

### DOWNERS GROVE "HONOR ROLL"

**In Memoriam**

**ALEXANDER BURNS\***  
Died Sunday, March 10, 1918, from shrapnel wounds received while in action on front line in France. Awarded Croix de Guerre for distinguished bravery in action.

**JOHN JOSEPH POZDOL\***  
Killed in action on Thursday June 6, while fighting in the front line in France.

**HARRY EDGAR MCALLISTER\***  
Died July 18th, from accidental gun shot wounds while with the American Expeditionary Forces somewhere in France.

**JOSEPH MALLEK**  
Died August 25, 1918 in a railroad accident near Camp Robinson, Sparta, Wisconsin.

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**Why Fish Do Not Travel Far.**  
Animals of both land and sea are confined within rather narrow limits of pressure. In his book on the North sea fisheries, Neal Green shows that the North sea fishes are isolated in their own little world, for they cannot migrate to the Atlantic depths, and with a few such exceptions as the cod, deep sea fishes cannot enter shallow waters. Foraging for food is the fish's occupation. The North sea fishes will not descend into the ocean because there is no food to attract, their eyes are not adapted to the darkness, and the pressure of the water is greater than ordinary fish can endure. In the depths there are no seasonal changes, no currents. Everything is uniform, stagnant, black, and the only fishes that can see are those specially endowed with enormous eyes to perceive the phosphorescent glow of others of their kind. If they could rise to the conditions of the North sea, these deep sea dwellers would be helpless, if not destroyed by the release from external pressure.

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- A real bargain in a lot 50x132 on paved street all assessments paid in full; good neighborhood; price only \$500.
- 6-room bungalow with cement basement, furnace heat, bath, electric lights garage, about 2 acres of land on main stone road, near station; price \$5500.
- 6-room brick bungalow, all modern, with fire place; on paved street; all special assessments paid in full; a bargain for \$3350.

and has called upon the State Council of Defense of Illinois to help get the people stirred up to go rat hunting. Every member of all State Council organizations is asked to do his part in this stirring up process, and in rat-killing, too, upon all possible occasions. Now is the time to get the rat, and he needs to be got as an ally of Germany.

**RABBIT BY NO MEANS TIMID**  
Correspondent Writes of Happening Which Would Seem to Make Old Saying a Foolish Thing.

A story of the fearlessness of the rabbit when still a baby is sent by a correspondent. Remarking on the hazelness of the popular saying "As scared as a rabbit" when Bunny is unspolt by the world, "B" says: "Some days ago I was passing with a friend through a woodland glade, and suddenly there appeared on the path before us, say 50 yards away, a young wild rabbit, evidently just escaped from the nursery. It was almost too young to run, and tripped over its feet in the most comic manner—for all the world like a baby tumbling over its playmate. It came slowly lolling, lolling toward us, and we held our breath for fear of scaring it away; for it was a most fascinating little creature. Just a bundle of fluff and comedy. Then while we watched, tragedy sprang up full armed. A weasel, moving swiftly, silently through the trees, made a sudden dart. In one second all would have been over with bunny, but my companion clapped her hands and gave a wild cry of anger, dancing about in wrath. The weasel fed for its life. But the baby rabbit stopped to laugh a moment, and then came lolling a little faster toward us—right up to us, in fact. We had actually to drive the little creature back to where we guessed its home might be before we could go on our way with quiet minds. "Scared as a rabbit," indeed!"

**LET'S ALL GO RAT HUNTING**  
Department of Agriculture Points Out That Rats Destroy \$200,000,000 Worth of Food a Year

For the second time since Congress declared war on Germany, the American government has declared war on Germany's ally, the rat army in the United States.

This rat war is the particular war of the Department of Agriculture, with Food Administrator Herbert Hoover standing back and saying "sien em" at every charge made.

The Department is calling on every person who raises food, who stores food, or who is good at rat catching or killing, to lend a hand and make the war one of extermination.

All the Hague conventions are suspended, and no holds are barred in the rat war. The thing is to find your rat and then get him. Neither age nor sex will exempt any rat; indeed, the old rule, "women and children first," is a good one to apply when going after rats. Poison them, gas them, shoot them, trap them, block-ade and starve them, submarine them without notice, or torture them with dogs and cats, but get them in the urge of the Department of Agriculture and Mr. Hoover.

The Department calls for organized campaigns against the rats rather than merely sporadic efforts. The people of the country are asked to make rat killing a business instead of an adventure for a wet afternoon. And poison and the rat proofing of buildings are regarded as more efficient means than dogs, cats or traps.

Rat proof dwellings, stores, elevators, warehouses and every other place where the rat might get food, says the Department. Put every bit of food in rat proof containers. Clean up old and disused buildings, and, if necessary, destroy them to rout the rats and rob them of their breeding places.

There is good reason for the war on rats. Estimates by the Bureau of Biological Survey of the Department of Agriculture show that the annual cost of feeding the rats of America is \$200,000,000.

"It seems almost absurd," says Mr. Hoover, in his letter on rats, "to be carrying on active measures for food conservation in this country, whereas the food habits of our people are modified and their food use restricted in some measure, while at the same time we are allowing these rodent pests to feed themselves almost unhindered."

He adds that the destruction by rats represents the full effort of food production of 200,000 men.

The Council of National Defense is aiding in the campaign against rats.

**Family of Fighting Men.**  
Nelson A. Miles was the first man not a graduate of West Point who ever held the position of commander of the United States army since the earliest days of the republic. An ancestor, Rev. John Miles, who emigrated to this country from Wales in 1683, commanded a company in King Philip's war, and his house was known as "Miles' garrison."

Daniel, the great-grandfather of Nelson A. Miles, and Daniel's three sons, of whom one was John, the general's grandfather, served in the Revolutionary war.

**LODGE & CLUB DIRECTORY**

**GROVE LODGE NO. 824, A. F. & A. M.**—Stated meetings, second and fourth Fridays at 8 o'clock p. m. at Masonic hall, Curtiss and Main streets. Fred Dowe, Sec. Geo. O. Prickett, Worshipful Master.

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**VICTORY COUNCIL, No 110 Royal League.**—Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays in each month in Zindt's hall. C. V. Wolf, Archon; C. H. Staats, Scribe.

**WAS ELEGANT SCHEME, BUT—**  
Great Detective Had Overlooked One Possible Happening, and the Witness Had Not.

There were just 13 guests at Mrs. Hyphen Ramrod's party. She thought it would prove unlucky and when she missed her \$8,000 tungsten ring she knew it was. She telephoned Sheer-luck Bones, the great detective, immediately after the discovery and a few minutes later he arrived.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he announced in his cold, clear tones, "a tungsten ring worth \$8,000 has been stolen and one of you is the thief, not to use a harsher word. Mrs. Hyphen Ramrod wishes me to spare the culprit's feelings, inasmuch as he is her guest. Very well. If you will stand in a circle about the dining table I will cause the lights to be extinguished and slowly count fifty. That will give the guilty party ample time to lay the ring on the table, under cover of the darkness. Otherwise I shall be obliged to search you all. But I should like a witness to be present. Mrs. Ramrod, kindly procure a witness."

Mrs. Ramrod left and returned with a passer-by, a tall man with side whiskers and a vacant stare. The great detective waved his hand the room was plunged in darkness, and slowly he counted fifty. At "forty-eight" the unmistakable rinkle of tungsten against wood was heard as the stolen ring was tossed on the table. Immediately afterward there was a violent crash as of breaking glass. The great detective turned on the lights. The ring was not there. Neither was the witness.—Detroit Free Press.

**DOWNERS GROVE WOMAN'S CLUB**—Meets every alternate Wednesday, beginning second Wednesday in October and closing last Wednesday in April. Mrs. T. F. Kelly, President; Miss Jessie Bryce, Secretary.

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**THE SECRET OF BEAUTY.**  
The true secret of physical beauty is to be born pretty.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

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