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NEWS FROM HOME

When the soldiers "shout & fallin' at the end of the day," An' a feller rests from labor, smokin' at his pipe, say, That's what he did so much good, to fortune up or down, At the little country paper from his Old Home Town.

It's a thing of beauty and it prints, But it straightens out his temper when a fellow's feelin' mean; It takes a walk off his feet an' heads off the fronten'. That little country paper from his Old Home Town.

It tells all of the parties and the balls of Punkin' Town last Sunday with who's pink and how the crops'll grow, An' how it keeps a feller posted who's down and who's down.

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Now, I like to read the dailies and the story papers too, And at times the yellow novels and some that don't you like, But when I want some other reading, that'll brush away a frown, I want that little paper from my old Home Town.

—Dante Post.

GERMAN OWNED ORDERS

Until further notice the following scale will be in force:

- For dropping a bomb on a hospital, one Iron Cross.
- For dropping a bomb on a church, two Iron Crosses.
- For dropping a bomb on a cathedral, three Iron Crosses.

This is for the encouragement of culture.

The old scale of one Iron Cross for killing a child, five for killing a Red Cross nurse and two for killing a woman will still be in force.

Commanders are urged to lay the utmost fine on captured towns which the places can stand. The Fatherland needs the money.

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HOMESPUN PHILOSOPHY

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THE BOY WHO SMOKES

Much of the wrongdoing to buy the subject of smoking is being overlooked because it illegal and unsafe. Warnings are drawn from isolated and exceptional instances of the well effects of smoking and compare arounds between smokers and non-smokers that, when analyzed, prove nothing.

Philippe was knowledge of that fact that led Doctor Park of the University of Utah to attempt an investigation that should have definite and trustworthy results. He gathered his facts from the football squads of various colleges and universities through the physical director, and learned that, on the average, the football men are more alike than the members of any group could be taken at random from the whole student body.

Doctor Park received detailed figures from six colleges: Of two hundred and ten students for positions on the first eleven of these six colleges, one hundred and sixteen were smokers, twenty-four non-smokers, and thirty-three were smokers, but the football men are more alike than the members of any group could be taken at random from the whole student body.

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