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CUTFITTERS TO MEN WOMEN & CHILDREN

29mmmmmmmmmmmmmm<u>/</u> LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK

By LEE PAPE Zananananananananananananana

Some man was standing on the cor ner yestidday aftirnoon giving out little sampil bottles of colone to whoever went past, so I went past and he gave me one, being sutch good colone yould could smell it all the way throo the cork, and I went erround the block and came back and went past him agen with my cap pulled away down for a discrete, and he handed me an-other bottle, and I went erround the block agen and started to go past him with my cap on backwer's, and the

man sed, Wat, you still, agen? Meening he had saw throo my disgize the ferst time, and he wouldent give me env more, and I went home with the 2 bottles of colone, thinking, G. I know, Ill put some on me and go round and let Mary Watkins smell

And I took the cork out of one bottle and sprinkled all the colone on my hair and clothes, not being mutch of it but smelling as if there was a lot more, me thinking, Maybe I better put the other bottle on for good mezzure.

Wich I did and I went erround to Mary Watkinses house and Mary Watkins was setting on the frunt steps, and I sat down alongside of her without saying enything about the colone, and she dident say enything and I sat closer on account of thinking maybe it dident reetch that far, and she kepp on not saying enything, so I sat still closer, and she sed. Wy dont you push me off the

steps wile youre about it?

Me not saying enything, and after a wile I sed. Do you smell enything?
Serteny, do you think Im deff? sed
Biary Watkins. Meening nobody
couldent help smelling it, and I sed,
Its colone, did you smell it all the

Yes, but I dident know wat it was, and I dident say enything because I dident wunt to hurt your feelings, sed Mary Watkins, and I sed, Its colone,

t was gave to me.

Well you dident haff to take it, did you? sed Mary Watkins. And she kepp on moving ferther away without kepp on moving ferther away without saying wy, and pritty soon I got up, saying, Well, I gess I got to go home now. Her not telling me not to, and I did and had to eat suppir in the back yard and hang my clothes up on the clethes line all nite and sive my

Old Blue Wool Velour

trimmed with fancy but-

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hair a bath, and now you cant smell

it unless you come rite up to about 2

BRIEF NEWS NOTES

Fifty thousand jobs in Pennsylvania are available for wounded soldiers.

An attempt was made at Kursk to assassinate Trotzky. A soldier fired a etc., at all times. two shots at him.

Women students will be entered in the law course of Fordham College, of New York, this fall,

J. Butler Wright, of New York, was selected as counsellor of the American Embassy at London.

Tax on tobacco was doubled by the House Ways and Means Committee in preparing the Revenue bill.

Ex-State Senator Everett Colby, of New Jersey, joined the Tank Corps and will leave Oct. 1 for Gettysburg.

Twelve aviators were killed in airplane accidents throughout the country during the week ended Sept. 14.

Itched and Burned So Could Not Sleep. Cuticura Healed.

"An awful eczema broke out from the crown of my head to my shoulders. It broke out in blisters that were sore and red, and my head seemed to be one big eruption. I could not sleep it itched and burned so. My clothing instants are my

ti tiched and burned so. My clothing irritated my neck, and I was disfigured.
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APPEALS TO TO REGISTER

Need of Bridgeport Factories to Increase Output

LABOR SHORTAGE IS NOW 10,000 EMPLOYES

Not to Take Places of Men But to Increase Munitions Necessary for Victory.

To the Women of Bridgeport: The United States officials and the nanufacturers of Bridgeport, after canvassing the local situation thoroughly, have reached the conclusion that there is a shortage of labor in our factories of at least 10,000 hands. Since 80 per cent. or four-fifths of all of the production of all of our factores relates to munitions, the output of our factories is absolutely essential Navy with that constant stream of have marvelled at the capacity, the supplies and equipment upon which supplies and equipment upon which our success in this war depends. Our the unflagging enthusiasm of our government proposes in 1919 to have an army in the field of 4,800,000 men. That will take from two to three times Bridgeport who are unemployed and the number of men we already have in the Army. That means that the manpower of Bridgeport will diminish by as much as the new drafts take. With the increased Army our country will need greatly equipments and supplies, and Bridgeport must increase her output greatly. We shall need probably from 20,000 to 30,000 additional hands in our fac- be kept going. We cannot supply these in man power of the country for the ing in unessential industries will help drain of men in every section is about just as much by going in essential inengaged in whole time work, most of pay the stupendous cost of this war which is essential to the war.

In three years 621,000 women were added to the payrolls of England's

munition factories. in which these women have come for- which cannot be filled by men

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has been superior to that of men."

this war. Had the women of England and France not taken up this work for them. Women of Bridgeport will which the men had left when they you do it? went to the front the war would have War Bureau Points Out ended long before America entered women are ready to work and what

United States where the men and taken on Tuesday next.

great conflict down at bottom was to in part and report this to us. decide whether justice and mercy and shall consider such conduct disloyal. love should still rule in this world. The women of the country and especially in Bridgeport have done wonderful work in all sorts of war activities. Those of us who have been so fortunate as to be in a place

women. I have no doubt the women of who can, will go in our industries and

do their best. And I have no doubt that thousands of our women who can give

any very appreciable degree from the frequently occur that a woman by go-We must get this help from dustries. She may thus release other Those who are unem- labor to go in direct munition work active duty pay and will be enrolled ployed must join that great army of or a man to go to the colors. All of in the naval force as apprentice sea-patriotic women who all over the our industries must be kept working men. The students must make their country are going to work largely in to the limit of the demand, for in own arrangements with the institucountry calls them. The women of kept prosperous and hence contented, and tuition, as under the agreement England and France heard the call and as our communities and all other between the war and navy departand they rushed to the colors. It is communities of the country are prosestimated that fully 6,000 000 women perous those who prosper can and in the kingdom of Great Britain are will support the government and help

to us. One other things should be noted. The purpose of securing women help in munition making and in non-One of the eminent publicists of essential industries is not to displace England only recently said. "The spirit men but to supply the vacant place ward to take the place of men is be-yond praise. They have been a steady- places are abroad, fighting our batng influence in trade disputes. They tles. General March says we have have shown the utmost courage in one and three-quarters million of men moments of danger or panic, Many of abroad. They heartened the French

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In order to know just how many What the women of England and perience in, a census or registration France did our women will do. I of all the women in Bridgeport, be-believe there are few places in the

women are more ardent in their pa-triotism than in Bridgeport. Our the Minute Women of Bridgeport women see that German ascendency One or more of these women will call would place the women of the world upon you and secure your answer to where she was generations ago, and a few simple questions and your anthe tales of German atractities and their unspeakable acts of cruelty have the shall expect every woman to assist the Minute West and their unspeakable acts of cruelty have awakened our women to the fighting on her, by answering freely and The women of our country and in-deed the men of this generation never questions have been approved by the Government officials and by us. before knew the meaning of patriotism and love of country. It has come over them in these late days keep a record of all women who with overwhelming force that this either refuse to answer or answer only

> The Bridgeport War Bureau, By Gorge W. Wheeler, Chairman, Executive Committee.

STUDENTS MAY NAVAL UNITS

Washington, Sept. 23-Naval units three or four hours a day will go in or naval sections of the student army our industries and give part time.

Many of our factories can arrange at universities and colleges in thirtytraining corps are to be established for these part time women and in this seven states and the District of Co-way the wheels of our industries will lumbia. In announcing them the In announcing them the navy department said students sub-It must be understood that it will ject to draft may enroll in the naval units or sections by applying, before

Students admitted will be allowed

them are doing either exceedingly and British troops and our victories any contracts with the schools as the

Naval sections of the student army training corps.

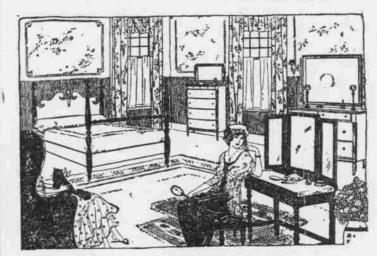
Members of the naval units and secavocations our women have had ex-perience in, a census or registration selected according to their perform-

NEW TIME TABLES.

Time tables went into effect yesterday which include changes on many of the schedules of the trains on the New ork, New Haven and Hartford Railroad. The trains which have been running to the different summe resorts will all be taken off by the 6th of next month. The station agents now have the new time tables ready for distribution.

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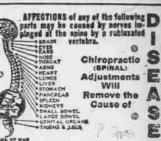
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