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## ELMER WOODS ENGAGED IN PATRIOTIC WORK

Elmer S. Woods, of Lexington, formerly a student of the College of Arts and Science, University of Kentucky, is now a member of Company E, Camp Dewey, Great Lakes, Illinois, and for several days has been assisting in the sale of Liberty Bonds in Chicago.

In a letter to friends at the University young Woods wrote that he was selling bonds and was with the group that sold bonds to John Drew, Lillian Russell and Douglas Fairbanks. The Daily News of Chicago, April 18, has a picture of Fairbanks being carried on the shoulders of two of the training boys. Woods is one of the "Jackies."

## HUSBANDING OF STOCK COWS IS NATION'S DUTY

The kind of grain to feed dairy cows, says Prof. J. J. Hooper, College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky, will depend upon the composition of the roughage that is utilized. If clover hay is available less protein grain may be employed. It is efficacious to use ten pounds of alfalfa, clover, cow pea or soy bean hay. Even soy bean straw has considerable value.

But in Kentucky hay costs from \$35 to \$42 a ton now, and grain mixtures can be purchased for from \$50 to \$55. Accordingly, nutriment can be purchased cheaper here in grain than in hay. For that reason in its place farmers are feeding some barley straw, that has been sprinkled with molasses to add palatability.

While a cow that is producing a liberal flow of milk must have 2½ pounds of digestible protein, 14 pounds of carbohydrates and ¾ pound fat, yet a cow that is being pushed should have a feed of pulped succulent mangels, parsnips, carrots (or other roots) to stimulate milk flow.

After the war the country will not be able to supply the demand for cows. Many cows have been destroyed in belligerent countries, and many have been butchered in neutral countries. The Germans have run short of fats and in the past have called loudly and lustily for them, and particularly for milk fat. The American cow, the foster mother of the human race, will yet provide the sinews of war and of success to our boys and to our allies.

## MCVEY AND STANLEY ALUMNI HONOR GUESTS

Three New York alumni of the University of Kentucky entertained with an alumni dinner in New York Saturday night, April 27, at which Governor A. O. Stanley and President Frank L. McVey, of the University of Kentucky, were the guests of honor.

The New York branch of the University of Kentucky Alumni is enlarging its membership as University graduates continue to gain prominence in industrial and business circles of the East.

## TIGERT TO GO TO FRANCE.

Dr. John J. Tigert, head of the Department of Psychology, University of Kentucky, has been granted leave of absence and will go at the close of this year to France into army Y. M. C. A. work. Doctor Tigert has been active in student Y. M. C. A. work since coming to the University and has greatly benefited the student body.

Doctor Tigert is a graduate of Vanderbilt University. As a Rhodes scholar he made his master's degree at Oxford and from the same institution was awarded a doctorate three years ago.

## UNIVERSITY PROMOTING BOYS' PRODUCING CLUBS

Boys' agricultural clubs are being organized under the supervision of the extension division of the College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky, in co-operation with the United States Department of Agriculture. Plans are making in several counties for the organization of such clubs. Although the clubs in many counties are organized for the purpose of producing calves, lambs, poultry, corn, clover, and other farm products, the club in Fayette county will devote its energies toward the raising of pigs only.

Under the leadership of Otis Kircher, of the Experiment Station of the University of Kentucky, and through the aid of the county agents of the various counties, clubs have been organized in every county of the State which employs a county agent. Mr. Kircher has received many letters from members of these clubs, telling of the work accomplished.

## UNIVERSITY TEACHERS AT EDUCATIONAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association, which was held in Louisville April 24 to 27, was attended by educators of the State, among whom from the University of Kentucky were: President Frank L. McVey, Dean P. P. Boyd, Professor C. R. Melcher, Miss Mary Sweeney, Professor George Roberts, McHenry Rhoads, Lawrence Cover, Enoch Grehan, Professor J. T. C. Noe, J. J. Tigert and L. K. Frankel. A social feature of the meeting was the University of Kentucky Alumni dinner held Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, at which President McVey was the guest of honor and chief speaker.

## KENTUCKY BOYS GIVEN THEIR FOOTBALL TROPHIES

Fourteen football "K" sweaters have been received by the Director of Athletics, University of Kentucky, and will be presented to W. S. Baugh, London; Arthur Shanklin, Lexington; F. W. Dempsey, Burlington; Roger Moore, Lexington; B. Downing and C. Downing, Lexington; E. M. Pullen, New York City; J. A. Brittain, Leadville, Colo.; Craig Riddle, Lexington; H. T. Adair, Paris; Arthur Bastin and James Hedges, Lexington; W. Walker, Lexington, and Hall Henry, Dixon.

## ORDER ELIMINATES ALL "SOPHS" AND "FRESHIES"

Only enrolled members of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps Unit, numbering twenty-one, at the University of Kentucky, and seniors or others who have completed their three years' drill are eligible for attendance at the summer training camp. This means that the sophomores and freshmen of the University will not be permitted to attend the camp.

Captain Royden received Monday from H. P. McCain, Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, an order concerning camp training for members of the advanced course and selected members, senior division, Reserve Officers' Training Corps units.

The order authorizes the holding of training camps for the further practical instruction of members of the advanced course, Reserve Officers' Training Corps units, during the month of June, the exact date and location to be announced later.

Twenty-five alumni of the University of Kentucky who have had one year of drill and who make application before May 1, will also be admitted to the camps.

## YOUNG ENGINEER GOES TO DEHYDRATING FACTORY

J. Esten Bolling, Chicago, former resident of Louisville and Alumnus of the College of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, University of Kentucky, came to Lexington last week on a business trip, taking back to Chicago with him B. B. Russell, as assistant engineer in the drying systems plant which is to be used by the Government in the dehydrating of foods, with which work Mr. Bolling is connected. Young Russell is a senior in the College of Mechanical and Electrical Engineers, University of Kentucky, and a member of the Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity.

The results accomplished in the dehydrating process have proved invaluable to the Government in supplying food to troops in France. Such vegetables as potatoes and onions are not only dried, but as so treated chemically that they do not again absorb moisture when exposed. Their full food value is retained. Thus vegetables can be successfully shipped to London and can be carried by the soldiers on long marches.

Dried potatoes occupy only one-fourth their original volume, while ten pounds of onions may be compressed in a one-inch cube. The Chicago plant will dry fifty tons of potatoes a day.

## UNIVERSITY PREPARES TO ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS

The problem of the Committee on War Service Organization of the University of Kentucky, composed of Professor E. F. Farquhar and Miss Ruby Muckman, is to offer entertainment for the 400 soldiers to be in camp in Lexington and under instruction at the University during the early summer. The Committee on War Service will work independently of the Y. M. C. A. and all other organizations.

Y. M. C. A. hostess house workers will lend assistance in entertaining the soldiers, and the people of Lexington will join them, as they did last summer, when there were so many soldiers at Camp Stanley.

## "YOU NEVER CAN TELL" TO BE GIVEN BY GIRLS

For the Philosophian Literary Society, University of Kentucky, which will present "You Never Can Tell," a play by Bernard Shaw, at an early date, the following selections have been made for the cast:

Mrs. Lanfrey Clandon—Louise Will, Louisville.

Mr. Fergus Crampton—Alma Bolser, Newport.

Gloria Clandon—Virginia Helm Miller, Union Star.

Philip Clandon—Elizabeth McGowan, Bagdad.

Dorothy Clandon—Mary Mayes, Rose Hill.

Mr. Valentine—Ada Hardesty, Ft. Thomas.

Mr. McComas—Louise Mayer, Louisville.

Mr. Bohun—Frieda Lemon, Providence.

The Maid—Bernice Young, Pineville.

William—Bertha Miller, Lexington.

Jo, a waiter—Virginia Croft, Louisville.

## FRED LOOMIS NOW CAPTAIN.

John Frederick Loomis, instructor in the Department of Physics, University of Kentucky, 1916-17, now in regular service in the American army in France, has recently been promoted to the rank of captain. Loomis went over December 12, as First Lieutenant, Coast Artillery Corps, and now as captain, has charge of a battery of heavy artillery on the western front.

## WAR COMMITTEE NAMED FOR PATRIOTIC SERVICE

The War Committee of the University of Kentucky, whose duty is to assist in giving aid to the Government in any phase of war work it can, has named as sub-committees:

Committee on War Education—Dr. J. E. Tuthill.

Committee on War Service Organizations—Professor E. F. Farquhar, Miss Ruby Buckman.

Committee on Patriotic Exercises—Captain H. N. Royden, Enoch Grehan, Charles Planck.

Committee on War Service Records—E. L. Gillis, Captain H. N. Royden, Dean C. R. Melcher.

Committee on Publicity—Enoch Grehan, Marguerite McLaughlin, Eliza Piggett.

Duties of these committees were discussed at a meeting of the War Committee April 16, when it was recommended that activities of various committees should be reported by the Publicity Committee; that schedules of Monday, Wednesday and Thursday of each week be arranged to conform to the program at present carried out on Tuesday, so that the third period, corresponding to the chapel period on Tuesday can be used for lectures and other exercises under supervision of the Committee on War Education.

## KENTUCKY ORGANIZED TO TAKE PART IN BIG WORK

The third division of the Social Hygiene Division under the direction of Dr. Katherine B. Davis, has been formed by the Commission on Training Camp Activities, Washington, D. C. The organization has been reported to the educational institutions of the country and for this State, the University of Kentucky has been so advised.

The division has for its purpose the education of women and girls. In connection with this work a lecture bureau will be maintained in co-operation with the Social Morality Committee of the War Work Council of the National Y. W. C. A., the American Social Hygiene Association and similar organizations, which have also previously co-operated with the directors of the two other divisions in their work.

This bureau will supply lecturers to groups of women and girls in all parts of the country and furnish them with literature and exhibits. The work of this section will be intensive in industrial communities as well as in communities adjacent to camps.

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## FRESHMAN ENGINEERS ENTER TRAIN.

Monday night, April 22, the John Hays Hammond Society of Freshman Engineers entertained the other engineering classes and faculty of instruction at a reception in the dining hall of the University.

## PROFESSOR CANNON GIVES DATA TO GOVERNMENT

Henry S. Cannon, Nicholasville, professor of German, University of Kentucky, has sent a collection of post cards procured during his stay in Germany, to the War Department in Washington. The cards show birds-eye views of various cities, public buildings and railroad bridges in Germany and are valuable information for the War Department. Professor Cannon also had maps of German river routes and roads which he intended to send to Washington, but these have unaccountably disappeared.

Professor Cannon has received a letter of acknowledgment from the War Department, expressing appreciation for the service and requesting him to communicate with the department if he has any other such information, especially if it concerns the country west of a line south from Hamburg.

## CAMPUS MADE READY TO RECEIVE SOLDIERS

Four hundred drafted men from Tennessee will enter the Engineers' Training Camp at the University of Kentucky May 7. These men will be quartered at the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association track grounds, and will eat at the Mess Hall on the University Campus.

In addition to the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering shops at the University, the Armory will be turned into five individual automobile shops, where skilled mechanics will instruct them. The Government will supply high class motor trucks and automobiles of passenger type. The men in training will work eight hours a day, five hours being given to technical and three to military work. Men will be placed on guard about the campus, at the work shops and Mess Hall, just as in a regular military camp.

Of the 400 men to be trained as experts in mechanical lines, there will be 210 auto mechanics and chauffeurs, 100 radio engineers, 40 carpenters, 30 blacksmiths and 20 electricians.

## CO-EDS PROMINENT IN RED CROSS ACTIVITIES

Lieutenants C. E. Smith and H. Y. Brown, of the Canadian army, who have been speaking in Kentucky in behalf of the Liberty Loan, were the leading speakers on the program at Red Cross Day exercises, Friday afternoon, April 19, at University of Kentucky.

Both soldiers have seen active service. Lieutenant Brown was with the Forty-eighth Highlanders of Toronto and was badly wounded. Lieutenant Smith, who was with the Eighty-fifth Nova Scotia Battalion, was wounded and permanently disabled in action.

The exercises of Red Cross Day were given under the auspices of the Red Cross Chapter of the University. There were fifty girls wearing the costume of Red Cross workers, seated on the platform.

Altho the University Auxiliary has been organized but a short time, already twenty hospital garments are completed, thousands of surgical dressings have been made by the class which meets every Saturday night at Patterson Hall, and plans are now on foot for a Hostess House to be conducted by the Red Cross and Y. W. C. A. for the 400 soldiers who are to be stationed here.

Probably the most outstanding work of the Ways and Means Committee has been that of Marie Collins as its chairman. A steadily growing fund gained by selling sandwiches at noon and chapel hours, by conducting refreshment tables at dances, and the Red Cross dance.