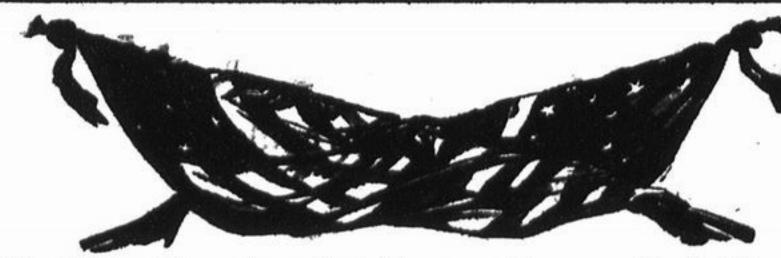
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"And The Star Spangled Banner Forever Shall Wave, O'er The Land of The Free and The Home of The Brave."

150 VISITORS AT S. S. CON-**VENTION HERE**

Fine Programs Showed Interest Taken in Various Activities of Sundayschool Work

With the most beautiful weaher, The largest delegation came from Members of the company who did by automobile from Chicago, Aurora, thirty present. This church reported were detailed Monday night to step Bellwood and Melrose Park to attend president of the district, Mr. von down the Boul Mich. Those who the convention of the Chicago South- Lanyi, is among those in the service stood in line from 9:45 to 2:30 Satwest district of Evangelical Sunday of their country. In his place, Prof. urday were very angry that they had Schools at St. Paul's church last Sun J. E. Schmale of Elmhurst was cho- not been included in yesterday's hike . The church was crowded both sen president. afternoon and evening.

At the afternoon session, the Rev. Mr. Amy of the DuPage Presbyterian whurch and the Rev. Mr. Krause of St. John's Evangelical church, Melrose the presence of immediate relatives | Not having heard any new squad Park, were the speakers. In the evening the Rev. Theodore Meyer ,of St. Louis, general secretary of the Evangelical Sunday School Board, de-Mvered two lectures illustrated by astereopticon on the Elmhurst Summer Training School and on Adult Bible classes

How "Christ for every life and ail of life for Christ," can be realized Ahru the agency of the Sunday School May an educational, devotional and reereative program, was demonstrated but of the experience of, his own church by Mr. Amy. There is a a different program, but never at the expense of the lesson, and always by some other member of the school There is a school that follows its members into their weekday activities also, providing social recreation by games, "sings," and other activities

The audience was much interested also in the way in which Saturday afternoon baseball put Sunday baseball out of business, in spite of the believious of tightwads who couldn't at first see their way clear to letting the boys off for play on Saturday L. A. Joussu Afternoons

The picture shown in the evening | Marguerite Morrell gave convincing proof in other ways of what live Sunday schools are doing to get the whole family into the Bible Mrs. Shultz school. Mr. Mayer mentioned also Florence Clark the plan of the "Soldiers Home De- Mrs. McCartney partment" as one of the ways

which a Sunday school can follow the boys who follow the flag. Of the Elmhurst Summer Training School, Mr. Mayer quoted the words of Marion Lawrence: "One of the best in the world."

The Elmhurst College Quartet was once more heard with pleasure. The boys and girls of the Sunday school, with the help of teachers and mothers decorated the altar with a profusion Ft. Thomas, Ky of flowers. The greatest credit for the success of the convention belongs out stint of their time and service, to can properly be termed, "camouflage." entertain the guests.

visitors came in throngs by train and Trinity church, Chicago, with over not parade in Chicago last Saturday Elmhurst, Hinsdale, Lyons, Oak Park, a service flag with 67 stars. The past it off in the Memorial Day doings

ZARN - SCHMIDT

On Saturday evening, May 18th in Miss Ida Zarn daughter of Mr. and names a motion to adopt there as Mrs. Wm. Zarn and Fred D. Schmidt, printed last week is in order. son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt. of Hinsdale, were married at the home of the bride on the Plank road.

Paul's Evangelical church performed time to smoke while at rest. the ceremony which made the happy pair man and wife.

Acting as bridesmaids were Miss Clara Zarn, sister of the bride and Miss Clara Herbert, while John Schmidt, a brother of the groom, was

Immediately following the tying o Sundayschool where every Sunday has the nuptial knot a bountiful wedding supper was served at which the bride and groom were showered with congratulations.

> Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt will make their home at 105 Rogers street Downers Grove, after June first.

ADVERTISED MAIL

Downers Grove, Ill., May 28, '18 Advertised mail for the week ending June 1, 1918.

Lizzie Roan Cassy Lounsberry

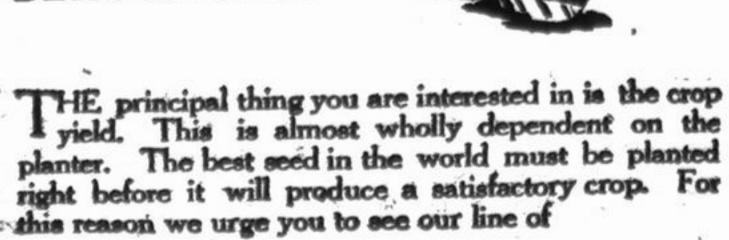
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DETAIL FROM CO. H. HELPED. ESCORT HEROES

Four squads from Co. H. were in the parade in Chicago last Saturday as an honor escort to the 335 heroes from Belgium who have been fighting on the Russian fro t and now are on trip around the world on the way back to the thick of the fighting on the Western front.

Each of them volunteered for service in Russia and after being in sev eral of the big battles on the east front they were deserted by their Russian comrades in the Bolshevíki way as best they could out of the

Almost everyone of these heroes who helped to stop the Germans in Electric Washing Machines Electric Sewing Machines their mad drive to Paris in 1914, wear decorations for bravery on their khaki tunics.

four squads from the local reserve militia unit were in charge of Lieut. Bennett and acted as the second platoon of Co. G, under the command of Captain Beatty of Hinsdale.

Wotin'ell's the matter with yuh

Arthur D. Iehl is another membe to go with the selected men of the Telephone 30 army. He left yesterday evening for Day or Night

Those new cartridge belts or ' add to the ladies, however, who gave with- extra weight and without the shells

> to 26th and Michigan and then those hot miles over the line of march. said they were angry, but this does not hardly express their deep feeling.

Between hollering "sound off" and "squads right" at each other the first Rev. Paul Crusius, pastor of St. and second squads don't get much

CLASS OF 1918 GRADUATED AT M. E. CHURCH

On last Thursday night before a crowd that taxed the capacity of the Methodist church, the Senior Class marched slowly and with fitting dignity down the aisle, took their places on the platform in preparation for the event they had been looking for ward to for four years. They entertained and instructed their admiring audience, sang their doleful class song received their diplomas and was graduated from Downers Grove High School in due form.

This brief description does not do and the audience had sung the Star Spangled Banner, Rev. Schwab gave the invocation. Roy Bruns in the salutatory told what a pleasure it had day night, been to the class to prepare the Commencement program for their friends. This was followed by the singing of the Marseillaise.

"Our Support of Democracy," was this time of peril, were ably set forth. the men were getting.

The next number on the program was a piano solo given by Esther Klein. This is specially worthy of mention due to the fact that Miss Klein used only her left hand thruout the whole selection.

Ernest Hammerscmidt gave a brief survey of the history of the Red Cross. No one questions the efficacy of this institution but few are acquainted with the details of its history. For urday, when we close at one o'clock. this reason this was exceedingly in- One hour for lunch. structive.

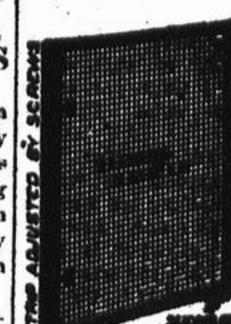
The valedictory was given by Ruby Iehl. In it she emphasized the debt of service that each one owes to his assured. fellowman and to humanity in general. A quintette composed of Senior

girls sang "Oh Land of Mine." Mr. J. R. Shaffer, president of the Board of Education, in a few well chosen words presented the class with

their diplomas.

The class song was sung, the benediction pronounced by Rev. L. M Grey and the high school careers of twenty-seven young hopefuls had end-

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WOMEN WORK IN WHEATON CAR BARNS

Five women went to work Sunday justice to the exercises, however, night in the Wheaton car barns of After the class had been ushered in the A. E. & Ç., taking the places of by Miss Roe's beautiful processional, men who have left the company to enter the war or for other reasons... Seven more women started work Morr-

None of the women appeared for duty wearing overalls, but will wear them as soon as they can get them. The women will clean out the cars, the theme chosen by Leo Rogers for wash windows and do other work the his oration. The many oportunities men have been doing in the past. open to all of serving our country in They are receiving the same pay as

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