News of the Week Cut Down for **Busy Readers**

U.S.—Teutonic War News

It was fearned at Washington that President Wilson has consented to Im-mediate participation by the United States in the European war. Fast sea-going destroyers will aid in having German submarines in the so-called war zone about the British lales.

Mayor Curley of Boston created a nemation by declaring in a speech as a patriotic mass meetige that an entitied and the same of the German Spermanent offered. Charles M. Schwab shooloomood if the Bethiehem Steel Company shootig the case making multions for the allies. He said Schwab erfused the offer. —A station was, opened at Kenobak. Wis., for the recruiting of a new injuries of the same control of th Mayor Curley of Boston created

William Cobb Thorne for yeers generally a personal without guard under the direction of the U. S. / navy. At the end of the day one may also signed the muster foll.

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the status of wartine volunteers.

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battle of Lexington, was proceed to the constraint of the constrai

versity of Mississippi coeds have to take up military training.

Both houses of the Minnesota legis-inture at St. Paul, Minn, passed the public safety commission bill as agreed upon by the conference com-nitree and the full now goes to the givernor, who will stan it. This bill outried an appropriation of \$2,000,000. Proposals for enlishment of a work army of 2,000,000 upon and boys for ag-ricultural service, and office drasti-steps to hiercase food production dur-ing the war, were given combustants encouragement at Washington.

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Fritz Kolb, a German convicted at Jersey City, N. J., of having homes this possession, was sentenced to use these than three years and four months, nor more than five years in state prison.

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out for a six-months period.

The army bill carrying appropriations of \$275,000,000 was based by
the senate at Washington.

President Gompers of the American
Federation of Labor cabled the British
and French premiers asking that labor
teders in the two countries be given
places on the commission bladed by
prorisin Minister Balfour which is to
come to Washington for a wair conference.

Domestic

An accidental explosion of powder in the government arsenal at Frank-ford, Par, where ammunition is being manufactured, killed Phillip McKally and fatally nijuwed Joseph Miller.

Loyalty day in Minnesota on Thurshard, April 18, an anniversary of the battle of Lexington, wes proclaimed by Covernor Burnquist.

Addressing the American Limebrase

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PRESIDENT URGES UNITED ACTION IN WAR FOR LIBERTY

Wilson Issues Personal Appeal to the Nation.

ASKS THE FARMERS TO AID

ef Executive Tells Them That I lold the Fate of Nations and Ask Every Effort to Supply Food —Says the Supreme Test

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Chicago—Like Jack Spratt and Jack Spratt Jack Spra

our own nation and of the nations with which we are co-operating is an abandance of supplies, and sepecially of foodstuffs. The importance of the present year, is superiative.

"Without Manudant food, alike for the armies and the peoples now at war, the whole great enterprise upon which we have embarked will break down and fall.

Hold Fate of Nations.
The world's food reserves are low. Not only during the present emerging but for some time after peace shall have come both our own people and a large proportion of the people of Europe must rely on the haryests In America.

U-BOAT ATTACKS U. S. DESTROYER

FIRES TORPEDO AT U. S. S. SMITH MARK.

MISSED BY THIRTY YARDS

Patrol Vessels of U. S. Navy Combi Atlantic From Maine to Florida in Search for Raider.

rope must rely on the harvests in America.

"Upon the farmers of this country, therefore, in large measure, rests the fate of the war and the fate of the matons. May the nation not count upon them to count upon them to count upon them to count upon them to see the produce of the most effectual co-operation of the sale and distribution of their products?

"The time is short. It is of the most imperative impropriance that everything possible be done and done immediately to make sure of large harvests. I

Washington—Swift coast patrol vessels of the United States havy are combing the Atlantic from Maine to Florida in their search for the German submarine that fired on the U.S. S. Smith, a topped boat destroyed out of Sandy Hook and the typedo of Sandy Hook and the typedo Launched by the U-boat missel its mark by 30 yards. The submarine then disappeared.

The attack on the Smith is termally first recognition of a state of war with the United States. It was stated in German dispatches soon after congress declared a state of twar to exist, that no aggressive action would be taken against the United States.

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7 BILLION WAR LOAN PASSED

Washington—The war finance bill, providing for issuance of \$2,00,000,000 an securities—the largest single war budget in any matter budget in any was the budget of a loan to the Allies of \$3,000,000.

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Cadillac—A unit of the American Red Cross will be organized in Ospoda county May 4 at the annual meeting of the Board of Commerce Business men, to atimulate production, are urg-ing the employment of a county farm agent

Michigan Happenings

Eaton Rapids—The maple sugar and

years past.

Bay City—Dr. Pank Z. Rongles, 45, Crmerly health officer of Bay City, a graduate of Hillsdaje college and from the medical department of the Uhrverlyt of Michigan, is dead.

Hillsdale—The brick plant at ferme in the put in operation by D. Harrey, of West Branch, and Dr. J. W. Morrison, or Detroit. They will manufacture 40,000 brick's day.

W. Morfdon, of Detroit. They will manafactive dovol brick a dependable by band, planed through a plate plass window here.

Jackson—Al karney, a young Michlegan Central firehan, was crubed to death while coupling cars.

Sault Sic. Marlek—Plans have been made to continue, the work on the fourth lock this year/despite the war situation.

persuous for more unin 1 sew days, longer under present cjaditions. Cadillac—[I is probable that state reward road bork here will be abandoned until after the war. L. H. Neilson, deputy stake highway commissioner for 16 countles, says postponement of the project to build 30e miles of road will mean a waving of 500-800. Adrian—Memberly of the Lenawes branch of the Red Cross scelety, which are the semi-scale of the Red Cross scelety, which are the country of the Countr

Houghton—St. Joseph a hospital of Hancock, conducted by the Sisters of Hancock, conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph, a vivoled Dr. E. J. Abrams, upper peninsula member of the state by Good of health, that it will ylace at the disposal of the government of the state of the disposal of the government of the disposal of the government of the disposal of the government of the disposal of the words first owned and the government of the disposal of the words first owned and the government of the government of the words first owned the government of the go

Port Huron—a projection has been inde to the city officials and business men of Marine City fo extend the line of the 'Dertoff, Bay' City & Western railroad fo that place, if is right of way and boins of \$20,000 are provided. A proposition has also been made to purchase one of the city's industries and operate it/ if the railroad deal goes through. The company also plans, to run its line to St. Clair, Marine City and into 'Dertoit, if proper support is forth-coming."

ed nof-essary to protect property during the war.

Afrian—Lenawe county board of
supervisors adopted resolutions favoring universal military training and
asking Representative Mark R. Bacoch to get into the war game and suppler the president.

Grand Rapids—More than 600 sticents of the junior college and, the
Central high school will take up opthonal military training.

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"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

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Golig Too Far.

He had booked a room at a chenp boarding fause near one of the rail-way stations.

He was about to sign the register, when he thing down the pen in disgust and turned away.

"What's the uniter?" asked the properties.

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symple bottle. When writing he sure and sheation this pper.—Adv. Battlefield Mascota. An Irahi soldier who had come out of the recent ferce fighting with a severe scall yound had the following collection of charms: Piece of bog oak; praye written by a French girl; withered shamrock; piece of wood from a saint's cell. While many mas/ets are present from mother, sister or sweetheart, some possess no sentimental association. Quain little idea carred in wood and lead, monstones, best collas and techt of small animals are among, the trajasured charms. Most soldiers are sh.) of confessing their faith in mascets, says (the Loudon Chronicke, but nospital nirress soon learn of these hostages of lock.

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Mrs. Younghrid—Our cook says
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They
were the best we could get. You see,
all the young chickens were skilled off,
for the shildsy trade, so the oldMrs. Youngsyid—Out, to be sayed.
hadn't thought of that,

FRECKLES

New Is the Time to Get Rid of These Fig. 1 per 1

After a man has kept you awake all night by his snoring he usually tells you that he didn't sleep a wink.