

SERGEANT GINO, LEADING ITALIAN FLIER, IS KILLED

Airplane Accident at Hempstead, N. Y., Ends Life of Resnati's Tutor

Mincola, N. Y., July 8.—Sergeant Gianfelice Gino, of the royal Italian flying corps, was killed in an airplane accident at Hazelhurst Field yesterday while making a nose dive for the benefit of the Italian mission to the United States and Major General William L. Kenly, director of military aeronautics.

CUTICURA HEALS ECZEMA ON BACK

Itched Badly. Could Not Work or Sleep. Also Blisters On Face.

"I had been suffering with eczema that broke out in a rash all over my back. As soon as I began to perspire it would itch so badly that I rubbed it so hard it would bleed. I could not work and I could not sleep. Blisters also broke out on my face."

"I wrote for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I bought some, and when I had used one cake of Soap and a half a box of Ointment, I was healed." (Signed) Michael Chismar, 518 Ally Ave., Aliquippa, Pa., Dec. 18, 1917.

"MON VIEUX PREND DU FER NUXATE"

"This is what you hear 'Over There.' Even in France they say 'TAKE NUXATED IRON OLD PAL'"

As a tonic, strength and blood builder probably no other medicine has been so successful with such phenomenal success as has Nuxated Iron. It is conservatively estimated that over three million people annually are taking it in this country alone.

COME TO PARKWAY

PENROSE SCORES PROBING AS STOP TO LARGER WORK

Senior Senator Calls Agricultural Investigations Useless and Ridiculous

Washington, July 8.—"I have sat here for the past year and voted for more measures that met my disapproval than I have voted during the preceding twenty years as a member of this body," declared Senator Penrose, in the course of an attack on the Agricultural Department.

Senator Ridicules Houston

The Senate was convulsed with laughter while the Senator sought to hold up the Department of Agriculture to ridicule for asking an appropriation of almost half a million dollars with which to investigate skunks, squirrels, coyotes, oysters and other pests.

MORE BOYS GET READY

Included in new applications of boys who anticipate attending the Central Y. M. C. A. boys' camp are those of Norman Hunter, James Bowman, George Beard and Robert Hawkins.

SERVICE FLAG UNFURLED

Dauphin, Pa., July 8.—With impressive ceremonies last evening the church service flag of nine stars and Old Glory were unfurled before a large congregation in the United Evangelical Church.

HIKE TO FESTIVAL

Dauphin, Pa., July 8.—Many people hiked out from Dauphin, Saturday evening, to the Stony Creek Valley schoolhouse to attend a festival, held by the Sawtooth Camp Fire Girls.

TELLS OF Y. M. C. A.

"The Work of the Y. M. C. A. at Home and Abroad" was the subject of an illustrated address given by the Rev. Thomas Reich in Christ Lutheran Church last night.

CAMPBELL TO BE NEW ELK RULER

St. Louis Lawyer Is Administration Choice For National Leader

Atlantic City, July 8.—Administration leaders, after a pre-convention conference here announced that Bruce A. Campbell, a leading attorney of East St. Louis, will be elected grand exalted ruler of half a million Elks in North America in the year reunion of the order, which opens in Atlantic City to-night.

The administration choice for head of the order is a graduate of the University of Illinois and 39 years of age. He served as a member of the General Assembly Illinois in 1905, was defeated for Congress in 1910 and is now a member of the Board of Governors of the Illinois State Bar Association.

Philadelphia Arrive

John K. Tener, president of the National League of Baseball Clubs and a past grand exalted ruler, registered yesterday at the Traymore, with him came J. E. Masters, of Charles, a member of the board of grand trustees, Chester P. Wray, past exalted ruler of Philadelphia lodge, and Charles Walter were among the

first Philadelphiaans to put in an appearance. Colonel Crago, a member of the Pennsylvania congressional delegation, also is here.

The Pennsylvania Elks held a meeting and arranged for a Keystone state reunion to be held on Wednesday with a number of distinguished guests. Governor Edge, of New Jersey, a "Hello Bill," of Atlantic City lodge, will deliver the address of welcome to the grand lodge on the Million Dollar pier to-night.

Atlantic City is in festive array for the convention. Bands and escort committees of the Shore Lodge in white uniform, with red, white and blue shoulder straps, met the incoming delegations and escorted them to their hotels.

Other reports will show that the Elks in the United States bought \$3,000,000 of Liberty Bonds from subordinate lodges. They donated \$300,000 to the Red Cross war fund and \$100,000 to the Y. M. C. A. war fund and \$1,000,000 to other war funds.

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GROUSE WILL BE PROTECTED

State Commission Expected to Take Action at Its Meeting Tomorrow

More than state-wide interest attaches to the meeting of the state game commission to-morrow because it is expected that Pennsylvania will join the ranks of the states which have moved to prevent the extermination of the ruffed grouse by declaring a closed season.

25 MEMBERS ADMITTED

Twenty-five adult members were admitted to membership at community services held in Stevens Memorial Methodist Church yesterday.

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ASSOCIATED AIDS HAD BUSY MONTH IN JUNE

Evidence of continued good work for the poor of Harrisburg is shown in the June report to the directors of the Associated Aids Society by its corps of active workers.

CHARGED WITH THEFT

Charged with the larceny of \$21 by Mrs. Robert Carter, colored, 1310 Cowden street, E. Alpor, Wallace street, will be given a hearing by Alderman Shaner to-morrow afternoon.

Three hundred and fifty children were under the care of the board during the month, of which 130 were placed in homes, free and boarding. Seventy-five cases were handled by the social service bureau.

Emphatically Asserts Worn Out, Lagging Men Can Quickly Become Vigorous and Full of Ambition

7 A DAY FOR 7 DAYS

Don't blame the man who is perpetually tired; his blood needs more red corpuscles and his brain and nerves are craving for food. Given the right kind of medicine, any tired-out, inactive, lagging fellow can quickly be made into a real live, energetic and even ambitious man.

Are the Packers Profiteers?

Plain Facts Abouts the Meat Business

The Federal Trade Commission in its recent report on war profits, stated that the five large meat packers have been profiteering and that they have a monopoly of the market.

been stated, the larger portion of the profits earned has been used to finance huge stocks of goods and to provide additions and improvements made necessary by the enormous demands of our army and navy and the Allies.

The figures given on profits are misleading and the statement that the packers have a monopoly is unsupported by the facts.

If you are a business man you will appreciate the significance of these facts. If you are unacquainted with business, talk this matter over with some business acquaintance—with your banker, say—and ask him to compare profits of the packing industry with those of any other large industry at the present time.

The meat business is one of the largest American industries. Any citizen who would familiarize himself with its details must be prepared for large totals.

No evidence is offered by the Federal Trade Commission in support of the statement that the large packers have a monopoly. The Commission's own report shows the large number and importance of other packers.

The report states that the aggregate profits of four large packers were \$140,000,000 for the three war years. This sum is compared with \$19,000,000 as the average annual profit for the three years before the war, making it appear that the war profit was \$121,000,000 greater than the pre-war profit.

The packers mentioned in the statement stand ready to prove to any fair minded person that they are in keen competition with each other, and that they have no power to manipulate prices.

This compares a three-year profit with a one-year profit—a manifestly unfair method of comparison. It is not only misleading, but the Federal Trade Commission apparently has made a mistake in the figures themselves.

If this were not true they would not dare to make this positive statement. Furthermore, government figures show that the five large packers mentioned in the report account for only about one-third of the meat business of the country.

The aggregate three-year profit of \$140,000,000 was earned on sales of over four and a half billion dollars. It means about three cents on each dollar of sales—or a mere fraction of a cent per pound of product.

They wish it were possible to interest you in the details of their business. Of how, for instance, they can sell dressed beef for less than the cost of the live animal, owing to utilization of by-products, and of the wonderful story of the methods of distribution throughout this broad land, as well as in other countries.

Packers' profits are a negligible factor in prices of live stock and meats. No other large business is conducted upon such small margins of profit.

The five packers mentioned feel justified in co-operating with each other to the extent of together presenting this public statement.

Furthermore—and this is very important—only a small portion of this profit has been paid in dividends. The balance has been put back into the businesses. It had to be, as you realize when you consider the problems the packers have had to solve—and solve quickly—during these war years.

They have been able to do a big job for your government in its time of need; they have met all war time demands promptly and completely and they are willing to trust their case to the fairmindedness of the American people with the facts before them.

To conduct this business in war times, with higher costs and the necessity of paying two or three times the former prices for live stock, has required the use of two or three times the ordinary amount of working capital. The additional profit makes only a fair return on this, and as has

Armour and Company  
Cudahy Packing Co.  
Morris and Company  
Swift and Company  
Wilson and Company