

STAATS, Editor

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AMERICA FIRST

ED CROSS UNIT SEND SHIPMENT TO FRONT

Hospital supplies, the work of the adies of the local unit of the Red Cross, were sent this week to the Chicago hospital supply department the Red Cross for immediate shipent to the front.

smas, two dozen bed shirts, seventy-

Every item of the assortment was inspected by the receiving official of the hospital supply department and a Flying Squadron of Young Ladies are note of recognition stating that everything was of excellent make was sent to Mrs. J. P. MacDonald, president of the Downers Grove Red Cross unit.

ships have been added to the Red In addition to the hospital supplies Cross through the efforts of the flythe unit has completed and presented ing squadron of young ladies engaged to volunteers from the village thirty in the membership drive which began woolen sets consisting of two pairs of last Wednesday in the village." knitted socks and two pairs of wrist-So successful has been the campaers. Other sets are being made and ign and so promising the field, that long before cold weather all of Our the drive which was to have stopped Boys will be supplied with these comtomorrow night, will continue for anforts knitted by the hands of those other week so that every one in the

who love them. All of the knitting is under the supervision of Mrs. Frank Kaiser and not a faulty sock nor other knitted piece front, your neighbor's boy is, the lad is permitted to leave the unit.

Much attention has been directed childhood. Your contribution your this week to the display of Red Cross work of the local unit now on exhibi- between life and death to him and will tion in Mr. Swearingen's show window in Main street. The helmet in particular is noticable as a most satisfactory and necessary piece of work.

DOWNERS GROVE MEN PASSED WEDNESDAY

Passed the physical examination and did not claim exemption, Harper Hib-The box contained two dozen paj- be, Chas. H. Wolff, Wm. A. Heal. . Claimed exemption, Harvey Rehm

DRIVE TO BE EXTENDED STILL ANOTHER WEEK OUR NEIGHBORING Dupage co. Towns Visiting Every Home

More than three hundred member-

sign up with the Red Cross.

surely mean more comfort to him al-

though he escape injury or sickness.

you have already joined, join again, it

Tough, Sure 'Nuff.

have no luck, says the Kansas City

Star, is the man who advertised for a

High up on the list of those who

Join the order of the Red Cross.

is an excellent habit.

ad and came back to him.

WEST CHICAGO

The city authorities are having exceilent success with their new plan of streets, in the Woman'sclub park or when the money is not forthcomng. They are either put to work on the last week was put to work in the park cleaning up the city hall. Some of them absolutely will not work, however. A Wheaton character arrested village will have an opportunity to last wek was put to work in the park and Marshal Riehm kept his coat as If your son or brother is not at the security that he would finish out the day and report in the evening-but you have known and loved from his he failed to come back and Riehm still has the coat. On the whole, though, membership may mean the difference the plan works out well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Marshall have received word from their son, Ralph, of the marine corps, who has been in training at Port Royal, S. C., that he has been awarded a second lieutenant's commisson and was ordered last Wednesday to Quantico, Va. The young man has only been in service but a very short time and has received a commission from the ranks very

wife, and whose first wife read the Mrs. Chas. Roup cut her hand very painfully Monday while tightening the top on a glass fruit jar. The top of the jar twisted off in her grasp, and deep wound in the palm.

> A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schlueter, Jr., Tuesday and

> > LOMBARD

Dr. Richard F. Schiele has returned from a flying trip to Hanover, Ill., where he served as best man at the wedding of his brother, Dr. William Schiele of Virginia, Minnesota. Mrs. Schiele and daughter of Chicago accompained the doctor.

The Clifford, Wagner and Abeler families who spent a week at Lake Villa returned home Monday.

Mr. Fred P. Maisel and family. accompanied by Miss Helen Downing, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Breckman and son Kenneth, motored to Starved Rock and Deer Park last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell and laughter, Margaret, returned from Lake Geneva where they spent two

WHEATON

The little three and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schimelpfenig passed away very suddenly last Monday evening. He died from a swelling of the throat and lungs. Just what caused the swelling is not known but two physicians who were on the case think he either swallowed something which lodged in his throat or inhaled an insect which stung him causing the irritation.

school has cancelled his contract with the board of education.

Supt. of Highways, E. L. Gates. asked the city commissioners at their last meeting to do something, any thing, to improve the condition of Chicago avenue on the outskirts of volunteers assumed the duty of tak-Wheaton.

ELMHURST

George Lantz, James Burns, Arthur Hiene, Willard Mowers, James Clasby, Harold Ollier, Luke Clasby and Edmund Aldrich recently sent a check to the local Red Cross for \$100, the net run by them Saturdays and Sundays

More than fifty friends and members of the Altar Society' of the Immajority of the guests played 500, prizes being awarded to Mrs. Jas. Horen, Mrs. C. J. Ryan and Mrs. Mc-Nelis. Miss Margaret Phillips and the Barker brothers entertained the guests with readings and music.

after an absence of two years, has was married to Miss Catherine Banbeen visiting home folks on his way ning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walto South America, where he is booked to take up a position in Chile.

Founded on a Religion.

Twelve hundred and eighty-five years ago the founder of the Mohammedan religion died in Medina, Arabia. and the career of Mohammed is now desert, born with a keen poetic and passed in dreams, visions and meditations. Gradually there dawned upon him the conception of the unity of God. In his fortieth year his work of proselyting began. Persecuted by the older religions, he barely escaped with his life, and fled from Mecca to the city of Medina. Rapidly the new faith gained adherents; the forces of Mecca were defeated, and by the time of his deat the whole of Arabia had been subdued and an army was setting forth to as-Exactly 100 years after he died his growing needs of this firm. ciples across the Pyrenees and on the plains of India.

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nnette Kellerman

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VEGETABLES GLADDEN CHICAGO'S POOR

First Shipment from Village sent to Needy Today by Volunteer Workers

Response to the appeal of the Woman's Committee of the Council of Nat ional Defense for surplus vegetables from home gardens to help Chicago poor came today in the shape of fourteen packages of catables which wer Coach Berry of the Wheaton high sent to the distributing headquarters in the Union station.

The packages ranged from a bushel of potatoes to six cabbages and a bundle of carrots. They were collected by volunteers and assembled in the Burlington baggage room. Other ing them from the train to the dis-Illinoian, 8-17-17 tributfing room. No charge for transportation was made by the railroad.

One of the most constant comments made by those who gave the eatables and those who saw the gifts was: "Why did we have to wait for a war to do this? Here is something which should be done every year."

HINSDALE

HINSDALE JACKIES WIN BRIDES

Two of the Hinsdale young men in training at the Great Lakes navy camp sprung a surprise on their relatives and friends last Saturday afternoon when they arrived home bringing with them their brides. Marshall Roth, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roth, 138 S. Lincoln street, was united in marriage to Miss Anna Priestley of Chicago, Wednesday, August 8. John Lindsey, R. E. Woodruf of Douglas, Arizona, brother of Mrs. Charles R. Dirdsey, ter Banning of Chicago. Miss Banning and Mr. Lindsey were school mates and lifelong friends.

> The two girls are chums and reside near each other on the north

The young men are making splendid records at the camp and are now mounting the ladder of promotions very rapidly. They will, no doubt, be sent East shortly.

REMODELING BRICK BLOCK FOR LAUNDRY

The Hinsdale laundry will be in new and modern quarters by fall as the work of remodeling the large brick building on Village place, which was formerly owned by W. S. Woodworth, is well under way. The structure is a large two story building and should be large enough for the

England's First Flage. The early inhabitants of England. like these of other countries, used emblematic devices of one kind or another. That of the Saxons was white horse. The introduction of flags tary power encircles them; they live into England is ascribed to St. Augusand stand under a government popular tine, the missionary, and his followers, TORIC who after the convention of King icter, founded upon principles of Ethefbert entered Canterbury in pro-

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