

# Last Thoughts of the World War

Many persons have asked about that, long hour on November 11, of 1918, and it is to satisfy the curiosity of these that the Telegraph is printing to-day a few lines from some of our clowns and clowns about their last minutes of the war, what they were doing, where they were doing it, and how they felt about it. Here are some of them—we'll lead off with a colonel, 'cause he's the highest ranker we've got:

**Colonel J. B. Kemper, U. S. A., Recruiting Officer.**—"One year ago to-day I was at Camp Devens, Mass., commanding the 73rd Infantry, and we had been in readiness for three days to start for the embarkation point. If I told you what I thought at the time you would not print it."

**Private Carl Wilhelm, Battery A, 12th F. A.,** said that he spent the last hour "knocking the Huns for a goal," just as I'd been doing the three months previous."

**Major Frank C. Mahan,** who had written such interesting army tales for the readers of the Telegraph, said about this day last year: "The

day the armistice was signed I was a patient in Base Hospital No. 27, Angiers, France, wondering whether I would live or die, and hoping that I would die. When I heard that hostilities had ceased, I thought: "Thank God! Those fellows out there can sleep to-night in a warm, dry place."

**Walter J. Shaffer,** French army pilot, is glad the war's over: "One year ago to-day I was barely existing on carrots and potato peeling, and I was a sour black bread in a German prison camp. Home never seemed so far away from me as it did in the days following the one I was laid down behind the German lines. Then came armistice and release and now I am flying a plane over the peaceful Susquehanna Valley."

**Richard A. Youngs,** top-kicker at the recruiting station, said: "The day the news was flashed that an armistice was signed I was in command of a labor battalion at Camp Hancock, Ga., and I was thinking that I would be able to eat my Thanksgiving dinner at home. My reverie was shattered by a wild cry from every man in my battalion: "When do we go home?"

**Corporal Charles W. Guinn,** Battery A, 113th F. A., said that he felt like opening up another bottle of Cognac. "I couldn't realize that the war was over, and I hated to stop firing. I wanted to cut one more notch in my .45 automat before the bell rang."

**Bunk Private Earl Husvar,** Battery F, 112th F. A., didn't like to quit. "At 10:30 one year ago to-day I was helping pump a 76 as fast as she could swing from recoil into battery in the general direction of the Hun on the east bank of the Meuse. Then 'C' came down and there was nothing to do but fight the mud, cooties and the homesickness blues for five months."

**Jack Koos,** a "metrolleur" private from the 304th M. G. S., said: "When cease firing was announced one year ago to-day my mind was in such a jumble I never was able to figure out just what I did think. It was plenty. One thing I do remember was 'Boy Howdy,' now I am going home with the strength of a bull. I let the old death-prayer loose for a couple of more rounds."

**Walter Williams,** of Battery A, 304th F. A., was greatly moved: "You may not believe it, but when the silence of armistice descended along the lines one year ago to-day I actually cried. I don't know why, but I did. The death-like stillness after the big guns stopped gave me a fright worse than any I had had since my first time under fire."

**Sergeant Elliott Housland,** U. S. Army Recruiting Station, said: "On November 11, last year, I had charge of a company of stevedores at Newport News, Va., loading transports for overseas. There was not a sharpshooter in the outfit, but there was not a man who was not an expert at shooting craps. I thought it was a shame that my outfit didn't get a crack at the Kaiser."

**Sergeant Phil Meredith,** 28th Division, said: "I spent the last hour where I'd been for several days; in an observation post overlooking the Helms in the Thiamont section, and the way we were dropping the stuff in the mud. I wish that 11 o'clock was a couple of days away."

**Lieutenant R. C. Jacobs, Jr.,** said: "Three days before the armistice I was trying my hair trying to put my company in shape to meet the port of embarkation inspection. It was wild, but we were set, and I was anxious to believe it, but when the my friends I had left a few months before, I'd had my crack at Jerry, so I didn't shed any tears when the armistice was signed."

**Clayton S. Squires,** sergeant of Company C, 102nd Infantry, 26th Division, was lying in Evacuation Hospital No. 8, near Verdun, within hearing of the guns. "On October 10 I bet a fellow 25 francs that the war would be over in a month and I just missed out by one day! On the morning of the 11th a heavy barrage started about 4:30, and it sounded as if both sides were shooting off all they had; it certainly was funny when everything stopped at 11 o'clock. Of course, being in bed, we couldn't celebrate much, but that night the whole place for miles was lit up with fireworks."

**Ensign Joseph Strouse,** assistant in the destroyer outfitting section of the Philadelphia Navy Yard, said he was never so disappointed as when the war stopped without giving him a chance to get over. Ensign Strouse has eight rejection slips from as many different enlistment stations, but was finally accepted in the navy. "My only going across was to go across the Elizabeth river to Norfolk," he said to-day.

**Sergeant Frank P. McGinnis,** one of the old-timers doing recruiting duty in this city, said: "To-day one year ago I was on guard at one of the largest ordnance depots in this country, Curtis Bay, Md. Upon learning that the Germans had thrown up their hands I thought: "How did they last this long against the Yanks?"

**John Hahn,** and Billy; Ralph and Edward Earp, Master Charles Hahn and Miss Helen Hahn.

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- 36-inch Satin Duchesse; \$2.50 to \$4.50 yard.
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- 40-inch Crepe de Chine; \$2.25 to \$3.95 yard.
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- 40-inch Satin Pershing; \$3.95 yard.
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- 36 and 40-inch Moire; \$2.25 to \$4.50 yard.
- 36-inch Bonnet Brocade Taffeta; \$5.50 yard.

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- 36 to 54-inch Fine Twill Serges; \$1.00 to \$4.95 yard.
- 50-inch San Toy; \$3.95 yard.
- 50-inch Priestley Serge; \$3.85 yard.
- 54-inch Ottoman; \$3.95 yard.
- 54-inch Cheviot Serge; \$3.95 yard.
- 50 and 54-inch Broadcloth; \$4.50 to \$6.00 yard.
- 54-inch Tricotine; \$5.50 and \$6.50 yard.
- 54-inch Poiret Twill; \$4.95 yard.
- 40-inch Silk and Wool Faille; \$2.50 and \$3.50 yard.

### VELVETS

- 36-inch Velour; \$2.25 yard.
- 35-inch Velutina; \$4.95 yard.
- 36-inch Velvetene; \$3.75 yard.
- 36-inch Chiffon Velvet; \$6.75 and \$8.75 yard.
- 27-inch Velutina Corduroy; \$3.00 yard.
- 20-inch Lyons Velvet; \$3.00 yard.
- 51-inch Silk Plushes; \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$17.50 yard.
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This store has built a reputation for blouse values and for dainty and charming designs, unexcelled in this section of the State. This week is an opportune time to inspect them or make selections for Christmas giving as you will not find any greater values than we offer this week.

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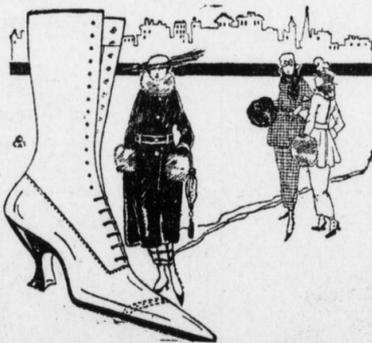
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