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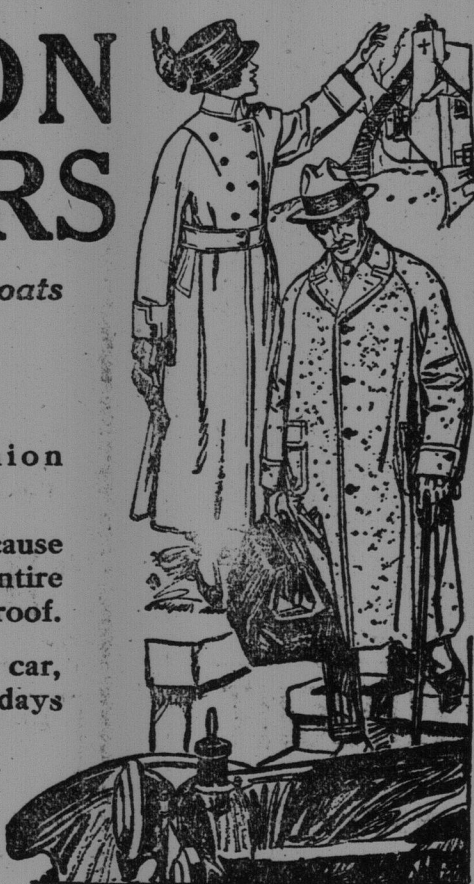
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Urges Home Garden Spirit Be Kept Up

Greater Call Than Ever For Land Near Cities in United States

Washington, March 24—Maintenance of home gardens to meet the continued need for food is being urged by the department of agriculture in a nation-wide campaign.

Federal garden experts said that the interest was as great as last year, when the patriotism of war acted as an incentive. Pamphlets and other publications pointing out the necessity of continuing last year's war gardens are being widely spread by the department.

Officials say that the need for home production of vegetables continues because, while there are fewer American soldiers overseas, there are more hungry civilians now than before in other countries who look to the United States to furnish them with food. Moreover, it is said, the railroads of the country still will be overburdened, and the state, county or town that feeds or assists in

feeding itself will aid greatly in reconstruction abroad and readjustment at home. Continuation of war gardens, the department believes, will play an important part in domestic economy. A garden this year, the experts say, will reduce materially food bills, insure the freshness and quality of the vegetable supply, and convert unused land and spare time into food.

Gardeners who last year were discouraged because of failures are urged to make another attempt as it is felt that the experience gained by the failure should result in a successful garden this year.

Reports so far received by the department indicate that thousands of home gardeners who went "over the top" last year in the production of vegetables for home tables already have started their "Victory gardens." Reports indicate that the demand for garden land in and around cities is greater even than last year.

FROM FIRST TO LAST.

Had it ever occurred to you that marriage often starts with a war and ends with a rage? No? Well then you haven't seen Gladys Brockwell demonstrate it in "The Strange Woman" at the Imperial Theatre tonight and Tuesday.

St. John Men Are Home Again

Party From Araguaia Arrive From Portland—Bandmaster Williams and Others of Princess Pats Warmly Welcomed

Sixty-six Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island soldiers who arrived at Portland (N.S.), Saturday morning on the hospital ship Araguaia, passed through St. John on a special train of seven cars yesterday afternoon. The depot band played several inspiring airs. Members of the citizens' reception committee greeted the boys in khaki and presented them with fruit, and cigarettes. Those of the committee present included R. E. Armstrong, St. J. Mayor, Mrs. W. I. Fenton, Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. G. Ernest Barbour and Mrs. G. A. Kuhnring, who is a representative of the V. A. D. As the train carried a dinner the usual number of V. A. A. members were present.

About 3,500 enthusiastic citizens were at the Union station Saturday night at 10 o'clock when the Truro train came in bringing Sergeant Harold Williams, bandmaster; R. O. Brittain, P. A. McCluskey, Ernest Ellison, R. G. Stewart and W. J. Dickson, all of this city and members of the band of the renowned Princess Pats. The bandmen were formerly attached to St. Mary's Band. Bandmaster J. H. McKenna arrived home Friday night and was given a reception by the members of Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., of which he is a valued member. The bandmen went to Ottawa with the famous unit, where they were discharged. The other members of the unit who reside here will be home during the week.

The Depot Battalion Band was at the depot Saturday evening and not only greeted the home-coming musically, but gave them three lusty cheers. The immense crowd of citizens also heartily cheered the six bandmen, and one young man was carried through the station on the shoulders of his friends. The boys said that they had had a great time from the moment they reached London, where the battalion was accorded an immense demonstration. At Halifax, Truro, Moncton and elsewhere along the line there were notable demonstrations and at Ottawa the reception could not be surpassed.

The bandmen said that contrary to published reports the 42nd Battalion was not the first to reach Mons last November. That honor was won by the Princess Pats themselves.

Private Timothy Aculin, for several years a resident of St. John, has arrived from overseas after a year's service. Private Aculin enlisted in the 14th Battalion of Montreal. Southwest of Cambrai he was wounded in the right arm and slightly in the chin. He is looking well and is enjoying good health.

Tunisian Arrives
The C. P. O. S. steamer Tunisian, Captain Hodder, ten days from Liverpool, arrived here Saturday evening and docked at Sand Point at 2:30 yesterday morning. The Tunisian brought 317 adult passengers and 300 children. During the trip Mrs. J. Grey, an English woman and baby died of pneumonia and were buried at sea. There was much sickness on the ship and the steamer's physician, Dr. Beaudin, was obliged to be on duty fourteen hours daily. There were no cases of influenza.

A few of the passengers were for St. John. They were George Best, Frank K. Chapman, Elizabeth Storey, Marion R. Flagler of 225 Princess street, Ida Morrish, John Alexander Ritchie, Peter C. McArthur and Miss Alice Wilson. Miss Marion Flagler, daughter of James S. Flagler, assistant postmaster, arrived home on the Tunisian yesterday morning. Miss Flagler went overseas in December 1917 with a party of V. A. D.'s under the charge of Mrs. Kuhnring. All the time that she was in England, Miss Flagler was stationed at the English Military Hospital at Weymouth.

Pay \$25 For Piece Of Public Gardens

Two Armenians Fall Into Hands of Sharps in Boston

Boston, March 24—The police of Division 16 are looking for two men, apparently Greeks, who "sold" a piece of land on the Public Garden a few days ago and who also attempted to "dispose" of another small tract of land on the Boston Common.

Two Armenians were in the vicinity of Park square Wednesday afternoon looking for a small store, where they could sell fruit. The two Greeks got into conversation with the two Armenians. One of the Greeks said to the Armenians: "Looking for a store to buy around here?" The Armenians replied in the affirmative.

Then one of the Greeks said to his friend: "Probably they might want that piece of land at Charles and Boylston streets?" The Armenians replied in the affirmative.

The Armenians wanted to open up right in Park square, but one of the Greeks insisted that there was much more business at Charles and Boylston streets for a good fruit stand; in Park square there were too many.

The four then went to see the plot of land on the Public Garden. "The very best place now in the Back Bay. You can make lots of money here," the owners insisted.

Then it was suggested that all hands have a drink and back to Park square they went. Twenty-five dollars was all the price they paid for the plot. The Armenians were then given a receipt for the \$25 and told that the next time the four met the deal would be finally consummated.

The new purchasers of the land on the Public Garden had an order for lumber and windows, and engaged a carpenter so that the work of construction of the fruit stand would begin at once. When Special Officers Mettrey and Brett were walking in the vicinity of Charles street they observed the two Armenians and



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a woman. The Armenians were measuring the space off with a steel tape, and the woman, the wife of one of the new buyers of the land, informed the two special officers that a fine large fruit stand was going to be built there. "My husband bought the land with his friend, but he wanted to get up Park square near the automobile store," said the woman. Then ensued a conversation part in English and Armenian with the result one of the Armenians showed his receipt for the property. The special officers told the two Armenians that they were needed by two fakers, who had no more right to sell the land on the Public Garden than they had to sell the State House or City Hall.

Policeman Horgan, who patrols in Park square, thinks he has a clew to the "real estate men" who, he said, tried to sell some land on the Boston Common, corner of Beacon and Charles streets, a short time ago. There was to be a big fruit stand on this site also, Horgan said.

SISTINE CHOIR TO MAKE TOUR OF UNITED STATES.

New York, March 24—The famous Sistine choir from Rome will make a cohort tour of the United States, beginning in May, under the auspices of dignitaries of the Catholic church. The choir, which is the oldest and

most famous known to the Christian world, is composed of thirty-two choral chaplains. For centuries it has had the exclusive privilege of singing at the ecclesiastical functions at which the Pope officiates in person. It was founded by Pope Sylvester, whose pontificate extended from 314 to 335.

British Soldiers To Live In Canada

Get Free Passage and Aid in Settling on Farms

London, March 24, via Montreal—An agreement has been reached on a plan to enable British soldiers to settle in the dominions, the Canadian press says. The basis of the plan is free passage to destination, provided by the British government, and loans at pre-war rates of interest to the dominion governments, acting as agents for the British government.

The idea is to open up new tracts, build railways and generally finance settlers. Legislative effect, according to the understanding, will be given to the scheme, which is independent of the plans of the dominions themselves for their soldiers.

EARLY CAMOUFLAGE.

The original camouflage was what Eve promised to "love, honor and obey." The deception has serious consideration from William Fox production, "The Strange Woman," which heads the bill at the Imperial Theatre tonight and Tuesday.

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