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No. 1

S. A. T. C. TO BE DISBANDED WITHIN TWO WEEKS IS ORDER

VARIED AND CHECKERED EXISTENCE OF STUDENT SOLDIERS TO BE ENDED AT ONCE. LIEUTENANT HOWARD SENT TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DISCHARGES.

After an existence of only a little over two months, a period filled with unavoidable delay and depressing uncertainty, the Student Army Training Corps will be disbanded within the next two weeks, according to instructions received from the War Department.

At the beginning of the quarter on October 1st, 160 men were on hand to enter the organization. Just a few days later when they were settled in their quarters and things were beginning to run regularly the epidemic of influenza struck the town and school was closed. A number of the students became ill with the disease, and for a whole month the camp was completely demoralized. About the first of November classes at the University were started for S. A. T. C. men, and have continued without interruption.

The first part of November ten picked men were sent to Camp McArthur, Waco, Texas, for training, they were: Chester C. Boldt, Richard C. Bruce, James M. Chess, Harold L. Miller, James L. Wait, Julian E. Chavez, Fred H. Gillispie, Ted H. Pate, Perkins L. Patton and George M. Peckham.

However, when conditions again were normal, the armistice of the 11th again threw everything in confusion to an extent, for the ardor was considerably dampened with the knowledge that the excursion to France was very improbable, and the uncertainty and speculation as to the future of the camp were not conducive to studiousness.

Thus it may be said that at no time has the work been proceeding under normal conditions, and all have been working at a disadvantage.

Some thirty men who had failed to be inducted by their local boards, left the camp upon the advice that no more would be inducted, but were later wired that they could return and be inducted as they had signed the necessary papers before the closing order.

When the news was received last Wednesday that the corps was to be disbanded between Dec. 4 and 21, various emotions were displayed. Some were delighted at the prospect of becoming "free" at such early date, while others were genuinely sorry that their term was to end so soon. All are united in the belief that this short period of training has been of great benefit to them, and should the University offer a good course in Military Drill a full enrollment would not be difficult to obtain.

A majority of the S. A. T. C. men will remain at the University after disbandment. Some who have not finished their high school work will go back and finish, while others will remain and make it up here.

Statistics collected by the Univer

sity show that at least 30 per cent of the men are leaving the institution as soon as they are discharged. Each student leaving was asked to give his reason.

By far the majority stated they were leaving because they were unable to bear the expenses of a college student without government help, in other words, because they were broke.

Next in importance was homesickness, followed by two other reasons namely; "no desire for higher education," and "inability to pass courses."

The men will be discharged as soon as Lieutenant Howard returns from San Francisco, where he was sent to receive instructions as to the proper method of making out the discharges. Lieutenant Howard left last week, and is expected to return sometime next week.

PROFESSORS TO DECIDE CREDITS TO BE GIVEN

Amount of Credit to be given for this Quarter Entirely up to Heads of Departments. Fees of Town Students to Apply on Next Term.

After a meeting of the Committee on Student Standing, chairman Mitchell announced that the amount of credit to be given each student for this quarter's work would depend entirely upon the various professors. Each professor has the power to grant whatever credit he sees fit in his subject. Of course, the amount of work accomplished will have a large influence on the professor's decisions. Some of the departments will have been able to accomplish almost a quarter's work by the end of the present one; others have done little work or none at all.

A majority of the town students will not be able to secure any credit at all for this quarter, owing to the difficulty of entering classes at this late period. In most cases these students have decided to wait until next quarter before taking up any work.

The Senior Class will be delayed in its graduation a whole quarter with one or two exceptions. Several members of the class when interviewed stated that they would not be able to finish by the end of the spring quarter.

S. A. T. C. students, in addition to receiving credit for scholastic work, will receive credit in gymnasium work for the military drill which they have taken, and also, will probably receive two blank credits toward graduation.

Those students who registered at

GREEK LETTER WORLD ACTIVE AT VARSITY

Despite Many Obstacles, Organization Have Been Busy. List of Pledges of Both Sororities and Fraternities Announced.

Though somewhat hampered by the epidemic of Spanish influenza which closed the University for two months, the Sororities and Fraternities on the hill have been looking out for the future, both by pledging new students, and by planning various activities.

At present there exists a Pan Hellenic among the girls organizations, the object of which is to regulate rushing and pledging, and to coordinate certain activities and efforts of the chapters.

The quarantine, established Oct. 6, seriously upset the plans for a

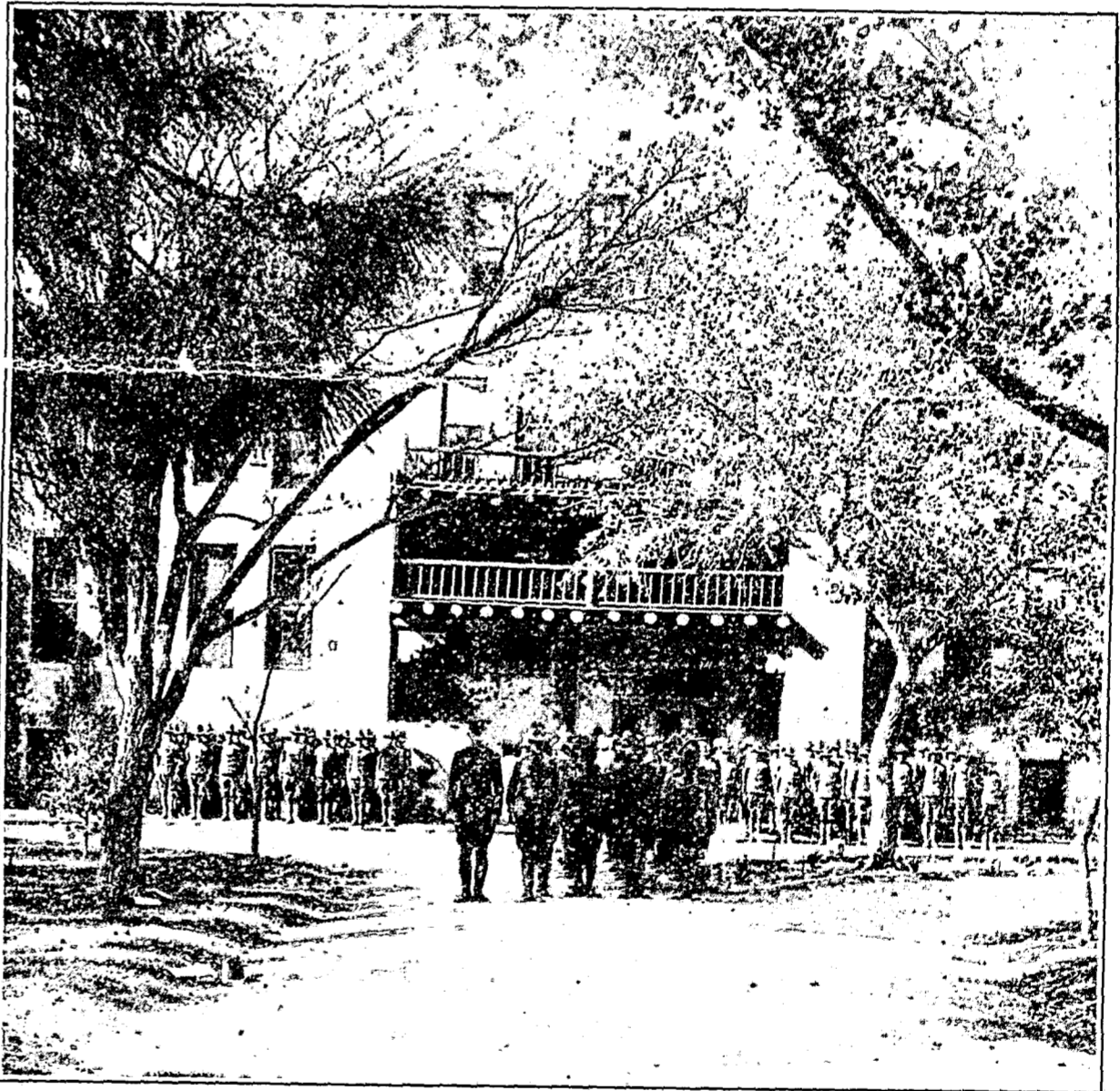
no agreement, did most of their pledging on the opening days of school and a few men were pledged before school opened.

Shortly after school started, Lieutenant Lisanby announced that he had orders from the War Department to permit no fraternity activities, other than meetings for business purposes and initiations. Since the end of the war, however, all restrictions placed on fraternities by the S. A. T. C., have been removed, provided that none of their doings conflict with military authority. As soon as the S. A. T. C. is disbanded, the fraternities plan on resuming normal activities.

A list of the pledges of the various Sororities and Fraternities follows:

Sororities.

Phi Mu—Modine Bates, Carlsbad, N. M.; Jewel Hubbard, Carlsbad, N. M.; Flora Marshall, Dorothy Dawson and Virginia Herely of Albuquerque; Mable Goss, Denver, Colo.; Marion



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much week, and a bid day, which were to have taken place early in the quarter. After a month and a half of enforced idleness, delegates from each of the four Sororities decided to do away with rush week and named Saturday, November 16, as bid day. On this day bids were issued by each sorority, and a number of girls were pledged.

The fraternities, being bound by

the beginning of the quarter, but who have been unable to attend school, and who will not receive any credit, have the privilege of applying the fees paid upon next quarter's registration fees. A statement must be secured from the Dean of the University and presented to Miss Parsons. These students are requested to register for the winter quarter at the usual time December 19th and 20th.

Spicer, Socorro, N. M.

Kappa Kappa Gamma—Martha Borgerding, Sierra Madre, Calif.; Annette Jacobson, Artesia, N. M.; Margaret Lee and Alexandria Vaughey of Albuquerque.

Kappa Delta Nu (local)—Mary Sands, Las Vegas, N. M.; Amy Merrick, Amherst, Mass.; Louise Clark, Amherst, Mass.; Katherine McDowell, Bobbie Jahn and Dorothy McAllister of Albuquerque; Lucille Longino, Moriarity, N. M.

Alpha Chi Omega—Beatrice Black, Wyanduck, Okla.; Nola Keen, Albuquerque; Dorothy Stevenson, Alamo gordo, N. M.; Lucille Makin, Roswell, N. M.; Dovie Reynolds, Lake Arthur, N. M.

Fraternities.

Pi Kappa Alpha—John Meyers, Frank Neher, William Sganziini,

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1918.

PROLOGUE.

After an enforced vacation of two months the Weekly again makes its appearance and is prepared to receive the support of the student body and faculty of U. N. M.

The purpose of the Weekly is to promote the welfare of the school and to furnish in its humble way an account of the happenings and events in which students will be interested. As to politics, preferences and "pulls" little need be said. The paper will be absolutely independent and will cater to no clique or special interests. At all times the virtue of complete impartiality will be exercised to the best of human ability.

In order that this "sheet" shall attain its most useful position, it is necessary that it receive the cooperation of every individual who is connected with the University. The staff is small enough, goodness knows, and will need a helping hand right along. If you are called on to help a little, don't back off and huddle as if it was a personal favor the Editor was asking, but do your best in the same spirit and with the same purpose as the rest of us—the building of a greater U. N. M.

GRADES AND FRATERNITIES.

Fraternal organizations play an important part in the activities of the University, greater, perhaps, than in most schools of larger size. It should therefore be the aim of the school authorities to enlist the support of these organizations on any matter that interests them both.

Fraternal organizations are interested in the quality of work being done by each member, and each one is anxious that its rank shall be as high as that of others. The school, needless to say, is vitally interested in the question of grades. Why cannot the two work together for a common end?

Last year if a fraternity wanted to know the kind of work its members were doing, it had to go into the office, dig around and find, to its own satisfaction, what they wanted to know. Consequently little of this was done, and when it was done it could be given no publicity because it was in on wise official and, if wished, the reports could be juggled to fit any need.

The Registrar was perfectly willing that the grades be obtained, and did all he could to help look up the records for those who asked for them. But the office was so crowded with work that he found it impossible to do more than that.

Now it seems that this question should receive more attention. In

our opinion these grades should be carefully and impartially compiled in the office and made public each quarter. A rivalry should be encouraged among the fraternities for the honor of having the best grades. The laggards would be spurred to increase their efforts, and the standard of work raised. If the University would demand it from the fraternity, the fraternity would demand it from the members and pledges.

A gradeless fraternity should be as scarce as a neckless giraffe, and with little effort on the part of the University can be made so.

COMING EVENTS.

Oh boy! The Flu quarantine is lifted and the emblem of joy can again be hung out in the Land of Sunshine. Big banquets and little teas, big dances and little parties, are now on the boards. Announcement of the coming of an athletic director looks good to us all, and, best of all, the OLD BOYS are coming back from France. Each week should see U. N. M. a little more lively than the week before, with the big show ready to open up fall when the OLD STANDBYS of the student body and athletic association will be with us.

With this schedule of good cheer ahead, the WEEKLY wishes to speak a good word for the system adopted two years ago, namely that of taking out a date card for all events on the calendar of organizations connected with U. N. M.

Once, in the not distant past, parties and similar affairs were organized over night, and frequently two, (and even three), affairs were, at the eleventh hour, found scheduled for the same time, and almost even in the same place. The fellow who was giving the affair knew it was to happen, but telepathy did not make the announcement to the rest of the U. N. M. folks. The very worst situation came when a manager of an athletic team failed to give proper public notice, in advance, of some athletic contest, and then some social organization scheduled, not publicly, but among those concerned, a party at the same time. To cancel dates on hired halls, and to get out of taking ordered refreshments at the last minute have been unpleasant complications.

With the system of publicly posting dates for the U. N. M. calendar, such confusion has ceased. The system has every advantage, and only one disadvantage—it is a bother to ask for a date card. All of us have not been as careful as we might have been in announcing our dates.

P. S. The editor is favor of any system making it easier for him to get the news.

ALPHA CHI VISITOR.

The Alpha Chi Omega Sorority girls are expecting the annual visit of Mrs. Myra B. Bennett one of the sororities pronounce presidents, the latter part of the weeks, and are making preparations for the annual inspection. The Alpha Chis are planning several "affairs" in anticipation of the event and expect to have the hours quite full during Mrs. Bennett's stay. Mrs. Bennett is from Muscogee Ok. and is president of the Alpha Chi Omega chapters in the Central Province. She will probably remain for several days.

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ite, Las Vegas, N. M.; Bruce Robin

son, Arizona; Ted Pate, Carlsbad, N.

M.; Herman De Bolt, Raton, N. M.;

Charles Culppepper, Carlsbad, N. M.;

Johnnie Colthorpe, Texico, N. M.

Sigma Chi—Richard Bruce, Ralph

ayton, Ralph Brooks, G. F. Swedes,

Ibert Necomer, Arthur Becker,

George Bryan, Louis Gerphide, of

Albuquerque; Victor Miller, Hager
man, N. M.; L. T. Thomas, Roswell,
N. M.; O. R. Witten, Deming, N. M.;
Glen Rogers, Portales, N. M.
Alpha Delta—J. Sharp, D. E. Cald
well, Pleasant Hill, N. M.

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SOCIETY

K. K. G. TEA.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority was hostess at a tea Sunday afternoon at its home on the hill. The proceeds went to charity.

Mrs. Sarah Thurman and Miss Francis Lathrop presided at the tea table which stood in the large reception rooms of the Rappa house and the bevy of pretty girls flitted about the pretty rooms entertaining the soldier boys that came in from the S. A. T. C. camp during the hours. Miss Francis Bear acted as chairman for the fund and the sum of \$16 was turned in to go for a happy Thanksgiving for the orphans in the city.

After tea hours the Kappa Kappa Gamma girls were guests of honor at a pretty appointed dinner at Grimshaw's. Plates were laid for 11 girls and the host. The guests were Miss Francis Lathrop, Misses Francis Bear, Anne Harris, Dorothy Ohmart, Jimmie Stanley, Martha Greenlee, Alexandria Vaughney, Martha Boreding, Margaret Lee, Irene Boldt, Helen Vinsent and the host.

FOR MISS STANLEY.

Miss Francis Lathrop was hostess to all the Kappa girls at a smartly appointed luncheon on Tuesday, when she entertained for Miss Stanley at the Pullman. W. D. Foster gave a small dinner party for Miss Stanley on Tuesday night at Grimshaw's, and on Wednesday night, Allen Bruce was host at a smart little dinner at the same place. Miss Stanley left Wednesday night for her home for a short visit, returning here after the holidays to resume her studies at the State University.

S. A. T. C. DANCE.

The S. A. T. C. gave its first dance on Saturday, November twenty-third at Rodey Hall. This was also the first dance given on the hill this year and consequently it was greeted with much joy and anticipation. The S. A. T. C. orchestra furnished the music and it was splendid. Lloyd Kellam was at the piano, Floyd Miller violin, John Meyers, cornet, and Ralph Meyers traps. Lieutenant and Mrs. Lisanby and Miss Kennamore were chaperones. Punch was served all through the evening and a jolly good time was given all present.

An informal dance was given at the Country Club Saturday evening the twenty-third. Dancing was in order all thru the evening and at a late hour a tempting luncheon was served. Those who danced were Misses Maude Rodney, Katherine Goss, Jewell Hubbard; Lieutenants Cook, Alvord and Willis. Lieutenant and Mrs. Howard chaperoned.

Miss Maude Rodney has returned to her home in Roswell following an attack of influenza. She will return after the holidays.

The Sigma Chi's and their girl friends drove out to Bear Canyon Thanksgiving morning. Five cars made the trip.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma girls will entertain on Saturday afternoon with a tea honoring the wives of the Faculty members and the lady members of the Faculty. The tea will be given at the Kappa house on east Central.

The Phi Mu Sorority will hold open house Sunday afternoon after Vespers at its house on Gold Avenue. Miss Babcock is in charge of arrangements.

Miss Babcock has returned from Kelly, N. M. where she was called by the illness of her mother.

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ATHLETICS TO START
IN THE NEAR FUTURE

Negotiations Under Way For Athletic Director. New Mexico Still in Rocky Mountain Conference.

At an assembly held November 27, Dr. Boyd announced that strenuous efforts were being made to secure an Athletic Director at once. It is expected that one will be here in time to start the basketball season, but if not, it is certain that a director will have been secured by base ball season.

Already the University has had several offers of basketball games, all of which had to be turned down. Tuesday a letter was received from the Great Lakes Training Station; at Chicago trying to arrange a game with New Mexico. The Naval Station is going to send a team down in this part of the country, and to the coast. Previous to this a letter came from the Institute at Roswell stating that they wished to play us. Doubtless other such offers will be received later, and several games can be arranged if we have a team.

The University is still a member of the Rocky Mountain Conference, but it will be impossible to play any games with members of this association this year.

Skiles Hoffman, the former star athlete at the U. N. M., known as "Doggie," is continuing his reputation as a sprinter. In San Francisco at a recent navy marine meet, he placed a new record for the 440 yard dash, making the distance in 50 seconds flat. He also took second place in the 100 yard dash.

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IDEAL THEATRE
"RAY" AND "DUTCH"

WILLIAM LAMPTON.

The death from Spanish influenza of William Lampton of Artesia, student of the University at the S. A. T. C. camp occurred Oct. 16. A squad of student soldiers accompanied the body to the station, whence it was taken by the father to Artesia.

HARRY B. LEE

Harry B. Lee, a popular student of the University for the last two years, died on Oct. 17, of the Spanish influenza. He was living at the dormitory, being physically unable to enter the S. A. T. C. Deceased was a member of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity. The young man's father was not living, and the body was sent to the mother's home in Faison, N. C.

HUGH A. CARLISLE.

Word was received recently of the death of Hugh A. Carlisle, which occurred on a transport on the way to France. The cause of death was Pneumonia. Deceased had been in army only a short time. Mr. Carlisle was a former U. N. M. student, and while here took an active part in athletics. He is survived by Mrs. Carlisle, formerly Mrs. Dorothy Safford of Santa Fe.

HAYES J. WILLIAMS.

Word has been received that Hayes J. Williams who was graduated from the University last year, recently died at Tucson, Arizona. Mr. Williams was a young man of mature mind and of exceptionally good character. We can but regret the passing from life's activities of one who was apparently just entering the period of greatest usefulness.

The sudden death of Mrs. Kerr, on the night of Nov. 23, was a great shock to the students and faculty of the University. She was waiting for a street car in the darkness on University hill when she was hit by an automobile, which caused her death in an hour or so. Mrs. Kerr was employed at the dining hall where her

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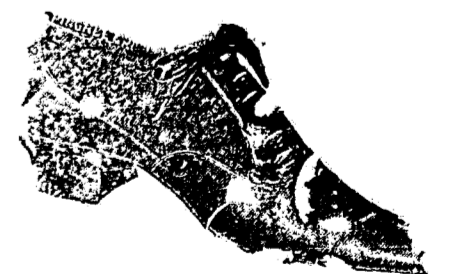
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Mr. Caldwell of Pleasant Hill, N. M., registered at the University Monday. He came here from the State College at Las Cruces.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wigley are the parents of a son, born to them in Florida. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wigley are former U. N. M. students, Mrs. Wigley being Miss Adelaide Shields before her marriage.

Ralph E. Meyers assistant in the Chemistry Department of the University, and Miss Margaret Shumaker, also an assistant in this department, are teaching Physics and Chemistry at the Albuquerque High School, for a few weeks until the return of Professor Taylor from an army training camp.

The new librarian, Miss Pearl A. Stone from Illinois, will arrive in Albuquerque in about two weeks, and will take charge of the library work.

Word has been received from John McFie, Jr., in France, that Willard J. Chamberlin, a U. N. M. man, has been given a distinguished service cross for a special act of bravery at St. Mihiel.

RETURN TO QUARTER SYSTEM IMMEDIATELY

Normal Work will be resumed as fast as practicable. Vacation from December 21 to January 6.

Announcement has been made from the registrars office that the University will return to the Quarter System after the Christmas holidays. In accordance with this plan, the original schedule as published in the catalogue will be carried out in every detail. This means that the quarterly examinations will begin Dec. 19, 20 and 21, as was first planned. Registration for the winter quarter will take place the same week.

The Christmas Holidays will extend from December 21 to January 6, 1919.

At the beginning of the winter quarter, it is very probable that all first year classes, and others in which the first quarter's work is a prerequisite to that following will start anew. This will permit students to register in any of the courses offered, and begin just as they would in October.

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY UNION.

Notice has been received that from May 3 to September 23, 1918, the following men in the army, from the University of New Mexico have registered at the American University Union in Paris, London, or Rome:

1st Lt. Willard J. Chamberlin, U. S. A. S.; Pvt. Coburn W. Cook with Ordn. Dept. Hdqs., Goring Hotel, Grosvenor Gardens, S. W. L.; 2d Lt. F. C. Eastin, 2d Div. Marines, A. P. O.; 1st Lt. William E. Grimmer, Jr., Aviation, A. S. R. C.—A. P. O.; Major Douglas W. Johnson on special mission for U. S. Gov't., at Hotel Grillon, Paris, and Robert S. Sewell, Co. I, 353 Inf., A. P. O., 761.

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LIEUTENANT LEMBKE SEVERELY WOUNDED.

U. N. M. Graduate Hit Three Times by Machine Gun Bullets. Is Now in Hospital in France.

First Lieutenant Charles Lembke, of the 364 infantry, member of the graduating class of 1912, was severely injured November 1, when eight enemy airplanes came down to within 200 feet of the ground and turned loose their machine guns. Two bullets passed through his jaw fracturing a bone and knocking out eight teeth, while a third bullet wounded him in the shoulder.

It was at first reported by the War Department on Nov. 29, that Lieutenant Lembke was "killed in action" Nov. 1. However, his family on December 1, received two letters, one written Nov. 10, and the other Nov. 13th.

Lieutenant Lembke's letter of the 10th reads as follows:

"It has been some time since I have had an opportunity to write, but I think I will be able to catch up with all of my correspondence, inasmuch as I am now located peacefully in a hospital. Nothing very serious, just enough to put me out of commission for three or four weeks. I have three machine gun bullet wounds, two in the jaw and one in the shoulder. The one in the shoulder is just a flesh wound and the bandage will be off in a week. The two in my jaw are not serious at all, but about eight teeth were knocked out and of course it will take time for my mouth to heal so that new teeth can be put in. I am not suffering the least bit, even though I can hardly talk, and eat nothing. The latter part of the whole affair is the most discouraging, in view of the fact that this is the first time in my whole life that I couldn't eat four meals a day. It is not very much of a joke with me, when eating has always been my failing, and now I can only have liquids. "I am not going into the details of the accident, only to say that eight airplanes came down to within 200 feet of the ground and let me have three rounds from a machine gun. There were three others and they didn't get a scratch. I have had good luck all through the last two scraps, so I can't complain. I am now in a field hospital and expect to be sent to some base hospital very soon."

The letter also contains the information that three weeks before it was written he was appointed regimental intelligence officer.

The letter written on November 13 was in the nature of a "follow up," and repeats the description of the manner in which he was wounded as he said the one dated November 10 might go astray. It contains the additional information, however, that an X-ray examination showed that there was a fracture of the upper jaw, several teeth broken off at the gums and a bullet wound in his tongue. "In spite of all of that I am not suffering a bit," his letter says. "The only thing I have to do now is to be quiet and allow the wounds to heal, then my tongue and teeth will be fixed." The letter also tells of a celebration that was going on at the time it was written over the signing of the armistice. Everyone is celebrating," the letter continues. "The streets are crowded with men, women and children, singing their national songs."

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