

# Pictures of World Events for News Readers

In This Department Our Readers in Fulton County and Elsewhere May journey Around the World With the Camera on the Trail of History Making Happenings.

## SERBIANS RETURNING HOME FROM EXILE



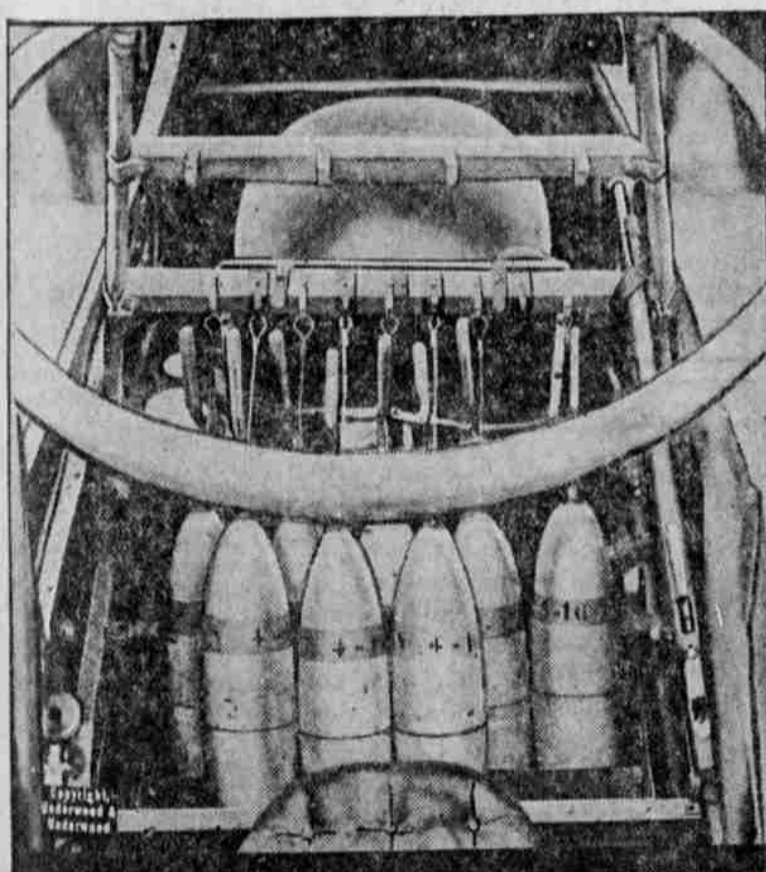
This shows Serbian refugees who, after living in exile for a year, are returning to their homes in southern Serbia. This is the territory recently won back by the victorious Serbian soldiers.

## IMPROVED CAMP OF "TOMMIES" IN SOMME REGION



English troops in their roughly constructed camps on the Somme.

## "DEATH CHAMBER" OF A WARPLANE



An unusual picture showing the "death chamber" of a French warplane loaded with shells. The shells are released from the bottom of the aeroplane through a shoot.

## RECRUITS FOR AMERICAN AMBULANCE



Twelve volunteer ambulance drivers and two orderlies sailed from New York on the French liner Lafayette for service with the American ambulance in France. The photo shows George Kenneth of Sheboygan, Wis., and Raymond James Whitney, formerly a Chicago newspaper man, whose home is in Bedford, Ind., just before their departure for the battle front.

## SERBS STILL GROW BEARDS



Beard raising among the soldiers went so far that the French general staff recently sent out an edict that in all cases the razor should be wielded freely. As a result several tons of precious whiskers came to grief, and this in spite of the fact that luxuriant growths of whiskers are supposed to denote courage. But whiskers still grow untrammelled on the faces of the Serbians and the courage that they have recently shown in trying to regain their lost country seems to prove the old theory about the effectiveness of whiskers. The photograph shows a particularly luxuriant growth upon a Serbian on the Salonki front.

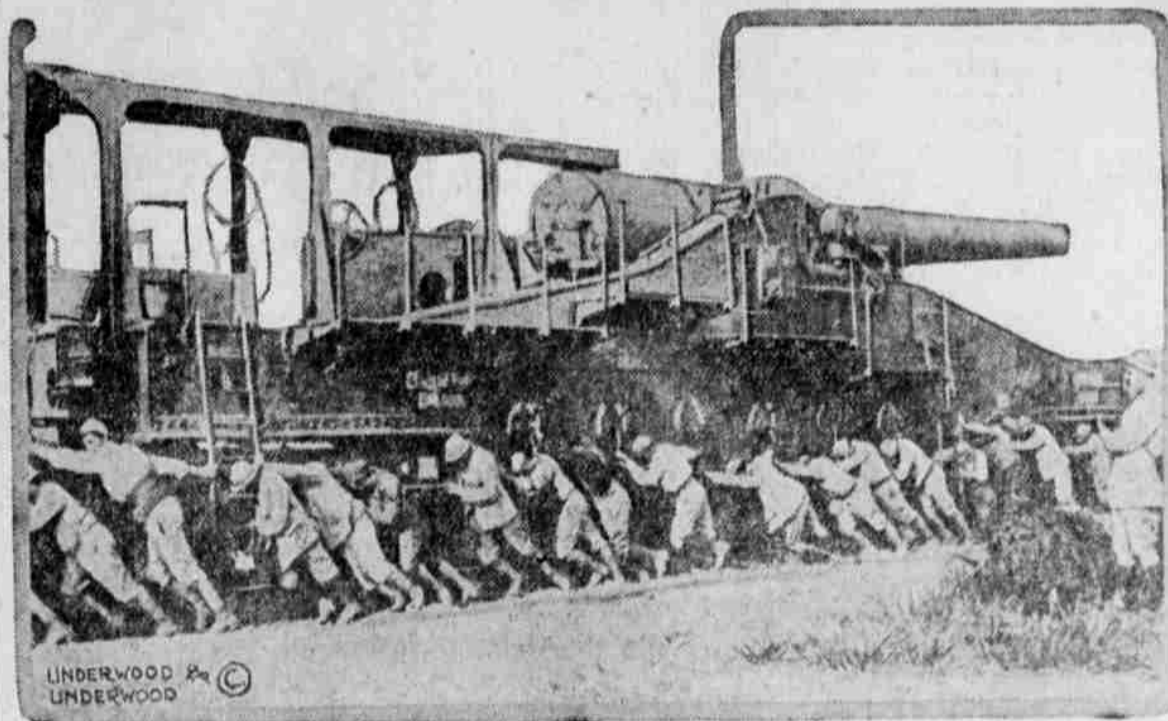
### City Directory Diverge Check.

The name of the wife in parentheses opposite the name of the husband in the city directory may be a feature of the next Toledo directory, as a means of reducing the matrimonial litigation in this country. In small cities names are run in that manner.

Having the wife's name in the directory with her husband makes it bad for the married man that tells a chance acquaintance he is single.

"I think the idea of putting the wife's name with the husband's in the directory is good," said Probate Judge O'Donnell, who sees the sad side of many matches. "I should be in favor of such a plan."—Toledo News-Bee.

## NEWEST AND BIGGEST FRENCH GUNS



This huge gun is the latest type and one of the largest guns being used by France. It is said to be superior to any other piece of ordnance now used on the battlefields of Europe by any of the warring powers. Photograph shows a small army of men moving the monster into position on the firing line.

## COMFORTS OF HOME ON THE BATTLEFIELD



This English Tommy has picked out an unusual spot, in this scene of rack and ruin, to take a snooze, but after sleeping on the hard ground he has been unable to resist the comforts of home that the fortunes of war have turned up in such an unusual manner. His snooze is liable to be broken up at any minute by the thunder of shell fire.

## "PRINCE OF PILOTS"



Nungesser of the French army aviation corps and known as the "Prince of Pilots." He has the distinction of having won all the military medals. He has been wounded many times. At the beginning of the war, Nungesser was a cavalryman. As such he was promoted for distinguished service, but refused to accept the promotion, saying that he wished to learn flying. He entered the flying corps, and within three months had taken part in 53 bombing expeditions.

### What Did He Sing?

An Indianapolis dentist, who in addition to the accomplishment of drilling molars, can sing in a fine tenor voice, has a brother-in-law who is an undertaker. When the undertaker gets up against it for vocalists to sing at funerals he asks his dentist relative to help him out. This he did recently when a bartender was to be buried. "What shall I sing?" asked the dentist.

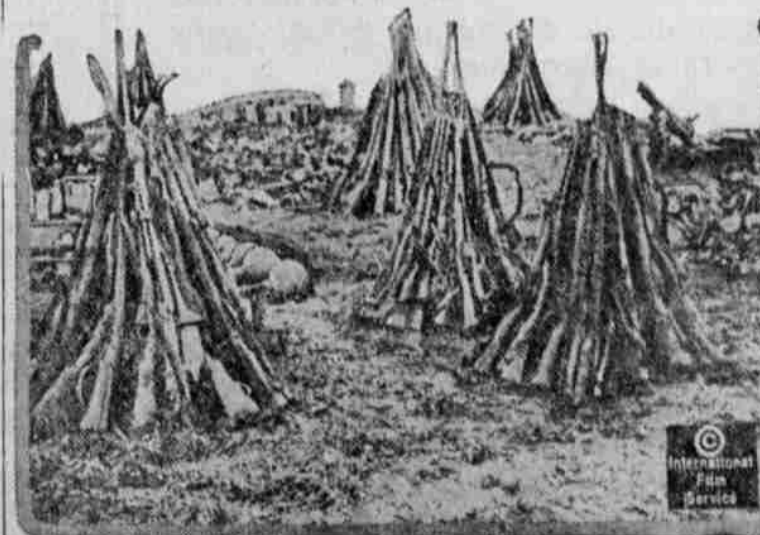
"The family says either one of two songs will do," said the undertaker. "You can have your choice between 'Crossing the Bar' and 'I've Reached the Land of Corn and Wine.'"—

## NOBILITY DOING FIELD HOSPITAL WORK



An interesting photograph of nobility doing field hospital work in France. On the left the Duchess of Sutherland at her tent hospital at Boubourg, France, installed by her after her hospital in Dunkirk was evacuated. She has lately reinstated the hospital at Dunkirk. Standing at the side of the duchess is the Count de Balbiani, chief of a section of the American ambulance, who was decorated for his work with his section during the bombardment of Dunkirk. He is now in the American aviation corps. On the right is the Viscountess Benoit d'Azay, who has done splendid work in Dunkirk during the bombardment. Her husband was the naval attaché in Washington during Roosevelt's administration.

## AFTER A BLOODY BATTLE IN FRANCE



Everyone of these mounds represents a soldier dead, wounded or captured. Most pictures of stacked guns represent them as being on the night before the battle. These guns are after the battle. They have been picked up on the bloody field in a drive on the western front.

## POSTSCRIPTS

Russellville, Ark., is enforcing Sunday laws so rigidly that even telephoning on that day is prohibited. Chinese ship eggs long distances in good condition by coating them with a paste made of sea salt, vegetable ash and water.

Pith of sunflower stalks, which is about ten times lighter than cork, is extensively used in Russian life-saving apparatus. Fuel-saving is the purpose of a recently patented ring to be placed around the burner of a gas or oil stove to protect its flame from drafts and concentrate its heat.

## HE SAW THE LIGHT

STORY ABOUT JIM WILLET'S WIFE "GOT" MR. HYNÉ.

His Friend Peaslee Had to Ask Him Twice, but Then He Wanted to Be Sure He Got the Right Opinion.

Mr. Peaslee, lately returned from a visit to the city, proudly displayed a new cane, brave with hammered silver.

"How does that piece of wood look 't' ye, Hyné?" he demanded happily. "And them silver dewdads, too!" Mr. Hyné glanced at the stick sideways but offered no audible comment.

"My nephew gin it to me," Mr. Peaslee went on complacently. "He fetched home two of 'em one night, and he says to me, 'There they be, 's'he; take ary one you're a-mind to.'"

"Huh!" grunted the deacon. "Mr. Peaslee glanced at his friend, and presently a smile of understanding spread over his face.

"You kinder remind me, Hyné," he begun, "of Jim Willett's wife when he bought her a new settin' room carpet."

The deacon looked up, clearly suspicious of what was coming. "I don't know Jim Willett, nor his wife, either," he observed.

"Wal," Caleb replied cheerfully, "you'll know suthin' 'bout 'em in a minute if you'll quit fidgetin' and listen. Jim and his wife lived over on the Spruce Knoll road, but he moved away before you come to town to live. Fr'm the time Jim married her she never was suited with the place where they happened to be livin', and she kep' him movin' fr'm one place to another."

"She was the naggin' kind, and her face and temper was both as thin as a case knife. If she ever had a good word to say for Jim, I never heard her say it. I never knew her to agree with him nor allow that his judgment was wuth anything."

"This time Jim had been to the city with a load of truck, and suthin' put it into his head to buy a new settin'-room carpet. His wife'd been more crabbed'n common lately, and he jealoused if he didn't fetch her suthin' from the city she might be even wuss. "So when he got home, after he'd put up his horse, he took the roll of carpet under his arm and went into the house with it. Mrs. Willett was in the settin' room, and one of the neighbors with her. She sort of sniffed when Jim come in:

"'What've you got in that great bundle?' said she.

"So Jim unrolled the carpet and spread it out, and fr'm what the neighbor told me afterward it was a handsome piece of weavin'. The neighbor woman went to carryin' on 'bout how pretty it was, and all that; but Mrs. Willett never made a yip, with her mouth drawn down at the corners and trottin' her foot a little. She must have neded, I sh'd judge," said Mr. Peaslee slyly, "a good deal as you did when I was a-showin' you my cane a spell back" and Mr. Hyné grinned wryly.

"Wal, anyway," Caleb went on, "Jim saw she wasn't goin' to speak, so he made the mistake of sayin' suthin' himself.

"There was two of them carpets for the same price," he says, shiftn' from one foot to the other, tryin' to make things pass off pleasant, "but this one seemed the better one to me, so I took it."

"Wal, that was 'nough for Mrs. Willett, and she turned on him with her eyes fairly snappin'."

"Do you mean to stand there and tell me, you witless critter," she snapped out, "that you had a chance to choose betwixt them two carpets and then went and fetched home this thing, when you orter know I'd liked the other one twice as well? There, she says, turnin' to the neighbor woman, 'now you c'n see some of the things I have to put up with fr'm that man. No more judgment than a child!' And the neighbor had hard work to keep fr'm laughin' right in her face."

"Now, Hyné," concluded Mr. Peaslee, "I'm goin' to ask you again what you think of my cane."

The deacon flushed consciously. "I guess you picked the handsomest one, Caleb," he said. "I shouldn't say there was a mite of doubt 'bout it!"—Youth's Companion.

### New Idea in Film Production.

A new idea in exposure meters as a means for accurately judging the actinic value of the light at the time of making a picture, and thereby arriving at the correct length of exposure to be given the sensitive film, has been recently introduced by an American film manufacturer, according to the Scientific American. The improvement relates particularly to those cameras which carry a roll film. As these films are now made they are backed with a sheet of black or red paper for the purpose of protecting them from the light, and they have imprinted upon them numbers which appear under a tiny opening in the back of the camera and serve as a guide to the operator in properly spacing the exposures on the film. The new scheme, in addition, contemplates attaching to the backing paper, pieces of sensitized paper at regular intervals which pass along under another opening, and by observing the change which takes place in the color of these pieces as they are exposed under the opening, the operator is enabled to arrive at the length of time the shutter is to be opened in making the exposure for the desired picture.

### Dominican Republic.

The Dominican Republic has an area of about 29,000 square miles and is larger than Belgium, the Netherlands, Denmark, Switzerland, or Turkey in Europe, or than the combined areas of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Delaware, and Rhode Island. The population is estimated at about 700,000, which is about 35 people a square mile, while Haiti, its neighbor on the west, has about 200 square miles and Porto Rico has more than 300. Most of the fertile land of the country is still virgin.