OBSERVATIONS

Summer is With Us Again.

Out at the ball park they're standing in line.
Summer is with us again.
Ice cream cones are a pretty good sign,
Summer is with us again.
Over the grandstand arises a shout,
"Wow, a three-bagger! Go it old scout!"
Then a dead silence—the runner is out!
Summer is with us again.

Score cards are lively, peanuts are brisk,
Summer is with us again.
Babe Ruth is curving one over the disc—
Summer is with us again.
A runner on second is right on his toes!
The man at the bat hits one right on the nose!
But the fielder in centre just smothers these blows!
Summer is with us again.

Never did Maryland show greater patriotism than she is showing today.

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Isn't there some way for a corporation to monopolize all the walking, and then put a price on pedestrianism.

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We are anxiously awaiting the picture of General Pershing crossing the Rhine. It will be as popular as the one of Washington crossing the Delaware.

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There is still one bright spot left in the gloom of all the sad things that are now happening in this country of ours. Coney Island is open once more.

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Berlin is wasting considerable paper trying to convince the German people that peace is at hand.

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They are cheering for Wilson in the streets of Prague. Hungary Austria is certainly having its own troubles. No wonder Emperor Charles is anxious for peace.

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When the elevators are operated by pretty girls they are certain to be congested by old men who can't make their eyes behave.

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The wizard Luther Burbank has evolved a super-wheat. We'll bet there's a tribe of super-middlemen all ready to handle it.

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Super.

We've super-men and super-guns
And super-hens and super-Huns
Now a new feat.
We've super-wheat!

With super-might and super-feed
We'll super-fight and supercede
The super-Hun
Before this super-war is done

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It was an Irish crew that bottled up the German fleet at Zeebrugge, and we'll bet their home port was Cork.

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A 500-pound Minnesotan desires to enlist in the American Army. He might be used some day to push the ball over the Rhine for a goal.

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Having found a substitute for almost everything else, Germany should now try her hand at finding one for her war lord.

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Hindenburg may not be dead as the reports say, but the indications are that he has failed. In the Wilmelmstrasse they always use crepe for such offenders.

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Porkless Saturday.

There was a young person at Sydenham,
Who was lured into eating forbidden ham.
For some wretch in disguise
In cold chicken pies
Had unjustifiably hidden ham.

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The slacker is now being dubbed the "squash pie," because he is yellow all through and has not enough crust to go "over the top."

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Boss Wilhelm won't even let Emperor Charles run his own country. He is trying to run the whole show. Well, when its all over there will only be one man to bear the blame.

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If the report is true, as the Germans claim, that they sunk the British warship Vindictive, all we can say is that they chose a might bad place to sink it, right in Ostend harbor.

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What has become of the old long-distance gun that used to bombard hospitals and chicken coops in Paris?

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Luxury at home means want at the front.

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The war-winning quartette is wheat, meat, sugar and fat. They are needed abroad; don't impose too much home performance upon them.

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Don't stint a Sammy—he needs your wheat.

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When you waste food, you boost the Kaiser.

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When unneeded wheat comes in at the door, patriotism flies out at the window.

MUSICAL RECITAL AT HIGH SCHOOL

MISS ETHEL DAWSON TUCKER'S PUPILS GIVE ANNUAL TREAT TO CENTREVILLE PEOPLE.

The pupils of Miss Ethel Dawson Tucker gave their Annual Recital at Centreville High School, Thursday, evening, May 23rd.

Quite a large audience enjoyed the program, which was excellent, and well rendered. The program follows:

Duet—Rubenstein—Trot de Cavalerie, Anna Wilson and Henrietta Eaton.

Hohde—The Boat Ride—Dora Mae Dolby.

Streabbog—Petite Carnival—Julia Thomas.

Orth—Merry Blue Eyes—Anna Taylor.

Behr—In May—Anna Price.

Spaulding—Airy Fairies—Mary Louise Hillis.

Slater—The Bluebird—Elise Porter.

Orth—The Little Maiden—Emilie Middleton.

Duet—Krogmann—The Little Patriot—Nancy Price and Catherine West.

Spaulding—April Shower—Estelle Bramble.

Paloverde—Good Friends—Rachel Thomas.

Gurlitt—Hunting Song—Madeline Cahill.

Handel—The Harmonious Blacksmith—Catherine Perkins.

Schmoll—Spring Thought—Ellen Shank.

Widener—Adventure—Elizabeth Stant.

Crosby—Stepping Together—Minuet—Margaret Eaton.

Spaulding—Signs of Spring—Nellie Mae Price.

Muller—Spring Blossoms—Waltz—Martha Rolph.

Heinrich—Engel—Gondolier's Serenade—David Taylor.

Astemius—The Afterglow—Carolyn Coursey.

Crosby—The Spanish Serenade—Louise Richardson.

Osten—Doll's Dream and Awakening—Elizabeth Grimes.

Duet—Behr—Gaily Chanting Waltz—Ellen Shank and Catherine Perkins.

Beethoven—Adieu to the Piano—Mary Eloise Bishop.

Rolfe—Dancing Wood Nymph—Carroll Tilghman.

Streabbog—Morning Prayer—Catherine West.

Schumann—Joyous Peasant—Catherine West.

Smith—Dorothy—Helen Thomas.

Mozart—Don Juan—Minuet—Asenath Onley.

Trio—Curti—La Tipica Polka—Elizabeth Grimes, Madeline Cahill and Martha Rolph.

Merkle—Butterfly—Juliet Price.

Carlo Mora—Sunset—Martha Hinchman.

Brounoff—Minuet Rose—Marcella Kaufman.

Nevin—Valzer Gentile—Elizabeth Ringgold.

Heller—Tarentella—Ruth Connolly.

Pulton—Concert Waltz—Lillian Townsend.

Solo—Coenen—Lovely Spring—Grace Burris.

Nevin—Venetian Love Song—Henrietta Eaton.

Duet—Andre—Alpine Violet—Juliet Price and Elizabeth Ringgold.

Lack—Impromptu Mazurka—Elizabeth Eaton.

Godard—Berceuse from Jocelyn—Susie Harris.

Brahms—Rhapsody—Anna Wilson.

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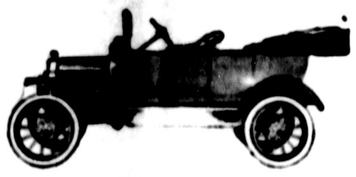

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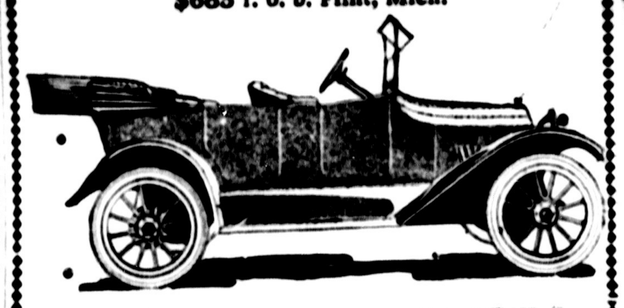

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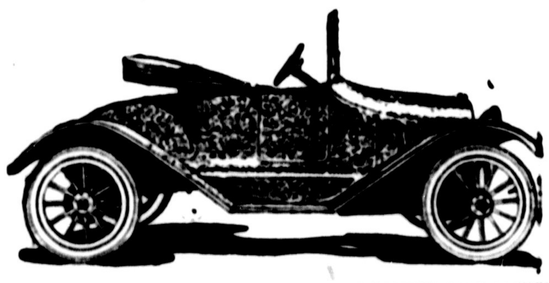

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