

Record Office Designated
U. S. A. Recruiting Depot

Twenty thousand mechanics and artists are wanted by the War Department at once to join the Quartermaster Enlisted Reserve Corps and the Plainfield Record office has been designated as the local station for recruiting. Lieutenant Krellwitz, U. S. A., visited Plainfield Wednesday afternoon and completed arrangements for the local campaign. Those interested should communicate with the Record at once and Lieutenant Krellwitz will visit the Record frequently to follow up applicants and trace their references.

in the following form:

"Desirable persons qualified to fill the following named positions will be enlisted in the Quartermaster Enlisted Reserve Corps for a period of four years, unless sooner discharged by proper authority and promoted to the higher grades as vacancies occur and the reservists' qualifications, education, and service justified. Promotions will be rapid in the case of men of high character who show most prof-

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"Recognizing that from patriotic motives many are willing to do their share to further the preparedness of

Hamilton Out Seats Going Fast
In Court Show For Elk's Affair

After several weeks spent in rehearsing in New York "The Masked Model," by John Curti, will take the road tonight, making the first stop at the Pittsburgh Theatre. Considerable local interest is attached to this production because of the fact that it was written by Hamilton, Jr., of Fourth street. Mr. Hamilton has been playing in "Watch Your Step" since last September and during his absence from the stage over several weeks ago resigned to accept a better and more important part in the new contribution to the theatre.

After leaving Johnsondown the show will appear in Pittsburgh Saturday night and Sunday afternoon. The show will take it to the Pacific Coast. The return cast will not be made here.

Seats for the 29th annual theatrical production, this year entitled "The Land of Mystery," have been on sale at the Plainfield Theatre for two days and are going fast. Those having coupons should exchange them for seats as once the exchange period expires are likely to find no seats in either orchestra or balcony. Reservations for the show are now being held almost nightly and there is no doubt that the new edition of "Land of Mystery" will eclipse all efforts of the Plainfield Elks Lodge to make the 29th annual edition of the Plainfield Elks' Benefit Show a success. The cast which has been completed already has been so busy en route to the coast that the rough edges

Elk's New Officers Were Installed On Wednesday

big success and his progress has been watched with interest by his many local friends. His new undertaking is considerably more important than what he has appeared in to date but his admirers are confident that he has the ability to make good.

Mr. Hamilton will probably be best

Orders In Form That Elicits High Praise An Industrial Mass Meeting Next Week

A mass meeting under the joint auspices of the Business Men's Association and the Board of Trade will be held in Columbus Hall on Tuesday night as part of the countrywide campaign to enlist employers, employees and public spirited citizens

In the movement to guard against industrial trade perils of the future. Several prominent speakers who are authorities on the subject have been invited to address the audience.

The idea of organizing the movement in Plainfield was first thought of by the late Mayor J. Edgar Wilson. The Board of Trade has enthusiastically offered to help. The speakers have been arranged for by the Industrial Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of New York and will include ELLIS A. Howland, secretary of the Motor Vehicle Club of America, and J. HENRY, head of the Industrial Union Movement. Mr. Howland will talk on "The Motor Vehicle Industry," while the latter will tell of the importance of considering the human element in any attempt to increase the production of goods.

The meeting will be open to all and it is probable that local men somewhat familiar with the idea will express their views.

TODAY IS GOOD FRIDAY.

Featured by three-hour services, symbolic of the suffering of Christ, the day is observed by the Roman Catholic and Episcopal churches and by services to be held in practically all evangelical churches. On Friday, the day is observed as a holiday, the day is being noted also by the closing of the courts, the

sociation I desire to thank you most heartily for the excellent cooperation and assistance in making it possible in a large measure to secure the auto truck for our local company of guardsmen in Company H. The boys are highly elated over the success of our efforts, and we cannot but feel that the success of your wonderful work in making its accomplishment a certainty. Many of them have commented on the fact that since you had in such a short time, and they are deeply inspired in the thought that our local company is being led by you and your associates are co-operating with them in such a successful manner. I am expressing their heartfelt appreciation in saying that they greatly value your efforts most sincerely. Specially so, in view of the campaign on last Friday.

With my personal thanks in behalf of the Veterans' Association.

Yours very sincerely,
NORMAN D. LOUGHLIN.

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The following letter has been sent by Elliott T. Barrows to the Record:

Your "tempest in a teapot" regarding the appointment of Mr. McVoy, a master plumber, to the position of plumbing inspector in the Health Department seems to call for further light on the subject.

You need not have suspected that the "Board" was aware that no "State examination" could be held until June, for this is a matter of record, and it was immaterial whether the appointee was Mr. McVoy, "Jones" or "Smith," as either of them would have to serve on probation until that time, and your statement that, "The city of Plainfield is now paying \$84 a month to a plumbing inspector who is not qualified to act as such," only reflects the spirit you have shown in this matter.

Do you still maintain the above?—for if so, it means that the city would have to be without the services of an acting sanitary inspector from February until June, holding up all new work and plumbing changes during that period. Your conception that, "The opinion of the Board of Health that the plumbing inspectorship doesn't amount to much after all" because the incumbent would be "free of worry," is also in keeping with your attitude, for while "clarity" is sometimes a mild term for politics, neither one enters into this appointment, or any other act of the "Board," nor can it be possible that you really believe that the holder of this position performing only routine work, laid down in the sanitary code, can have worries compared to the business man struggling against competition, bad times, and the question of existence.

I did not say that Mr. McVoy's appointment was along the lines of "preparedness," but the training of a young man for plumbing inspector has already passed an examination as "Sanitary" and "Health Inspector" is along those lines, and I may add now, those of civil service. We will all agree that the State examination consists of "tests" that a "master plumber" should know, these are also questions any intelligent sanitary inspector after preparation can answer.

If you are honest in your criticisms of the "Board," the subject surely has assumed a "vitally pertinent one to Plainfield taxpayers," for if Mr. McVoy, a well known plumber, was qualified to sit as a member of the "Board of Health" he is not qualified to serve the city as plumbing inspector. The four members of the Board who appointed him and the Mayor and Corporation Counsel who acquiesced in the act, failed somehow to protect the city. Be frank and tell the taxpayers where they did so, for if we cannot do justice to the city of our homes, I am sure that all members of the "Board" will gladly retire in favor of more faithful servants.

But one point was made by the Plainfield Record in its original editorial on the plumbing inspector question—the appointment of a sixty-nine-year-old candidate to an office vacated by a man who thought he was too old for the duties at the age of seventy-four. Other scores that have been made since by the Record and which have evidently proven distasteful to the Board of Health were the direct result of information furnished by Mr. Barrows in his letters. In championing the Board's cause (we took it for granted that he was the authorized spokesman) Mr. Barrows brought to light sufficient evidence to stir up the "tempest" and it has now outgrown "teapot" proportions. In its first article the newspaper proved conclusively that the Board's action was unwarranted, unqualified and unbusiness-like, and the facts submitted have not been discredited by Mr. Barrows.

There is absolutely no reason why the city should be without a plumbing inspector from February until June nor is there any reason why it should be forced to pay \$85 a month to a man who has not passed the prescribed tests. You admit that he has not passed the prescribed tests. You admit that the "training of a younger man for plumbing inspector is along the lines of preparedness." If you are convinced of this fact, why did not you and the other members of the Board think of it before Mr. Addis retired and train the young man for the job?

You admit that the State tests consist of questions that any intelligent sanitary inspector could answer after preparation. Then why did you not prepare one of your sanitary inspectors to take the examination in view of the fact that your present employee was seventy-four years old and not likely to be available for duty much longer?

On every previous occasion we have stated plainly that we do not question Mr. McVoy's ability either as a plumbing inspector or as one of your colleagues on the Board of Health. Neither do we question your ability but we are of the opinion that some of your remarks would not be approved by other members of the Board. Your intimation that the routine work of the inspector's office involves no worry such as that which characterizes the life of a business man "struggling against competition, bad times and the question of existence" should act as an inducement for young men to prepare themselves

for the vacancy when Mr. McVoy retires and you should have no dearth of "young" material at that time.

We still maintain that what we have said is the whole truth; we have been given no cause to think otherwise. We are honest in our criticism of the Board in this instance and no apology offered by one member of the Board is sufficient to qualify the step which the Board has taken. The evidence shows that there was neglect in not preparing for the emergency and that little or no foresight was shown in the selection of a successor to Mr. Addis.

NEWARK'S EXAMPLE NOT A TYPICAL CASE.

Members of the Board of Fire Commissioners in Newark have installed the two-plant system at a cost of \$126,000. But the price paid to install the men is out of all proportion to what the new feature should cost and those in favor of such an improvement in the Plainfield fire department have no cause to be alarmed by the stir which has developed among Newark taxpayers.

The Board of Fire Commissioners admits that it erred in attempting to install the two-plant system on the basis of six-man company squads. It was a plan that was hopelessly inefficient, and it must be said that in its present modified form, although better than was proposed, it is far from perfect.

It is now proposed to add 130 men to the department instead of eighty. This will bring the first cost of installing the system to about \$126,000 instead of \$86,000. The ultimate cost, when the new men have advanced to first grade and pay, will be not far from \$175,000 a year. But neither the first cost as now reckoned, nor the ultimate yearly expense as stated, will be enough properly to man the department and maintain its efficiency. It will require more still than 130 additional men.

By adding eighty new men it was designed to form squads of six to each company and man three battalion companies in addition. With 130 men the increase in the force will average less than one man to each squad. The board proposes to impress the pensioners on the retired list to act as house guards when the companies are absent on fire duty, with help from the policemen on post. This has the appearance of being doubly impracticable. No dependence can be placed upon the chance that a retired fireman would either obtain knowledge that a fire has occurred or would be able, if willing, to serve as house watch. Possibly, if guarding a fire house was made a special duty of policemen other duties might have to be neglected and more policemen would be appointed to balance the work. It would be better and no more costly to add firemen instead.

The commissioners are aware that the consensus of experts on fire fighting is that eight men to the squad is the lowest measure of numerical efficiency. Eight-man squads are favored by some of the members of the board. But the ogre of expense still intervenes. The taxpayer must be coddled, even though the risk be the destruction of his property and, maybe, of his life. It looks as if the board, in seeking sustenance, has fed Newark something less than half a loaf.

DO YOU PART IN AID OF RELIEF WORK.

One Plainfield unit has been called to colors and we have every reason to expect that the second will follow shortly. Mobilization of the infantry unit has brought forcibly to our attention the need for immediate action by those of us left behind in mapping out some plan by which the dependents of the marchers will be comfortably provided for. The Citizens' Committee, of which Mr. George P. Mellick is chairman, successfully handled a similar proposition at the time of the Mexican mobilization, and there is every reason to expect that this same organization will shoulder Plainfield's responsibilities once more.

But the present state of affairs is even more serious than those in evidence last June. There are considerably more families to be taken care of and consequently much more money will have to be raised. In a crisis of this kind every red-blooded American feels called upon to do his individual share and there is no more worthy channel for well doing than in the relief of families. Contributions of big amounts will be needed to carry on the work but the little offerings add toward obtaining larger ones and donations of any size are to be encouraged.

There are men in Company K today whose greatest worry is that which concerns the families they left behind. They confess that they have been living with no thought for the "rainy day." When the call to arms was sounded it found the family cupboard bare and no funds to meet the landlord. Immediate relief of these cases is necessary and there must be money available to carry on the praiseworthy work. The so-called "big men" of Plainfield have contributed liberally to the fund but they should not be looked to for all of the financial aid. Others should contribute according to their means.

Investigations will be conducted to ascertain the exact status of the families making appeals and the amount of money they have been used to having for the purchase of every-day necessities. They will be impressed with the need for economy but they should be allowed to want for no necessity of life.

Do your little bit to assist Mr. Mellick and his colleagues. Turn in your mite or your one hundred check today. No one will venture to question the worthiness of the cause but some might find room for criticism if they only knew the vast amount of work this committee plans to do with limited resources.

For the benefit of those who do not know it might be said that it is good form not to keep the American flag out after dark. The flag on anything but a post actually hoisted should never be displayed between sunset and sunrise. Keeping the flag at the mast-head over-night is looked upon by many as evidence of unmistakable indifference or irresponsible neglect. The flag bearing the Stars and Stripes which inspired Keyes' famous "Star Spangled Banner" was in actual service at Fort McHenry during the attack and siege of that important fortification at night by an English fleet.

The submarines may take the place of sharks in keeping bathers out of the Atlantic Ocean next summer.

THIS RECORDER HAD THE RIGHT IDEA IN MIND.

When a Hoboken recorder sentenced two young men to the navy after they were found guilty of larceny he may have committed a serious error but we find it difficult to believe that any magistrate would take this action because he was of the opinion that the navy is a place for thieves. Certain parties have become greatly wrought up over the sentence and they have evidently failed to take into consideration the circumstances. The two young men were not moral degenerates nor were they hardened criminals. The recorder probably believed them to be possessed of the necessary qualities for redemption and he probably thought that service under Uncle Sam's flag would make good citizens of them. He was right in this view of his idea.

There are many first-timers arranged in Plainfield's police court, as well as those who are the victims of circumstances. They never had a chance to see the better part of life; their boyhood was spent battling against the darker odds. The discipline of the navy is what many a young man needs to bring him back to the path of righteousness and while we are all advocates of sending all types of criminals to navy training stations we do believe that an act such as the Hoboken recorder has "committed" would be the "making" of many a young wrong-doer.

Many a father has put his own son in the navy as a means of giving him a "straightening out" process, and we cannot believe that the recorder had any other idea in mind than helping the boys, and helping his country, when he sent the two young men to the Navy Department.

It will not be out of place for the Government to give him and all other magistrates an understanding that the navy is not a correctional institution, but to mete out drastic punishment would be an act out of proportion to the spirit of the offense.

SOLDIERS' FAMILIES WILL WANT FOR NOTHING.

Citizens of Plainfield are to be congratulated on the spirit of patriotism evidenced in the raising of a fund for a militia motor truck and also in the contribution of money to help defray the expense of the Citizens' Committee in caring for the families of soldiers called to service. Little trouble was experienced by the Record, the Veterans' Committee and the National Special Aid Society in raising the necessary amount for the needed vehicle for Company K and there was a good sum left over which will go into the treasury of the Citizens' Committee.

We are not performing a charity in caring for the needy ones left behind; it is a duty we should perform. A number of Company K men are wage-earners of the poorer class. They have dependent families who have been left without support because the bread-winner has answered the call to arms. The money spent for the motor truck was put to good use but the sum left over will be put to even better use and the amount that will be forthcoming from citizens who have not as yet contributed will be very much needed.

It is up to the city of Plainfield, and by this we mean those who have been left behind, to care for the needy families of the guardsmen. They should want for nothing; they should be supplied with the same necessities of life as they would be enjoying if the head of the household had not been called. Mr. George P. Mellick heads the Citizens' Committee and checks sent to him will be used exclusively for this purpose. No amount is too small nor too large.

WHAT ONE MOTHER IS WILLING TO SACRIFICE.

The appeal of the pacifists to the women of the nation to rise up in a protest against war made no impression on one Plainfield woman who has five sons. Only one of them is old enough to go to war, but she is willing to make the sacrifice if the time comes when they are needed. Here is her own word:

"It is hard for a mother to think she might lose her son, and I can't bear to think what might happen to Dan, but I'm happy in the thought that he is man enough to go to war to answer his country's call. I have four others, not quite old enough, but all anxious to join the colors. If the country calls for them and they still want to go, I would be willing to make the sacrifice."

American womanhood is just as strong as it was in '76, just as strong as it was in '61, just as strong as it was in '98. American mothers are just as brave and courageous as French mothers, Russian mothers, English mothers, Italian mothers, Belgian mothers—Spartan mothers. They cannot be scared, hulled nor cajoled. Those pure advertisements are too palpable to fool anybody. They are an American. The American people cannot be judged by the weak-kneed pacifists and foreigners who made their protest at Washington Monday.

MAKE THE VISITORS FEEL AT HOME HERE.

Reverence for the militia uniform has never been so sincere as it is at the present time. During the past week the khaki garbed guardsmen have mingled among us as representatives of the Federal government's propaganda. They command the respect of old and young; their appearance thrills the individual with patriotism; their presence instills in us a feeling of safety against the inevitable developments of war time. Show the visiting militiamen every consideration; find no fault with the Federal regulations even though they put you to some inconvenience in the course of your day's work; keep ever in mind the fact that they are the patriots who stood ready to answer the first call to colors.

When our Plainfield boys went to the Mexican border last summer they were treated by the townspeople of Douglas in the worst conceivable manner; they were led by the storekeepers and restaurant owners; they were looked down upon by the better class because they were \$15 a month privates. We expect no such conditions to arise in Plainfield while the visiting guardsmen mingle among us, but there is always that thoughtless class in a city who stand ready to jeer and bleed. This fiction is in the minority here; it is hardly detectable.

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Many Working Hard For Success Of Easter Dance

Watching Council, K. of C., will hold its annual Easter Dance Monday night. Elaborate plans have been made. The committee in charge of the arrangements are as follows:

Easter Dance Committee: Peter McDonough, William Messler, John Keesley, music: Frank McInerney, George Howe, Joseph Greene, Albert DeNoyes, Albert Brynarski, Edward McGarry, refreshments: John McCaffrey, Patrick Mohan, Daniel Gueenoe, Frank Hart, Joseph Gallagher, Frank McCarty, decorations: H. P. Greenwood, William Mead, Frank Burke, Joseph Kennedy, Dave Doyle, John Casey, G. Linke, J. Cullen, T. Connelly, N. Rocan, J. McCarty, J. Murray, reception: Morris Higgins, Peter McDonough, William Messler, John Keesley, M. D. O'Keefe, Edward Fitzgerald, John Coyle, Travon Bros., James Fitzgerald, George Taylor, Anthony Marcell, Otto Linke, Harry Forrester, Harry Pasco, Fred Brader, A. A. Cannon, Joseph O'Keefe, Frank Donnelly, T. P. Carthy, Frank Burke, John Doyle, Wm. V. Sullivan, Joseph Sullivan, Lou Kennedy, Charles Keating, Peter Cooley, Paul Brown, Louis Harding, John Duffy, secretary: John G. Carthy.

SCIENCE EXHIBIT.

On April 24 there will be a practical demonstration of the work done by the Science Department of the Plainfield High School. There will be an interesting exposition by the pupils of the everyday knowledge obtained in class and other features are being arranged.

Local Belgian Society Loses By U Boat Raid

Some more of the work of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society sent for tonight when a German U-boat sunk the relief ship Trevor of the coast of Shetland on several days ago. Part of the part of the cargo of food and clothing that was on its way to the Belgians was contributed by the Plainfield society is not known, but because this city's generosity has helped make up every cent it is known that there are some losses to the society.

The cargo will not, however, be a financial loss to the Belgian Relief Committee, because the American covering the ship will be used to replace the material lost. The Trevor was bound to Rotterdam and left New York February 23 after the Commission received assurance from the German Government that the vessel would be accorded "safe passage."

FUND NOT COMPLETE.

As a result of the mass meeting on Tuesday night held in Columbus Hall under the auspices of the National Jewish Relief Commission, more than half of the \$10,000, Plainfield's share of the \$1,000,000 fund, was raised. The appeals of Rabbi Stephen Wise, Mayor Leighton Calhoun, Dr. John Sheridan Zelle, and other local people have more showed their liberality and since the contributions have come in to Judge William Newcorn, chairman of the committee, work is not to be stopped by the committee and it is hoped that in a short time the entire amount may be sent to the headquarters of the fund.

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There is one tailored model in particular that you will like. A picture of it appears in our Spring fashion booklet. Did you receive one? If not, we will be glad to mail it, upon request.

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Co. K Awaits Call To Duty

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No military organization would be complete without a mascot and the First Battalion companies are no exception. Company K, of Plainfield, has a little fellow which has been named "K." Not to be outdone, Company C sent several men to "K" territory Monday and they returned with a coat which has been cut out of all sorts of rags and scraps of material. It is not yet given up hope of obtaining a coat, a rabbit and a ham. This is painted a little gray and on the head the word "Mascot" has been inscribed. It is a perfectly good and workable suit, as any member of the company who has been out in it will testify.

Care should be exercised by relatives and friends of Company K members in reading mail, while in guard duty while they are in the field of service. The exact whereabouts of the battalion will not be divulged under any circumstances. All of the outgoing mail will have to pass through a censor at Governor's Island. Address all mail to soldiers as follows: "Private John H. Capstick, Company K, Second Infantry Headquarters, Trenton, N. J." Be sure and quote the full name and rank of the individual and the address will be forwarded from the Trenton army to the field station.

"Joan The Woman" At Proctor's House

Of all the motion pictures ever made none has had a finer purport than "Joan the Woman" in which Geraldine Farrar, the far-famed opera star will appear at Proctor's Theatre for 3 days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 16, 17 and 18. It is not merely a masterpiece of a spectacle and thrilling in its heroism, but there is something blinding and more ennobling back of it than stage craft.

It shows to what heights a woman can rise when it comes to a matter of sacrifice. No one can hold back the jumps that come to the throat when they see this wonderful peasant girl of France with one of England's greatest invading knights at her feet in humble supplication of love. He is back her human emotions because her country needs her. And in the continuance of this thrilling love story every soul must be stirred to see the girl, Joan, hard as adamant, on the battle field, twice save the life of her suitor only to find in the end that he is the one selected to triumph for the King of England. Historic and wonderful in pageantry it is, but the thing that will make it take rank with the greatest motion pictures of our time is the way Joan's great love story is woven through it all.

Cecil B. De Mille, the producer of the spectacle, has created an epoch in photo-dramatic history with noble thrilling and artistic achievement.

Local Water Case Should Be Tested

Trenton, April 6.—The State Public Utility Commission yesterday made a report in the complaint of Symon Hirsch against the Plainfield Water Company, alleging that his bills for water service in Plainfield are excessive and the amount of water for which he was charged was not used.

The board says that the company, in view of the circumstances in the case, which apparently is a dispute of the merits of a charge for service for a single quarter, should not discontinue service of the petitioner, Hirsch, and that he should be paid the amount of the subsequent payment of water charges. It is the opinion of the commission that the dispute should be settled in a court of law.

Many At Funeral Of Former Borough

Funeral services for Charles Steiner, who died in California several days ago following a lingering illness, were held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steiner, of Jackson avenue, yesterday afternoon and were attended by a large number of relatives and friends. The services were very impressive and were conducted by Rev. Howard B. Clark, pastor of the Congregational church, and Rev. C. L. Goodrich, formerly of this city, but now of Amherst, Mass. Interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

The hearse was carried by the Hirsch and Grace Carroll sons, the Hirsch sons, "Abbie With Me" and "Cosa and Crown." Hirsch and other floral tributes were placed about the casket, prominent among them being a large wreath from the members of the class of 1905 of the North Plainfield High School, of which the deceased was a member.

Charles W. Swalm Now A Benedict

Charles W. Swalm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Ten Broeck, of New Brunswick, was married to Charles W. Benedict, of this city, Monday, April 6, at the residence of the bride's parents, the Rev. Paul Hayne, in the Livingston Avenue Baptist church of New Brunswick.

The bride is a graduate of the New Brunswick High School, also the State Normal School at Trenton, where leaving the Normal School she has been engaged as teacher in the Grove Street School, Irvington, N. J. Mr. Swalm is connected with the State Service Co., Company of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Swalm will be at home to their friends after May 1 at 122 Watchung avenue, this city. Where a home already furnished awaits them upon the return of their wedding trip.

MCCANN ACTING AGENT.—Several candidates have already appeared for the position of motor registration clerk for Elizabeth, which has been left vacant by the retirement of C. J. Nathan. It is expected that Motor Vehicle Commissioner William L. Dill will make his appointment within a week. James McCann, motor registration clerk of Plainfield, has been acting in Mr. Nathan's place since the latter's resignation. He has been drawing the salary for both positions.

CAPSTICK STILL VERY ILL.—Although somewhat improved, the condition of Congressman John H. Capstick, who is ill with pneumonia at the Morristown Memorial Hospital, still remains serious. The severe illness from which Mr. Capstick has suffered has weakened his heart action. It is now reported.

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If the lesson of devotion to our country and confidence in its destiny were inculcated as it was readily learned in an incident witnessed in the vicinity of Fifth and Liberty streets on Monday last at noon. Standing at attention, in the hollow square about the flag-star of St. Mary's Commercial School, six hundred and fifty pupils joined in a ceremony of national devotion that lifted the hearts and the minds of the spectators to a new appreciation of education as a factor in patriotism.

For ten minutes they had been assembling—the tots from the kindergarten, the boys and girls from the preparatory and grammar schools and their elder brothers and sisters from the commercial—when from the divided lines at the south side of the square two baby children, a boy and a girl, bore the folded flag into the arena. When it was adjusted to the bargepole, Father Hogan addressed them in part as follows:

"My young fellow Americans, within a few minutes there is to be enacted in the Capital City of the United States a scene that shall live in the history of the Nation. President Wilson, surrounded by his official advisers, and the Senators and Congressmen of every State in the Union, will stand sponsor for the will of the people in a crisis in its national existence as serious as its reality, as awful in its consequences as it is epochal in its finality as any in the history of our country."

"With the burden of responsibility upon his shoulders, he has carried his obligations to the people through months of confounding influences with a patience and fortitude that have in themselves baffled a devoted on which history shall place him for the gratitude and admiration of posterity. With an intimate knowledge of the mind of the people—the resources of the Nation and the inevitable horrors of war, he will plead the cause of national honor in defense of which every American worthy of that severance into shall stand out to be counted. Today our young soldier men stand awaiting the call to a soldier's duty—our hopes and our hearts are with them. When once the President is vested with authority to act, his authority is God's command to the conscience of the Nation. That he may wield his authority with wisdom is our prayer; that he may direct us unerringly is our hope; that the honor of the Nation shall be preserved in the tribulations of our confidence in his leadership. Strong as your voices are, you cannot hope to reach his ear, and so you give right to his impatient flag that it may bear aloft the message of your faith in him, your hope in him, and your confidence that through him the God of battles will uphold the honor of the flag without a stain."

Just as the flag took flight and the opening tone of The National Song was heard, the angels' bell in the nearby steeple called the people of the parish to their mid-day prayer. The National song was hushed for the moment, as with bowed heads and reverent tone, the Angel's prayer was said. Then with the sanction of religion on the spirit of patriotism, the "Star Spangled Banner" was sung as if the Saul of America awoke on the lips of the singers and the angels above gave echo to the song of a Nation's confidence.

Banner of America! O banner of the people!
In the love we bear you, let all class distinction lie.
Wave from towering city spire or tiny village steeple,
Every eye is glad to see your splendor in the sky!Banner of America! Oh, confusion of glory!
Many a soldier son for you has heard the angels' bell in the steeple.Many a soldier son whose name is lost to song or story,
Gladly gave his life to see you shine above the ships!Banner of a freedom that the centuries have sighed for,
Banner of a hand that gives the soaring spirit scope,
Ever-sacred symbol of a dream that men have died for,
Wave above a nation where the humblest heart may hope!

Rev. J. W. Flynn New

Pastor at Monroe Ave.

Complying with his request that he be sent to some other parsonage, Rev. D. H. F. Randolph, for the past three years, pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, was assigned at the Newark Methodist convention to the Methodist church at Haddonfield, N. J. His place has been filled by Rev. J. W. Flynn, for some years pastor of the Bernardville Methodist church, who will occupy the pulpit for the first time on Easter Sunday morning. Dr. Randolph will leave for his new charge sometime during the coming week.

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Religious Must Be in the Hands of the Editor By Wednesday Night Activities

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Dr. Bolton will preach his Easter sermon at 10 o'clock on the subject of "The Resurrection." Service in the Netherwood reformed church Sunday. The church will be appropriately decorated, and the music will be suitable to foster. The evening service will be in charge of the members of the church. A program in the Sunday-school and a program in the church will be given.

What the People Are
Doing in Religious Cir-
cles During Winter.

Beginning last Monday, couples desiring to be married in this State must now wait three days after making application for a license before the ceremony can be performed.

Miss H. O. Mattison, local registrar of vital statistics, has been notified that the law passed at the last session of the Legislature makes it necessary for the couple to make application for the license and then

45. At the service Dr. Easter wait forty-eight hours before it can be granted. After it is granted twenty-four hours must intervene before the ceremony.

Women's Clubs

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work on bandages, pajamas and other equipment for the hospital.

There will be two departmental meetings of the Monday Afternoon Club that will be held in the parish house of the Congregational church during the next two weeks. This coming Monday a meeting of the civics department will be held and will be in charge of Mrs. Charles R. Banks, of Washington avenue. On April 16, the following Monday, the literature department will hold a meeting, at which time Mrs. Archibald Cox will read a paper on "Progressive Child" and Miss Elsie De R. Suffer will read one on "Chillan Men of Letters."

At the April meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club held this week delegates to the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs convention in Atlantic City from May 3-5 were named. Mrs. Harold D. Cox, business president of the club, and Mrs. C. G. Emil Larson, the vice-president, were chosen and if they are not able to attend alternates will be picked.

Mrs. Brice Collard, corresponding secretary of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs, has sent letters of instructions to the various delegates that will represent the individual clubs at the convention in Jersey City from May 3-5. All names of delegates and alternates must be filed with Mrs. Collard not later than April 25. A list of the hotels that are co-operating with the Federation in making plans for accommodating the delegates has been arranged by the secretary for the aid of those attending the convention. The hotels have obligated themselves to contribute a percentage of their receipts to the bureau which will be maintained by the Federation to defray expenses. Badges and credential cards will be issued to delegates and they will admit the holder to the steel pier.

As the first step toward helping prepare the city, the recently organized Women's Auxiliary to the Home Defense League has started a two months' campaign to raise funds for the league treasury. The campaign will be a paper saying one and every householder in the city is asked to help. Two collections of paper will be made, one on May 1 and the other one June 1. Those who would help make the campaign a success are asked to communicate with Miss Jessie K. Stevens, 110 Crescent avenue.

One of the most successful lectures held under the auspices of the Monday Afternoon Club this season attracted many members of that organization and their friends to the parish house of the Congregational church Monday afternoon to hear Edward Pace Gaston talk on "May War Adventure in Germany and Belgium." He vividly described his visits to thousands of Allied prisoners in Germany, of the destruction in Belgium and his inspection of prison camps in England.

Miss Janet Richards will give the first of her two additional lectures under the auspices of the Monday Afternoon Club in the auditorium of the Plainfield High School on Thursday afternoon. She will discuss the live topics of the day, our relations with Germany and other issues of national interest.

Mrs. Henry D. Hibbard, president of the Kenyon Gardens Association, is preparing to announce the resumption of the activities of that organization, where they were interrupted last fall by the advent of cold weather. The work will have a double significance this summer because besides being a pleasure it will tend toward reducing the high cost of living. A list of reasons why the Gardens should be supported has been issued by the officers and is as follows:

"The work is health-giving. There was a noticeable gain in health among the children who worked in the gardens last summer."

"The work is valuable from an economic standpoint. The vegetables raised on an 8x12 plot form a substantial addition to the family supplies."

"The work furnishes pleasure of the best kind. Some fine crops grew in gardens last year, but the bluest and best was happiness."

Mrs. Henry C. Wells, Mrs. Champaign Riley and Mrs. Lawrence M. McNeil have been in Washington during the past week as delegates of the Plainfield Peace League. The members of the league have become interested in the plan of Mrs. Mahabell Phillips to Americanize foreigners and are doing all they can to help.

Mrs. Gilbert, of Crescent avenue, entertained the members of the Harpers Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The National Belgian Relief Commission, co-operating with the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society, will send two of its workers here on the evening of April 25 to address a mass meeting to be held in either the Harbison Auditorium or Plainfield High School, on the supplementary meal plan. Mrs. Vernon Kellogg, the only woman relief worker inside the German lines since the war started, and George R. Baker will make the two chief addresses and local people interested in the work will also speak.

Cornelius B. Tyler, treasurer of the local committee raising funds for providing Belgian children with meals, reports that there are \$100 on deposit in favor of Plainfield's contribution, which is enough to supply that number of children with food

for a month. A dollar furnishes one child food for a month and the plan is to get a certain number of Plainfield people to agree to give that amount each month toward the fund.

Musical Clubs

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before a large number of friends and supporters. The proceeds were for the benefit of the B. A. A. of the High School. Following the concert Van Eps' orchestra furnished the music for dancing until a late hour. The list of patronesses follows: Mrs. Albert O. Tilley, Mrs. B. Van D. Hodges, Mrs. Leighton Calkins, Mrs. Harry E. White, Mrs. L. D. Beers, Mrs. Lindsey Best, Mrs. Frank S. Holt, Mrs. A. E. Cronk, Mrs. Archibald Cox, Mrs. E. Stuart Simons, Mrs. Henry M. Mason, Mrs. S. K. Woodhull, Mrs. S. G. Hubbard, Mrs. Charles E. Borden, Mrs. Juan Bahcock, Mrs. Steven H. Voorbes, Mrs. J. Herbert Case, Miss E. O'Donnell, Mrs. Frederick R. Chamberlain, Mrs. C. A. Dall, Mrs. W. L. Stanley, Mrs. E. H. Good and Mrs. George H. Fountain.

One of the two remaining musicals of the Plainfield Musical Club for the present season will be held Easter Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Lockwood DeForest. Mrs. DeForest will be heard in solo songs, as well as piano and violin duets. She will be assisted by Mrs. John Mills, of Philadelphia, violinist, and Miss Laura Tappan, of New York, cellist.

Weekly rehearsals for the presentation of a program of short songs sometime during May have been started by about fifty members of the Community Chorus under the direction of Clifford Bralder. The rehearsals are held in the auditorium of the Franklin School every Monday night. The exact date of the concert has not yet been decided upon and probably will not be until Mr. Bralder is satisfied with the rehearsals.

Controversy Holds

Up Improvements

It became known this morning that owners of property on West Second street are contemplating improvements, to be buildings on that thoroughfare that will make it one of the best in the business section of the city. The inability to gain the consent of the owners of the property at 108 West Second street has caused nothing to be done and unless some agreement is reached things will be left as they are.

Little regard for the building line has been shown on the north side of West Second street and as a result the sidewalk is a great deal too narrow. The front of the structure located at 108 West Second street juts out several yards beyond those on either side and besides causing the sidewalk to be so narrow that theatre crowds have to take to the street at that point it hides the view of the buildings on the west side of it from Park avenue.

Counihan & Shannon, Fred Ivamy and other property owners on that thoroughfare have voted for sometime to improve the fronts of the structures they occupy but are unwilling to do so until the building line ordinance is so revised so that it is uniform the entire length of the street.

County Derives Big

Sum From Aliens

The sum of \$1,374 has been turned into the county clerk's office in the past two months as the result of naturalization applications, and half of this amount will go to Union county. Last Friday's eighty-two applicants, sixty-two for drak and twenty for second papers, helped to swell the sum. This is the largest amount ever taken in further such a short period from naturalization applications.

The realization of \$688 for the county has meant that the county clerk's office has been giving time and work to receiving and registering the various papers needed by an applicant. Ever since relations with Germany became strained, and then broken, the office has been going at high speed, not only Friday and Friday evenings, but also during the rest of the weekdays.

It was for this reason that the county clerk applied to Judge Connolly for extra pay for his labor during the stress of the citizenship rush. The latter, however, saw no reason for the increase, saying it would not be possible to give a temporary raise because of the law, and believing that the extra work would not last long. No great signs of a decrease in applications have yet been evident.

"HER SOLDIER BOY." Clifford Crawford will begin the eighteen-week of his entertainment in "Her Soldier Boy," at the Axtor Theatre next Monday night. That the theatre-going public appreciates a musical play in which charming music, a humorous book and a brilliant cast are cleverly combined is proved by the fact that capacity audiences have been the rule at the Axtor since the opening night of the operetta on December 5th last.

"Her Soldier Boy," which is based upon the original of Victor Loebl, is the work of Rida Johnson Young. The music is by Emmerich Kalman, with additional numbers by Clifford Crawford and Stephen Rogers. The play concerns a romance between the Swiss lines in Belgium.

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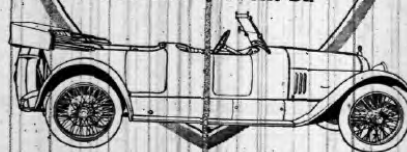
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