

# LETTERS FROM FRANCE

## PARIS BOMBARDED

Harrisburg Boy Tells Life at Front.

[Sergeant Albert H. Stackpole, of the U. S. Field Artillery, "Some where in France," writes the home folks in Harrisburg that he has just been selected with a few others to attend the French Artillery School for further study. Extracts from his letter are appended:]

"Dear Family:—  
"You'll have to pardon this odd-looking letter, but unfortunately, my pen has ceased to work and I can't find any pencil; also I want to get my hand back on the good old typewriter. It's me since I worked with one of them, but it's good fun and I know you won't mind."

"In the first place, then, I'll have to tell you about my good luck. Here I am right in the midst of the goal of my ambitions over here, namely, an Army Candidates' School and it surely is sick. When I came in here yesterday on my way from my first impressions were exactly as though I was entering New Haven for the first time again. Great big buildings, with a fine big field in front for riding and all that sort of thing. I'm looking forward to a wonderful spring."

"Another awfully good part of this place is the Y. M. C. A. which is situated in an old chateau which some Count has given over for use during the period of the war. Mrs. Mallon, the mother of Johnnie Mallon, who was in my class at New Haven, is in charge, which makes it very nice. She's a charming woman and has taken us right into her little family. The building is quite like a home and I'm intending to spend all the time that I can spare here."

### The First Ice Cream

"Had a most interesting experi-

### I HAD SUCH AWFUL SICK HEADACHES HE SAYS

Analac Brought Him Relief After He Had About Given Up Hope

SUFFERED A LONG TIME

"Yes, sire, I'm feeling fine these days and going strong," says Louis Jacob, a popular grocery clerk, Second and Eleanor streets, Steelton, Pa.

"I'd tried a lot of things without getting me any good, but I heard such a lot of talk around the store about Analac that I said to myself, 'Lou, let's try it.'"

"Say, it worked like magic. Just seemed to get busy right away and gave me a thorough overhauling and now I feel simply great. No aches, no pains and an appetite like a horse. Analac is sure the best."

"Analac is now being introduced here at Gorgas' Drug Store."

### Hot Water for Sick Headaches

Tells why everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it before breakfast.

Headache of any kind, is caused by auto intoxication—which means poisoning. Liver and bowel poisons called toxins, sucked into the blood, through the lymph ducts, excite the heart which in turn beats so fast that it congests in the smaller arteries and veins of the head producing violent, throbbing pain and stress, called a headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish and miserable, your meals are almost nauseous to you. Then you resort to tea, coffee, aspirin or bromides, which temporarily relieve but do not rid the blood of these irritating toxins.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate is drunk before breakfast for awhile, not only washes these poisons from your system, but cleanses the stomach and will cleanse, purify and open the entire alimentary canal. Ask your pharmacist for a quarter pound of limestone phosphate. It is expensive, harmless as sugar, and most tasteless, except for a sour twinge which is not unpleasant. If you aren't feeling your best, if your tongue is coated or you wake up with a taste, foul breath or have colds, indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sour, acid stomach, begin the phosphate hot water cure to rid your system of toxins and poisons. Results are quick and it is claimed that those who continue to flush out stomach, liver and bowels every morning never have any headache or a miserable moment.

### Sergeant Packer Spends Furlough in Penbrook

to Medicine in 4 "Years"—Internal Baths

Dr. A. Casarnecki writes Dr. Chas. A. Tyrell of New York as follows:

"I must admit that the use of the '3, 3, 3' Cascade has cured my chronic constipation from which I suffered for many years. I have never even had any kind of patent medicine since. My health is excellent in every respect."

"I am over half a million bright, keen, intelligent Americans have found that internal bathing is more essential to their health than external baths."

"I have found that used occasionally they feel like different people the next morning. No more of the bilious, tired, nervous, indigestion, having by Nature's own cleanser, aseptic warm water—removed all poisonous waste from the lower intestine, they awake thoroughly refreshed by normal sleep with all their functions acting properly, clear headed, happy and confident, eager and able for the duties of the day."

"Why not learn more about this rapidly growing and natural practice? The '3, 3, 3' Cascade' is produced by Chas. A. Tyrell, M. D., of New York, who is a specialist on internal baths, and it is now being shown and explained by Croll Keller, Druggist, 405 Market St., Harrisburg, Pa., who will give you—free on request—an interesting booklet on the subject called 'Why Man of To-day, is Only 50 Per Cent. Efficient.'"

### THAT STUBBORN COUGH OR COLD

which does not quickly yield to ordinary measures must be dealt with as dangerous. Try

### ECKMAN'S ALTERNATIVE

Taken in time, this Cajeput preparation may prevent chronic conditions involving throat and lungs. Contains an Alcohol, Nacreotic or Habit-Forming Drug.

22¢ size, new \$1.50. 51 size, new \$3.00. Price includes Postage.

All druggists.

Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

# HUN PRISONERS WONDER AT U. S. WAR STRENGTH

## Hindenburg's Traveling Circus Starts Shaping, but is Quickly Silenced

With the American Army in France, April 29.—Von Hindenburg's traveling circus army plainly got a bad case of nerves when the show was about to close, around 3 o'clock Saturday morning, for it began a heavy bombardment of the American lines on the sector northwest of Toul and continued it for an hour. Our men were all ready for him if he

started an attack, but if that was his intention he did not adhere to his plans. None of his infantry left their trenches.

This was the eighth special performance of Hindenburg's traveling circus on its American tour. There has been no cessation, by day or night, of his harrying the American lines. He shells, snipes and gasses with methodical regularity, but the American guns blaze away at him just as regularly. His snipers are mighty poor marksmen compared with our sharpshooters.

The Germans are entirely puzzled to guess what Uncle Sam has up his sleeve and to learn what is the size of our Army in France. The prisoners we have taken confirm the impression that not only the German military leaders, but the soldiers and the people know nothing as to what is happening behind the screen which hides the blow the United States is delivering.

### Prisoners Change Opinions

Among the German prisoners taken

recently was an intelligence officer. He said it is believed generally in Germany that the United States cannot place more than 100,000 men in France. The Boches have the same idea, being informed that we cannot send enough troops to have any effect in determining the war. After encountering the Americans and learning how they fight, these prisoners say, doggedly, that their officers deliberately underestimated the American fighting qualities. So thinking, they assert their disbelief in the statement that America cannot send a large force to France.

### SCHOOL BOARD WILL CONSIDER SALARIES

A special meeting of the school board will be held late this afternoon when a committee of teachers will be present to discuss the proposed salary increases which have been demanded. The report of the committee with recommendations of increases has been presented and will be acted upon this afternoon, it is expected.

big bet about American rationing." Promised Promotion From the talk of these Germans the fact stands out that the promises of victory which formerly were used to encourage them are no longer employed. Instead, they are promised promotion if they go on fighting. "We don't believe we can win the war," said a wounded prisoner brought in Saturday. "We believed so two weeks ago."

# Where Can I Find Relief From Itching, Terrifying Eczema?

This Question Is Ever on the Lips of the Afflicted.

Eczema, Tetter, Erysipelas, and other terrifying conditions of the skin, are deep-seated blood diseases, and applications of salves, lotions and washes can only afford temporary relief, without reaching the real seat of the trouble. But just because local treatment has done you no good, there is no reason to despair. You simply have not sought the proper treatment, that is within your reach.

how terrifying the irritation, no matter how unbearable the itching and burning of the skin, S. S. S. will promptly reach the seat of the trouble and forever root from the blood every trace of the disease. Just as it has for others who have suffered as you have. This grand blood remedy has been used for more than fifty years, and you have only to give it a fair trial to be restored to perfect health.

Our chief medical adviser is an authority on blood and skin disorders, and he will take pleasure in giving you such advice as your individual case may need, absolutely without cost. Write to-day, describing your case to medical department, Swift Specific Co., 434 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

## Eat More Potatoes and Save the Wheat

BELL 1901-2356 UNITED

# April 29th to May 11th Inclusive EXHIBITION

## Of the Famous Painting "Christ On Calvary"

By Franz A. Lundahl.

This is the largest and most valuable of Lundahl's many well-known paintings. It is 9x14 feet and is valued by its owners at \$135,000.00.

The faithful adherence to the description of the Crucifixion is remarkable—and the costumes, uniforms and settings are all historically correct.

Exhibited in most of the leading cities of Europe and America, it has been viewed by millions who traveled long distances to do so.

You are cordially invited to see this masterpiece while it is here.

BOWMAN'S—Fifth Floor.

## End-of-Month Offerings In Domestic Department

In these days when prices most everywhere have an upward trend, these specials in domestics should be of interest to every woman who wants her dollars to have the greatest purchasing power possible. The prices quoted, represent values that seems practically impossible to duplicate under present conditions. But considering that the merchandise was bought to an advantage some time ago, we see no reason why we should put present price increase on to our customers. So the goods are here marked on the basis of what they were bought for, and not on the market quotations of to-day.

This is staple merchandise, of the most useful kind, that a housewife scarcely ever gets too much of, therefore this is the opportune time to select from the following what you need, or may need in the near future.

Embroidered scalloped pillow cases—best quality tubing—45 inches wide—five patterns to select from, pair . . . \$1.25

Wool and cotton bed blankets in plaids and white. These are blankets used for display and are slightly soiled. Nothing to hurt the wearing quality. At the present price we could not duplicate them for to-day's market price, as they are, pair . . . \$3.50 to \$10

Bleached muslin and cambrics in useful lengths, good quality, round even thread—perfect—yard, . . . . . 20¢

Bleached sheet 81x90—made of a standard sheeting—good weight. Will wash easy and wear well—3-inch hem at top—laundered—each, . . . . . \$1.49

Unbleached sheeting—76 inches wide—smooth, even thread—will bleach easily—wear well. Limit; 10 yards to a customer, yard, . . . . . 47¢

Outing flannel—36 inches wide—light pattern—good and fleecy nap in blue and pink stripes, yard, . . . . . 22¢

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

## Heavy Silk Gloves, 50c For Women

600 Pairs—two-clasp—double finger tips, Paris point and three-row embroidered backs—in white self and white contrast. A few brown and navy.

Some have manufacturers slight imperfections, but we are sure you will find unusual values in this lot.

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor.

## Garden Necessities



Garden spades—D handles, \$1.25.  
Garden shovel, pointed blade, long handle, \$1.65.  
Spading forks, 4-prong—D handle, \$1.00.  
Garden rakes, 40c to \$1.00.  
Garden hoes, 35c.  
Hedge shears, \$1.25.  
Hedge shear, 6-inch blade for ladies' use, \$1.15.  
Garden trowels, 10c to 25c.  
Weeders, 10c to 19c.  
Pruning shears, 25c to 50c.  
Hose clamps, 5c.  
Cincher hose menders, 12c.  
Lawn sprinklers, 19c to \$2.75.  
Garden sets, 39c to 75c.  
Lawn rakes, 65c.  
Lawn rollers, \$13.50 to \$21.00.  
Window boxes, 75c to 95c.

BOWMAN'S—Basement.

# Bowman's

HARRISBURG, MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1918. FOUNDED 1871

# A Suit and Dress Sale of Great Importance

First Day's Response Indicates Greatest Sale Thus Far This Season



Those who are familiar with the Bowman methods of sales came Saturday, and profited by the reductions. If you have not availed yourself of special opportunities at the Bowman semi-annual apparel sales, you should come and inspect the values to be had at this Spring sale of Suits and Dresses.

We quote no former prices—believing you are the best judge of values, and according you the privilege of comparing sale prices advertised with original price ticket on each garment. Therefore there is no mistaking the very evident values in this reduction sale of the finest and most dependable makes of suits and dresses.

We have kept the assortment up to the height of completeness, and the styles and materials are all up to the Bowman standard of excellence, consequently you will find the following prices represent a bargain event of unusual importance.

Suppose you were told that all \$35 suits and dresses had been reduced to \$25; would that prove the values any greater than if we simply advertised the reduction prices and let you see for yourself the original prices when you may inspect the character of garments offered?

Practically the entire stock of beautiful suits and dresses is included at these new prices:

Suits, . . \$19.50, \$25, \$35, \$45  
Dresses, \$12.50, \$16.50, \$25, \$35

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor.

## Window Screens and Screen Doors

Don't wait till the flies get in the house, then purchase screens and lock them in.

Buy your screens now and keep the flies out. Our screens are adjustable, oil finished, easy sliding, covered with best quality wire.



Bring exact measurements with you as we do not exchange screens or screen doors in the following sizes, \$1.59 to \$4.75.

2 ft. 6 inches by 6 ft. 6 inches,  
2 ft. 8 inches by 6 ft. 8 inches,  
2 ft. 8 inches by 6 ft. 10 inches,  
2 ft. 8 inches by 7 ft.,  
2 ft. 10 inches by 6 ft. 10 inches,  
2 ft. 10 inches by 7 ft.,  
3 ft. by 7 ft.

Doors in the following sizes at \$2.89, these sizes are for transoms and double doors—  
2 ft. 8 inches by 7 ft. 6 inches | 2 ft. 10 inches by 8 ft.  
2 ft. 8 inches by 8 ft. | 3 ft. by 7 ft. 6 inches.  
2 ft. 10 inches by 7 ft. 6 in. | 3 ft. by 8 ft.

Pair of spring hinges, door pull, gate hook and eye, and necessary screws for 12c if purchased at same time door is purchased.

BOWMAN'S—Basement.

## Bedspreads at Prices That Represent a Big Saving

Here is an opportunity to fill up your want for Bedspreads that is unlikely to be repeated in the near future.

Prices quoted below are equivalent to wholesale prices to-day for this quality and weight of the bedspreads.

Hemmed crocheted—size 74x86, weight 2 lb. . . . \$1.50  
Hemmed crocheted—size 76x84, weight 2 1/2 lb. . . \$1.89  
Hemmed crocheted—size 80x90, weight 3 lb. 7 oz., not more than two to a customer, while they last . . \$2.50  
Hemmed crocheted—size 77x84, weight 2 1/2 lb. . . \$2.00  
Hemmed satin—size 80x90, weight 3 lb. 3 oz., \$3.50  
Hemmed satin—size 90x100, weight 4 lb. 13 oz., subject to slight mill imperfections, each . . . . . \$5.50

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

## Corsets

Featuring the well-known moderately priced Henderson corsets—fashion, comfort and service are combined with low prices in these time-tried corsets.

Henderson corsets are high in quality, made with the utmost scientific care and of selected materials, usually found in corsets of high cost. They are guaranteed by their makers. Therefore we can safely guarantee them to you.

These corsets come in a great variety of models—for stout, medium, and slight figures. Prices, . . . . . \$1.00 to \$4.00

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.