

## WRECKAGE OF AN AUSTRIAN TRENCH



View inside the lines showing the wreckage of barbed wire and earthworks made by Russian artillery fire.

## Country Living

(American Lumberman.)  
Contentment in the country is more due to a state of mind than to the physical conditions that surround the resident. Of course, his state of mind may in a large measure be due to his environment; but yet there are certain vital differences between the urban and the rural situation in general, that require special adaptability on the part of residents. For example, the country is quiet as compared with the city; movement is slow and leisurely, and opportunity is left for freedom of choice in manners and methods. Whereas, the city with its noise and rush and hurry imposes restrictions upon the city resident that the rural dweller can scarcely submit to, not to say adapt himself to. A single group of countrymen making their leisurely way to the Union Station in Chicago, can effectively block traffic on the river bridge, so that suburbanites rushing to their trains are delayed. The noise of the city is positively exhausting to the person accustomed to the quiet country. We remember the experience of a country cousin who visited us in the city. When she reached home she said to her father: "Dad, it is time to get back home here in the country where we can't hear anything." Her ears had been assailed for days and

nights with sounds that to her sensitive nerves were mere confusion. In the country the song of a bird and the chirp of a cricket, the lowing of the cow and the neigh of the horse, the bleating of the sheep and the "bawling" of the calf are only varied by the crowing of the cock and it may be the distant whistle of a passing train.

It is just so with the other senses. The eye is pleased and satisfied with quiet landscapes, with moving clouds, brilliant sunsets, with the gentle overcast among the trees. Every movement of nature has to the rural inhabitant a significance unknown and undetected by the urbanite. What to him does not signify that the wind is east or west or north or south? Yet to the country person wind from any given direction is the basis for predicting, or rather, foretelling the weather. He need not read the weather reports; he knows what the weather will be before the weather man knows, and often for his own locality more accurately.

The country resident gets his information first hand; he is an original investigator, and what he knows is known in a manner that gives a satisfaction that no book knowledge can give. Can anyone doubt that this sort of life is vigorous for both mind and body? Can he doubt that the country is the place for right living? Air and sunlight, exercise of all the muscles, stimulus for all the senses and variety of experience are what bring about complete development, and these make up the life of the country boy and the country girl. In short, life is never staid, flat and unprofitable.

Mrs. Laura E. Ebert of Fairmount, Ind., is suing her husband, Patrick H. Ebert, for a divorce because in eighty years of married life they moved 25

## COMMUNITY BUILDING

(American Lumberman.)

Usually when we speak of community building we refer to the rural community, which in general is thought to be the greatest need of the sort of development that is accomplished through the agency of neighbors working shoulder to shoulder in behalf of the public welfare. Yet cities are but neighborhoods in groups, and experience shows that life in the cities is made endurable only through the development of the same neighborhood spirit that characterizes the rural community at its best. On the whole too the entire city, even though it be a great municipality like Chicago, has need of the same sort of development to meet the requirements of its inhabitants. So it is not surprising that Chicago is utilizing its municipal pier as a sort of community centre where its

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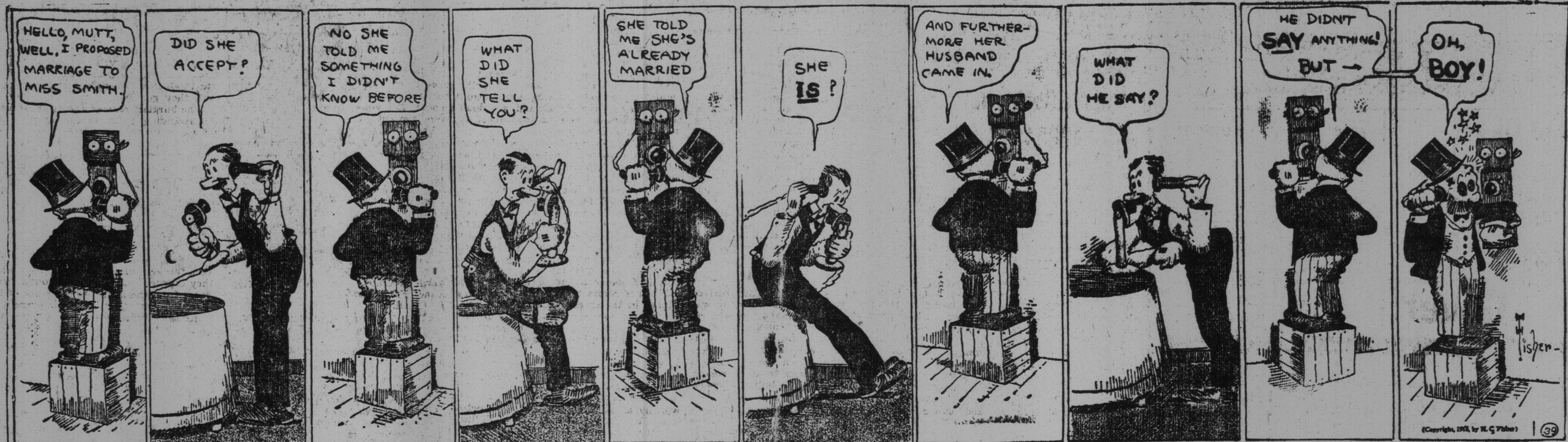
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## CHINESE METHODS AND CHINESE VIANDS

Yearly Profit of \$20,000 Was the Result; Accounting Asked of Treasurer of a New York Restaurant

New York, Oct. 16.—Chinese methods of success in business are revealed in papers filed in the supreme court by Goon Clung, formerly manager of the Oriental restaurant at 8 Pell street, for an accounting of the profits of the place from Li Bue, the treasurer, who admits that the net profits have been \$20,000 annually, for the last three years.

Goon Clung contends that he was a partner in Mann Fung Low, the Chinese name of the restaurant, and he insists that his rights under an agreement signed on "the Lucky Day in the 26th year of the reign of Kwang Hsu" were not respected when he was removed from the management.

Treas. Li Bue insists that there was no partnership and contends that the

## DUG OUT UNDER THE KING SQUARE BANDSTAND

Kitties to Have Recruiting Office There; Pipe Cleaning and Other Common Council Matters

Glimpses of life at the front will be brought home to the city, this winter, with the erection of a dug out under the bandstand in King square as a recruiting office for the Killies' Battalion. Permission to construct a hut of sand bags and the same material as used near the trenches, was granted to the military authorities, yesterday, at the regular meeting of the common council.

Commissioner Wignone's recommendation for the cleaning of the 264,000 feet of water main, over which considerable discussion arose at a previous meeting, was finally received passage. It was not, however, without considerable explanation on the commissioner's part before all discussion was withdrawn. By a citation of work previously done in this city by the company that has been awarded the contract, it was shown that all mains were returned to within five per cent. of their original state of efficiency.

Committee Recommendations.

The committee of the whole submitted a recommendation that the \$300 granted at the committee meeting Monday for the Natural History Society, be approved, and that Mayor Hayes be sent to Ottawa to represent St. John at a

deputation of municipalities to appear before the federal cabinet and take up the high cost of living and prices of food products in this time. Both of these recommendations were passed.

Another ratification of the work of the committee, Monday, was the formal awarding of the contract for laying the granite paving on Main street to Corey and Stevens for \$2,250. In the same report of the department of public works was the recommendation of the closing of a triplicate agreement between His Majesty the King, represented by the minister of railways and canals, and the city, giving the city the right to lay and maintain a terra cotta sewer pipe under the tracks of the C. N. railway branch of the Canadian government railways. This was also unanimously approved.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Peters of Moncton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Dickson, to Major John Harper Evans, C.F.A., the marriage to take place in November. Major Evans is in command of the 68th Battery stationed at Woodstock.

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Commissioner Russell asked that a renewal lease be issued to Hilda Barbour, wife of Allen D. Barbour for lot No. 644, Queen's ward, for a term of seven years, from May 1, 1918, at an annual rental of \$24. The authority was given the commissioner to issue the lease.

J. T. Kemp, superintendent of the Sherbrooke Power Company of Sherbrooke (Que.), filed an application for the position of electrical engineer of St. John, which was referred to the committee of the department of public safety. The common clerk also read a letter from W. G. Ross of Montreal, president of the British Saliors' Relief Fund, thanking the city for the donation of \$5,000, and steps that had been taken in completing an organization here.

P. Campbell & Company submitted a letter in which they asked permission to store calcium carbide in upright receptacles in a detached building in Stanley street. The matter was referred to Commissioner McLellan.

The housing investigation committee of the board of trade, for the furthering of the work of which \$300 was granted by the council in 1914, submitted a report with photographs on the existing conditions in the city. The committee in submitting its report said that the delay had been occasioned by the outbreak of the war. Copies of the report were given to the commissioners to read.

Commissioner Russell asked for \$800 more to drive sixty additional piles on the West side, a piece of work that was not at first deemed necessary. This would bring the grand total for harbor-front repairs to \$6,250 instead of \$5,450. The council granted the increase.

At the suggestion of Commissioner

## MONTANA WILL ELECT A CONGRESS-WOMAN

New York, Oct. 17.—According to reports which have reached the republican congressional committee in the last few days, Miss Jeanette Rankin, of Montana, is almost certain to have the honor of being the first woman to sit in the congress of the United States.

Miss Rankin is running on the Republican ticket for one of the two congress seats at large in the State of Montana. The Republican committee is having a canvass made of the different districts and has received 60 or 70 reports from Montana, all of them agreeing that Miss Rankin had the state by the ears and was going to win almost beyond the shadow of a doubt.

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## Officer Kills John F. Rogers Of I.C.R. Moncton

Returned Soldier, Thought to Have Been Drinking, Declares He Has No Recollection of Act

Moncton, Oct. 17.—John Fletcher Rogers, clerk of the accounting department of the Intercolonial Railway, was shot and killed in the basement of the general offices this afternoon and Lieut. John E. Merrill is in the police station charged with murder.

The tragedy occurred soon after the arrival of the Ocean Limited from the east. How the soldier came to the general offices is unknown. Passerby saw him standing in the doorway between 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock, as they passed him he would salute them, acting like a man under the influence of liquor.

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WILL ASK GOVERNMENT INQUIRY INTO PAPER PRICE

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—In a conference of newspaper publishers and news print paper manufacturers held here today, the manufacturers adhered to the price of three cents a pound that was quoted at a minimum in the conference last week before the minister of finance.

The publishers conceded that some increase might be necessary but took the position that the proposed minimum price of three cents a pound was prohibitive.

As the publishers and the paper manufacturers were unable to reach an agreement, the request of the former for an investigation by the government stands and it is likely an inquiry will be made by the department of finance.

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