

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Gets His First Wound Stripe As a British Soldier

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**Wound Stripes!**  
A WOUND STRIPE IS A GOLD BAR WORN ON THE LEFT SLEEVE OF THE BRITISH ARMY WHO HAVE BEEN WOUNDED WHILE IN ACTIVE SERVICE... IT IS NOT AN UNCOMMON SIGHT TO SEE TWO AND EVEN THREE WOUND STRIPES ON THE SLEEVES OF SOME BRITISH SOLDIERS.

**Looking Backward In State Journal Society Column**  
TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford and their son, Roy Crawford, Jr., returned the first of the week from a trip thru the east and into Canada. They were gone three weeks. One of the most noticeable things of interest, according to Mrs. Crawford, was the large number of soldiers who have returned to this country and Canada to recover from their wounds. The streets in New York are full of soldiers, French, English, Italian, Canadian and American, who have come over here either to recuperate or because they have lost limbs and are of no more use over there. There is a large hospital in Toronto where the soldiers are reconstructed and this always crowded, and the Toronto women have given up their elegant homes to be used as homes for these soldiers.

Miss Jean Frost and Mr. Earl Case entertained some of their friends at a very pleasant lawn party, Monday evening, at their home. The streets in New York are full of soldiers, French, English, Italian, Canadian and American, who have come over here either to recuperate or because they have lost limbs and are of no more use over there. There is a large hospital in Toronto where the soldiers are reconstructed and this always crowded, and the Toronto women have given up their elegant homes to be used as homes for these soldiers.

**THIN PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE**  
Nothing Like Plain Bifro-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, it is not surprising to find that there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness. Thinness and weakness are usually due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Phosphate is the only thing that will supply this deficiency, as well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bifro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bifro-phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing. This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy which are usually the result of excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. CAUTION—Although bifro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

and who landed here on a liner today. Skirts will also be tighter. Mrs. Braeker declared, in conformity with the war, that it is necessary to conserve cloth. In order to save dyes, restrictions are to be made in colorings to greens, browns, navy blues and taupes.

Miss Gertrude Ferg of Lawrence has been appointed to the position of city bacteriologist to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Miss Annetta Nicolli. Miss Ferg has been a student in Kansas university for several years and is a member of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority. She arrived in Topeka yesterday.

Word has been received that Sergt. Walter B. Slagel, a former Washburn student, has arrived safely overseas. He is with the 108 aero squadron. A word to the wise is expressed in "The Stars and Stripes." It says, "Don't go hunting souvenirs for Susie when you next go out front. If you do you are more than likely to deprive Susie of the only souvenir she really wants to have you bring back from the war—namely, yourself."

The entertainment which was to have been given by the children of the dance and play, "Sleeping Beauty," are Madeline Stewart, Patricia Stewart, Betty Freeman, Mary Schriener, Helen Finger, Marcella Gotschberg, Agnes Crab, Constance Ness, Nellie Chamberlain, Mollie Harris, Unice Orr, Josephine Ingerham, Maureen Fessenden, Evelyn Ingerham, Agnes Smith, Louise Freeman, Edith Supple, Herbert Langner, Harry Esten, Jack Boyd, Ray Watson, Harry Allison, Roger Tinn, William Pattison, Charles Crab, Fred Freeman, George Huglum.

**THERE'S A WOMAN IN OUR TOWN**  
Who is a bride of a few weeks. She made her first pie a short time ago. It was so wonderful a success that she is afraid to try again. And now she can put off her second effort indefinitely on account of the shortage of pie materials and her newly acquired husband will think that she always makes apple pies just like that.

Mr. F. P. Elmore, of 1402 West Tenth, entertained with a luncheon yesterday in compliment to Mrs. Edith Lacey, of Kansas City. Covers were laid for Mrs. Lacey, Mrs. Hattie Dudley, Mrs. Ed Holman, Mrs. W. M. Van Ness, Miss Lou Holman and Miss Clara Holman. Mrs. Lacey is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Hattie Dudley, in Morris avenue.

**Notes and Personal Mention.**  
Mr. Theodore Snattenger of Minneapolis, Minn., will arrive tomorrow to visit his daughter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Jones.

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**DRESS**  
By Anne Rittenhouse  
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There is a Tendency Toward Black and White Open-Air Costumes That Do Not Suggest Mourning, But a New Sport Fashion Adopted Even by Young People.

New York—There is nothing unusual about black and white. It never presents the seductive allure of novelty. It is as old as time. It is a purely artificial combination in which the repetition of nature plays no part, and it must have been invented, originally, by one who was as daring in his artistic methods as the futurist of the present epoch.



**THE HOUSEHOLD**  
Edited by ANNE RITTENHOUSE

Cultivating the Dim Light. Making a virtue of necessity, we are told, is something for which the American woman has a real knack. When wool was scarce and copiousness of all sorts of dress goods was desirable, we made the best of the situation by assuming the narrow skirts and narrow bodices and long, heavy coats and liningless frocks were quite the best fashion. To be sure, Paris was in vogue next winter, there were no women anywhere who got the swing of the new cast fashions sooner than did the Americans.

**STATE W. S. S. RECORD**  
More Than 7 Millions of 36 Million Quota Purchased.

To date Kansas has bought \$7,420,305 worth of the \$36,000,000 state war savings stamp quota, according to the official figures released today by P. W. Goebel, of Kansas City, state director of the war savings stamp sale. The seven million dollar figure does not include the millions of dollars in pledges redeemable on the monthly installment plan.

**FOOD RIOT IN JAPAN**  
People Resist Protesting in Rice—Price Has Doubled Twice.

Tokyo, Aug. 15.—Ten policemen have been wounded by a mob of many soldiers injured in a riot at Nagoya over the high cost of rice. Fifty persons have been arrested at Nagoya and 30 men and women at Osaka.

**Vick's VapoRub**  
Notice to Druggists Price Advance

For our fiscal year ending July 1, 1918, our sales amounted to over a million dollars—an increase of 55% over the preceding year. We had hoped to bridge the war period without a change in prices on but we find that our economies do not keep pace with our rising costs. It is with sincere regret, therefore, that we are forced to announce an increase, effective August 1, which will make it necessary to retail VapoRub at 30c, 60c and \$1.20.

dim lights. By all means get the best fixtures and burners, so that what light you have will go as far as possible. But also use shades so skillfully that the idea that you are stretching your lights will not be given. Use soft shades to make an attractive dim effect. There is something suggestive of orphan asylums and Siberian prisons about a single unshaded light that glares out in a room, casting its rays as far as possible. It is hideously dim and gloomy. Yet the same light, when softened by an attractive shade and perhaps there, by deprived of some of its lighting power, appears really charming. It suggests long, leisurely conversations in the firelight glow, reposefulness, intimacy, domesticity.

**BIG DRIVE STARTS NOV. 11**  
Several War Service Organizations in Plea for \$133,500,000.

The union war drive for funds to the amount of \$133,500,000 will be begun November 11, by the Young Women's Christian Association, the Y. M. C. A., the War Camp Community service and the American Library association. Representatives of the four organizations meeting in New York Thursday night, have made that announcement. The Y. M. C. A. is to receive \$100,000,000 of the amount; the Y. W. C. A. \$15,000,000; the War Camp Community service \$15,000,000, and the Library association \$3,500,000. The Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare league and the Salvation Army, the only other three war relief organizations recognized by the army, are asked to join in a similar campaign to be launched in January, 1919.

**FOUND ROOSEVELT GRAVE**  
Lieut. John Wentworth of Chicago Believed to Have Been Discoverer.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—A Chicagoan, Lieut. John Wentworth is believed to have found Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt's grave near Chaumery wood in France. A letter to Wentworth's mother carried the information that the grave had been located by "a Lieutenant Wentworth." Wentworth is an aviator.

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