

GLIMPSE OF THE BEAUTIFUL CITY OF LAON, WHOSE DESTRUCTION HANGS IN THE BALANCE
It is one of the strongholds on the "Hindenburg line" toward which a great French army is advancing. The Germans have been dealing ruthlessly with the towns and cities they have been forced to yield.



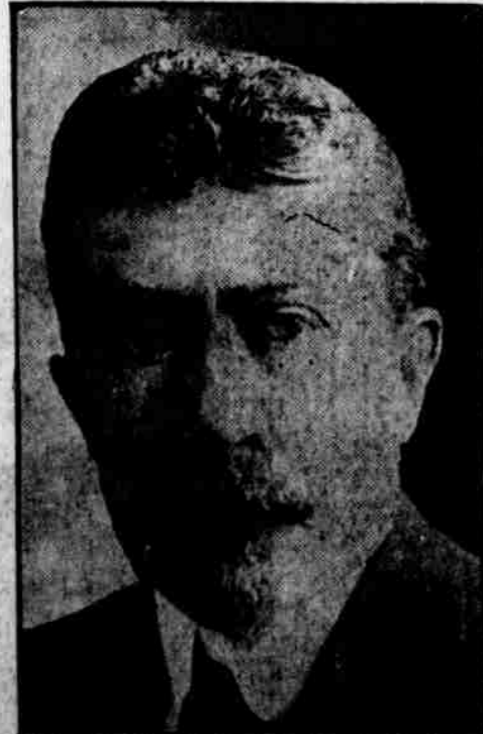
ST. QUENTIN, IN NORTHERN FRANCE, IS DESTINED TO BECOME A SECOND BAPAUME
Photo from Underwood & Underwood.
If the Allies succeed in driving the Germans from their second line of defense, this city no doubt will be leveled to destroy its military value.



ALEXANDRE RIBOT
He is Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs in the new French Cabinet.



HIGH SCHOOL BOYS WHO WILL RECITE TOM DALY'S POEMS
A poetical evening will be given tomorrow at Northeast High. Rear row, from left to right, are C. Read, R. Hill, G. McDaniel, Prof. W. F. Coles, E. C. Schill, G. H. Clark and S. S. Frankel. Front row, T. Simon, M. H. Bohner, R. W. Rosenberger, P. C. Belber, W. H. Huplit and W. Strobel.

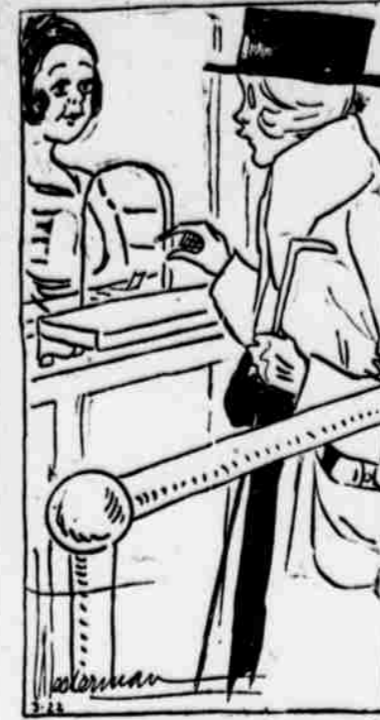


NEW FRENCH WAR MINISTER
M. Paul Painlevé formerly was Minister of Instruction and also Minister of Aviation affecting national defense.



WHO IS THIS YOUNG WOMAN?
She is a clerk in a Philadelphia department store. Two dollars will be paid for the first correct answer, naming the store and department in which she works. Address the Pictorial Editor.

The Young Lady Across the Way



We asked the young lady across the way what she thought of forcible feeding, and she said she didn't suppose the poor women could be very particular about their table manners if the brutal jailers tried to keep them from getting enough to eat.

Philosophy!
"That professor made me feel as if I'd been left at the station!"
"Howzat?"
"I didn't catch his train of thought!"—Gargyle.

THE PADDED CELL

FALSE ALARM!



HAYWARD

SCHOOL DAYS



Any port in a storm.

The Spoils of War



—Sydney Bulletin.
Lieutenant Long—I captured forty-seven Germans during that one afternoon.
Miss Green (brightly)—Dear me! And are you allowed to keep all you catch?

Palm Beach



—Cornell Widow.
"She reminds me of the sea."
"Howzat?"
"She looks green—but, sometimes she's awfully rough."

Conjugal Foresight

A famous physician, asked at the New York Academy of Medicine why he wore rubbers on a day when the streets were perfectly dry, replied:
"My wife runs down the street after me with them when I don't. I wear them to keep her from getting pneumonia."

Unnecessary Instructions



—Harvard Lampoon.
"Hold that pose till I count six!"
"Whadd'ye tink I'm gonna do, leggo?"

ANYTHING TO OBLIGE



—London Opinion.
Knitting Enthusiast—Do you think, sir, that if I took my needles and wool inside as they'd go slow enough for me to copy the pattern?

Critical

"How much cider did you make this year?" inquired Farmer A. of Farmer B., who had offered him a sample for trial.
"Fifteen bar'ls," was the answer.
Farmer A. took another sip.
"I reckon, Si," he drawled, "if you'd had another apple you might ha' made another bar'l."