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## Opportunity Knocks

Rev. E. P. Kuhl has a matter up with the secretary of the interior that is of interest to every citizen of the county. Realising it would be the policy of the government to place as many of our returning soldiers as possible on farms, and knowing that the acreage of available farming lands was far short of the demand that will be made, he has written several letters to the secretary calling his attention to the fact of our large acreage of irrigable lands and to the further fact that they can be bought worth the money. The department has in contemplation, not only the allotting of the present vacant public lands, but it has in contemplation the draining of swamp lands and the opening of irrigation districts. These plans will take years to mature. In this valley we have thousands of acres of irrigable lands that may be made ready for occupancy and cultivation within a period of six months, in fact, all there is to do is put down a well, install the machinery and go to work. The government could purchase these lands, equip them and put the returning soldiers to work almost immediately, giving them the forty-year period in which to pay out. There are several reasons why this proposition should appeal to the government. Time, the most important factor, is almost eliminated under this plan. Productivity is unquestioned, while cheapness and perpetuity of the project are guaranteed. From the standpoint of the government and the soldier, it is the quickest and most certain proposition so far brought forward, and from a governmental standpoint, should not fail to hold allurements. It would appear that there is enough chance to bring this matter to a successful issue to warrant our people in getting in behind it and giving it a forward push. The secretary is already interested in the project to the extent that he has ordered some investigation. Why not get together on this proposition and start something. A soldier family on each forty acres of the best irrigated land on earth could not do much damage to Roosevelt county, or the Portales valley.

## Baptist Church Announcement

The ban has been lifted and we shall have all regular services at the Baptist church next Sunday. Every one owes it to himself to his neighbor and to his God to go to church. We shall have interesting and helpful services and invite you to be with us in the following meetings next Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching service at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:15 p. m., evangelistic services at 7 p. m.

LEON M. GAMBRELL, Pastor.

Roosevelt says that the American people have repudiated President Wilson and for that reason he should not attend the peace conference. The American people repudiated Roosevelt in no uncertain terms, yet Roosevelt will be an uninvited and an unwelcome guest near the scene of that conference. Some egotism, that.

## Red Cross Letter

It has been previously announced that the American Red Cross has been designated by the war department as the official welcoming body for the soldiers now being demobilized at the rate of approximately five hundred a day from each camp and cantonment in the country. This means that nearly fifty thousand men will be released from the camps each day and will be traveling to their homes.

Arrangements are being perfected by the organizations of the American Red Cross all over the country to care for the wants of these men on route, and to welcome them when they arrive at destination. The war department has made the suggestion, which will be acted upon, that the Red Cross, through its various chapters and branches, should express the appreciation of the American people to the discharged soldiers as they journey homeward. These men temporarily gave up home, friends, positions and everything to undertake the rigors and hardships of training preparatory to duty overseas on the battlefields, and it is the intention of the Red Cross through its local organization everywhere, to appoint "welcome home" committees, to meet trains carrying these men to their homes and give them such a reception as will make them feel that the American people appreciate their sacrifice.

Local chambers of commerce and other civic organizations are invited to co-operate to the utmost with the Red Cross committees, to make the reception accorded the boys a real demonstration of the appreciation felt by the American people.

The canteen workers of the Red Cross all over the country are to be prepared to distribute refreshments to the soldiers and to see that they are provided with every comfort.

Cards will be furnished for the registration of these returning soldiers, to be filled out with the man's full name, date of discharge, division, regiment, company, rank, branch of service and home address.

It is the intention, whenever sufficient notice is given to arrange a reception that will gladden the hearts of these returned soldiers and make them feel to the utmost the interest of the nation in their welfare.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greathouse arrived from Hurley, this state, last Saturday, where they have been for the past year. Mr. Greathouse will have charge of the home ranch during the coming year.

A plot has been unearthed which sought to reinstate the kaiser in power in Germany. Several high German army officers were in the plot.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Ellerd, of Plainview, Texas, were here last week visiting the parents of Mrs. Ellerd, Captain and Mrs. T. J. Molinari.

## ADVICE TO "FLU" CONVALESCENTS

### SPAIN AND ENGLAND REPORT INCREASE IN TUBERCULOSIS AFTER INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

### U. S. Public Health Service Warns Public Against Tuberculosis. One Million Cases Tuberculosis in United States—Each a Source of Danger.

Influenza Convalescents Should Have Lungs Examined—Colds Which Hang On Often Beginning of Tuberculosis. No Cause for Alarm if Tuberculosis Is Recognized Early—Patent Medicines Not to Be Trusted.

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 \* Beware tuberculosis after influenza. No need to worry if you take precautions in time.  
 \* Don't diagnose your own condition. Have your doctor examine your lungs several times at monthly intervals. Build up your strength with right living, good food and plenty of fresh air.  
 \* Don't waste money on patent medicines advertised to cure tuberculosis.  
 \* Become a fresh-air crank and enjoy life.  
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Washington, D. C. (Special).—According to a report made to the United States Public Health Service, the epidemic of influenza in Spain has already caused an increase in the prevalence and deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis. A similar association between influenza and tuberculosis was recently made by Sir Arthur Newholme, the chief medical officer of the English public health service, in his analysis of the tuberculosis death rate in England.

In order that the people of the United States may profit by the experience of other countries Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the United States Public Health Service has just issued a warning emphasizing the need of special precautions at the present time. "Experience seems to indicate," says the Surgeon General, "that persons whose resistance has been weakened by an attack of influenza are peculiarly susceptible to tuberculosis. With millions of its people recently affected with influenza this country now offers conditions favoring the spread of tuberculosis."

One Million Consumptives in the United States.

"Then you consider this a serious menace?" was asked. "In my opinion it is, though I hasten to add it is distinctly one against which the people can guard. So far as one can estimate there are at present about one million cases of tuberculosis in the United States. There is unfortunately no complete census available to show exactly the number of tuberculous persons in each state despite the fact that most of the states have made the disease reportable. In New York city, where reporting has been in force for many years, over 35,000 cases of tuberculosis are registered with the Department of Health. Those familiar with the situation believe that the addition of unrecognized and unreported cases would make the number nearer 50,000. The very careful health survey conducted during the past two years in Framingham, Mass., revealed 200 cases of tuberculosis in a population of approximately 15,000. If these proportions hold true for the United States as a whole they would indicate that about one in every hundred persons is tuberculous. Each of these constitutes a source of danger to be guarded against."

**What to Do.**  
 In his statement to the public Surgeon General Blue points out how those who have had influenza should protect themselves against tuberculosis. "All who have recovered from influenza," says the Surgeon General, "should have their lungs carefully examined by a competent physician. In fact, it is desirable to have several examinations made a month apart. Such examinations cannot be made through the clothing nor can they be carried out in two or three minutes. If the

lungs are found to be free from tuberculosis every effort should be made to keep them so. This can be done by right living, good food and plenty of fresh air."

**Danger Signs.**  
 The Surgeon General warned especially against certain danger signs, such as "decline" and "colds which hang on."

These, he explained, were often the beginning of tuberculosis. "If you do not get well promptly, if your cold seems to hang on or your health and strength decline, remember that these are often the early signs of tuberculosis. Place yourself at once under the care of a competent physician. Tuberculosis is curable in the early stages.

**Patent Medicines Dangerous in Tuberculosis.**

"Above all do not trust in the misleading statements of unscrupulous patent medicine makers. There is no specific medicine for the cure of tuberculosis. The money spent on such medicines is thrown away; it should be spent instead for good food and decent living."

**Droplet Infection Explained in Pictures.**

"The Bureau of Public Health, Treasury Department, has just issued a striking poster drawn by Berryman, the well-known Washington cartoonist. The poster exemplifies the modern method of health education. A few years ago, under similar circumstances, the health authorities would have issued an official dry but scientifically accurate bulletin teaching the role of droplet infection in the spread of respiratory diseases. The only ones who would have understood the bulletin would have been those who already knew all about the subject. The man in the street, the plain citizen and the many millions who toil for their living would have had no time and no desire to wade through the technical phraseology."



COLDS, INFLUENZA, PNEUMONIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS ARE SPREAD THIS WAY

Copies of this poster can be obtained free of charge by writing to the Surgeon General, U. S. Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.

Ladies suits at 20 per cent discount at Priddy & Foosee Co.

Hy Dennison returned Thursday from the ammunition factories at Nashville, Tennessee, where he had been working for the past three months. He says that while the company did not do just as they agreed to in all cases, he still made a hundred dollars per month, clear. He also says that U. N. Hall and Carl Adams are still there and at work. He came home for the reason that the work in his department had stopped with the close of the war and there was nothing to do. Mr. Dennison is past fifty years old and was not eligible for the army, but feels that he did his bit in helping to make the ammunition for the boys who could and did go across.

J. B. Peterson, the newly appointed county agent for Roosevelt county, arrived Thursday and has entered upon his duties. For the past two years he has been farming at Roswell.

Mrs. Temple Molinari arrived the first of the week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Williamson.

That new hat should be a John B. Stetson. Buy it at Priddy & Foosee company.

## Council Proceedings

Portales, New Mexico, Dec. 3, 1918.

The town council met in regular session and upon roll call the following were present: Mayor E. B. Hawkins, trustees S. A. Morrison, G. M. Williamson, Jack Wilcox, absent C. J. Whitcomb.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved the following claims were presented and after having been examined and audited were ordered paid as follows to wit:

- Draft First National bank \$445 06
- J. W. Cunningham freight on car oil..... 237 46
- Western Union Telegraph Co. telegrams..... 3 31
- A. F. Jones C. O. D. package..... 9 45
- Jack Norris salary..... 100 00
- Jim Reynolds salary..... 75 00
- N. M. Livingston salary..... 75 00
- J. M. McCormack salary..... 30 00
- S. A. Morrison salary..... 25 00
- W. H. Braley salary..... 25 00
- H. L. Netherton..... 100 00
- Portales Drug Co. supplies 4 75
- J. B. Sledge Hardware Co. supplies..... 23 55
- M. S. T. & T. Co. telephones..... 4 50
- Portales Lumber Co. lumber..... 71 30
- J. L. Gilliam drayage.... 5 01
- Joyce-Pault Co. supplies 16 10
- W. H. Braley premium liability insurance..... 112 84
- E. G. Sandfer drayage.. 1 25
- Portales Valley News printing..... 7 16
- Chas. Goodloe labor, supplies..... 8 00
- G. M. Sullins labor..... 5 00
- John Allison labor..... 5 00
- Alvis Garret labor..... 19 50
- George Nelson..... 8 55
- J. L. Fernandes blacksmithing..... 5 75
- Braley's Service Station supplies..... 6 25
- J. W. Hubbard broom.... 1 00
- Ed J. Neer supplies..... 1 25
- W. H. Braley premium on bond..... 5 00
- Continental Oil Co. oil... 211 15

Motion was made by Morrison seconded by Williamson that the above claims be paid, those voting aye, Morrison, Williamson and Wilcox absent and not voting Whitcomb.

The town council instructed the clerk that in every case where two parties were using water off of the town meter to charge each water user the regular minimum of \$1.50 per month.

There being no further business the council adjourned.

E. B. HAWKINS, Mayor.  
 Attest W. H. BRALEY, Clerk.

The millenium must have arrived. The Santa Fe New Mexican, Bursung, Larrazole and all the old gang now hover over the same nest. Requiescat in Pace.

Dolls, books, toys and Christmas goods of all kinds at Priddy & Foosee company.

Captain T. J. Molinari left Thursday morning for Roswell on business for the government.

About sixty-five head of shoats for sale. See Leon Jones.

New line of ladies silk waists at Priddy & Foosee company.

Electric light bulbs, all sizes, at Braley's.



# Gunner Depew

By **Albert N. Depew**

Ex-Gunner and Chief Petty Officer, U.S. Navy  
Member of the Foreign Legion of France  
Captain Gun Turret, French Battleship Cassard  
Winner of the Croix de Guerre

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## CHAPTER XVI.

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### Captured by the Moewe.

When the tugs had cast off and after a while we had dropped our pilot, I said to myself: "Now we are off, and it's the States for me—end of the line—far as we go—IF—" But the "if" did not look very big to me, though I could see it with the naked eye all right.

I got up about four o'clock the next morning, which was Sunday, December 10, 1914—a date I do not think I will ever forget.

As soon as I was dressed I went down to the fore-castle peak and from there into the paint locker, where I found some rope. Then back again on deck, and made myself a hammock, which I rigged up on the boat deck, figuring that I would have a nice sun bath, as the weather had at last turned clear.

As soon as I had the hammock strung I went down to the baker and had a nice chat with him—and stole a few hot buns, which was what I was really after—and away to the galley for breakfast. I was almost exactly amidships, sitting on an old orange box. I had not been there long when Old Chips, the ship's carpenter, stuck his head in the door and sang out, "Ship on the starboard bow." I did not pay any attention to him, because ships on the starboard bow were no novelty to me, or on the port either. Chips was not crazy about looking at her, either, for he came in and sat on another box and began scoffing. He said he thought she was a tramp and that she flew the British flag astern.

I ate all I could get hold of and went out on deck. I stepped out of the galley just in time to see the fun. The ship was just opposite us when away went our wireless and some of the boats on the starboard side, and then, boom! boom! and we heard the report of the guns. I heard the shrapnel whizzing around us just as I had many a time before. I jumped back in the galley and Chips and the cook were shaking so hard they made the pans rattle.

When the firing stopped I went up to the boat deck. I had on all of my clothing, but instead of shoes I was wearing a pair of wooden clogs. The men and boys were crazy—rushing around the deck and knocking each other down, and everybody getting in everybody else's way. We lowered our Jacob's ladders, but some of the men and boys were already in the water. Why they jumped I do not know.

Then the German raider Moewe headed right in toward us and I thought she was going to ram us, but she backed water about thirty yards away. She lowered a lifeboat and it made for the Georgic, passing our men in the water as they came and crashing them on the head with boat-hooks when they could reach them. I noticed that there were red kegs in the German boat.

When the lifeboat reached the Jacob's ladders I went over to the port side of the Georgic and then the Germans came over the side and hoisted up the kegs. The Germans were armed with bayonets and revolvers. Some of them went down into the engine room and opened the sea cocks. About this time some of the Limeys came up from the poop deck and I told them to stay where I was and that the Germans would take us over in lifeboats. Another squad of Germans hoisted eight of the dynamite kegs on their shoulders and down into No. 5 hold with them.

Mean time the Germans saw us up on the boat deck and came up after us. And over went the Limeys. But I waited and one or two more waited with me. When the Germans came up to us they had their revolvers out and were waving them around and yelling, "Gott strafe England!" and talking about "schweinhunde." Then, the first thing I knew, I was kicked off into the sea. I slipped off my trousers and coat and clogs, and, believe me, it was not a case of all dressed up and no place to go!

Then I swam hard and caught up to the Limeys who had jumped first. They were asking each other if they were downhearted and answering, "Not a bit of it, me lads," and trying to sing, "Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag," only they could not do much singing on account of the waves that slipped into their mouths every time they opened them. That was just like Limeys, though.

Some of the boys were just climbing up the Jacob's ladder on the Moewe when the old Georgic let out an awful roar and up went the deck and the hatch high in the air in splinters.

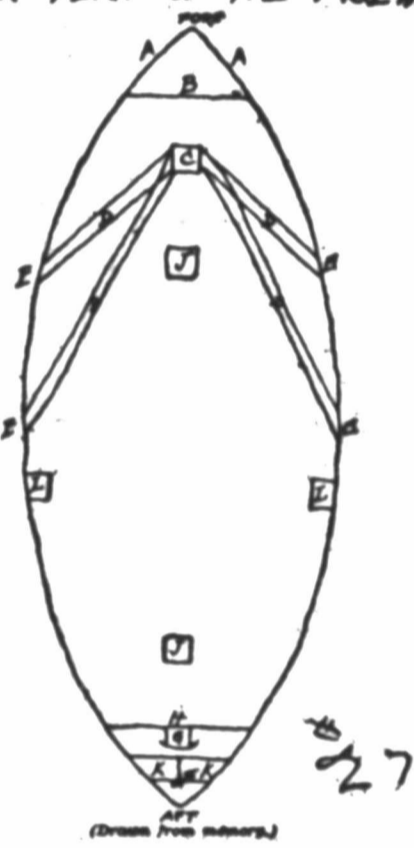
One fellow let go his hold on the ladder and went down and he never came up. The Germans were making for the Moewe in the lifeboat and we reached it just before they did. Up the ladder we went and over the side and the first thing we caught sight of was the German revolvers in our faces drilling us all into line.

The lifeboat brought back the ship's papers from the Georgic and we had roll call. They kept us up on deck in our wet underwear and it was very cold indeed. Then the first mate and the old man and one of the German officers called off the names and we found we had fifty missing.

The Boche commander had gall enough to say that he was not there to kill men but to sink all ships that were supplying the allies! He said England was trying to starve Germany, but that they would never succeed and that Germany would starve the allies very soon.

After roll call some of us asked the Germans for clothes, or at least a place to dry ourselves in, but Frits could not see us for the dust on the ocean and we just had to stand there and shiver till we shook the deck, almost. Then I went and sat down on the pipes that feed the deck winches. They had quite a head of steam in them and I was beginning to feel more comfortable when I got a good clout alongside of the head for sitting there

### DECK PLAN OF THE "MOEWE"



A—Armor plate drops, placing 6-in. guns.  
B—Fore-castle peak.  
C—Ammunition hold.  
D—Torpedo tube rails.  
E—Torpedo tubes.  
F—Poop deck.  
G—Aft wheelhouse.  
H—Deck house.  
J—Holds.  
K—Disappearing guns aft, mounted on elevator.  
L—Sea gates.

and trying to keep warm. It was a German garby and he started calling me all the various kinds of schweinhunde he could think of and he could think of a lot.

Finally they mustered us all on another part of the deck, then drilled us down into the fore-castle and read the martial law of Germany to us. At least I guess that is what it was. It might have been the "Help Wanted—Dog Catchers" column from the Berlin Lokal Taggabble for all most of us knew or cared. It shows what cards the Germans are—reading all those four-to-the-pound words to us shivering garbles, who did not give a dime a dozen whether we heard them or not. Frits is like some other hot sketches—he is funniest when he does not mean to be. Every German is a vaudeville skit when he acts natural.

There were hammocks there and we jumped into them to get warm, but the Germans came down with their revolvers and bayonets and took the hammocks away and poured water on the decks and told us to sleep there. They could not have done a worse trick than that.

Then they put locks on the portholes and told us that anyone caught fiddling with the locks would be shot at once. This was because we might sight a British or French man-of-war at any time and as the Moewe was sailing under the British flag and trying to keep out of trouble they did not want us at the ports signaling our own warships for help. If they had bucked any of the allied ships and had a fight we would have died down there like rats.

The Moewe had already captured the Voltair, Mount Temple, Cambrian Range and the King George and had the crews of these vessels between decks with us. These men told us how the Germans were treating them and it looked to me as though the eve-

ning would be spent in playing games and a pleasant time would be had by all—not.

The crew of the Mount Temple were on deck working when the raider suddenly opened fire on them. Two or three men jumped into the water and the Germans turned a gun on them while they were swimming and killed them. That was just a sample of what had happened to them.

The men now began running up and down in a line to keep warm, but I took a little run on my own hook and treated myself to as much of a once-over of the ship as I could. I do not believe the Moewe had more than a three-fourths-inch armor plate, but behind that she had three rows of pig iron, which made about a foot in thickness. There was nothing but cable strung along the deck and when I saw that I would have given anything to have had a crack at her with a 14-inch naval. And I sure wished hard enough that one of our ships would slip up on us, whether we were caught between decks or not. I went aft as far as the sentry would let me and I saw that she had three spare six-inch guns under the poop deck and two six-inch pieces mounted astern. The guns were mounted on an elevator and when the time came they ran the elevator up until the guns were on a level with the poop deck, but otherwise they were out of sight from other ships.

For our first meal they slung a big feed bag half full of ship biscuit—hardtack—to us and some dixies of tea. After this festival we began roaming up and down the deck again, because it was the only way to keep warm. I guess we looked like some of the advertisements in magazines, where they show a whole family sitting around a Christmas tree in their underwear and telling each other that Whosis Unions—the Roomy Kind—were just what they wanted from Santy. Only we did not have any Christmas tree to sit around. We must have looked funny, though, and I would have had a good laugh if I had not been so cold.

We could not go to sleep because the decks were wet, nor could we sit down with any comfort for the same reason. Besides, we thought we might buck up against a British or a French cruiser at any minute and most of us thought we would stay up and get an eye full before we started for Davy's well-known locker.

About two bells the following morning the Moewe's engines began to groan and shake her up a bit and we could hear the blades jump out of the water every once in a while and tear away. She went ahead in this way for some time and we were hoping she was trying to get away from a cruiser and some of us were pulling for the cruiser to win and others hoping the Moewe would get her heels clear and keep us from getting ours.

The Huns were running up and down the deck yelling like wild men and one of our men began to yell too. He was delirious and after he yelled a bit he jumped up and made a pass at the sentry, who shot at him but missed. The shot missed me too, but not very much. Then they dragged the delirious man up on deck and Lord knows what they did with him, because we never saw him again. But we did not hear any sound that they might have made in shooting him.

Then the Huns began shelling and they kept it up for some time.

Then they ordered us up on deck to see the ship they had been firing at and when we came up the companion way they were just bringing the other ship's skipper aboard. It was the French collier St. Theodore, hove to off the starboard side with a prize crew from the Moewe aboard and wiggling to the raider.

Then the Huns began shouting and they roused us below deck again. The place where we had been was filled with smoke, from what or why I do not know, but it was almost impossible to breathe in it. When the smoke cleared up a bit the Marathon started again, for we were still in our underwear only. One of the boys had asked Fritz for clothing and Fritz said the English had tough enough skins and they did not need clothing. Then he said: "Wait until you see what our German winters are like."

The following morning the engines began to tear away again and the guns started firing. After a while the firing stopped and the engines too, and after an hour they had the old man of the Yarrowdale aboard. She was a British ship chartered by the French and bound for Brest and Liverpool with a very valuable cargo aboard—airplanes, ammunition, food and automobiles.

When they roused us on deck again the St. Theodore was still in sight, but she had the Yarrowdale for company. Both were trailing behind us and keeping pretty close on. While we were on deck we saw the German sailors at work on the main deck making about ten rafts and when they began to place tins ofhardtack on the rafts, a tin to each, we imagined they were going to heave us over the side and let us go on the rafts. But instead they began telling us we would land in the States and then they roused us between decks again.

We had only been there a short time when some of the German officers came down and asked if any of the men would volunteer to go firing on the Yarrowdale and we almost mobbed them to take us. They began putting down the names of the men who were to go and I talked them into putting mine down too. Then I felt about five hundred pounds lighter.

Five o'clock came and by that time I had forgotten to do any worrying. We received our usual rations and most of us who had volunteered figured that we would receive clothes and shoes. In the morning an officer came down below and read out the names of those who were to go and I felt even lighter when he called mine. We were each given a life belt and mustered on deck.

The sea was pretty nasty and some of the men had narrow escapes from falling between the Moewe and the lifeboats when the swells rocked us. One man fell from the ladder and broke his neck on the gunwale of the lifeboat. They took over boat after boat to the Yarrowdale until finally we were all there. Then they mustered us on deck and warned us not to start anything, because they had a time bomb in the engine room and two on the bridge. Meantime they had brought over several boatloads ofhardtack and we threw it into No. 3 hold. This was to be our food for some time.

## CHAPTER XVII.

### Landed in Germany.

They had a coolie crew on the Yarrowdale and when they routed them on deck the coolies began to pray, and though it is nothing to laugh at I could not help but chuckle at the way some of them went about talking to their various gods. They were beginning to smell danger and were pretty nervous. Every one of the coolies had a cane and a pair of Palm Beach trousers. The Huns were loading them in the lifeboats to be taken back to the Moewe with their sea bags and one of them got too nervous and was slow about getting into the lifeboat, so the Germans shot him without saying a word.

Then the Germans called out the names of those who had volunteered to go stoking and this included me. We were drilled down the fiddle into the fire room. The fiddle is a shaft that runs from the main deck of a ship to the engine room. I looked around a bit and saw a German standing not very far from the fiddle, so I asked him if we would be given shoes. He said no. Then I asked him if we had to fire in our bare feet and he said yes—that we did not need shoes. Then he went into the engine room.

I looked at the narrow passage he went through and at the narrow passage of the fiddle to the main deck and I talked to my feet like I used to at Dixmude. I said: "Feet, do your duty." They did it and I flew up the fiddle. I never wanted to see that stake hole again.

I sneaked up to where the rest of the fellows were and the guards drilled us into No. 4 hold. There was nothing but ammunition in it. They battened the hatches down on us, which made the hold waterproof. And as that made it practically airtight the only air the 580 of us got was through the ventilators. That hold was certainly foul.

They next day some of the men had got cigarettes somewhere. In a few minutes they as well as the rest had lit up and were puffing away in great style. I divided a cigarette with another fellow. Remember, we were sitting and standing on ammunition all this time. It shows how much we cared whether school kept or not.

The Germans saw the smoke coming out of the ventilators and they were crazy with fright. A gang of them laid below and roused us out with whips.

They lined us up on deck and read us the riot act.

They drilled us down into the coal bunkers. It was simply terrible there. Coal dust to breathe and eat and sleep on.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### Two Prize Captives.

While on sentry duty one night one of the men at Camp Colt, who had been the butt of numerous company jokes, halted two of his worst tormentors as they were endeavoring to slip into camp after taps. In response to his challenge they stated that they were Kaiser Bill and Von Hindenburg. Thereupon the sentry called for the officer of the guard, reported his distinguished guests, and had the satisfaction of seeing them headed directly for the guardhouse.

## TIRED, DRAGGY WORN-OUT

Texas Lady Thus Describes Condition She Was In. Then Tells How Cardui Relieved Her.

West, Texas—Mrs. J. A. Hunter, of this place, recently made the following statement: "I have known of Cardui for years—when a girl, my mother gave it to me to stop pains...and it certainly did me a great deal of good.

After marriage I was in a run-down state of health and nervous, not at all like my usual self...so much so that I had to go to bed. I began taking Cardui...soon I was strong, able to do my work, even my washing.

I have been well since...and I can recommend Cardui and gladly do so... Whenever I over-work and feel tired, draggy, worn-out, I take a few doses of Cardui. It strengthens me, gives me an appetite, seems to strengthen my back, and I soon feel like going to work again.

I think all women should keep and use Cardui. It is splendid."

If you are suffering from any of the symptoms Mrs. Hunter mentions, try Cardui, the woman's tonic.

In use for over 40 years, Cardui has helped thousands of women.

Cardui is composed of mild, medicinal, vegetable ingredients, acknowledged by standard medical writers to be of benefit in many female disorders.

Get a bottle, today, at your druggist's.—Adv.

### Labor and War.

Figures made public by the war department recently speak eloquently concerning what labor has done for the war. Since April 1, 1917, the army of the United States has been supplied with 5,377,000 overcoats, 8,009,000 woolen coats, 10,507,000 pairs of woolen breeches and 55,958,000 pairs of woolen socks. Motor trucks to the number of 17,988 have been sent overseas, and 9,800 motor ambulances have been provided. These are merely a few items that show what it means to speed up for victory.

## STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GAS, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

When meals upset you and you belch gas, acids and undigested food. When you have lumps of indigestion pain or any distress in stomach you can get relief instantly—No waiting!



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A DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER

RAILROAD OPERATION

Comes now Mr. Hughes, one time Republican candidate for president of the United States, with a long and senseless harangue against government ownership, operation or control of American shipping facilities, and alleges that such ownership, operation or control would be but putting a premium on inefficiency. Is it possible that Mr. Hughes believes the American people are as gullible as his exhortation would indicate? The average Republican think tank is a curious conglomeration of egotism, ignorance and devious and twisted logic. When this country declared war on Germany the railroads were given their opportunity to prove by their acts that they were capable of meeting the situation. They failed ignominiously and the government was compelled to take over the operation of all shipping facilities in order to eliminate congestion, move war necessities and bring order out of chaos. It accomplished these things although it had but little help or co-operation from those who were supposed to have absorbed all the expert knowledge of the world which, in any way, related to transportation science, yet Mr. Hughes contends that having done these things, it would be impossible for the government to maintain efficiency after the close of the war. In other words, the government could deliver the goods during a world crisis but would be powerless to maintain efficiency after the crisis had passed. Mr. Hughes is either densely ignorant of the subject he has attempted to handle, or else he is deliberately attempting to mislead the public to the end that the railroad magnates may not be deprived of their graft.

THE NEW MEXICAN IS SORE

The New Mexican is sore, that is, Mr. E. Dana Johnson, managing editor is sore, and that with good reason, too. In the recent campaign he had to repudiate everything he had ever said about the old Republican gang. He has had to recant, has had to flop from that same gang's most bitter opponent to its most staunch and loyal supporter. He has had to swallow the medicine he has been prescribing for others. During one of his periods of excruciating pain he tied into this paper and the scribe thereof. For this compliment the Journal extends its sincere thanks. He might have snubbed us, you know. In this little spiel, Mr. Johnson says there is no religious issue in the state. That is true. A Republican legislature enacted a criminal libel law that makes it felony to criticize any alleged religious sect, whether that sect be a moral one or an immoral one. Whether it be civilized or barbarous, peaceful or murderous. He says that Ryther even has difficulty in representing his own opinion, yet he must admit that

he has never recanted. The Journal really feels sympathy for Mr. Jopson. It is a very trying position he is now attempting to fill. He does not believe one word of the many editorials he is now writing. He must wear the muzzle and he must smile as if he liked it. Poor old Johnson, you are in one hell of a muddle, and the more you twist and squirm the deeper in you get.

A movement has been started in Ohio to boom General Pershing for the Republican nomination for president in 1920. Up to the present time Mr. Roosevelt has not come forward with his endorsement and the probabilities are that he won't. According to the Roosevelt idea, the United States never had hut one president and that one was Mr. Roosevelt.

Senator Sherman has introduced a resolution in the senate which declares the office of president of the United States vacant immediately upon Mr. Wilson's departure for France. This is another evidence of the boasted patriotism and support of the president by Republican legislators. But they can't get away with it.

The Albuquerque Morning Journal still feels that the whole burden of reconstruction rests upon its shoulders, and has no patience with President Wilson, or congress, because of the fact that neither have been convinced of the soundness of the Journal position.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Original 011094, additional 015556, Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 21st 1918. Notice is hereby given that Leonidas Beatty, of Portales, N. M., who, on December 1st, 1913, made original homestead entry, number 011094, for southwest quarter, south half southeast quarter, section 29, east half southeast quarter section 30, and on May 17th, 1918, made additional northeast serial 015556 for north half section 30, township 1 north range 34 east N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M. on the 5th day of January 1919. Claimant names as witnesses: Lee Garrett, William H. Beck, Robert L. Wood, Samuel H. Stinnett, all of Portales, N. M. W. R. McGILL, Register.

NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. In the Matter of the Estate of) Elmer Louis Kohl, Deceased.) No. 119. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the above entitled court, the undersigned will on the 23rd day of December, 1918, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the northeast front door of the court house at Portales, New Mexico, offer for sale at public auction, the following described personal property belonging to the above named estate, one Overland touring car, one Buick touring car, and all the shop tools, equipment and accessories of the garage. Terms of sale to be cash. Dated November 21, 1918. BESSIE KOHL, Administratrix.

NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT SALE

Whereas, on the 15th day of October, 1918, in cause number 1403 pending in the district court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, wherein Rowells and Reese are plaintiffs and M. F. Hancock is defendant, the plaintiffs recovered a judgment against said defendant in the sum of \$116.11, which said judgment draws ten per cent per annum, interest from the date thereof; and also at the same recovered in said cause a decree foreclosing an attachment lien in favor of the plaintiffs and against the defendant, pursuant to a writ of attachment theretofore issued in said cause and levied upon the following described property, to wit: The northeast half of lots one and two in block numbered twenty-five in the town of Portales, New Mexico, according to the plat of said town in the office of the county clerk of said county, the said court or clerk and directing the undersigned, sheriff of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, to advertise and sell said described property upon which said attachment lien was foreclosed to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs of suit; that the amount of said judgment at the date of the sale hereinafter specified will be \$118.57, together with all costs of said action, and accruing costs of a sale. Therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree and order of sale, I, the undersigned, A. L. Gregg, sheriff of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, will on the 31st day of December, 1918, at the hour of two o'clock, p. m. of said day, sell said above described property at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, with all improvements thereon, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest and costs of suit. Witness my hand this 4th day of Dec. 1918. A. L. GREGG, Sheriff.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, on the 16th day of September, 1918, in cause No. 1383 pending in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein Advance-Rumely Thresher Company is plaintiff and Harry B. Allen and Martha M. Allen are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment upon a promissory note and a mortgage against the defendants in the sum of \$1482.01, with all costs of suit, and the plaintiff therein obtained a decree at said time foreclosing plaintiff's said mortgage given for the security of said sums and amounts upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, in township one south of range thirty-three east of the New Mexico meridian, New Mexico, said decree declaring said mortgage a first and prior lien upon said premises in favor of the plaintiff for said sums; that said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$1522.34, with costs of suit; and Whereas, the undersigned, Ben Smith, was in said decree appointed special commissioner and directed to advertise and sell said property according to law to satisfy said judgment and costs: Therefore by virtue of said judgment and decree and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 24th day of December, 1918, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m. at the northeast front door of the court house in the Town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described property at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest and costs of suit. Witness my hand this 19th day of November, 1918. BEN SMITH, Special Commissioner.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

non coal 016458 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Ft. Sumner, N. M., October 19, 1918. Notice is hereby given that Volney F. Newman, of Upton New Mexico, who, on May 17, 1918, made additional homestead No. 016458, for southeast quarter section 2, township 2 south, range 30 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, N. M., on the 7th day of December, 1918. Claimant names as witnesses: George W. Leasure, James G. A. Ford, all of Upton, N. M. W. R. McGILL, Register.

NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. Bessie Kohl, Administratrix, Plaintiff vs. Mary Jane Kohl and Helen June Kohl, Defendants. No. 1388. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the above entitled court on the 17th day of September, 1918, the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Elmer Louis Kohl, deceased, will sell the premises hereinafter described, at public auction for cash, on the 23rd day of December, 1918, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the northeast front door of the court house in Portales, New Mexico, subject to confirmation by the court. The property to be sold being described as lot number seven and a strip ten feet wide of the full length of the northwest side of lot number eight all in block number nineteen of the original town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and lot number seven and the northwest ten feet in width of the lot number eight all in block number three of the school addition to the town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, as shown by the plats thereof filed in the office of the county clerk of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. Dated November 21, 1918. BESSIE KOHL, Administratrix.

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The Battle of Argonne

MRS. E. B. HAWKINS

Through a shelterless trackless wilderness waste; The dough-boys had slashed, chewed and torn in their haste, In a blighted country, bristling with the enemies guns, And the savage, the fighting, the boast troops of the Huns, The troops who had orders not one inch to loose, Of the country that lies west of the winding Meuse. The enemy who waged for greed and fame, A warfare of honors, of carnage and shame, Who spared not the weak nor tottering age; Who laid low all the beauties of the land in their rage, But the selfrighteous faith they had worn as a hood, Tuned to sack cloth and ashes in Argonne wood. With the hissing of shrapnel, the bursting of shell, The booming of big guns, the horrors of hell, The dough boys pushed forward by day and by night, They fought not for honor, they fought for right, Warily, craftily, cunningly, like the red skins of old, They stalked their foe and moved on to their goal. The enemy planes swooped and circled over head, Like vultures that would gloat o'er the scene of the dead, But a grey curtain of foy like a funeral pall; Hid from the heavens the shame of it all, Even the watchers on Montfaucon height, Could only guess at the trend of the fight. Don't follow me boys, it's to hot here, A young captain called to his men in the rear, Even as he spoke they saw him fall, They disobeyed his last command, and followed him one and all, All the honors of that battle history will never unfold, Nor will the countless chapters of courage be told. Now that the veil of the censor is forever withdrawn And the smoke of the battle has given way to bright dawn. The ringing of bells and the roar of the guns, Have sounded the knell of the departing Huns, They can rest on their honors for the dough-boys made good, When they went over the top in Argonne wood.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

The state of New Mexico, To A. N. Halford, Elizabeth Cochran, Harrietta Ferrell, Charles Halford, Daniel Harford, Benjamin F. Halford, Sibley B. Halford, Lizzie Halford, Nannie May Halford, Eddie Halford, Pearl Billingsley, John B. Halford, Myrtle Halford, Willie May Halford, all unknown heirs at law of James B. Halford, deceased, and all other persons having any interest in the premises. Defendants, greeting. You are hereby notified that suit has been filed against you, and each of you, in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein the above named parties, and Mary J. Halford and James B. Halford, Jr. are defendants, and J. N. Halford is plaintiff said cause being numbered 1439 upon the civil docket of said court. The general objects of said action are as follows: The plaintiff, J. N. Halford, administrator of the estates of James B. Halford deceased, alleges that James B. Halford died on the twenty-second day of February, 1918, and that he, the said J. N. Halford, is the duly appointed qualified acting administrator of the partnership estate of the said deceased, that he and the deceased were partners at the time of the death of the deceased and for some time prior thereto, that he as said administrator has sold all the personal estate of said deceased belonging to said partnership, which said personal estate brought the sum of \$405.00, that the claims and accounts against said estate allowed by the probate court of said county amount to the sum of \$39.33; and that the outstanding accounts not allowed, and the expenses of administration will amount to the sum of approximately \$377.00, that said deceased, at the time of his death owned an undivided one-half interest, and title in and to the west half of section thirty-six in township six south of range thirty-five east of the New Mexico meridian, New Mexico, that said real estate is encumbered by a mortgage for the sum of \$1000.00, that the personal estate, and the proceeds thereof are wholly insufficient to pay off and discharge the debts allowed, and to be paid, against said estate, and the plaintiff prays that the court order: the interest of the deceased in and to said real estate sold for the purpose of paying off and settling of said debts against his estate, and that the partnership estate of the deceased be settled and closed, and for general relief. You are further notified that unless you, the said defendants, enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 27th day of January, 1919, the plaintiff will take judgment against you and each of you, by default, and will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. You are further notified that George L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiff and that his post office address is Portales, N. M. Witness my hand and the seal of said court on this the third day of December 1918. (seal) SETH A. MORRISON, County Clerk.

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Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose three-cent stamp for reply.

There are very few dairy barns that are arranged as well as they might be. A barn that is not properly arranged cannot be kept as clean, dry and warm as it should be.

The design illustrated below makes a barn that looks bigger than it really is. Because of the proportions of the different parts, the length and height are emphasized, and a very fine appearing barn is the result. The main section is 36 feet wide by 84½ feet long. This accommodates 38 dairy cows in two rows facing in. A wing extending out at the back 36 feet wide by 41½ feet long stables the horses. This part of the barn is entirely closed

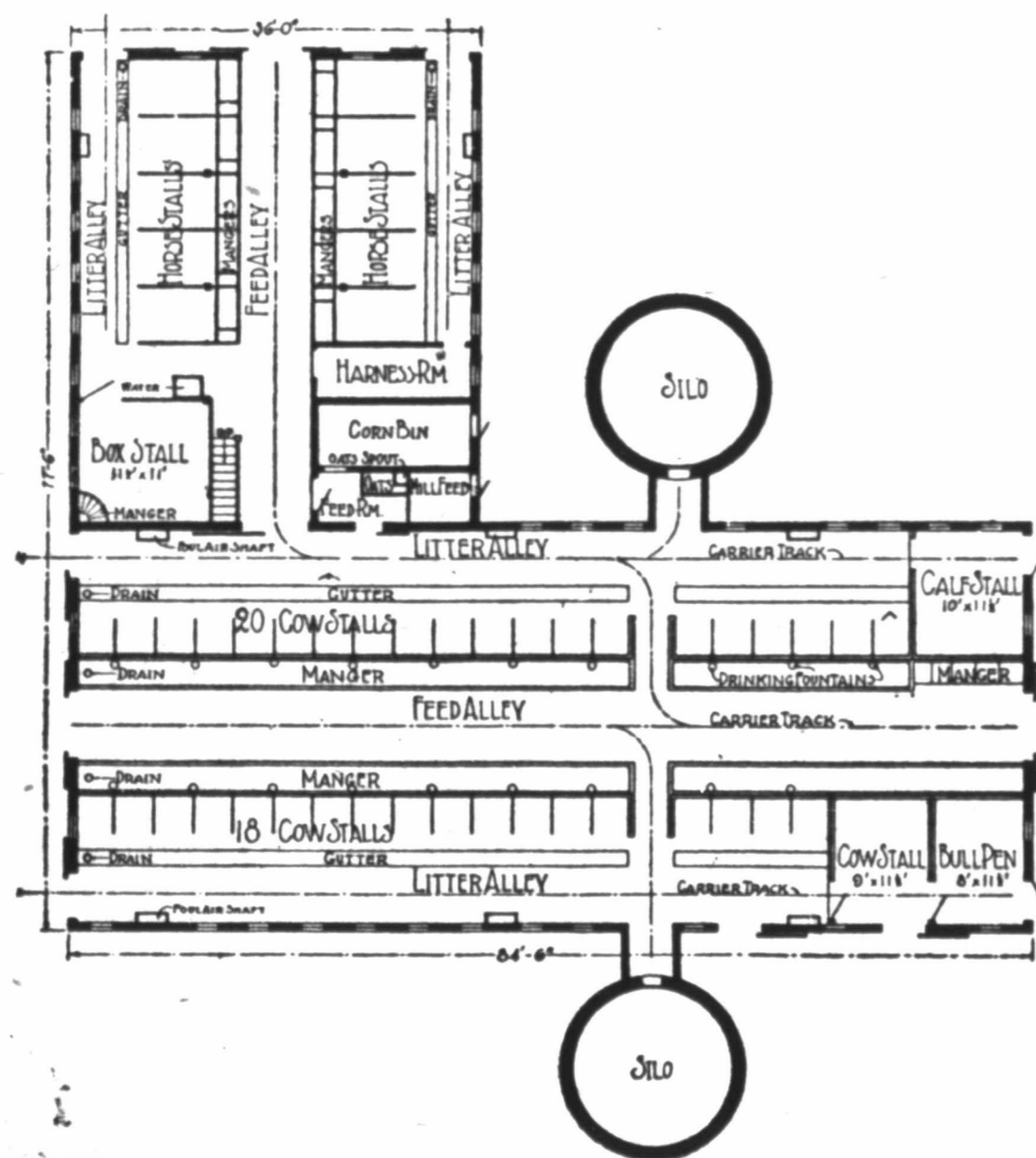


Diagram of Stable Floor of L-Shaped Dairy and Horse Barn.

off from the cow department by a tight partition and sliding doors. It is a convenience to be able to do all the work under one roof, but for sanitary reasons the horses and cows should be kept entirely separate.

If the cows are to do their best in the production of milk and butterfat their quarters must be comfortable and clean to the extent that their health will not be impaired and their product be secured in a condition perfectly fit for human consumption.

As a rule the greatest source of uncleanness comes from a leaky barn floor. There is no floor as cleanly as a cement floor and I feel that it is in no way injurious where the barn is as warm as a dairy barn should be and the stalls kept well bedded.

In building a new barn or remodeling an old one it is well to take plenty of time to arrange it as it should be. After one thinks he has it

planned just to suit his liking he should wait a year and talk with progressive dairymen and get their ideas and he will be well paid for his trouble. One of the very important things to consider in building any barn is to so arrange it as to get into it all the sunlight possible. Sunlight is the best disinfectant known to science.

It is important to study the matter of ventilation carefully and not let a carpenter put in a system of ventilation unless it is known that he thoroughly understands just how and what to do. Last winter I was in a barn that cost a great amount of money that was finished up with an elaborate system of ventilation and yet was cold and foul simply because the ventilation system was just top-side down. The ventilators were drawing out all the warm air and keeping in the cold air and noxious gases. The owner said he knew something was wrong, for his barn was always cold and foul, but he had an old, experienced carpenter to take charge of the job and thought he ought to know what to do. Now the laws of nature are not changed for an experienced or inexperienced carpenter and if one wants to build a barn and have it well ventilated he must do it along lines conforming to the working laws of nature.

Another point to be considered in building a barn is to arrange a convenient way for taking out the manure. It is now well known that the best and most economical way to handle manure is to take it directly from barn to field. For this work the most convenient way is to drive right through the barn with the manure spreader. Little carriers run on tracks or cables are an improvement over wheeling the litter out on a wheelbarrow, but one can drive through the barn and load direct in the manure spreader in one-half the time it takes to remove the litter with

## LONG COAT SUITS

Outer Garment Serves Well Over Sheer Afternoon Frocks.

Knee Length and Longer is the Rule Followed by Many of the Leading Designers.

Many of the high-grade, expensive suits now being shown for winter have coats that are so long that they may, if desired, serve as separate dressy coats over sheer afternoon frocks, especially if the color of suit and dress blend satisfactorily. Knee length and longer is the rule followed by many of the suit designers who are regarded as style authorities. Of course, these very long coats are used only with the suits made of handsome rich materials. Suits for general and sports wear are equipped with coats that average 34 to 38 inches.

The suit shown in the sketch is an example of the type that will be offered in velvet, velveteen and many of the handsome, soft pile fabrics. Fur trimming is featured. Touches of handsome, heavy embroidery add to the beauty of the garment.

Satin suits are playing an important role in the showing of winter models. Some of these are made of regular, heavyweight satin; but a fabric that is wool on one side and satin on the other is being very much featured, the wool side being often used as a trimming for the garment. That is, a suit of the fabric may have the satin side turned out, and bands of the other side trim the skirt and



Ultra Long Suit Coat for Winter.

be used for cuffs and collar. Heavy silk crepes are also much used in the development of suits.

An interesting suit of broadcloth recently seen had the coat skirt rounded at the back (it was full knee length) and trimmed with several rows of two-inch-wide velvet ribbon in contrasting color. The front of the coat was of the cutaway type.

Detachable fur cuffs, collars that may be snapped, fastened down to form shawl collars or revers or wrapped around the throat scarf style, de-

## SHAWL SCARF, NEW FEATURE

Finished With Fringe and So Arranged That It Can Be Left Off Entirely.

The narrow shoulder cape is seen on many of the newest and smartest wraps. It hangs only from the back, however, and does not come over the shoulders.

The shawl scarf, which can be thrown over one shoulder, is also a new feature. It is finished with a fringe and is so arranged that it can be left off entirely.

Some of these heavy velours and duvetyn wraps have beautiful embroidery in heavy woolen threads of contrasting color. This is not unpleasant, as such trimming is new and unusual enough to be welcome for its novelty. For instance, a dark brown coat of military cut shows trailing sprays of flowers, done in this heavy wool and outlined with black threads, to give them tone. For the most part the newest wraps are made for service and utility and have nothing frivolous about them

## CHIC HENNA DUVETYN MODEL



Very new and chic is this stunning gown. It is fashioned in henna duvetyn with touches of black satin. The fur-edged collar and the wide band on the skirt are embroidered in black.

## VELVET IS REPLACING SATIN

Only Material That Can Be Safely Worn Against Face Without Relief After Twenty.

More and more we notice velvet replacing satin. There is no fabric on earth which softens and beautifies like velvet. It is the kindest material in the world when it is placed next a woman's face and it is about the only material that is safely worn against the face without relief after one is over twenty.

One of the loveliest of velvet models is shown in black (good black velvet always looks like a million dollars). The waist has a deep V in front which extends at least nine inches below the waist. This is filled in with a Madonna blue georgette. The top of the georgette at the neck is cut square across. The V is then outlined with fur and the fur, of course, goes around the back of the neck.

The skirt is made with two tunics which open at the front. Both are outlined with this fur edge, the fur going around the bottom and then up to the waist. The sleeves are quite long over the hand, smooth-fitting and without a bit of trimming. There is not a touch of embroidery or braiding of any kind on this frock and it is quite handsome and distinctive.

## Women's Hats Luxuries.

Women's hats—called collective bonnets by ignorant lawmakers—will be classed as luxuries when they cost over \$7.50, under the proposed London luxury tax law. The deadline, above which feminine apparel ceases to be a necessity and is classed as a luxury, follows: Women's suits, \$35; dresses and gowns, \$25, coat or jacket, \$20; cotton skirt, \$4.25; blouses or bodices, \$1.85; corsets, \$6, handkerchiefs, 25 cents. Engagement rings are not to be taxed; all other jewelry becomes a luxury.

Detachable vests and panels that fold up to form muffs are special suit features.

The straight silhouette is the prevailing one.

Not so, however, are the dressy, delightful brocades and velvets. These have claimed all of the foolish, perishable, beautiful notions that the stern winter coats forego, and reveal themselves in fabrics as soft and transparent as possible, such as georgette, crepe de chine and rare velvets and brocades. Fur bands them from hem to collar.

## Collars and Collars.

Neckwear is taking many varieties of appearance, for a woman may buy a "collarless gown," but she wears with it an embroidered collar of batiste, satin or novelty crepe. There are round collars, straight-across collars, collars for square necks, and the old V-shapes, though among all these the round collar takes the leading place. And there are round collars with charming jabots attached. Also there are collars with deep backs and round or tabber fronts, and collars with high roll, and collars that lie perfectly flat. Venice and valenciennes lace, fine net with tucking used for trimming, satins and silks, all are used in the collar making.

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A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine for a few cents at any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

## Rough on Pa.

Father—What does the teacher say about your poor arithmetic work?

Willie—She says she'd rather you wouldn't help me with it.—Boston Transcript.

## Get New Kidneys!

The kidneys are the most overworked organs of the human body, and when they fail in their work of filtering out and throwing off the poisons developed in the system, things begin to happen.

One of the first warnings is pain or stiffness in the lower part of the back; highly colored urine; loss of appetite; indigestion; irritation, or even stone in the bladder. These symptoms indicate a condition that may lead to that dreaded and fatal malady, Bright's disease, for which there is said to be no cure.

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## Do Him Justice.

Nero wasn't much as an example of domesticity, but he kept the Rome fires burning.

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# STORIES of AMERICAN CITIES

## New York "Bright Lighters" Have Evolved New Fad

NEW YORK.—When New York puts the lid on at the curfew hour, the latest fad for the all-nighters is to go to a restaurant in Columbus circle for a stack of waffles or ham and eggs at 2 a. m. It is a new haven for the lovers of the fox trot and the children of the cabaret and others who are afraid to go home in the dark. John D. Rockefeller, to whom popular superstition gives ownership of a famous string of restaurants, never foresaw anything like this when he established his Foundation. Saturday night is the big night at this "draw-one" emporium, and after 2 a. m. the S. R. O. sign is out. Women in beautiful gowns and furs, escorted by dashing young officers wearing the insignia of the army and navy, girls with rich-looking opera cloaks covering what seemed at first glance to be modish bathing suits, girls in their best Sunday clothes, having an outing from the office, shop and factory; chorus girls, cabaret girls, pretty girls, slim girls, slender girls, girls with embonpoint, girls without any, girls just right, officers of the Canadian army, with here and there a French or British officer, soldiers and sailors, men of elegant leisure, pluguglies and plain men and women make up the wonderful assortment of midnight revelers, the merry-makers of the morning.

All the women smoke cigarettes. Shocking! And the Lulu Lightfoot, the Tottle Coughdrop and Beatrice Twinkletoe of the chorus are all there. They know each other and go from table to table introducing their gemmen friends; just like they used to do at Jacks in the old days. The only difference is men in the old days were handed checks for \$90 at Jacks; at their evening's entertainment it costs them 90 cents.

Remarkably Quick Ending of Love's Young Dream

DETROIT.—Brown-eyed Anna Maurer, whose winsome smile wrecked hearts along a vaudeville circuit up to last January, declared in Justice Sellers' court that Dick, her husband, had hopped right out of her heart and that, as far as love was concerned, she was "cured."

She explained the "hopping" by declaring that Dick was a "bellhop." He was before Justice Sellers on two counts. One dealing with theft of \$25 from a Hotel Pontchartrain guest's pocket, the pocket belonging to an overcoat that he was personally conducting to a tailor shop, and the other being in connection with his alleged unkind treatment of the winsome Anna. Anna smiled, sighed, smiled again, and lisped that her husband "was just perfectly horrid and she just didn't wish ever to see him again." She was with a vaudeville act when Fate stepped in at Rochester. Richard is dapper and chic and in a bellhop's uniform he must have been cuddly. Anna thought so, anyway, and when she ordered ice water Richard took away her heart as a tip. They were married a few days later. Anna went on with her show. Dick came to Detroit, where his mother conducts a restaurant, and got a job at the Pontchartrain. Anna left her show in Dayton and came to Detroit to join her husband. The trouble began, according to Anna, when he suggested that she go to work.



## And She Can't Remember Anything About Wedding

LOS ANGELES.—"Bigamist, that's what they call me now, because I contracted a marriage of which I knew nothing until it was over," said Laura Josephine Reeves, twenty-two years old, after Justice Hanby had continued the case, charging her with effecting a bigamous marriage with Lyman Alvin Barnes.

The proceedings were given a military aspect by the appearance of Barnes at the hearing in the custody of a provost guard. He is being detained by the military authorities on a charge of desertion.

"I met Mr. Barnes," said the girl, "and 24 hours later we took an automobile ride to Ontario, reaching there at midnight. We had been drinking—"

I can't stand much liquor—and I can remember nothing until the day following, when he told me I was his wife."

"I have been unfortunate with husbands," Mrs. Reeves added. I married William H. Blundell when I was only sixteen years old. He was 22 years my senior. It was anything but a happy affair. He refused to work, and I had to get out and earn the money. I did so by working in a canning factory and as a hotel waitress. My husband joined the army in order to escape being sent to the rock pile for nonsupport. I don't know where he is now.

"They may send me up for this affair, but I won't care as long as they don't take my children away from me. I have two lovely children, Henrietta, five years old, and Virginia, aged two. They have been my sole comfort, and I don't want them taken from me.

## Love's Messages Incorporated on Movie Pictures

CHICAGO.—In a "movie" theater there is an operator (the chap that looks after the machinery that projects the pictures on the screen) who is deep in love with a fair lassie of the neighborhood, and who by reason of his occupation is unable to hold hands as other folks do, any night of the week, especially on Sunday nights, when he is caged up in his little room in the gallery tighter than ever.

He has hit upon a scheme of love-making, that while not as satisfactory as the personal propinquity plan, nevertheless keeps the maiden in the case fairly contented. She comes to the show every evening (professional courtesy), takes a seat where she can get an occasional peep at her best beloved and then watches the screen. She is not interested in the pictures, as she is surfeited with them, but she watches eagerly for the various announcements about next week's bill and so on.

The lovers have arranged a code with a great variety of endearing terms in it, each of which is expressed by one or two letters. These he scratches in the corner of the lantern slide, where if noticed at all by anybody but the girl they would attract no attention whatever. But just imagine the thrill she gets when, after reading that Robert Leatherlungs will be seen on Thursday in "The Coalheaver's Revenge," she spots "X. Z." way down in the corner and gets the message, "Nobody has anything on you, kid."

It's a great little game, and when the two meet after the show for the walk home, life does not seem as dull and gray as it might be, even for a "movie" operator and his best girl.



## HOW TO USE VICK'S VAPORUB IN TREATING SPANISH INFLUENZA

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Spanish Influenza, which appeared in Spain in May, has all the appearance of grip or la grippe, which has swept over the world in numerous epidemics as far back as history runs. Hippocrates refers to an epidemic in 413 B. C. which is regarded by many to have been influenza. Every century has had its attacks. Beginning with 1831, this country has had five epidemics, the last in 1889-1890.

THE SYMPTOMS. Grippe, or influenza, as it is now called, usually begins with a chill, followed by aching, feverishness and sometimes nausea and dizziness, and a general feeling of weakness and depression. The temperature is from 100 to 104, and the fever usually lasts from three to five days. The germs attack the mucous membrane, or lining of the air passages—nose, throat and bronchial tubes; there is usually a hard cough, especially bad at night, and frequently all the appearances of a severe head cold.

THE TREATMENT. Go to bed at the first symptoms, not only for your own sake, but to avoid spreading the disease to others—take a purgative, eat plenty of nourishing food, remain perfectly quiet and don't worry. Quinine, aspirin or Dover's Powder, etc., may be administered by the physician's directions, to relieve the aching. But there is no cure of

specific for influenza—the disease must run its course. Nature herself will throw off the attack if only you keep up your strength. The chief danger lies in the complications which may arise. Influenza so weakens the bodily resistance that there is danger of pneumonia or bronchitis developing and sometimes inflammation of the middle ear, or heart affections. For these reasons, it is very important that the patient remain in bed until his strength returns—stay in bed at least two days or more after the fever has left you, or if you are over 50 or not strong, stay in bed four days or more, according to the severity of the attack.

EXTERNAL APPLICATIONS. In order to stimulate the lining of the air passages to throw off the grippe germs, to aid in loosening the phlegm and keeping the air passages open, thus making the breathing easier, Vick's VapoRub will be found effective. Hot, wet towels should be applied over the throat, chest and back between the shoulder blades to open the pores. Then Vick's should be rubbed in over the parts until the skin is red, spread on thickly and cover with two thicknesses of hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck, as the heat of the body liberates the ingredients in the form of vapors. These vapors, inhaled with each breath, carry the medication directly to the parts affected. At the same time, VapoRub is absorbed through and stimulates the skin attracting the blood to the surface and thus aids in relieving the congestion within.

HOW TO AVOID THE DISEASE. Evidence seems to prove that this is a germ disease, spread principally by human contact, chiefly through coughing, sneezing or spitting. So avoid persons having colds—which means avoiding crowds—common drinking cups, roller towels, etc. Keep up your bodily strength by plenty of exercise in the open air and good food. Above all keep free from colds, as colds irritate the lining of the air passages and render them much better breeding places for the germs.

Use Vick's VapoRub at the very first sign of a cold. For a head cold, melt a little in a spoon and inhale the vapors, or better still, use VapoRub in a benzoil steam kettle. If this is not available, use an ordinary tea-kettle. Fill half-full of boiling water, put in half a teaspoon of VapoRub from time to time—keep the kettle just slowly boiling—inhalate the steam arising. Vick's VapoRub can be had in three sizes—30c, 60c, \$1.20—at all druggists.

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Percy—Say, old boy, can you tell me why a waiter is like a billiard cue?  
Chollie—Really, old chappie, I give it up.  
Percy—Well, you get better results off both when they are well tipped.—London Sketch.

RECORD FOR FOREIGN TRADE  
New High Mark for September in Both Imports and Exports Announced at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 24.—New high records for September foreign trade in both imports and exports were announced by the department of commerce. Imports were \$262,000,000, an increase of nearly \$26,000,000 over September, 1917, and exports \$550,000,000, an increase of about \$100,000,000.

## "COFFIN GHOULS" ARRESTED

U. S. Officers Charge Undertakers With Attempting to Defraud the Government.

New York, Oct. 24.—In an investigation here of the activities of alleged "coffin ghouls" the federal authorities have caused the arrest of two undertakers on charges of attempting to defraud the government. The undertakers, it is alleged, by representing to relatives of dead soldiers that the

government coffins in which the bodies were shipped home were "cheap pine boxes," got orders for expensive caskets and then appropriated the government coffins, in some cases reselling them to the government. The pine boxes cost the government \$36 each.

U. S. Will Bring Home All Dead.  
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