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—is the great war-time sweetmeat.

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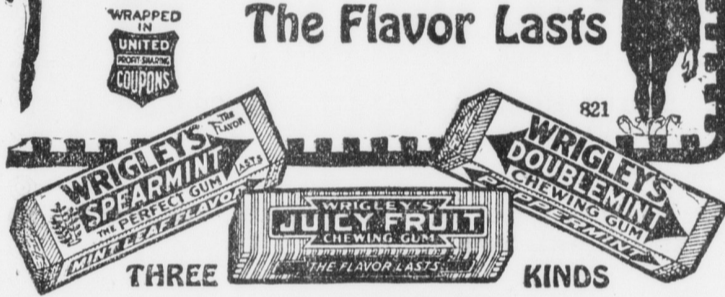
—has made it the favorite "sweet ration" of the Allied armies.

—send it to your friend at the front:

—it's the handiest, longest-lasting refreshment he can carry.

**CHEW IT AFTER EVERY MEAL**

**The Flavor Lasts**



**Precocious.**

Fond Auntie (questioning her nephew on the barometer)—Tommy, what is this? (points to the barometer).

Tommy—Oh, I know. It's a barometer.

"A barometer, you mean?"

"Yes, that's it. I know all about it; papa has told me. It tells when it is going to be wet or dry, rain, snow, stormy, or fine."

"It reminds you very much of a clock when you look at it, doesn't it, Tom?"

"It reminds me more of you, auntie, than anything else."

"Why do you think so, dear?"

"Why, because mamma says whenever you come here you are either very stormy or very dry."—Providence Journal.

**GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER**

has been a household remedy all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming up of food, palpitation of heart and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will immediately relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Since the discovery of tin in Alaska in 1902, nearly 1,000 tons of the metal have been produced.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills contain nothing but vegetable ingredients, which act gently as a tonic and purgative. Adv.

In everybody's cup of sorrow there is some happiness.

Garfield Tea, taken regularly, will correct both liver and kidney disorders. Adv.

The widow's might may be the result of practical experience.

**Boy Strong for Scapless Day.**

A new war propaganda that is certain to be taken up enthusiastically by young America was given a start in Huntington, W. Va., by Jimmy Wallen, a schoolboy, who has been active in the different war activities. Wallen, who is always spry and span, suggests a "scapless day," saying it is easy to keep clean without using soap one day a week. The "scapless day" would help conserve fats so badly needed by the allies, Jimmy declared. —Columbus Dispatch.

**Catarrah Cannot Be Cured**

by LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure catarrah. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in catarrah conditions. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

**How to Bring Them Up.**

Mrs. Domestic Tabby—People don't know how to raise children nowadays. They let them have their own way far too much.

Mrs. Brood Hen—That's very true. Now, look at my chickens. They wouldn't have amounted to a thing if they hadn't been sat on.—People's Home Journal.

**Important to Mothers**

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletch*er.

Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletch*er. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

**He Sidestepped.**

"Just why did you leave college?"

"The dean didn't go into details."—Jack O'Lantern.

## PENNSYLVANIA STATE ITEMS

Mauch Chunk.—The commissioners of Carbon county have offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of the fugitives who blew up the residence of Joseph Panchert, at Lansford.

Harrisburg.—If the labor problem can be worked out, thousands of young trees will be planted on lands adjacent to state forest reserves and on properties of coal companies this year.

Altoona.—H. A. Yeager has been appointed Alderman of the Eleventh ward, Altoona.

Lebanon.—At the state camp meeting of the P. O. S. of A., on August 29, a great patriotic parade will be held.

Bismarck.—Mrs. Anna Hyxneiser is in a critical condition at the Lebanon hospital, a victim of a poison drug.

Kulpport.—Suffering gangrene from a barefoot zero run in January, Alex Covick, of Kulpport, has just lost both feet at the Shamokin hospital.

Shamokin.—With but little effort a committee of bankers and professional men raised Shamokin's \$1000 quota for the Salvation Army war fund.

Hazleton.—Miss Cloeta Kite, Hazleton's first telegraph "messenger girl," has now qualified as that city's first "elevator girl" in an office building.

Philadelphia.—This city has paid the largest tax of any municipality in the state on its loans, sending a check for \$355,000 to the state treasury.

Hazleton.—Henry Ruch, a Lehigh Valley brakeman, has died here from injuries sustained when squeezed between cars at the Lattimer colliery.

Hazleton.—The Pennsylvania railroad has paid \$35,000 for the Claude Wilde property here and will utilize the land for the extension of its freight yards.

Altoona.—The Pennsylvania railroad has made Altoona, instead of Tyrone, the terminal for short freight runs on the Tyrone division, to relieve freight congestion.

Harrisburg.—Preliminary reports to the state department of agriculture are to the effect that in many townships peach trees have suffered severely from extremely cold weather.

Harrisburg.—Receipts of the state dairy and food division broke all records for the first two months of this year—\$416,547.79, against \$372,150.48 for the similar period of 1917.

Reading.—The body of James Sewa, drowned when the naval tug Cherokee foundered off Cape May, arrived here; 3000 persons viewed the remains and a public funeral was held with military honors.

Greensburg.—The Westmoreland Coal company has sold to the Irwin Gas Coal company seven seams of coal in Franklin township for \$237,601.80. Operations on the tract will be started in a short time.

Mahoning.—From 1600 to 1800 cars of coal and freight have been moved by the Lehigh Valley railroad out of the Packerton and Mahoning yards daily the past few days.

Connellsville.—Private Charles W. Linn, Battery B, 323d regiment, field artillery, who, it is alleged, deserted from Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, O., is under arrest here.

Waynesburg.—The Greene county authorities arrested an alleged German reservist at the plant of the Mather Coal works at Jefferson, near here. He admitted to the authorities that he was an enemy alien.

Meadeville.—Nearly 1000 employees of the Erie railroad shops here will benefit by the increase in wages ranging from three to five cents an hour. The Erie shops will go on a twelve-hour basis.

Bradford.—J. A. Vansickle, aged thirty-five, a woodcutter, near Port Allegany, was killed when he was crushed under a falling tree. A year ago a brother of Vansickle was killed in a similar accident near where the one occurred.

Harrisburg.—Due to the wet autumn farm work delays and late planting, the condition of the winter wheat and rye in some localities is "anything but favorable," according to reports coming to the state department of agriculture.

Carlisle.—Arrangements have been made to have the Cumberland county war savings committee take over the work of the third Liberty loan campaign.

Bellefonte.—J. Linn Harris has resigned as Centre county Republican chairman, and David Chambers has been elected to succeed him for the unexpired term.

Hazleton.—Reports from the thrift banks in Hazleton's schools show that 62 per cent of the children are depositors, 12 per cent more than the average throughout the county.

Allentown.—Wholesale arrests of persons caught by detectives in the employ of the Lehigh Valley Coal company cutting down valuable timber on its coal lands, have been made for several days.

Connellsville.—On account of the war Connellsville business men have called off their annual exposition this year.

Carlisle.—Three valuable Airdale dogs were sent by H. A. Surface, Mechanicsburg, former state zoologist, to Camp Dix for training for war service.

Bethlehem.—City council has ordered Tax Collector Q. A. Snyder to produce his records, and City Solicitor D. H. Wilson to institute an investigation, following a report to council that a foreigners had been compelled to pay taxes twice.

## INCREASE IN WESTERN CANADA ACREAGE

Will Prove a Big Factor in Winning the War.

Reports to hand indicate that Western Canada has a vastly increased acreage ready for crop this year over last year. The splendid open fall of 1917, gave a better opportunity for fall plowing than for some years. Work in the fields was almost continuous until the end of November. In fact, in the neighborhood of Pincher Creek, Alberta, there was sufficient mild weather in January of this year to permit farmers to plow, and many took advantage of it. A great many Americans owning land in Canada moved up last year, and this has also helped to increase the acreage. They came into possession of the land at prices varying from \$15.00 to \$30.00 an acre, and with the proven yields of wheat running from twenty and as high as fifty bushels per acre, with a set price of \$2.21 a bushel, they could join production and patriotism together with a big margin of profit. The Post-Intelligencer of Seattle, Wash., gives a very conservative statement of the agricultural development and opportunities in Western Canada. In its issue of December 14, 1917, it says:—

"Since the beginning of the year American emigration into Canada has been greatly stimulated according to the reports of the Dominion authorities, and has been almost entirely made up of farmers attracted by the fertile and comparatively cheap wheat lands.

"Whatever may be said of wheat culture as a profitable avocation in ordinary years, since the beginning of the war it has offered advantages quite beyond the usual opportunities. War has boomed the price of wheat until the farmer now receives around \$2 for his product at his granary.

Average crops, according to the adaptation of soil and climate are from 12 to 25 bushels to the acre. Even the minimum crop, at \$2 per bushel, brings in these war times a reasonable profit. Before the war wheat culture was fast being abandoned by farmers who worked intelligently for results on the right side of the ledger. It has been the popular crop for new countries, but when the pioneers settled down to business it was generally corn, hogs, cattle and diversified farming that brought the profits. Iowa and the Dakotas in turn, as their prairies became settled, mortgaged the land on wheat culture and afterwards paid off the mortgages with corn and hogs.

"War is thus bringing a temporary encouragement to wheat farming. Many of the ranchers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta laid away \$20,000 to \$30,000 in the banks last fall. It may be pointed out, however, that the growing of wheat is not the only inducement which is leading settlement to Canadian lands. Low taxation, favorable agricultural climate, and profitable prices not only for grain but for hogs, cattle and all forms of farm produce all contribute their share toward the rapid settlement of the fertile lands of Western Canada."—Advertisement.

He'd Paid the Bills.

"How did Weeds happen to marry a dressmaker?"

"For her money. She made all of his first wife's clothes."

Described.

"Pa, what is red tape?"

"Red tape, my boy, is the government string to efficiency's pocket book."

She Meant All Right.

"I'm hurrying to tell you this," hastens N. W. C.: "A woman came into our Red Cross branch, looked at the surgical dressings and asked, 'Is all this gauze cauterized?'"

This Will Interest Mothers.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children for Feverishness, Headache, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the bowels and destroy worms. They break up Colds in 24 hours. They are so pleasant to take children like them. Used by mothers for 31 years. All Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

A Hair Store Blonde.

"Isn't Maude's hair light?"

"Yes, she can lift it on and off easily."—Boston Transcript.

Not Just as Good.

"Have you a fireless cooker in your house?"

"No, but we have a coalless fire."

Many people imagine that Worms or Tape-worm cannot be gotten rid of entirely. Those who have used "Dead Shot"—Dr. Peery's Vermifuge, know that they can. Adv.

"Nothing is new under the sun!" How about the 1918 weather records?

Minnesota last year shipped out 15,520,690 barrels of flour.

Men are made to make money that women may spend it.

## Win the War by Preparing the Land Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist!

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, \$50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## The Betsy Ross Yarn Company

Manufacturers of Knitting Yarns  
354 Fourth Avenue, New York City  
SELL THEIR PRODUCT DIRECT TO CONSUMER  
65c per full 4 oz. hank  
\$2.50 per lb. in 5 lbs. lot (62½c per 4 oz. hank)  
\$2.30 per lb. in 10 lbs. lot (57½c per 4 oz. hank)  
Mail orders accompanied by money order receive prompt attention if addressed to Dept. B 1.

Tartars. Singular piece of news, that of a Tartar army threatening Sebastopol. It's a long while since Tartars have cut much of a figure in war. Once they were the greatest fighting race in the world and overran a large share of Europe and Asia.—Buffalo Times.

**RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.**

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ½ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Rich Japanese Was a Citizen. U. S. Keneko, a Japanese who amassed a fortune in cotton growing in the Imperial valley (Cal.) and who died recently, is believed to have been one of only two foreign-born Japanese naturalized in the United States. The other Japanese naturalized is said to live in Chicago. Settlement of Keneko's affairs brought this fact to light. Keneko obtained his naturalization papers from Judge Otis at San Bernardino in 1892. The case was investigated by the federal naturalization bureau here in 1913, and it is understood it was found to be legal.

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE ARE GIVING TOASTED CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the wonderful advances that have been made in the preparation of smoking tobaccos in the last few years it may sound strange to speak of toasted cigarettes. Strictly speaking, we should say cigarettes made of toasted tobacco; the smokers of this country will recognize it more readily by its trade name, "LUCKY STRIKE"—the toasted cigarette.

The American Tobacco Company are producing millions of these toasted cigarettes and these are being bought in enormous quantities through the various tobacco funds conducted by the newspapers of the country and forwarded through the Red Cross Society to the boys in France.

This new process of treating tobacco not only improves the flavor of the tobacco but it seals in this flavor and makes the cigarettes keep better.

The Red Cross nurse is always glad to have a cigarette for the wounded soldier, as, in most instances, that is the first thing asked for.—Adv.

Opportunity. "Opportunity passes in the way of every man." Artist Soldier—Yes, but the confounded thing is almost invariably camouflaged.

To be a real, good soldier, the recruit should always have ambition to become a general.

**160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE**

**Get under the Shower of Gold**

coming to farmers from the rich wheat fields of Western Canada. Where you can buy good farm land at \$15 to \$30 per acre and raise from 20 to 45 bushels of \$2 wheat to the acre it's easy to make money. Canada offers in her provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta

**160 Acre Homesteads Free to Settlers**

and other land at very low prices. Thousands of farmers from the U. S. or their sons are yearly taking advantage of this great opportunity. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed Farming is fully as profitable an industry as grain raising. Good schools, markets convenient; climate excellent. Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Sup't. Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

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if each of our 22,000,000 families use this recipe instead of white bread.

One loaf saves 11,000,000 pounds; three loaves a week for a year means 1,716,000,000 pounds saved!

**Enough to Feed the Entire Allied Army**

**Corn Bread with Rye Flour**

1 cup corn meal	1 teaspoon salt
1 cup rye flour	1 cup milk
2 tablespoons sugar	1 egg
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	2 tablespoons shortening

Barley flour or oat flour may be used instead of rye flour with equally good results. Sift dry ingredients into bowl; add milk, beaten egg and melted shortening. Stir well. Put into greased pan, allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes and bake in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

Our new Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods, mailed free—address

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