

C. A. AIDS TROOPS ON ARRIVAL IN U. S.

Secretaries Serve Returning Soldiers With Candy and Cigarettes Without Cost

\$50,000 HUT IS OPENED

Just as the Y. M. C. A. secretaries accompanied draftees in their first journeys to camp they are now accompanying the same men as victorious troops to their points of demobilization.

Something of the work of the transportation bureau of the national war work council of the Y. M. C. A. is told in a report issued today.

A flying squadron of the association secretaries meets every ship upon its arrival in port, the report states. The soldiers are served, without cost, with chocolate, chewing gum, newspapers and postcards, and are accompanied by secretaries from the ship to the debarkation camp.

Since the service on troop trains were inaugurated July, 1917, 6022 troop trains, carrying a total of 3,006,600 soldiers and covering a total distance of more than 6,600,000 miles, have had on them association representatives serving the men in every possible way.

1381 Secretaries

The ocean transport service was inaugurated March 4, 1918. From that date up to April 30, 1919, a total of 1381 "Y" secretaries served on 971 different sailings. Ten hundred and twenty-nine complete or refit equipments, at a cost of \$630,574, were placed aboard these vessels for the free use of soldiers and sailors.

Until the signing of the armistice on November 11, the Young Men's Christian Association was the only organization having permanent representatives assigned to ocean transports.

One secretary lost his life in the sinking of the Otranto, while several others cheerfully took their chances with the soldiers and sailors when the Covington, President Lincoln, and other ships sank. One troop train secretary lost his life in the performance of his duties.

At the more important transfer centers, such as Chicago, Pittsburgh, Denver, and Cincinnati, the transportation bureau, in co-operation with the associations in those cities, served thousands of soldiers and sailors in transit daily.

At Hoboken, the great port of embarkation and debarkation, are six buildings, five being rented, and the sixth being the largest "Y" hut in America.

A fine up-to-date hut, costing \$50,000, was recently opened at Newport News, Va., for the use of returning soldiers. It contains virtually the same equipment as the Hoboken hut and bids fair to rival the latter in the measure of service rendered.

America troops now in Siberia were accompanied across the continent, from the Atlantic seaboard by troop train representatives and across the Pacific by transport secretaries, and recently several regiments of French soldiers en route from France to Siberia were cared for during the entire journey by representatives of the transportation bureau.

Bernstorff Won't Go to Italy Berlin, June 3.—(By A. P.)—A rumor in circulation here that Count von Bernstorff, former ambassador to the United States, is the prospective ambassador to Italy, is officially denied.

STOCK AND BOND SALESMAN—We offer a splendid opening for a reliable and energetic man looking for reputation and money. C 104, Ledger Office.

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LOST: "BEAU COUP" ONE WOOLLY PUP; 316TH MOURNS

Maybe Some One Has Effected a "Coup d'Etat"—Who Knows? Least of All Sergeant Major Moriarity

LET there be sorrow among you and let your eyes and ears be kept wide open, for "Beau Coup," the mascot and boom companion of the 316th Infantry, Seventy-ninth Division, has mysteriously disappeared.

More than two weeks ago, as the 316th Infantry was being loaded on the transport Texan at St. Nazaire, a close observer might have noticed a little shaggy black head protruding over the edge of a large bass horn.

The 316th is still in Camp Dix awaiting discharge, and the nearest description that can be given is as follows: A small black shaggy-haired dog, with long bushy ears that listen yet hear not; a short curly tail, which in its brief career has wagged many wags, and tan-colored paws.

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PHILADELPHIANS IN WAR Arrangements Being Made Today for Preparation of History

The work of compiling a complete and authentic history of the part Philadelphia soldiers took in the war will begin after a conference today between Charles Hall, representative of the Mayor, and J. Jarden Guenther, executive manager of the Philadelphia welcome home committee.

Now that the Twenty-eighth and Seventy-ninth Divisions have been discharged, we intend to compile an authentic record of the deeds of individual Philadelphia soldiers during the war.

There are between 60,000 and 70,000 of these men and we must do the work in addition to carrying out the usual welcoming trip down the river to incoming transports.

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Big Drop in Wool Consumption February consumption was 27,000,000 pounds, gross equivalent, compared to 63,700,000 in February a year ago, a decrease of over 50 per cent.

Consumption of wool during February, 1919, in classes by pounds, was: Grains, 17,773,920; secured, 6,497,697; and pulled, 1,946,441.

These Very Desirable Specially-Priced Lots for Tomorrow in the June Demonstration Sale

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Clark's O. N. T. Sewing Cotton, black and white, all numbers; regularly 50c 65c dozen, tomorrow 50c

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Women's Silk Hosiery of the \$2.00 grade; full-fashioned; lisle garter tops; reinforced heels and toes; black, white, 1.65

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Women's Vests of sheer ingrain lisle, bodice and hand tops, sizes 5 and 6 only, 65c value for 50c

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Pretty Vestees and Guimpes of organdie and net, daintily trimmed—specially priced for the JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE at, each 80c

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Black Enamel Suit Cases, well made, striped lining, shirred pockets; 18-inch size special at \$6.00; 24-inch size special at \$5.50

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Women's 2-clasp Fabric Gloves in white, gray, buck and drab; a special purchase for the JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE and marked at, pair 85c

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

Play Dresses for little folks of 2 to 6 years; made of toile du nord gingham and chambray in pink, blue, yellow and green; some are smocked and hand embroidered; low neck, short sleeves; white collar and cuffs; bloomers to match; 300 of these Dresses which would sell regularly at \$4.85 each are in the JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE \$3.50

DARLINGTON'S JUNE DEMONSTRATION SALE

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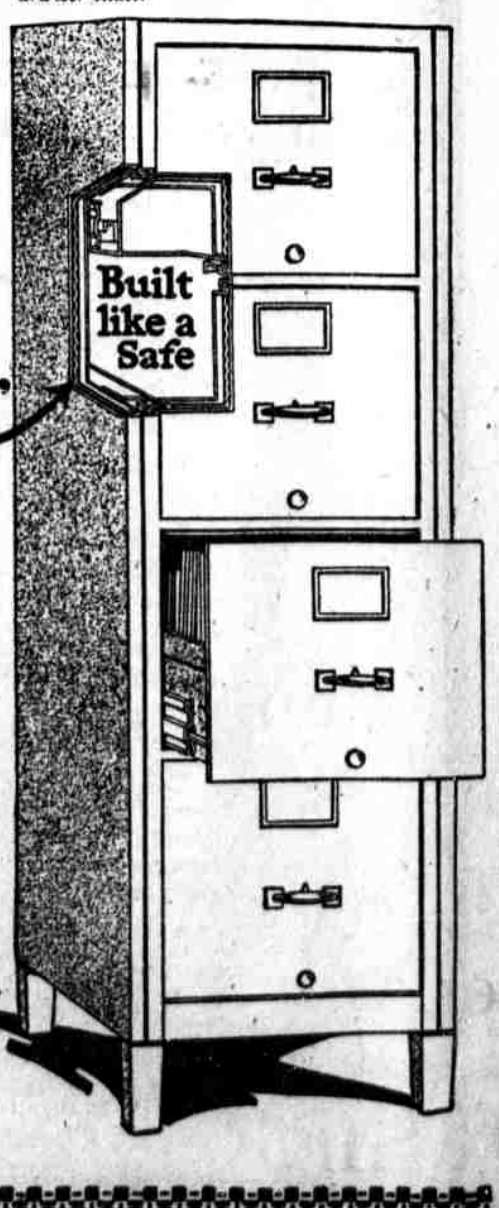
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NOW is the time to re-equip your offices. Due to abnormal conditions, we are temporarily selling "Y and E" filing cabinets, both steel and wood, at prices substantially reduced.

As this reduction has been brought about by temporary conditions only and is wholly unwarranted by the costs of production, the prices are certain to be raised to normal very soon.

Take advantage of this exceptional opportunity to re-equip your offices with files and desks that will improve appearances and give you "Y and E" efficiency in your filing.

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Several hundred House Dresses of the well-known Queen make in a multitude of various styles, some of which are illustrated here. Divided into three groups at these special prices:

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Materials are gingham, percale, voile; patterns and color effects of every wanted kind. While these garments are classed as House Dresses, you will be surprised to see how well made and good looking they are—Dresses with real style and entirely suitable for general home and vacation wear.



Store Hours 9 to 5