savings Stamps is about to begin.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

The business men of the country heaved a tremendous sigh of relief when Champ Clark declined to take the Missouri senatorship—not because they did not want to see the speaker in the senate, but because his translation would mean that Claude Kitchin would become speaker and that Mr. Rainey of Illinois would succeed Kitchin as chairman of the ways and means committee.

JUDGE IBACH NOT TO RUN.

Friends of Appellate Judge Joseph G. Ibach—and they are legion—regret to learn of his poor health and consequent decision not to make the race next November to succeed himself on the bench where for several years he has been an ornament and has filled the arduous official duties connected with that high office with credit to himself, to his home city, and the great commonwealth of Indiana.

OCEAN LINERS OUT OF EAST CHICAGO.

This war brings great changes. No one ever thought of East Chicago being an ocean port. Yet it has become so.

THE British saved France. It is now up to the French to save England. A little later it will be our business to save both of them.

THE Ukrainians have to give up 83 per cent of their wheat to feed the Germans. That ought to make us glad to eat war bread in order to feed our allies.

WHERE THEY ARE WHAT THEY ARE DOING HERE and OVER THERE News of Lake County Boys in Uncle Sam's Service

TO FRIENDS OF THE BOYS.

THE TIMES goes daily to over a thousand Lake County men in the U. S. A. or U. S. N. These boys kept posted by this means. They have no other way of getting the news.

TO THE MEN IN SERVICE.

It doesn't matter where you are, on this side or the other side of the Atlantic, keep in touch with your friends by dropping this paper a line.

Wm. J. Glover, Crown Point, of the Purdue training detachment, was at Battle, Ind., on a short furlough on Sunday.

R. E. Kadushak, who was representing Swift & Co. in Hammond for seven years, is now at Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, in the machine gun company of the 67th United States Infantry.

O. W. Bodie, well known Hammond photographer with a studio on State street, is preparing to leave June 20 for an aviation camp in New York to take pictures from the clouds for the army in France after brief training.

Joe Wilcockson of Hammond, merchant and political worker, has a letter from his brother Will, a sergeant in the aero squadron, telling of a meeting with the king of England.

Adam Dorch, Helme Morrow and W. J. Filan, stationed at the Great Lakes Training Camp, were Hammond visitors over Sunday. They came to see the navy win, and win it did.

"Whether the doctors of the United States are as patriotic as those of Canada is the issue which has been raised in the campaign to obtain 5,000 more physicians for the medical reserve corps, says a statement issued by the state committee of the medical section of the Council of National Defense.

Sergeant Welsh had a rousing patriotic meeting at Robertsdale on Friday and has plans for another fine flag meeting there.

From the U. S. Military Academy, field artillery detachment, West Point, N. Y., comes word that Private T. Geizinger of Lake county, has been made a first class gunner, though he hasn't been in the service five months.

One hundred mechanics are needed for marine service, to go to the navy yard, Philadelphia, according to notice received by Capt. J. F. Lova. The men sent from Indianapolis will receive preliminary training in the navy yard, later to be attached to the aviation corps. The men who apply should be acquainted with gasoline motors. Coppermiths and welders are urged to join.

Carl Deannovitz, Gary, stationed at Camp Purdue, had a 26-hour pass Saturday, and visited with Gary friends.

The max strength of Fort Benjamin Harrison is due for another marked increase next week, Colonel W. P. Lueda, commanding, having received orders to prepare for 2,000 additional men to be ordered there on June 20, and they will begin arriving immediately thereafter. These men will make up new battalions of engineers.

Harry Thomson of 654 Forsythe avenue, Hammond, and formerly of Atlantic City, N. J., will complete on Friday, the course given by the government at Armour Institute for the training of officers in the merchant marine. He expects to be called immediately on completion of the course and will become a junior officer in the naval reserve. Mr. Thomson has been a resident of Hammond for the past two years. He has been employed at the Standard Oil Co., Whiting, on research, experimental and combustion work.

Major Harold E. Keobon, quarter-master corps, national army, is relieved of his present station and will take the

McKinley Death of Lowell, the biggest soldier at Camp Purdue, visited his mother, Mrs. G. M. Deaths, yesterday.

Lieut. Charles Hick of Hammond, in the aviation supply department, left for Washington this morning to assume his new duties.

Mrs. Charles D. Gainer, Whiting, is planning soon to leave for Chillicothe, Ohio, to spend the summer with her husband, who is now at Camp Sherman attending the fourth officers' training school.

South Bend, Ind., June 17.—First Lieutenant Roy E. Scheicher, who shot himself in Chicago, Wednesday, formerly lived in South Bend, and his wife and two children are living north of the city, near Bertrand, Mich.

Arnold Kunert, Hammond, of the engineers, was here from Fort Benjamin Harrison, Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Kunert. There is no more enthusiastic man in Uncle Sam's service than Mr. Kunert, and he has a lot of admirers who swarm to see him off whenever he returns home.

Private Koschinski, Crown Point, one of five brothers in the service, was up from Fort Benjamin Harrison camp on furlough, yesterday.

Camp Purdue sent up a big delegation of Lake county boys on long passes from Lafayette, on Saturday night.

Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, O., June 17.—Major Ira A. Smith of near Logansport, Ind., has been appointed head of the fourth officers' training school at the camp, according to an order issued here. The training school opened at Camp Zachary Taylor, May 15, and in cludes 590 student officers.

The one-cent transportation rate was put into effect for the last week for the soldiers and the boys are certainly pleased. Uncle Sam ought to let them travel free.

Camp Taylor is to be an artillery brigade training center, while West Point will be designated a field artillery training center. At Camp Taylor will be the only artillery officers training camp for the country, with Lieut. Col. A. H. Carter in command. At West Point Lieut. Col. Charles H. Blackely will be in command. A commandant for what will be known as a field artillery regulation depot at Camp Taylor is yet to be chosen.

Robert Sommers, Hammond, son of Fred, who enlisted five months ago, writes from France to his old teacher, S. Coehring, that he is just about ready to get into action. Robert has two other brothers in the service.

Kenneth Stewart, Hammond, left this morning after an eight-day furlough, for Fort Adams, R. I.

Charles Smith of Indiana boulevard, Robertsdale, who enlisted in the navy, has left for Puget Sound, Wash.

Corporal Martin Eggers, Robertsdale, writes from England that he is feeling fine and likes his place and his army work very much.

Leslie J. Parry, enlisted TIMES reporter, was on 26-hour pass from Camp Purdue, yesterday. The boys have another week, and various are the rumors as to where they will be sent.

Truman Martin, Crown Point, stationed at the Great Lakes Naval school, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Martin.

Washington, June 17.—Government allowances can be paid dependent soldiers or other distant relatives of a soldier or sailor only if the insurance law is amended, treasury officials explained today in answer to many inquiries. At present allowances may be paid only to a dependent wife, parents, grandparents, brothers, sisters, or grandchildren. In many cases men now in the service have been reared by distant relatives or persons not related by blood, who later became dependents.

So astonishing and gratifying has been the success of this department

among the boys that terse notes of news of general interest to soldiers will also be included hereafter.

Robert J. Schoon, who enlisted two weeks ago in the hospital corps at Jefferson, Mo., barracks, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schoon, 448 Lincoln street, Gary, that he is enjoying army life—plenty to eat and so far it seems like he is having an outing.

Louis J. Barry is at Camp Merritt, N. J., and has been promoted to corporal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Barry of 1029 Calumet ave., Hammond.

Captain O. M. Stevens returned last evening to Louisville after five days' leave. He was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stevens, 95 Genthin street, Hammond.

The Monon 615, south bound, was greeted by about 50 enlisted men at Hammond yesterday going south. The long platform was packed with their friends and relatives.

One soldier from a downstate camp writes, "Not only do the boys from Lake county grab the paper, but the other Indiana boys just eat it up. It is a rag when we are all through with it."

Sergt. D. M. Sheffall, Gary, who is stationed at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, N. C., is here on a visit to his father at the Broadway Hotel in Gary.

Wm. Penning and Lorian Clark of Fort Sheridan and Adolph Penning of Great Lakes Naval Station were at Griffith Sunday to visit relatives.

Rev. Hershberger, Griffith, leaves the 24th of June for Columbus barracks for the regular service. Griffith deeply regrets to lose him as pastor of the church.

Lafayette, Ind., June 17.—According to a letter received in this city, William L. Taylor, captain of Battery C, One Hundred and Fiftieth Indiana Field Artillery with the Rainbow Division in France, is to be promoted to major.

Harry Graves, Hammond, who is stationed at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Graves of Carroll street over Sunday.

Walter E. Thompson, Hammond, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thompson, who enlisted in the aviation corps, left Saturday for Indianapolis where he will be instructed in aeroplane ground work.

THE PASSING SHOW SOMEHOW in our PROVINCIAL manner whenever we go out in company and the hostess STARTS a little music of some kind, it is always an effort for us to TRY to look as pleasant as possible UNDER the circumstances BUT when the refreshments begin to come in you OUGHT to see the smile that UNCONSCIOUSLY lights up our classic Roman features. WHAT those Semanglans DID to those bush Germans WITH their bold knives was a plenty AND then some. WE understand that the HOMEWOOD roosters are finally crowing on new time BUT friends of the neighbor's cat ABSOLUTELY refuse to pay any attention to it. WE read with much interest THAT spading is an art AND the industrious and hardworking wife WHO does most of our HAS a much more artistic temperament THAN we have. TALK is cheap AND we are mighty glad that there is SOMETHING that doesn't COST any more than it used to. WE understand that ALL the socks being knitted by the LADIES HAVE the toes pointed toward Berlin IT'S a mercy for them those Huns WERE taught to goosestep backwards. ANYBODY who buys WAR stamps and has a war garden HITS for two bases. Buy a Thrift Stamp today.

Lake County's Roll of Honor

ROBERT MANKLEY, Hammond; drowned off coast of New Jersey, May 28. DENNIS HANNON, Indiana Harbor; ptomaine poison, at Fort Oglethorpe, Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 11. JAMES MacKENZIE, Gary; killed in action in France while training with the 10th Scottish Rifles, May 3, 1917. KAREL WELSH, Whiting; U. S. I. Died at Fort Sam Houston of spinal meningitis, July 25, 1917. FRANK MANLEY, Indiana Harbor; killed in France at Battle of Lulle, Aug. 15. ARTHUR KASSELER, Hammond; died at Leon Springs, Tex., of spinal meningitis, August 24. JOHN SAMBROOKS, East Chicago; killed in France, Sept. 16. ARTHUR ROBERTSON, Gary; killed in France, Oct. 31. LIEUT. JAMES VAN ATTA, Gary; killed at Vimy ridge. JAMES MacKENZIE, Gary; killed at Vimy ridge. DOLPH BIEDZYKI, East Chicago; killed in France, Nov. 27. E. BURTON HUNDLEY, Gary; killed in aviation accident at Talliferoza, Everman, Tex., Dec. 1, 1917. HARRY CUTHBERT LONG, Indiana Harbor; killed in accident at Ft. Bliss, Texas, Dec. 19. DERWOOD DICKINSON, Lowell; died somewhere in France, of pneumonia, Dec. 12. EDWARD C. KOSTBADE, Hammond; killed by explosion in France, Dec. 23. THOMAS V. RATCLIFFE, Gary; killed somewhere in France, Feb. 24. FRED SCHMIDT, Crown Point; died of pneumonia in Brooklyn, March 1, after being on a torpedoed steamer. CORPORAL EDWARD M. SULLIVAN, Gary; killed somewhere in France, March 5. MICHAEL STREICH, Whiting; Camp Taylor; pneumonia, March 14. ROBERT ASPIN, Gary; Co. F, 17th Infantry; Camp Shelby; typhoid; March 17. CLIFFORD E. PETTY, enlisted at Hammond, Jan. 8, in U. S. cavalry; died at Del Rio, Tex., April 2. PAUL FULTON, Tolleston; died in hospital, Marfa, Texas, April 8, 1918. Sergeant, machine gun battalion, 1st Cavalry. VICTOR SHOTLIFE, Gary; killed at aviation camp, San Antonio, April 18, 1918. JOSEPH BECKHART, Gary; died at an eastern cantonment; week ending April 20, 1918. LIEUT. IRA B. KING, Gary; reported killed in France, April 21, 1918. NEWELL PEACHER, Gary; Graves Registration Unit 894, died in New Jersey, 1918. E. RICH HIGHER, Gary; ordnance department, died in Philadelphia, 1918. WEST HAMMOND, JOSEPH S. LIETZAN, West Hammond, U. S. Field Artillery. Killed in action, France, April 27. WOUNDED. ROBERT M. BEATTIE, Hammond; trench mortar, France, Feb. 26. R. A. SPARKS, Highland; trench mortar, France, Feb. 27. HENRY BAKEMAN, Hammond; 6th engineers, France, April 7. EUGENE M. FISHER, East Chicago; severely wounded April 22, 1918, by shrapnel, while in a trench in No Mans Land. JOSEPH ADAMIC, Indiana Harbor; Artillery, France, May 2. PHILLIP PETERSON, Hammond; severely wounded in France, June 2.

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PETEY DINK—We Hope the Butt Family Leaves the Roof at Least.

Comic strip featuring Pete Dink and Phil Butt. Pete Dink says: "HERE COMES THAT GUY, PHIL BUTT, I TRIMMED HIM LAST WEEK IN A LAW SUIT—FOR ONCE THE JUDGE WAS RIGHT." Phil Butt replies: "G-R-R-R—YOU WAIT YOU—YOU WAIT!" Pete Dink says: "TUT—TUT, SWELL CHANCE!" Phil Butt says: "—OH PETEY DEAR—I'VE RENTED THE HOUSE FURNISHED FOR THE SUMMER—TWO HUNDRED A MONTH—NOW WE CAN GO TO THE BEACH." Pete Dink replies: "FINE, FINE." Phil Butt says: "—AND SUCH A NICE LADY—A MRS. PHIL—BUTT—SHE SIGNED THE LEASE RIGHT AWAY!"

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