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ANITA STEWART SAYS—

THE NEWSBOY'S MITE.

Every day the newsboys prove themselves better than ever. Perhaps you remember about the little newsboy who started a collection for an old lady's glasses when they fell and broke in one of New York's crowded streets. Somehow that incident will always remain fresh in my memory, and now here's another little lad who has made a sacrifice.

The other morning all the papers told about a little fellow who meets the trains at one of the Hudson River towns and supplies his regular customers with their paper. There is strong competition, and one day's neglect of duties might mean a number of lost customers.

But this little lad was willing to risk losing his customers, and gladly sacrificed a day's earnings in order to devote his energies in another direction which he believed worthy.

The G. A. R. men of the surrounding country were to march the next week, and the town was unable to buy a flag to hang from the grand stand which they might march under. The residents were asked to contribute what they felt they could, and this boy was sad because he was unable to give with the rest.

Finally his patriotic little soul could stand it no longer, and for a whole day he stood at the railroad station holding a cigar box with a hole punched in the top, crying: "Won't you give something to buy the soldiers a flag? Won't you help come on now, do yer share."

Naturally nobody could resist his appeal, and by eventide he was able to take a goodly sum to the chairman of the arrangements, and on the day of the parade the old soldiers marched proudly under a beautiful "Old Glory," while a shabbily dressed little lad sat in state on the platform.

Somehow such an incident arouses shame within one that they, too, have not made some sacrifice for their country. Just think what it meant for the little chap to give up an entire day when he might have made money for himself in order to help purchase a flag for the soldiers.

Oh, friends, I think it a glorious spirit, and I believe that it represents the general spirit of our country. Three cheers for the little newsboy and may his tribe ever increase.

## Sports

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

**National League.**  
Philadelphia at Chicago, cloudy.  
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, rain.  
Boston at St. Louis, clear.  
New York at Cincinnati, rain.

**American League.**  
Chicago at New York, cloudy.  
Detroit at Boston, cloudy.  
Cleveland at New York, cloudy.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia, clear.

**Southern League.**  
Nashville at Memphis, clear.  
Chattanooga at Little Rock, clear.  
Atlanta at New Orleans, clear.  
Birmingham at Mobile, clear.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

**Yesterday's Games.**  
At Boston 11; Cleveland 4.  
At New York 5-4; Detroit 1-6.  
At Philadelphia 3; Chicago 6.  
At Washington 2; St. Louis 4.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	30	12	.714
Boston	28	12	.700
New York	22	18	.550
Cleveland	23	23	.500
Detroit	17	23	.425
St. Louis	17	24	.415
Washington	15	26	.366
Philadelphia	12	26	.316

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

**Yesterday's Games.**  
At St. Louis 3; Boston 2.  
At Cincinnati 6; New York 5.  
At Chicago-Philadelphia, rain.  
At Pittsburgh-Brooklyn, rain.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	23	13	.639
Philadelphia	22	14	.611
Chicago	21	17	.614
St. Louis	21	20	.512
Boston	14	18	.438
Cincinnati	19	25	.432
Brooklyn	13	20	.394
Pittsburg	14	26	.343

IN THE MINORS.

**Southern Association.**  
At Mobile 0; Atlanta 7.  
At New Orleans 6; Birmingham 0.  
At Memphis 4-1; Nashville 1-3.  
At Little Rock 4-2; Chattanooga 10-0.

**American Association.**  
At Louisville 4-1; Minneapolis 3-0.  
At Indianapolis 1-6; Kansas City 4-2.  
At Toledo 3-5; Milwaukee 7-5.  
At Columbus 2; St. Paul 4 (ten innings).

**South Atlantic League.**  
At Jacksonville 3; Charleston 9.  
At Augusta 4; Columbia 2.

**International League.**  
At Baltimore 4-11; Providence 6-1.  
At Newark 8; Richmond 9.  
At Buffalo-Montreal, rain.  
At Rochester-Toronto, rain.

HIS BIT.

(By Thornton W. Burgess.)

He stood at the teller's gilded gate; Feeble was he and old. His coat was worn and his trousers frayed And he shivered a bit with cold. He shivered a bit though the day was warm, For the blood in his veins was thin, And the pass-book shook in the withered hand That he slowly thrust within.

"It isn't much, but it's all I have, And it's every cent my own. I want that ye shall take it all For a share in the nation's loan. It's all I have and it's cost me dear; Got knows how I've worked for it! But I've heard the call and my answer's here; It's a way I can do my bit."

The old man fingered the parchment stiff— The bond for his hoard of gold. A pitiful sum it seemed, forsooth. As a nation's wealth is told. A light leaped up in his dim blue eyes And his threadbare shoulders squared. There was strength of pride in his very step As into the street he fared.

And who shall belittle that old man's Bit? There is none can surpass his all. He gave of the strength of his long lost youth When he answered the nation's call. And the heart of a patriot beat beneath That coat that was ill of fit. Have you of your competence done as much? Have you answered and "done your bit?"

**To Discuss War Conditions.**  
Pittsburgh, Pa., June 6.—The annual meeting of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, which has its formal opening in this city tonight and will continue in session an entire week, is to be converted into a war council for the consideration of the great social problems arising from the war. The care of the families of soldiers is one of the important subjects to be discussed. Economy of food and the maintenance of standards of living are other matters to receive attention. Still another subject to be presented, by experts will be the farm's place in sociological work.

Among the persons of prominence who are expected to participate in the conference are former President William H. Taft, Ernest C. Hoover, Sir Herbert Ames, Dr. Stewart Paton, of Princeton University, and Dr. C. E. A. Winslow, of Yale University.

NEW YORK—DAY-BY-DAY.

(Special Correspondent of The Dispatch.)

New York, June 6.—It is quite difficult for a dignified New York magistrate to keep from exploding with laughter at times—by somehow they do it. No one has ever heard of one laughing on duty. The other day a woman was arraigned in the Jefferson Market Court.

She was charged with having raised a lump upon the eye of the janitor in the building where she lived. She was particularly awed by the solemnity of the court, and giving her version of the lump development addressed the magistrate at various times as "Your Worship," "Your Honor" and "Your Majesty," with obviously the greatest of respect.

Finally the janitor, accompanied by the lump, was called to testify regarding some specific details of the case. He could not talk English and the court interpreter was employed. He listened to the janitor's tragic story and began to repeat the testimony in English as follows:

"I was in the cellar when I heard the dumb-waiter coming down—"

For a moment the woman looked at the interpreter in amazement. Then she stood right up and spoke out: "Your Majesty, listen to that guy mangle the truth. Holy mackerel, he wasn't in the cellar or anywhere near the house. I never seen that guy before in me life. There was no one in the cellar but the janitor. On the level, Your Worship, that guy's awful. He's raw."

The magistrate turned his head for a moment and coughed and then rapped for order.

A well known Broadwayite was occupying his usual position under a theatre canopy the other day when a friend sauntered up and remarked that many of his friends were enlisting and that Broadway didn't seem the same old place with all the familiar faces missing.

"Yes," said the Broadwayite, "I know three fellows who are going." "Who are they?" "Myself and the two fellows who are going to drag me."

Copeland Townsend took a popular artist—a beginner at golf—out to the links at Great Neck the other afternoon. After about an hour's play the beginner looked wrathfully at the caddie.

"Look here," he said, "I'm tired of you laughing at my game. If I hear any more of your impudence, I'll crack you over the head." "All right," replied the caddie, moving away, "but I'll bet you don't know what's the right club to do it with."

Seen around the town: Women knitting while waiting at department store counters. A Claridge house detective ousting some couch chameleons from the lobby. Howard Chandler Christy dancing the tango. Irving Berlin listening to a cafe orchestra playing one of his songs. Fatty Arbuckle trying to dance with a slim young girl. A young man in horn-rimmed glasses working as a shoemaker in the subway. A blind flower girl in front of the Metropolitan looking up at the sky and smiling. A steel man looking in the Fifth Avenue shop windows while his chauffeur followed him in a big limousine.

Andrew Carnegie can be seen on sunny afternoons sitting out in his big yard on upper Fifth Avenue. There have been many stories of his health, but those who see him declare that he seems as fit as ever. He has been greatly depressed over his peace plans but every morning he is up early and accompanied by a companion goes for his customary walk around the Central Park reservoir. His step is steady and he seems to take a lively interest in everything going on about him.

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No. 60. 8:45 A. M. Ex. Sunday	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk.	No. 91. 1:15 A. M. Ex. Sunday
No. 51. 5:30 A. M.	Florence, Columbia, Pullman Sleepers, Wilmington and Columbia open to receive passengers after 10:00 P. M.	No. 50. 12:30 A. M.
No. 64. 5:45 A. M. Ex. Sunday	Jacksonville and New Bern	No. 65. 8:15 P. M. Ex. Sunday
No. 48. 8:00 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and North. Parlor Cars Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 49. 6:05 P. M.
No. 53. 8:45 A. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Mt. Airy.	No. 52. 8:00 P. M.
No. 63. 8:05 P. M.	Jacksonville and New Bern.	No. 63. 12:50 P. M.
No. 55. 8:30 P. M.	Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and Florida points. Pullman Cars Wilmington to Augusta and Atlanta.	No. 54. 12:50 P. M.
No. 56. 8:30 P. M. Ex. Sunday	Fayetteville and intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 P. M. Ex. Sunday
No. 42. 6:45 P. M.	Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Cars to New York and Norfolk.	No. 47. 9:30 A. M.
No. 57. 7:00 P. M. Ex. Sunday	Ciadbour, Conway and stations.	No. 58. 9:35 A. M. Ex. Sunday

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