

# NOTICE RETAIL DRUGGISTS NO MORE VAPORUB DIRECT BUY IT FROM YOUR JOBBERS

Effective Immediately, No More Direct Shipments Will Be Made Retailers. All Shipments Now Go to Jobbers for Re-distribution.

When the influenza epidemic struck the country and wiped out our warehouse and jobbers' stocks almost overnight, we were faced with the problem of distributing to the stricken districts in the quickest possible manner—our daily output of VapoRub. We solved this by offering to ship direct to the retailers in these influenza districts, by parcel post prepaid quantities of not more than three dozen VapoRub in any one shipment, and by shipping what was left from our daily production to our jobbers by express instead of freight.

Instead of distributing our goods more quickly, they are really slowing up the process. We believe that we can serve you better now by reverting to our former policy of shipping exclusively thru the jobber, and, effective immediately, no more drop shipments will be made. While we have put on a night shift and have, thereby, about doubled our production, we are still unable to fill our back orders and won't be able to give each jobber all the VapoRub he wants. Hence, it will be necessary for the jobbers to continue distributing VapoRub in small lots only. But we will be able to furnish each jobber at least twice the quantity of VapoRub that he purchased for the corresponding month last year, so there should not be any difficulty in your getting your quota share.

## THE VICK CHEMICAL COMPANY, GREENSBORO, N. C.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One used surfy, one bumper, nearly new. Prices low. H. T. Cushman Mfg. Co. 7217

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FOR SALE—Both new and second-hand Sharpley separators at closing-out prices. A. H. Winslow 9217

FOR SALE—One five passenger model 75-B Overland automobile in first class condition in every respect, newly painted. Will be sold cheap if sold at once. Bottom & Torrance Co. 7912

### WANTED

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Soldiers' Home. 7916

WANTED—Goods to buy for cash or sell on commission. Garreau's second hand store, 232 School Street. 84125

WANTED—Pupil nurses, male and female at the Taunton State Hospital Training School for nurses. For particulars address Dr. Arthur V. Goss, Sup't., Taunton State Hospital, Taunton, Mass. 2917

### TO RENT

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, hot water heat, electric lights and bath. 409 Hillside St., Mrs. J. R. Remington. 7916

TO RENT—Stores, offices, tenements, shops, furnished, individual storage lockers, furnished apartments and rooms all centrally located. Geo. M. Hawke, 459 Main Street. 7617

### MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder please return to W. J. Kandies, 115 South St. and receive reward. 7912

LOST—Thursday evening a green silk hat on stage or North St. Finder please return to Mrs. Nellie Spencer, 232 North St. 7912

## Wood for Sale

Either 4 ft. or stove length. Dry. Delivered. Also 15 pigs for sale, 4 weeks to 3 months. GEO. R. BURGESS. Tel. 121-14.

Keep Your Finger-LADIES' AND GENTS' TAILORING. Just received a new line of materials for made-to-measure suits. Also have on hand a nice line of ready-to-wear suits and overcoats at reduced prices. Cleaning and pressing. NATHAN LEVIN 139 North Street. Tel. 98-J.

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### LETTER FROM LIEUT. BIXBY

Arlington Boy Describes Service in France With S. O. S.

The following letter was written by a former Arlington boy, Second Lieut. Jesse G. Bixby of the signal corps. The letter is dated November 24 and was written at Hours, France: "Dear Dad—I see by the 'Stars and Stripes', the army newspaper published for the soldiers, that all of the boys should drop a letter to Dad today, although I suppose that there will be many a dad that will receive no letter for the boy has made the supreme sacrifice of war. I am sorry, in a way, that I never had a chance to get to the front, but after our general was here one day and made a little speech I felt as though I was doing my bit as much as the rest, but not suffering the hardships that my comrades have undergone. The general said: 'Boys, don't feel as though you were not helping to win this war by being back here in the S. O. S., for if it were not for you boys the boys at the front would fare very poorly.'"

"I feel that I have done my share of good work by staying here and keeping the lines of communication open. Every night and day I have been on hand to keep the men I have under me doing their best; but it was unnecessary for they had the right spirit. I have sat at the test board day after day alone to watch for the least break in the line of communication. For I knew what it meant if it failed, it was up to me and to me alone until it became more than one human being could handle, now I have four comrades doing the same work for me and I feel that I have done my share. I don't get on the road much as I have two men within call with motor cycles ready to dash away at a moment's notice. They are the most faithful fellows I ever saw. Night or day, rain or shine, they are off at the word of command without a murmur. I have several others along the line waiting for me to tell you all about it. Yesterday I went down to a town about 35 miles from here called Bourmoum. It's a summer resort and I had a fine time at the roller skating rink with two of the boys off the ship."

"You know mother, England is a great place for tea, well I am right to home at a tea party believe me. It's more fun than a circus for me. Now mother please do not worry as I am all O. K. and enjoying myself very much. We do have our hard times but we never look them for the good ones. I am very anxious to get home as I have a lot to tell you all. One day I was in a boat when I spent 5 days leave in Ireland. It's killing every time I think of it. So cheer up as I'll be home by spring any way, little danger on the seas now."

"Tell them all who know me that I am well and happy also 'ell Dad I am crazy to see him. Tell him I am getting to be quite a salty sailor, ha, ha. Be good and may God let us all meet once more."

I remain your son as ever,  
Roy J. Walker,  
U. S. S. Narragansett,  
Care of Postmaster New York,  
In European Waters.

### LETTER FROM ROY WALKER

Arlington Boy Writes His Mother of Experiences.

Roy J. Walker an Arlington boy in the naval forces has written the following letter to his mother, Mrs. F. W. Walker:

Dear Mother and Family: Now that the censorship has been taken off I will tell you where I am and what I have been doing. Just at present I am in Southampton, England, where we have been for a few weeks undergoing repairs, damage caused by being hit in the English channel, Nov. 5, 11 o'clock at night, one of the many happenings that your hair pin has been through since he has been over here doing his bit, or trying to anyway. It sure was an exciting time that night, a night that I always will remember along with a few others."

I am sending you a few views of a French town where we had some more excitement, more than once. I remember one morning just as we were docking to disembark some American troops, the Germans started an air raid. Well of all the d—n noise that I ever heard that had them all stopped. The crew of my ship and myself all got up on the top side and watched it. How the French airmen fought can not be explained in writing. It was wonderful."

I have been all over France on leave and also England, Ireland, Wales, Scotland and Holland. We are sailing for Scotland via Wales to Holland the 4th of this month to get some English Tommies and take back some German prisoners. Speaking of Germans I have rubbed shoulders with hundreds of them and also German officers whom I have spoken with. They sure got a surprise when they found out that they were on an American Transport headed for England. I could write you all kinds of things that has happened since I have been over here, but as I am not much on writing I'll wait until I get home and tell you all about it. Yesterday I went down to a town about 35 miles from here called Bourmoum. It's a summer resort and I had a fine time at the roller skating rink with two of the boys off the ship."

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### MAY GET BETTER JOBS

Soldiers Need Not Worry About Their Former Positions.

London, Dec. 17.—Their old jobs no longer appeal to many Americans now in uniform who, in the armistice hour are preparing themselves for better positions when they re-enter civilian life. Students of economics who have been worrying over the problem of re-adjusting a million men to commercial and industrial life will find a recent incident enlightening. "Say, when we get back home, are the women going to keep on holding the jobs we left?"

An earnest American private asked this question of Raymond P. Kelley, a Y. M. C. A. educational secretary from Spokane, Wash., recently at a camp in England. "You've got some time on your hands now, and you're going to have more before you get home," answered Kelley. "If you prepare yourself for a better job, you should worry about the old one!"

### VERMONT NEWS

Items of Interest from Various Parts of State.

Although it was in session 12 days, the Orange county court at Chelsea, which adjourned on Saturday, had only one divorce case before it. This is unusual, as most of the terms of county court anywhere in the State have several suits for separation before them.

The mystery of the bronze Hsely lion, which disappeared one night recently from its resting place on Washington st., Middlebury, remains unsolved as no trace of its present location has been found. The "animal" must have weighed 200 pounds and would fetch quite a good sum for its metal.

### THREE CANDIDATES

Seek Position of Chaplain of Vermont Senate.

Brattleboro, Dec. 19.—At least three clergymen are candidates for the position of chaplain of the Vermont senate and one is seeking the position of chaplain of the House. If there are others the first is not known to the Brattleboro men who will have seats in the Legislature. Three of the candidates are Methodists and one is a Congregationalist. The candidates for Senate duty are: Rev. Joseph Hamilton of Randolph, a former district superintendent of the Methodist conference; Rev. Ernest Sturtevant of Lyndon, a Methodist; and Rev. F. L. Goodspeed of Barre, Congregationalist. Rev. James H. Willis of Waterville, Methodist, who is chaplain of the House, hopes to succeed himself.

### 950,000 ESTATE

Former Chicago Superintendent of Schools Leaves Will.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Four associates of Ella Flagg Young, former superintendent of schools here, will share her estate of \$950,000 according to the terms of the will on file here today. Miss Laura T. Brayton, Mrs. Young's companion for twenty years, will have two-fifths of the estate. The board of education will receive a share at the death of the beneficiaries.

### THIRD ATTEMPT FAILED

Through Airplane Mail to Chicago is Delayed.

New York, Dec. 20.—Failure marked the third attempt today to establish through airplane mail with Chicago. Two hours after two aviators left Belmont Park, the mail arrived at New York in trucks for forwarding by train. Details are withheld.

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\$1.50 per sack

**Food For Peace**  
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**WANT BAN ON IMMIGRATION**  
Organized Labor Fears Tremendous Rush to America.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Because of the likelihood of a tremendous rush to America of immigrants from Germany and other European countries, organized labor throughout this country is urging Congress to place a ban on all immigration for a period of at least two or three years. It is also reported that this proposal is approved by the United States Department of Labor and many other official and private agencies.

In support of this plan it is pointed out that, while during the war period immigration has been at a standstill, as soon as transportation facilities are available there will be a strong disposition to flock to this country, not only on the part of those who would have come but for the war during the last four years, but also by millions of Europeans who desire to escape the heavy burdens of reconstruction work and taxation which will follow the war and which will be particularly burdensome in those countries which are called upon to pay heavy indemnities. Then, too, in addition to the apprehension of a flood of foreign immigration which might seriously disturb labor conditions in this country, the question is being asked, and asked persistently, as to whether immigrants coming from Germany and the other enemy countries are to be allowed admission into the United States and citizenship on the same basis as immigrants coming from neutral countries or from those countries which have been associated with America during the war. The view is also being emphasized that some special measures should be taken with reference to the admission of people from Russia and other countries that have been so disastrously affected by the Bolshevik movement and other similar creeds which are proving so disastrous to all forms of organized government.

It is obvious that, in view of the difficulties above pointed out, and many others which might be readily enumerated, the immigration problem is going to be a very difficult one for Congress to deal with. However, its proper solution is the master of tremendous importance for the welfare of the country and demands prompt attention.

**UNDERWOOD NOT GUILTY**

He Was Charged with Assault on Bellows Falls Man.

Bellows Falls, Dec. 19.—The case of State against Underwood, begun in Municipal court Tuesday noon, was finished at 5 o'clock this afternoon. In this case C. P. Underwood of Fitchburg, Mass., a salesman for Armour and company, was charged with an assault December 8 on S. J. Cray, a local merchant and village trustee. Each claimed that the other started the fight and before the affair was over both men were badly bruised.

The case went to the jury at 3 o'clock and after deliberating two hours the verdict brought in was not guilty. During the two and a half days of the trial the court room and adjoining hall were crowded. Two civil damage suits have been started in County court, one by Cray against Underwood for \$2000 and one by Underwood against Cray for \$5000.

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