

Letters From the Firing Line

Harrisburg Boys Tell of Experiences

With each American detachment to land in France, are Harrisburg boys in either, the marine, army, or ambulance service.

Their experiences in camp behind the front and along the line of fire, serve more than anything else to bring full realization of the war home.

The Harrisburg Telegraph requests the parents or friends of men across the seas to send their letters in.

Today is printed a letter from B. Franklin Etter, who is in the ambulance service. He is a son of George Etter, of this city.

Somewhere in France, June 13, 1917.

Dear Family—Well, as yet I have received no mail from you, but I guess it is because no boats came. I am surely anxious to hear from you all and know what is going on in Harrisburg.

Frenchman answer you in perfect English. Paris is almost like New York, so much English is spoken. But the streets are even worse mixed up. I never say anything like it. But if you watch yourself it is easy. I get around pretty well now.

In the afternoon and evenings we usually go down town and see the various places of interest, and then to the Cafe de la Paix, which is situated on the Place de l'Opera and Boulevard Madaeleine.

Monday evening, the 11th, we got word that we were to be sent to a training camp Tuesday. So Tuesday morning we got up at 4 o'clock, packed our things in some motor trucks and left. We all, about 160, were taken down to the station in motor trucks flying American flags and with the people cheered and saluted the flag.

Countless Women find—

that when suffering from nervousness, sick headache, dizzy spells and ailments peculiar to their sex—nothing affords such prompt and welcome relief, as will follow a few doses of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

A proven women's remedy, which assists in regulating the organs, and re-establishing healthy conditions.

Nature's aid to better Health

Direction of Special Value to Women are with every box. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Stomach Bloating Tight As a Drum



"Everything I ate, no matter what, just seemed to stagnate inside of me until it decomposed and then I would throw off so much gas that my stomach would be bloated tight as a drum."

"My whole trouble was catarrh of the stomach and as soon as I started taking Tanlac it went right to the bottom of my trouble and I soon began to notice a marked improvement."

Owner of Auto Hearse Accused of Speeding. Lewisport, Pa., July 16.—Emerson Fetter, a well-known business-man and undertaker of Lewisport, who celebrated the Fourth of July in a quiet manner at his home here, has just received the biggest surprise of his life in the shape of a notification to appear before a justice of the peace at Big Run, Jefferson county, to answer charges preferred against him for driving recklessly through that town on July 4.

TREE INSPECTION NOW IN EFFECT

Department of Agriculture Is Having Nurseries Gone Over Carefully

The new State nursery inspection act, which became effective on June 1, is being put into operation by the State Department of Agriculture in the Philadelphia and other districts where the bulk of the tree establishments are located.

There are 350 commercial nurseries in Pennsylvania and it is planned by the department to have three or four inspections of each every year to insure clean stock so that purchases made in the State can be guaranteed to be free from insects or pests or diseases.

King "Globe Trotter" Visits Harrisburg on Trip East

The Rex Garage and Supply Company had a visit the past week from H. C. Bradfield, the factory advertising man for the King Motor-car Company, Detroit.

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Miss Pearl Allen, of Highspire, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Johnson, at the Seldon Inn.

Miss Lucy Grier, of the Marietta mansion, has left for Ocean Grove, New Jersey.

Miss Hesse, of Philadelphia; Miss Catherine Phillips and Samuel Phillips, of Harrisburg, are the guests of Mrs. Ellenberger at the Oaklawn.

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Visitors at Stoverdale Cottages and Bungalows

Stoverdale, Pa., July 16.—The Camp Fire Girls, of Millersburg, who have been at the Clyfrest for two weeks, left for their homes on Saturday evening.

Boy Scout Troop No. 1, of Hummelstown, has rented The Ivy and will make it their headquarters for four weeks.

Miss Nettie Hemperly and Miss Helen Keel, of Harrisburg; Chester White and daughter, Ethel, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Fisher, at the Utopia.

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STORE HOURS During July and August. Store closes 5 p. m. except Thursdays and Saturdays. Close Thursday at 12 o'clock noon — Saturdays at 9 o'clock p. m.

New Perfection Oil Cook Stoves Makes Cooking a Pleasure

There's no need to burn up your strength when you're doing your own cooking. It takes energy to cook food, but it ought to be heat energy — not human energy. Get a New Perfection—the long, blue chimney stove — it makes you mistress of your own kitchen.

1-3 Off On All Cameras

Our entire stock of Cameras marked down to effect a complete clearance of every one on hand. Come to-morrow—take your pick from any camera in our stock and pay but 2-3 of the price.

Special Sale of Women's Smart Handbags

A most interesting collection of handbags offered tomorrow at a discount of 20 per cent. Choose from pin seal—glaced and dull morocco—Indian goat in various finishes, pebble, English long grain, crepe and plain—Durbar leather in green, brown and tan—lamb in tan and green.

"NULINON"

A new fabric, in which has been attained the perfection of high-class French linen in finish and clean, round thread effect but at the price of cotton. "Nulinon"—29c a yd. It is the most desirable fabric of its class on the market for coat suits, jackets or separate skirts.

Needed Gloves For Summer 'Way Below Prevailing Prices. Women's extra heavy white silk gloves with hardly discernible imperfections — self and contrasting stitching — embroidered backs — double finger tips — sizes 5 1/2 to 8. 45c a Pair.

All Our Parasols at 1-3 Off Regular Prices. The sale begins to-morrow. Think what one-third off the price means. Though the summer season has really only begun, we are going to sell every parasol NOW.

Times Have Changed—And So Have Ideas In Retailing. Business is not confined to efforts of two seasons — Spring and Autumn — The progressive dealer must be amply prepared for other months as well.

The Price Range Was \$1.50 to \$15.00 Select Now, Taking a Third Off These Prices. The season's favored styles are here including the various Japanese effects — fancy handles as well as the short handles with cord.

The Rug Clearance Sale

We're working now to reduce our big stock of rugs. Good storekeeping demands that a new season's goods must find no old season's to compete against when they arrive. And—our rug stock is heavy; not because we haven't had a big business, but because we bought more than twice as many rugs as usual to get at the bottom of prices.