

Lafayette College to Give Degree to Joffre

Easton, Pa., May 4.—Lafayette College, the greatest memorial to the Marquis de Lafayette on the American continent, will confer on Field Marshal Joffre and the Marquis de Chambrun, a great-grandson of Lafayette, the honorary degree of LL. D. This action was taken at the meeting of the board of trustees at the college yesterday. Through the State Department the matter will be laid officially before the members of the French mission, and the president of the college is empowered to arrange for a special occasion when the college will do honor to the French patriots of today.

WOMEN FIREFIGHTERS SAVE BURNING TOWN

Frederick, Md., May 4.—Unionville, a town of about 300 population, fourteen miles from this city, was saved from destruction by fire Wednesday by fifty women, who kept the flames from spreading while the neighborhood, which had been alarmed by telephone girls, was gathering. There were but two men in Unionville, the remainder being on farms. Armed with washbills, boilers, buckets and anything that would hold water, the women began climbing ladders and dashing water on the fire.

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Russian Crown Lands in Siberia Are Turned Over to Poor Peasants

Petrograd, May 4.—The crown lands in Siberia, which the new provisional government has confiscated from the imperial family and turned over to the State, include almost the whole of the provinces of Altai and Nerehinsk, embracing a territory larger than Germany and probably richer than Germany in its natural resources.

MAKING AND CURING TIRES BY A NEW PROCESS

Automobile tire casings are made in one continuous mechanical process by a method of recent invention, which includes the weaving of the fabric that forms the base of the tire, impregnating it with rubber in a special friction calendar, forming it to the required shape, and vulcanizing. This method, employed in a Rhode Island factory, is said to be the only one that makes the loom and the calendar parts of a continuous process.

BELL HELPING FIRE SERVICES

Wardens' Names and Addresses Will Be Placed in the Next Telephone Directory

Commissioner Conklin announced today that by the terms of an agreement entered into between the Bell Telephone Company and the State Department of Forestry, complete lists of the forest fire wardens will be published in fourteen of the new telephone directories to be issued during the next few weeks.

NEW FUELS USED IN SPAIN TO REPLACE COAL

Shortage of coal in Spain has led to experiments with various substitutes, including the husks of rice and inferior qualities of lignite. In the provinces that raise rice, the husks have lately been mixed with tar and formed into briquettes under hydraulic pressure.

CHILEAN HEIRESS WOULD HIRE SHIP TO GET HOME

New York, May 4.—Mrs. Blanquita Erasuriz de Saules, who obtained a divorce from John Longer de Saules, ex-Yale football star, applied yesterday to have an old agreement in her divorce decree rescinded that she might take her child, John Longer de Saules, Jr., to his mother and friends, saying she was willing to charter a special ship for the voyage if the Court would consent.

CANVAS TREADS PREVENT TIRES SLIPPING IN MUD

Canvas treads have been patented recently which enable one to get a car out of the mud or mire with a minimum of inconvenience, according to the Popular Mechanics Magazine. Each of these covers consists of a long strip of strong canvas provided with numerous grips in the shape of short pieces of rope attached to it transversely.

PATROL BOAT OF NEW TYPE ADDED TO THE NAVY

Among recent additions to the navy is the 60-foot patrol boat "Chingachgook," officially known as "Y-19," which was exhibited at the last annual motorboat show in New York, as a sample of the type approved by the Navy Department for coast defense.

6,000 Men in Binghamton For Gardening Work

Binghamton, N. Y., May 4.—Stirred by the campaign of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, of Washington, for a larger food production, twelve manufacturers of this city and officials of the D. L. and W. railroad, have agreed to release with pay for two weeks every employe who will agree to work on a farm.

Backyard Garden Soils Improved by Fertilizers

The best garden soil is a sandy loam. Such a soil is well drained, well aired and warms up early in the spring. It furnishes a good medium for the sprouting seeds, is less inclined to bake than other soil types and lends itself readily to cultivation and weeding.

FOREST FIRES IN OUR COUNTY

School Teacher Accused of Permitting Blaze to Go Unchecked on Mountain

Reports of forest fires received by date by the chief forest fire warden indicate a fire season very much like last year's, with fires about the same in number, but being extinguished more promptly and therefore covering smaller areas and doing less damage.

THIS LONG BRIDGE HAS TRETTLE IN CENTER

A bridge has recently been completed by the Burlington railroad across the Platte river at Yutan, Neb., which has girders at either end, while the center is trestlework. This unusual form of bridge construction is described in the Popular Mechanics Magazine.

CHANGE IN AGENTS: Waynesboro, Pa., May 4.—Albert A. Mentzer, agent for the Adams Express Company at Hagerstown, has been transferred to the Altoona office. Mr. Moore, of the superintendent's office at Harrisburg, succeeded Mr. Mentzer at the Hagerstown office.



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How the Kaiser United the World Against Germany

The Kaiser's eligibility for the Nobel peace-prize occurs to one editor as he contemplates the burning away of old distrusts and hatreds among the once hostile peoples now banded together in a spiritual as well as a military alliance against the Central Powers.

Should the Government Fix Prices For Food?

The Arguments For and Against Such Regulation. America's First Shot in the War Sense and Censorship. No Separate Peace For Russia.

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