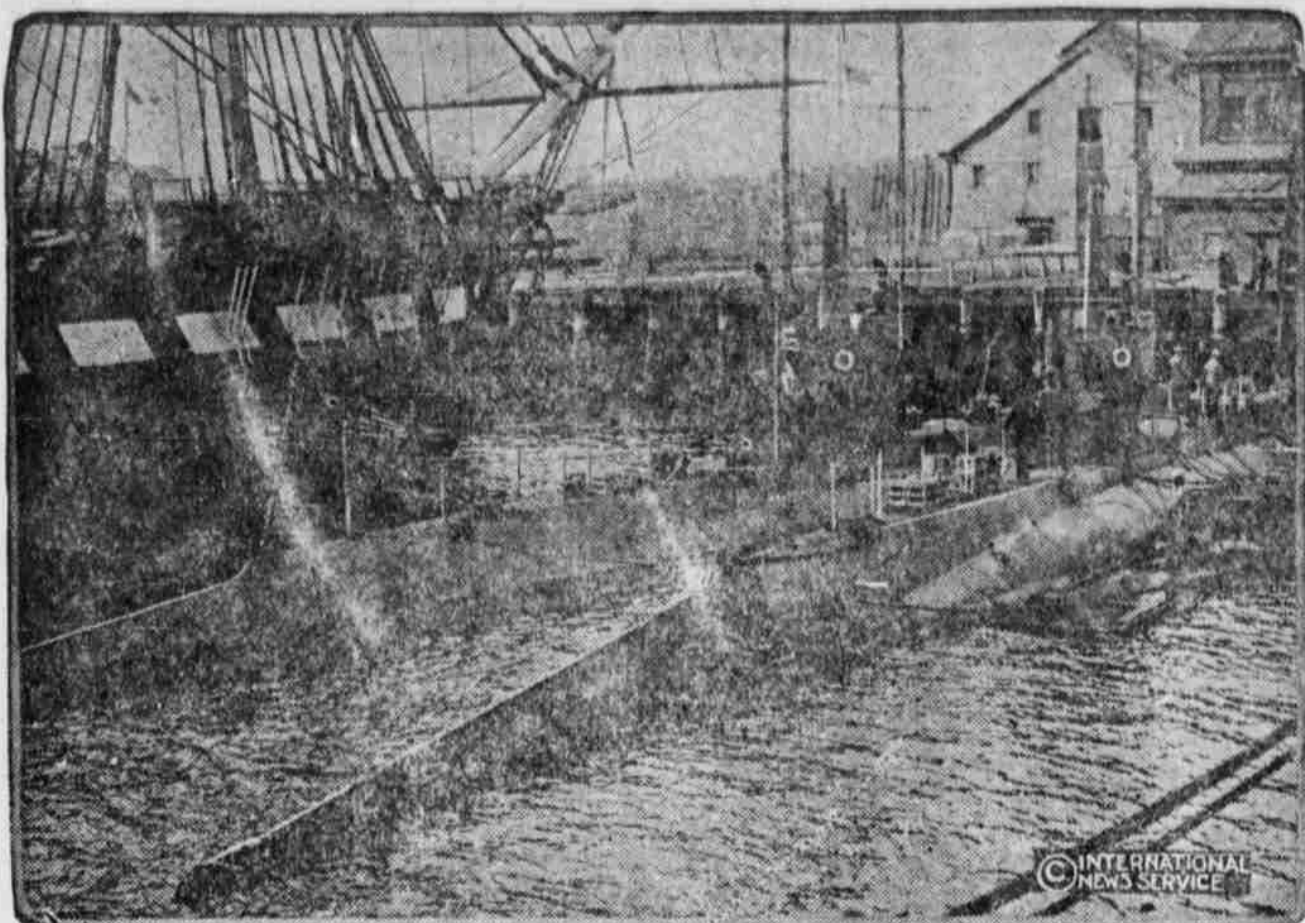
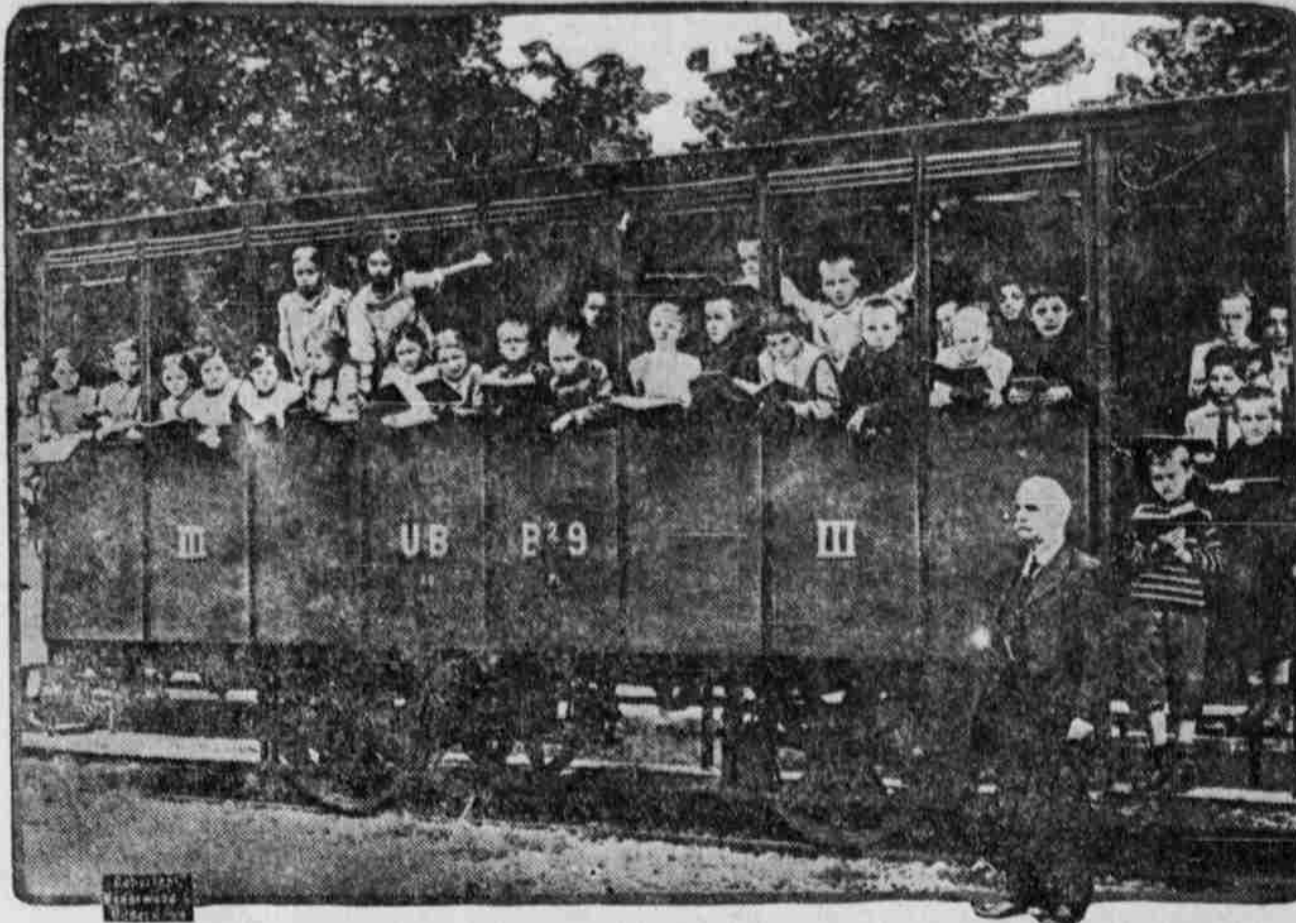


OLD AND THE NEW IN AMERICAN NAVY



America's first battleship, the Constitution, and the navy's latest acquisitions, the submarines K-5 and K-6 lying side by side in the Charlestown navy yard.

RAILWAY CARS FOR SCHOOLS IN GERMANY



To accommodate the wounded soldiers who are brought back from the battle lines, the schools of Germany have been converted into hospitals; and in order to provide for the children, whose studies otherwise would be interrupted, railway cars are being used as classrooms, as shown in the photograph.

KHAKI-CLAD TURKS MARCHING AGAINST RUSSIANS



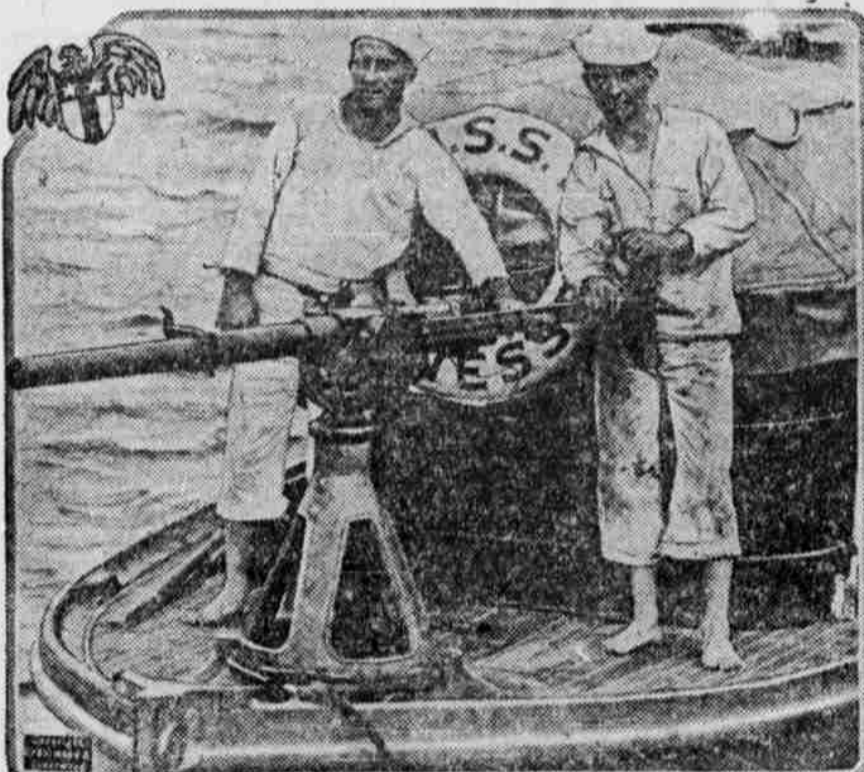
Regiment of Turkish regular infantry, drilled by the Germans and wearing their new khaki uniforms, marching across the desert to meet the Russian troops on the Caucasus border.

RED CROSS WORKERS IN NIEUPOORT'S RUINS



Shells from the German guns were still falling into Nieuport when this photograph was taken, showing Red Cross workers searching the ruins for any who might need their help.

TARGET FOR TURKS' "FRIENDLY" SHOT



This is the launch of the U. S. S. Tennessee at which a Turkish fort in the harbor of Smyrna fired a shot, which afterward was declared to be only a "friendly" warning that the harbor was mined and closed to alien vessels.

TERROR OF NAVIGATORS



This big steel ball is one of the deadly mines that are feared by all navigators. It was washed ashore at Stewell, Suffolk, and its explosives were removed by a torpedo instructor. Many of these mines have been beached along the coast of England.

FRENCH SOCIETY WOMEN AS NURSES



Parisian women, well known in society, attending wounded soldiers at the Gare du Nord as they arrive from the battlefields.

WARNS KING OF ENGLAND

Astrologist Tells George to Beware of Evil Days in March of Next Year.

Boston.—That King George of England must beware of evil days next March is the prediction of Catharine H. Thompson, astrologist. Miss Thompson bases her prediction on the fact that Jupiter enters Pisces, a watery, unstable sign, next March, and afflicts the king's radical sun, and sickness and trouble should increase rather than diminish. While Jupiter was passing through Aquarius this year, she says, trouble for the king was allayed. Something extraordinary will happen, she predicts, such as the siege of London, the fall of Westminster abbey, St. Paul's cathedral or Buckingham palace.

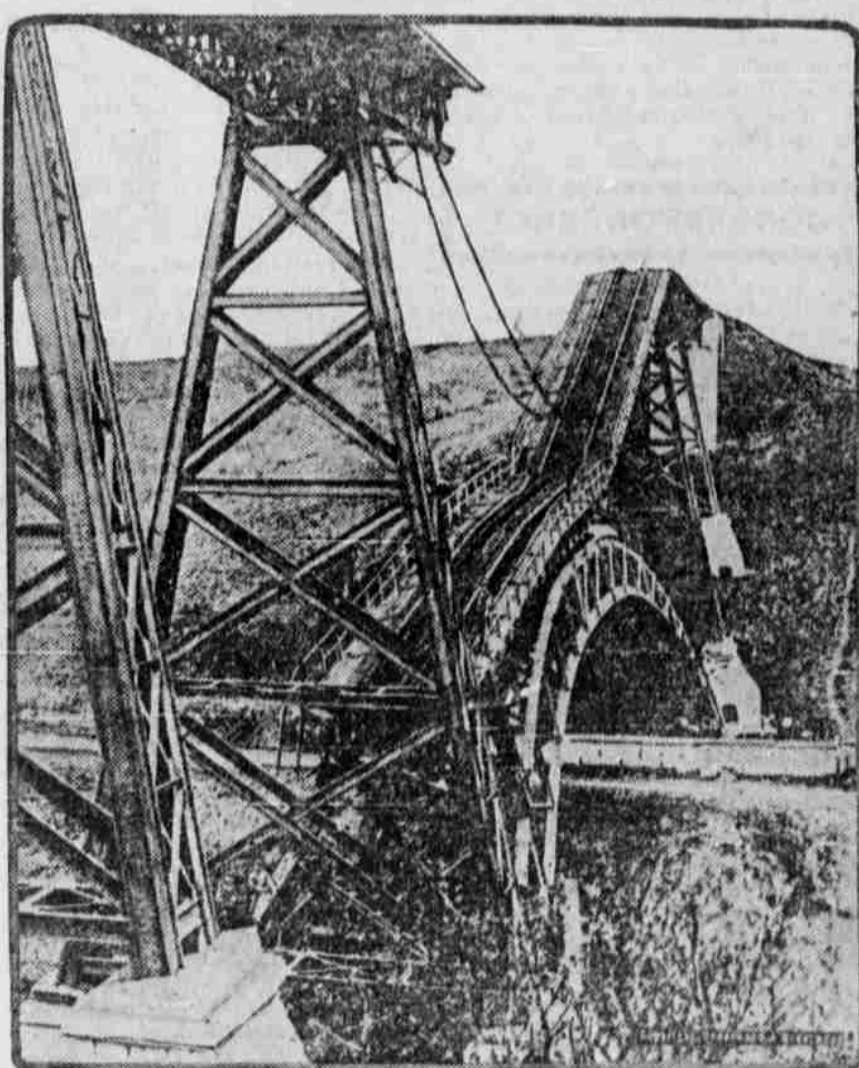
A Thorough Soaking. "Some of those soldiers fighting along the Aisne must lead a dog's life."

"I should think that lying in a trench half full of water day after day would be more like a frog's life."

Ruse of a French Captain.

A French captain caused a number of his horses to be loaded with hay effigies and then all bunched together and covered with hay to resemble a giant haystack. As the monster emerged from the haae the Germans were bewildered, but charged, which caused the horses to separate. While the Germans were slaying at the hay effigies on the horses the real French troops got a position in the rear and defeated them. The captain was highly

GREAT BRIDGE DESTROYED BY AUSTRIANS



During the recent fighting in Gallies, when the Russians were driving the Austrians before them, the Austrians destroyed this magnificent bridge to retard the progress of the enemy.

HEROIC SACRIFICE AT SEA

Sailors Drive Their Boat on Mine to Save a Warship—Six of Seven Perish.

London.—The correspondents of Finnish newspapers report the heroic sacrifice of the crew of a Russian picket-boat in order to save a Russian cruiser which was unwittingly approaching a mine in the Gulf of Finland. Realizing that it was too late to

BAD CONDITIONS IN SERVIA

Losses in Battle Are Heavy and Wounded Do Not Receive Adequate Treatment.

signal the danger, the boat deliberately rushed at the mine at full speed. A terrific explosion followed, and six out of the crew of seven perished.

The survivor, who was severely wounded, has been awarded the decoration of St. George.

Four Sets of Clothing. Paris.—A German spy, captured near Paris and shot, had four sets of clothing—the British uniform, the French soldier's garb, his own and a woman's dress over all.

medical treatment. There is lack of competent physicians, as well as of medical supplies. The disensions of political life have affected even the army, and there is actual despair now that the full extent of the defeats is becoming known. Nothing is heard from King Peter, whose illness is said to be paralysis. The Princes Alexander and George exercise little influence on either the civil population or the army. The account of the Reichspost is supplemented by a telegram

HAD SHOES FOR HIS BABY



Two little shoes found in the pockets of a mortally wounded Belgian soldier touched the heartstrings of the nurses in the French hospital to which he was taken. With them was a letter to his wife, from whom he had been separated since the destruction of their home in Termonde, saying he was sending a pair of shoes for their three-year-old baby, bought with money he had earned as a scout in King Albert's army. The shoes were hung above his deathbed.

London Vagrants.

The nightly number of vagrants taken care of by the city of London averaged more than a thousand during the year ended March, 1913, the nightly number of casuals dropped to an average of between 500 and 600, and during the next year the average was about 300. Since that date on only two nights has there been more than 300, and on June 19 the number fell to 175. This improved condition is due largely to a systematic effort on the part of the municipality and charitable organizations to relieve this condition.

Double Standard in Brussels.

Brussels now has the double financial standard, often to the sorrow of German officers. Frequently a pompous officer tenders a 100-mark bill in payment for dinner and gets in return a heap of Belgian paper, German bills, Belgian and German silver and Belgian nickel coins with holes punched

HOME TOWN HELPS

PAYS TO HAVE SHADE TREES

Their Worth to the Owners of Property Can Be Shown in Actual Dollars and Cents.

If a real estate dealer tells you that the house or building lot you are thinking of buying is worth several hundred dollars more because it is well supplied with shade trees, don't be too sure that he is trying to take advantage of you until you have counted and measured the trees. Very probably he may be telling the truth, for it has lately been discovered that the right kind of trees do increase the value of a piece of real estate.

In order to determine the value of trees in residential districts the Massachusetts Forestry association recently sought the advice of a number of practical real estate men. These men were asked this question: "How much, in your judgment, do full-grown shade trees along the street improve the value of the adjoining land for house lots?"

The majority of answers ranged from 10 to 50 per cent, while some went so far as to state that a house lot would be worth 100 per cent more if full-grown shade trees were standing in front of it. A fair average of the answers held that trees would improve the value of the adjoining land 40 per cent.

Expert tree appraisers say that a shade tree in good condition and well placed is worth \$1 per square inch of cross-section measured at breast height. At that rate, a tree one foot in diameter is worth \$113, while a tree two feet in diameter is worth \$452.

For the sake of illustration, suppose that we take a good-sized house lot, 50 by 100, or 5,000 square feet, worth 25 cents a foot. The land value is \$1,250. If the trees are spaced 50 feet apart on the street there would be one tree in front of the property. The tree is two feet in diameter and worth \$452, which would increase the value of the lot 36 per cent.

RULES FOR THE GOOD CITIZEN

Ten Commandments Formulated by Mrs. Moses L. Purvin of the Chicago Woman's Aid.

1. Thou shalt honor thy city and keep its laws.
2. Remember thy cleaning day and keep it wholly.
3. Thou shalt love and cherish thy children and provide for them decent homes and playgrounds.
4. Thou shalt not keep thy windows closed day or night.
5. Thou shalt keep in order thy alley, thy back yard, thy hall and thy stairway.
6. Thou shalt not kill thy children's bodies with poisonous air nor their souls with bad companions.
7. Thou shalt not let the wicked fly live.
8. Thou shalt not steal thy children's right to happiness from them.
9. Thou shalt bear witness against thy neighbor's rubbish heap.
10. Thou shalt covet all the air and sunlight thou canst obtain.

Know Your Own Back Lot?

Do you, denizen of the suburb, know your own countryside? In that patch of woods back of your home there are wonders beyond compare—wild things that would be neighborly if you'd let them, flowers that are growing as nature planned them, and that are quite as beautiful as any so carefully tended in the greenhouses of your wealthy neighbor across the street. Go to a near by woodland (better still if it's a bit swampy) some twilight, soon, and listen to the evening songs of the feathered folk. You don't know what music you may have without price until you've done this. Explore some of the little streams that meander through meadow and wood. Learn to name the birds and the flowers, classify the rocks and the soils—and look up to stars now and then. See America first? Surely, that's a fine determination. But see your own countryside even before you see the rest of the United States.—The Country-side Magazine.

Public Furnaces.

A splendid way to keep the streets free from waste paper, rubbish, etc., has been established in Glendale, near Los Angeles, Cal. The city has built public incinerators or catch-all furnaces in the alley back of its business blocks. Four of these, paid for by an assessment levied on the merchants, have not only solved the rubbish problem, but have reduced the danger of fire from promiscuous bonfires. The furnaces are built of brick and do not need watching while a fire is burning inside. They are four feet high with a chimney portion extending one foot above the main furnace. Rubbish to be-burned is dumped into the furnace through a 27-inch hole, covered with a two-inch wire screen, in the top. A good draft is secured by a draft hole at the bottom, and the chimney flue is covered with a wire screen. The chief advantages of the furnaces are that they are always ready for use and are perfectly safe.

Fixing the Memory.

"I hear you were introduced to one of our leading citizens the other night."  
"Yes, I had that honor."  
"And do you think he'll know you if you meet again?"  
"I'm sure of it. I borrowed two dollars from him."

Jack Sized Up.

Kitty—Jack says he loves me so much that he could die for me.  
Aunt Jane—Jack would do anything