



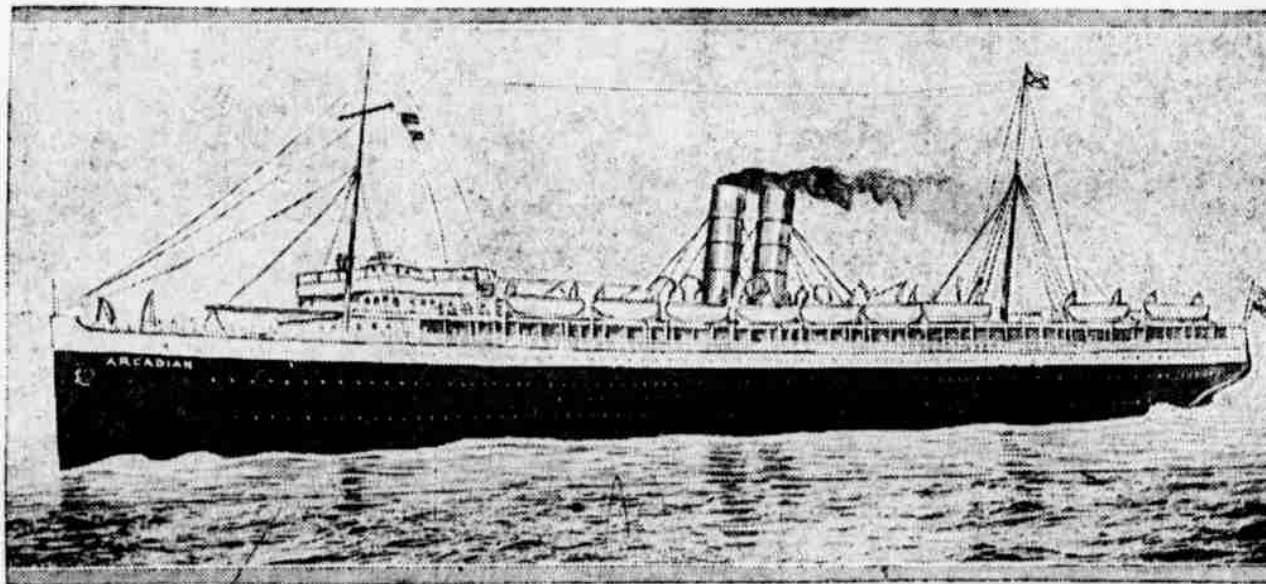
**SCHOOL CHILDREN MINGLE PATRIOTISM WITH MAY-DAY REVELS**  
The building, at Newmarket and Green streets, bears the name of James Madison, a war President. The youngsters attending are intensely American.



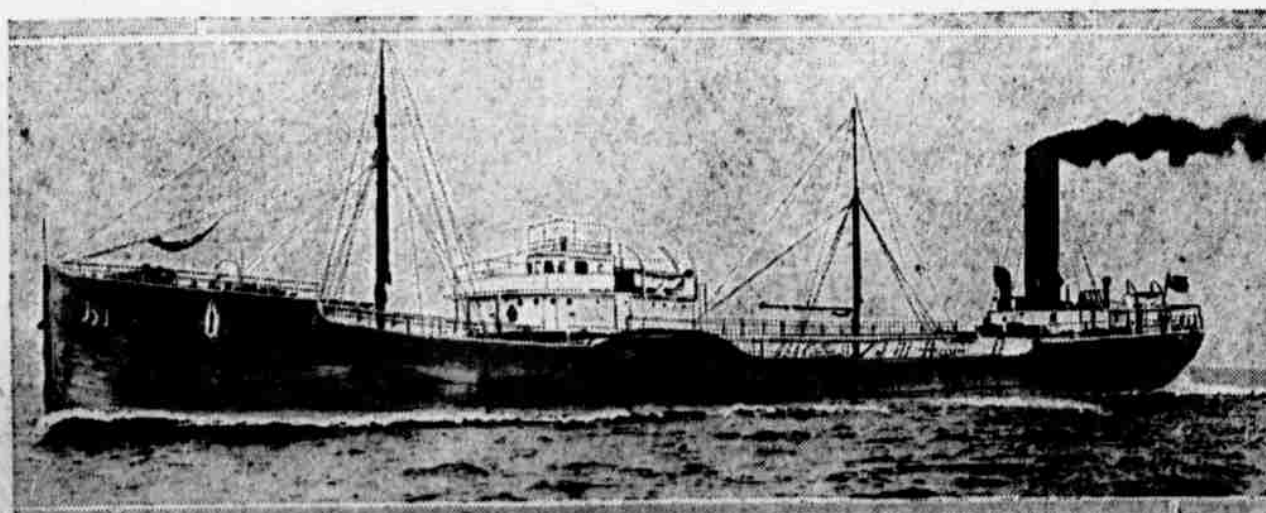
**ON THE FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE**  
United States marines, the most adaptable branch of military service, at practice with field gun.



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**UNTO THE THIRD GENERATION**  
Ulysses S. Grant, 4th, grandson of the "Silent Man," whose name sake he is, serving as private in Company H, Seventh New York Regiment. He is a Harvard graduate and a son of U. S. Grant, Jr.

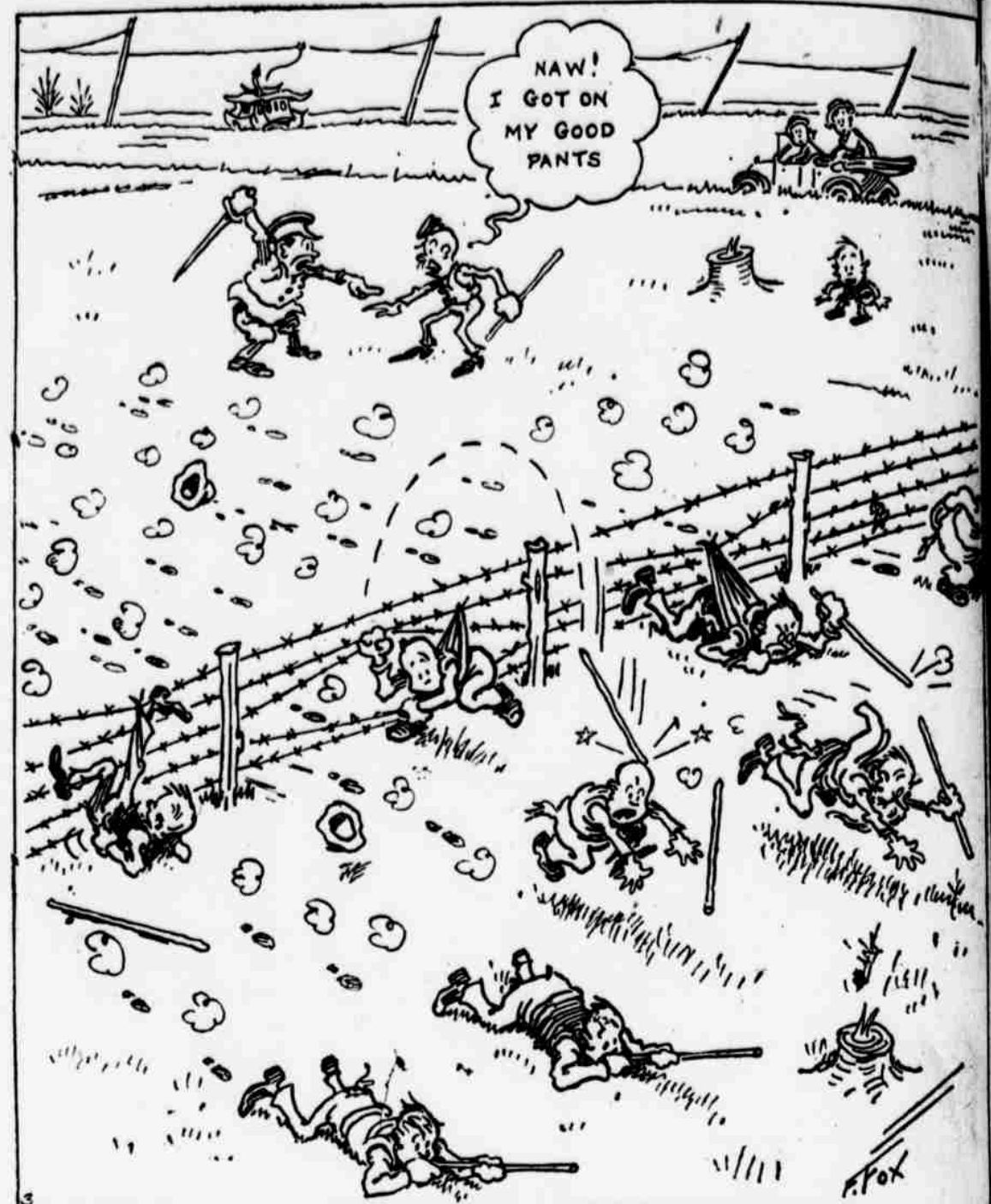


**BRITISH ARMY TRANSPORT AND 279 LIVES LOST**  
Sinking by a submarine of the steamship Arcadian somewhere in the Mediterranean on April 15 is announced today in London dispatches. The vessel, formerly a Royal Mail Steam Packet Company cruising steamship, was being used as an army transport. The loss of life is placed at 279.



**TANKER BRITISH SUN IS VICTIM OF U-BOAT**  
The Sun Oil Company has been advised by its London agents that its tanker British Sun has been sunk. The vessel, built at Newcastle, England, in 1907, was under charter to the British Government as an oil carrier. It is believed it was sunk by a submarine in the Mediterranean.

THE TOONERVILLE HOME DEFENSE IS BEING DRILLED IN THE ART OF GETTING THROUGH BARBED WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS



—By FONTAINE

**Higher Joy**

Being hampered by strict parents, Herbert's chief joy up to the age of eight had been the weekly prayer meeting. When he arrived at that age of discretion a worldly minded relative smuggled him off to a circus. Herbert came home bursting with enthusiasm.

"Oh, mother," he cried, "if you once went to a circus you'd never go to a prayer meeting again in all your life."

**Selfish**

Jack—Can she keep a secret?  
Maud—Yes, the disagreeable thing.  
—New Haven Journal-Courier.

**The Young Lady Across the Way**



The young lady across the way says she's afraid her father was a good deal disappointed in the way his company's bond issue came out, as she overheard him say it was greatly over-subscribed.

**THE PADDED CELL**

**"SPRING DRIVES"**



**Her Turn**

"What would you do if I turned you down?" she asked shyly, as they sat on the parlor sofa.

The young man looked straight ahead and said nothing. After a few

moments of silence she nudged him with her elbow and said: "Didn't you hear my question?"

He looked around apprehensively. "I beg your pardon," he replied. "I thought you were addressing the gas." —St. Louis Republic.

**SCHOOL DAYS**



A boy's best friend is his mother.

**Evidence Required**

The editor of a local paper believed he was doing a kindly act by pressing from the list of "drunk and disorderly" on market day the name of a country subscriber that by right belonged there. The subscriber, however, did not regard the omission as a favor.

"I suppressed your name for my wife's sake," the editor explained. "Well, that's the awkward part of it," the farmer said, "for not only my name among the rest she will believe I came to town at all."

**The Simple Little Thing**



"I've spent a lot of money pool this winter." "Did you like it as well as spring?"