

### ILLINOIS TAKING CARE OF SOLDIERS

AT STATE HOME, QUINCY

Fine Institution Provided With All Necessary Equipment and Welfare Is Provided For

Illinois, in the care and comforts which it is providing at the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' home at Quincy, is adding ten years to the lives of its national heroes.

In this state stands in the forefront of all the states of the union in showing its appreciation to the veterans of the Civil War who answered the call of Abraham Lincoln and preserved the union when it was beset with internal discord; the veterans of the Spanish-American and Philippine service who sprang to arms to wipe Spanish despotism from Cuba and the Philippines, and the veterans of the World War, who made the world safe for democracy.

Established in 1885 The Illinois Soldiers and Sailors' Home was established by act of the legislature on June 26, 1885. The commission appointed by Governor Oglesby to locate the home, selected a tract of 140 acres just outside the northern limits of the city of Quincy, to which 82 acres has since been added by additional purchases. The tract is one of unsurpassed natural beauty, richly fertile for that portion under cultivation, with stately oaks, spreading chestnuts and other beautiful trees on the grounds immediately surrounding the administration building and cottages.

Building operations were started in May, 1886. The cottage plan was adopted and the home was formally opened in March, 1887, at which time 500 veterans were enrolled. Between the date of the formal opening and Oct. 1, 1927, a total of 12,727 veterans, their wives and widows have been admitted and were recipients of the care and comforts provided for them by the state of Illinois. Some of the first to enter are still in the home, while more than 3,000 lie buried in the cemetery on the grounds, a tract no less hallowed than Arlington cemetery, and given no less patriotic care.

Three-Quarter Million Investment A total of 52 buildings are located on the grounds. The majority of these, aside from the administration building, hospital general kitchen, power plant, and necessary institutional buildings, are large brick cottages, having a total capacity of 1,700. The grounds proper embrace about 35 acres and the improvements and buildings show a valuation of \$649,256, according to the latest invoice made to the auditor of public accounts. A valuation of \$64,130 is placed on the farm property operated in connection with the home.

On the farm is maintained approximately 100 head of dairy cattle, accepted to be one of the best owned by the state of Illinois, which supply abundant milk and butter for the veterans. The swine herd numbers approximately 250 at all times, an average of 10 being butchered weekly to supply fresh pork for the institution.

The present population, as shown by the report of Oct. 1, is 608, of which 493 are veterans of the Civil War, their wives or widows, 97 veterans of the Spanish-American or Philippine service, and 18 World War veterans.

Open to All Veterans The Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home is open to all soldiers. There is no delay or "red tape" for admission. Proof of eligibility alone is asked and once admitted the best of care and comfort which the state of Illinois is able to provide is none too good.

### Culinary Hints

by Mrs. N. T. Brewer (Home Service department, North Shore Gas company)

Suggestions for new dishes are helpful in preparing meals for your family. Here is a recipe for a delicious dessert which I have tested and found to be extremely palatable.

- Blitz Torte**
- Gold Part
  - 3 tab butter or substitute
  - 1/2 cup sugar
  - 3 egg yolks
  - 1/2 cup milk or water
  - 1 cup cake flour
  - 2 teas bak powder
  - 1/4 teas salt
  - 1/2 teas lemon juice.
- Meringue**
- 4 egg whites
  - 1/2 cup granulated sugar
  - 1/4 cup almonds blanched and chopped or grated fine.
- Lemon custard for filling**
- 1 cup milk
  - 1/2 cup sugar
  - 2 tab corn starch
  - 1/4 teas salt
  - 1 egg yolk
  - 1/2 lemon—grated rind and juice.

Prepare gold part as for any cake, creaming butter and sugar well and beating yolks until thick and light colored. Spread in two well greased layer cake pans. Loose bottom pans are best. Spread over this, before putting in oven, the meringue made by beating egg whites very stiff and grad-

ually adding sugar, beating well after each addition. Over the Meringue sprinkle the almonds.

Bake 45 minutes at 325, pre-heating oven 20 minute before putting in the torte.

To prepare custard heat milk in double boiler, add sugar and corn starch mixed together and cook 15 minutes. Add yolk and cook two or three minutes more. Remove from fire, add salt, lemon juice and rind. Cool and spread between layers, having torte cold also.

Makes a delicious dessert or may be used as a cake.

### HAWAIIAN ISLANDS WATER RESOURCES

RAINFALL THERE IS GREAT

Special Survey Made by Government Department Shows How It is Conserved and Utilized

The Hawaiian Islands consist of having one of the greatest rainfall centers in the world. They also have areas where the rainfall is light, with almost semi-desert conditions. The annual rainfall in different localities ranges from over 600 inches down to less than 15 inches and this causes a correspondingly wide range in the water supplies of different parts of the islands.

The water resources of Hawaii have been for many years studied by the geological survey of the department of the interior, in co-operation with the territorial government. Under the co-operative arrangement the geological survey does the work and publishes the reports. The field work involves much the greater part of the cost, and during the last ten years or more the territory has borne from 60 to 80 per cent of this expense. Additional assistance is furnished by private water companies and others.

**Latest Reports**

The latest of the annual engineering reports containing streamflow measurements in Hawaii is Water Supply Paper 575 of the geological survey. It contains the records for the year ending June 30, 1923 and comprises a wealth of statistical information regarding the flow of the many rivers and irrigation canals of the islands. It is a volume of 175 pages and is sold by the superintendent of documents, Washington, D.C., at 25 cents a copy.

It is considered essential that the streamflow records should be kept during a period of years long enough to determine within reasonable limits the range of flow from the maximum to the minimum, but the length of such a period of course varies for different streams. The experience of the geological survey has shown that the records should generally be kept 20 or 30 years.

In carrying out this work an effort is made to reach the highest degree of precision possible with a rational expenditure of time and money. In all engineering work there is a point beyond which refinement is needless and wasteful, and this statement applies with special force to stream measurement work in Hawaii. Special intensive investigations have been made of the discharge of some streams that are of major importance for domestic water supply, power and irrigation, and many investigations of ditch seepage and other losses have been made in co-operation with private corporations. Records have also been collected of the artesian heads on typical wells in the principal artesian areas of the island of Oahu. During last year the geological survey maintained 80 stations in Hawaii for measuring the flow of rivers and ditches.

**Variation in Rainfall**

Owing to the tremendous variation in the rainfall and the wide range in the flow of the Hawaiian streams it is impracticable to make even approximate estimates of the flow of one stream from records collected where the rainfall is more nearly uniform. It will therefore be necessary to conduct measurements of all the streams in the islands if the most intelligent use is to be made of the water. Up to the present time the investigations have, on account of the meager funds available for such work, been confined to the streams and ditches on the larger islands which are either being utilized already or on which development is contemplated. Eventually the work must be extended to the other streams as funds become available.

### UNITED STATES POST OFFICE

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- Miss Ida Siren.
- Mrs. J. Walker.
- Hugo L. Schneider, postmaster.

Col. Lindbergh thinks he should be allowed to drop out of the public view for a time, but plenty of people will consent to take his place in the limelight.

The rays of sunshine are said to be very wholesome, but many folks do not get thoroughly woke up until about sunset.

### FIRST EXPOSITION OF BORDEN VOYAGE

SHOW AT FIELD MUSEUM

Consists of Ethnological Specimens from Alaska and Northern Canada; Details Given

The first exhibition of material collected by the recently returned John Borden-Field Museum expedition to Alaska is now open to the public at Field Museum of Natural History. The expedition consists of a wide variety of ethnological specimens representative of the life of the Eskimos of Alaska and northern Canada, and illustrates the fine craftsmanship, artistic skill and practical ingenuity which these people of the far north possess.

The zoological specimens — bears, walrus, seals and caribou — bagged by Mr. and Mrs. Borden and their party on the yacht Northern Light last summer, require a longer process of preparation, and it will be some time before they are exhibited.

**Is On Display**

The Eskimo collection is on display in Stanley Field hall, the main hall of the museum. Conspicuous among the articles are many fine ivory carvings. Some of these are ancient, and carved from tusks of prehistoric mammoths. The carved pictures show incidents in native life, such as hunting trips. There are also many realistic ivory figures of men, whales, seals, walrus, polar bears and kayaks.

That the children of Eskimos, like those of other races, have a love for toys and dolls, is revealed in the collection, which includes many tiny toy animals, carved from ivory by Eskimo fathers for their youngsters. All of these carved objects show consummate skill and artistry on the part of their makers.

Other features of the collection are implements and tools of jade, knives, arrowheads and needles fashioned from copper, cleverly designed seal-skin needle cases with carved protective tubes, grotesque wooden masks used in religious ceremonials, elaborately carved tobacco pipes, and a belt decorated with dozens of full sets of caribou teeth.

**Carefully Selected**

The exhibit is a selection from a total of 533 pieces brought by the Borden party. Other material, consisting of bows and arrows, snowshoes, stone cooking vessels, lamps, fishing equipment, and so forth, will be used later in re-installing the entire Eskimo collections of the museum.

We are urged to brace up and weather the storms, but most people are more inclined to storm at the weather.

An explosion of the sun is said to be possible, but many will say that the moonshine is more likely to blow up.

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S. H. Sliced Peaches 4 No. 2 cans for \$1	Alola Pineapple 3 No. 3 cans for \$1	Lakeside Green or Wax Beans, 5 No. 2 cans for \$1	Alola Lima Beans 5 No. 2 cans for \$1	Extra Sifted Peas 5 No. 2 cans for \$1	S. H. Shrimp 6 No. 3 cans for \$1	Dromedary Coconut 6 20c pkgs. for \$1	S. H. Peanut Butter 4 lge. jars for \$1
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Mrs. Addison Burbank.	Mrs. Moritz Boehm.	S. H. Tomato Soup 10 No. 1 cans for \$1	Campbell's Tomato Soup 10 No. 1 cans for \$1	S. H. Chili Sauce 3 lge. bottles for \$1	Raspberry or Strawberry, 2 qt. jars for \$1	S. H. Catsup lge. bottles; 5 for \$1	Grape Fruit lge size 6 for small size 12 for \$1
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Mr. Giuseppe Roselli.	Miss Ida Siren.	Marie Elizabeth Sardines, 3 cans for \$1	6 pkgs. for \$1	Santa Clara Prunes 8 lbs. for \$1	Piper Sweet Midget Pickles, 3 jars for \$1	S. H. Chili Sauce 3 lge. bottles for \$1	Miller & Hart Sugar cured Bacon, 3 lbs. sl. \$1
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