REIMS CHILDREN PLAY WAR GAMES

Emerge From Cellars, When the poisonous gas; of how they Bombardment Ceases, to Frolic in Sun.

ALL HAVE THE SAME SPIRIT

No One Ever Saw One of the Children Down-Hearted or Discontented-Will Be Great Help in Rebuilding France.

Parts.-Only a few months ago Reims still sheltered some 600 children, although the Germans almost daily bombarded the town.

How these children lived in the cellars and the special shelters while the Germans flercely bombarded the town is a pathetic story. Though these cellars and shelters were dark, dreary and damp, where the sun's rays never once showed themselves, no one ever saw these children downhearted or discontented. Whenever the bombardment let up, even for a few minutes, these children swarmed out of the cold cellars to play in the

Duty and Resignation.

A correspondent during one of these fulls walked down a narrow street bordered by the walls of houses of the sixteenth century, or such parts o. them as had survived the German bombardments. He met a youngster standing in the middle of the street gazing at one of the wrecked houses. Asked why he was gazing at that house, the boy answered:

"That house over yonder, monsieur? I was born in that house. When war broke out father was mobilized and mother went to live with an aunt In one of the houses on the outskirts of the city. Once a week I come here to look at my old home, or what is left of it."

"But aren't you afraid?" "Afraid of what? My father is at the front, my mother is still here, and as long as she stays here, I will."

This child is a type of all. All have the same spirit of duty and resignation, these children of "the Martyr

They tell how they received instructions to put on the masks against played in shell holes filled with rainwater; of how they used walls which had escaped the German shells to

play their game of war. Play at War Games.

Nearing the cathedral, almost completely gutted by the bombardment, the correspondent met a crowd of boys playing at their favorite game. He watched them for some time. guns, the attacking party was just a nation of vallant citizens.

jumping out of their shelter when the gas alarm was sounded. All the boys quickly donned their masks and continued playing, rather stimulated by the unforeseen reality of their game. So interested were they that they never thought of finding shelter, but had to be ordered to do so by patrolling soldiers.

But these things could not go on The youngsters had too much free time, as all the schools were closed and days were spent in hollday-mak-The municipality established schools in the huge cellars of the big champagne houses of Reims.

Every day the tencher had to go through the deserted streets under heavy bombardment, and very often the school children had to be kept in After playing in quickly constructed after hours when the town was being trenches in one of the courtyards of shelled. These children, having grown a destroyed house, where they had up under these conditions, will be a ingeniously placed their toy machin, splendid help to France in rebuilding

BACK WITH HER BOYS

Joyful Welcome Given Mrs. Haring at the Front.

"Godmother of the Polish Army" Greeted With Cheers by Officers and Men.

Paris,-A woman alighted from the train at what remains of a little railroad station very close to the front. Her hair was a trifle gray but her cheeks were pink, and she seemed to be very happy to be arriving in that

Very soon the reason became apparent. A military policeman was on duty in the station. He stared and gave a shout, "Mrs. Haring."

"I got here at last." she said a she shook hands-a handshake such

as is exchanged between friends long separated. "You're going to be with us?"

"As long as they let me." Mrs. Haring went out and up the street, searching for the dally shifting headquarters of the Y. M. C. A .for the war was moving with great rapidity since the new offensive be

An automobile containing a cap tain and three lieutenants stopped with a screaming of the brakes. Young men boiled out of the car to surround Mrs. Haring as if she were the belle of the season.

Another car stopped. More offi-

WOUNDED YANKS IN A LONDON HOSPITAL

These American soldiers are convalescing from wounds in a London

WOMEN AS FORESTERS



English women foresters are taking he place of the men at the front. Here are two of the land workers engaged in putting a sharp edge on their ax for tomorrow's toil. These women are showing themselves to be worthy successors of Britain's lumbermen. The felled trees in the back are a proof of that.

cers. Around the edge privates lined up waiting their chance. From that moment hers was a triumphal progress up the street. It seemed as if the whole American army wanted to follow her.

It was a happy party, a laughing, handshaking, congratulating party that surrounded the little Y. M. C. A. woman. She was back, back with the troops she had served and left for a time. They were doing their best to show her how glad they were to see her and were succeeding won-

The record of Mrs. Augusta Haring of New York city is enviable. She is a musician. It was she who, with Miss Myrtle S'nson of Greenfield, O., organized the Y. M. C. A. work in the new Polish army, most of which was recruited in the United States. For four months she worked among these men-this army which will be without a country until the war is over and victory comes to the allies.

Her proudest moment was when the commander of the Poles, in a public manner, bestowed on her the title of Godmother of the Polish Army.

Beech Logs Resisted Decay. Beech logs that formed six hundred years ago the foundation of Winchester (Eng.) cathedral, have just been uncovered. They were found to be in a sound condition after they had been

D'ANNUNZIO

League of Optimists at Given Hour Daily Will Wish Dire Things for Huns.

WAVES OF HATE FOR KAISER!

Chicago, Ill.-A league of optimists has been organized in Chicago with the avowed purpose of beating the kaised by "waves of hate." Branches are to be formed in every

part of the United States, according to Doctor Sheldon Leavitt, president of the league, who calls himself a "holy emotionalist." Here is the idea: Twice a day 20,000,000 optimists

shall at a designated hour concentrate Intellectually, grit their teeth, stamp their feet and simultaneously wish dire things for the Potsdam crowd, The ritual carries with it a "hymn of hate." The formula outlined by

Doctor Leavitt is as follows: "I call down upon the German government disaster, catastrophe, ruin,

disense, pestilence, annihilation and Then all that remains is for the al-

fied armies to crush the foe.

Yank Takes Woman's Flowers, Col-

lects \$40 for Her and Sends

Her Home In Taxi.

By WARD PRICE. he told us, "and once I thought our Italian Headquarters at the Front, trail had been struck. But not a -Maj. Gabriele d'Annunzio, Italy's single one of the Austrian chaser ma-

poet-airman, who led the raid on chines got up after us. The Austrians Vienna, has carried out an adven- were very keen to get me, but they turous personal reprisal for an Aus- missed a good chance this afternoon." trian night air raid during which one D'Annunzio will wear henceforth in of the enemy machines dropped a his flights an ivory-hilted dagger. bomb literally within yards of his This weapon is the distinctive mark sleeping quarters. The bomb did not of the Italian storm troops, and all explode, but its impact knocked over the eight airmen who took part in and broke a glass from which d'An- the raid on Vienna have been named nunzio had drunk an hour before. The by their comrades "The Storm Troops soldier-poet gayly started off in the of the Air." afternoon with his pilot in a new type of a fast, weight-carrying land machine, flew about one hundred miles straight across the Adriatic sea to Pola, the Austrian naval base, dropped 14 bombs on the arsenal and returned safely to his aerodrome. I was waiting there when he ar-

hospital. They are receiving the best of treatment and seem quite content exposed to water for almost six cen-

his squadron,

OF

Held Captive Four Hours.

Green Bay, Wis,-After being held captive by the Huns for four hours in a shell hole, Dr. Clarence C. DeMarcelle escaped when the territory in which the shell hole was located was captured by the Americans. Doctor DeMarcelle, who is with a medical

rived amid a round of cheers from unit in France, told of his experience in a letter to his father in this city. "There was a heavy barrage fire,"

SOLDIERS HONOR CLEVELAND'S HEROES

diers Who Fall in

Cleveland.-The city forestry department has adopted a plan whereby each Cleveland boy who gives his life in the great war will be remembered. As soon as tree planting time comes this fall a liberty oak will be planted for each boy killed in action or who dies as the result of wounds. The trees will be planted along North Park boulevard, which will henceforth be known as Liberty Row. Each tree will carry a bronze marker bearing the name of

More Nonessentials.

Anderson, Ind .- After a life of more than thirty years the Anderson Barceived \$18.33 refund. Indiana's

UNITED STATES AVIATORS WIN AMERICAN OFFICERS' GOLF TOURNAMENT IN ENGLAND



LIEUTENANT FAWCETT DRIVING FROM TEE.

Lieut. R. Fawcett of the American Aviation corps and champion golfer of Oregon, driving from the tee at the golf competition for American officers, given by their British friends on the Walton Heath links, England. Lieutenant Fawcett with Capt. W. S. Crampton, were the winners of two bronze British lions which were awarded by Sir Harry Brittan, chairman of the American Officers' club. The officers were afterward entertained by Sir George Riddell

TALK OF BASEBALL AT FRONT GOOD WORK FOR ALL SPORTS

Grover Cleveland Alexander of Cubs and "Chuck" Ward of Dodgers Are in Same Battery.

Corporal Charles ("Chuck") Ward, a St. Louis boy and former infielder for diers and sailors to be better fighters the Brooklyn Nationals, in a letter to and incidentally providing them with a friend tells of his safe arrival over- clean and wholesome recreation at the seas. Ward also writes of Grover Cleveland Alexander, premier pitcher exhibit of the war and navy departof the National league, being with him.



Grover Cleveland Alexander.

Alexander and Ward are members of

Forty-second artillery. Since leaving the United States ers. Ward said none of the boys in the battery, many of whom were former major leaguers, received any word of the pennant scrambles. Night after night, Ward concluded, the former ball players, while on duty, tell of their experiences while playing baseball in the

HOPE FOR ARMY-NAVY GAME

President Hempstead of Giants Endeavoring to Stage Historic Gridiron Struggle.

President Harry N. Hempstead of the Glants has not yet abandoned hope of staging the Army-Navy football game at the Polo grounds next fall, in spite of the fact that the historic gridfron struggle was not held as usual WORK FOR ROGER BRESNAHAN last year because of the war. Hempstead says that there is an almost unanimous sentiment in army circles for the holding of the game this year. Last fall the contest was frowned upon In official circles for the reason that It was feared the attention of the cadets nt West Point and Annapolis would be taken from their work in the week preceding the game and that, in view of such possibility, nothing must be allowed to interfere with their training.

FOOTBALL PLAYER IS KILLED

Philip Mills, Former Harvard Star, Meets Death While Fighting In France.

Capt. Philip O. Mills, former Har-Paul Smith, former International vard football player and a son of the late Gen. Samuel M. Mills, U. S. A., was killed in action July 25. Previous to America's entry in the war Captain Mills drove an ambulance in France. days. In a recent meet at Camp Captain Mills was a graduate of St. Paul's school, N. H., and Harvard university, 1905. He was a member of the university football eleven for three years, playing tackle.

No Worry Over Training. The magnates will not have to worry

the Glants anticipates being called

into the Cuban army by winter, as

the island republic expects to send

25,000 men to France.

Canadians Race In U. S. about training camps for their players Permission has been granted Cannext spring. Uncle Sam will attend to that. In the United States. Roderiguez Expects Call. Utility Infielder Joe Roderiguez of

Organized baseball is not killed; it merely is transferred to "somewhere in France" for the duration of the

Such is the expressed opinion of John Thomas Powers, organizer and first president of the late Federal league, who is going to France with the well-detailed intention of gridfroning that fair land with baseball lengues of gradually increasing importance, from the sand lot teams which practice in No Man's Land up to the real big league champions, which will settle the supremacy on diamonds in the south of France next

NEXT WORLD SERIES

Organizer John T. Powers Is

Sponsor for Bald Statement.

ironing That Fair Land With

Leagues of Gradually Increas-

ing Importance.

WILL BE IN FRANCE

"The next world's championship baseball series will be decided 'somewhere in France," says Powers, and while he does not go so far as to predict the exact leagues which will clash in this classic so far from its native heath, he concedes it may lie between the Y. M. C. A. league leader and the K. of C. league topliner. Inasmuch as he has a long record of organizing baseball leagues, from Interchurch up to nation-wide organizations, Powers' prediction is well worth considering. particularly as he adds convincing

"My scheme is to have a league in every regiment," explained Powers. "These can be organized by the Y. M. C. A. physical director and by elimination produce their champion teams. How Soldiers and Sailors Are Trained The regimental champions will have contests for the division championship and the division champions will fight for the corps championship. Eventu-How athletics are training our solally will come the series for the champlonship of the army, which will be the same as the world's championship if baseball is shut down in this country. same time has been portrayed in the All the best young players affected by the war department ruling will be in ments' commissions on training camp the army. activities which is touring the country as a part of the allied war exposition.

"With all the best talent there and good new talent coming to the surface we ought to have some games. This carrying real baseball to the soldiers Isn't just a time-killer, bût a necessary measure to keep up the morale of our boys over there."

PRESIDENT'S CRITIC A CADDY

Eleven-Year-Old Boy Says Chief Executive Has Three-Quarters Swing -Plays Fairly.

"The president is a fair golfer. He's got a three-quarters swing. He'd play better if his swing was a little fuller. He should not come back so fast on SETS HAND GRENADE RECORD the back swing." So says eleven-yearold Joe Dineen, who was President Wilson's caddy during a recent 'game with Doctor Grayson at Hamilton, Mass. Perhaps the only critic of America's chief executive who dares to openly voice his opinion. Joe Dineen,



Joe Dineen

has caddled for hundreds of prominent golfers at the Myopia Hunt club and thoroughly understands his game. Summing up Joe states that the president plays a "pretty fair game" and Mrs. Wilson does well for a woman.

Jess Barnes in France,

Jess Barnes has not communicated among the Glants since he went to age and married, plans to work in the Camp Funston the last week in May, new government nitrate plant at To- but it is reported that he is already in France.

> McDermott an Ensign. Michael McDermott, world's champion breast-stroke swimmer, has been doing a lot of work in a dirigible balloca corps, previous to going to France, as he is an easign in the aviation department of the service.

> > Crab There in Pinch.

Miller Hggins says a ball player who is a real crab is worth several hundred dollars more to a team, everya pinch.

Swimmer Will Fly. Michael McDermott, world's cham-

pion breast stroke swimmer says he has been doing a lot of work in a dirigible balloon corps previous to going to France, as he is an ensign in the aviation department of the service.

Johnny Kilbane Coming Back. Johnny Kilbane has not retired permanently from the ring. The featherweight champion may reappear in a bout at Cleveland or Philadelphia in the near future.

Suffered For Years Back and Kidneys Were in Bad Shape, But Doan's

Removed all the Trouble, "My kidneys were so weak that its least cold I caught would affect then and start my back aching until I could hardly endure the minery, and Mrs. D. C. Ross, 973 Fulton St. Browlyn, N. Y. "In the morning when I first got up, my back was so iame, I could hardly bend over and any move sent darts of pain through my kidneys. It was hard for me to walk up stairs or stoop, and to move while lying down sent darts of pain through me.

me.

"The kidney secre. MR tions were scanty and distrethe water remained in my systing my feet and hands swell were dark circles under my I became so dizzy I could he I had rheumatic pains in my it was all I could do to ge For years I was in that sha wore plasters and used all medicine to no avail until Doan's Kidney Pills. They of the trouble and strength of the trouble and strengthene back and kidneys. When I have Doan's since, they have always fited me."

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To the Purpose.

"What is the last thing that gift got her finger into?" "I think it is a dlamond engagement ring.

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there are pimples first smear then with Cuticura Ointment. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." Sold by druggists and by make Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50,-Adv.

Some people know so much the can't see anything but heir

Sore Eyes, Blood-Shot Eyes, Water Eyes, Blicky Eyes, all heated promptly with sightly applications of Roman Eye Balsam. At

Yes, Constant, you can make an ap-ple tree bare by picking the leaves

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New York .- A certain white-tiled rendezvous, famed for its batter-cake City Gets Bad Check.

MOTHER

acrobats, was filled to overflowing early the other morning with the mottey jinkle-jumble of night birds, semirespectables and the curious. The place is all that is left of the pre-war night life of Gotham. A little whitefaced woman eddled into the place with just a few bouquets, solled by an evening of handling, which she shyly tried to sell. On her black blouse was a service pin with three stars. An officer of the National army alone at

wich with a glass of milk saw her. He did not hesitate. "Come," he aid, taking her gently by the arm. "Selling flowers is no occupation for mother of soldiers. Let me have She gave them over with a

a corner table washing down a sand-

for the flowers, then he put ber in a taxicab, paying the fare himself, and she rolled away, leaving the officer at the curb with his head bared.

Corning, N. Y .- The Corning city court had one slipped over on it a short time ago. A resident of Hammondsport, on being fined \$10 for intoxication, offered a check in settlement. It was accepted by the judge, Shortly afterward the check was retuned unpaid, marked "no funds." When the monthly report of the city judge was made to the common councll it showed a discrepancy of \$10, the amount of the unpaid check.

Steam Engine Helped.

It is an historic fact that the development of the steam engine enabled England to stand the cost of the wars with Napoleon and speedily enjoy a more widespread prosperity than the

Plan to Grow Trees in Memory of Sol-Battle.

a soldler who has died.

tenders' union has disbanded. As a result the funds on hand were distribpted and each of the members remand for bartenders ceased April 2. 1918, when the state-wide bone-dry

The boxing drill, which shows a class of a thousand soldiers simultaneously learning the rudiments of the fistic art, is depicted in a series of carefully colored pictures, while motion pictures demonstrate how this

net fighters.

camp sports.

Gordon Sarre, Member of American Legion, Establishes New Mark

sport is making our men better bayo-

Is Portrayed in Exhibit Models

of Cantonments.

A feature of the exhibit of the train-

ing camp commissions is a model of a

modern cantonment. Inside the can-

tonment on the athletic field soldiers

in miniature are to be seen engaging

in boxing and wrestling, and playing

baseball, football, soccer and other

at Fontainebleau. That baseball is a fit preparation for one branch of the military service was shown recently when Gordon Sarre, an American member of the foreign legion, established a new world's record at Fontainebleau for throwing the hand grenade. Sarre threw the death dealing grenade 70 meters and 50 entimeters, or nearly 215 feet. A ew years ago Sarre was a baseball player on one of the best known preparatory school teams in the United States. The former record of 66 meters and 67 centimeters, made on the same battery, Three Hundred and the Fourth of July, is also held by a former baseball player named Shock-

CRAVATH TELLS HOW TO BAT

Recommends as Aid to Long Drives That Stick Be Held Tightly-Must Be Good Guesser.

Cravath, the Philadelphia home run hitter, recommends as an aid to long drives that the bat be held tightly. After 16 years' experience in batting the clever right fielder says all one has to do is to hit the ball and hope it sails far, far away. When one stands up to the plate he must guess what the pitcher is going to throw. The only thing necessary is to be a good guesser in order to be ready to slug a curve or a fast one.

Manager and Owner of Toledo Club Seeks Employment in Government Nitrate Plant.

Roger Bresnahan, manager and owner of the Toledo club, will obey Secretary Baker's work or fight order, with any of his former teammates Bresnahan, although above the draft

PAUL SMITH CRACK ATHLETE

Former International League Player Is Shining in Army Camp-Star at Baseball.

league outfielder, and who was denied a chance with the Boston Red Sox this year because of the draft call, is shining as an athlete in army field Dodge, in which scores of crack Army thing else being equal. On the theory, athletes took part, Smith won the run- we presume, that the crab is there in ning high jump and was a close contender in several other events. He also has been starring as a member of a Camp Dodge baseball team.

adian horse owners to cross the international border to race their horses

A new world's record for swimming across San Francisco bay was made by Miss Catherine Flaherty of San Fran-

Has Well-Detailed Intention of Grid-