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Letters From The Front

The following letter has been received by Mrs. C. L. Forbes, of 1408 N. Ave from her son Vinton who is at the U. S. Navy Training Station at San Francisco:

U. S. Navy Training Station, San Francisco, Calif. August 11, 1917.

Dear Mother:—Your card received last night and also your letter a few days ago. I can't understand why you didn't get my last letter which was written over a week ago.

No, I haven't been sick, in fact, I

am feeling fine. Don't worry about me for if I should get very sick you will be notified. That was sure a dandy letter you wrote me. It sure takes the blues out of a fellow and gives him the right spirit to know he has a dear mother and folks and a home to fight for.

I guess I told you in my other letter that I passed my first class examination all O. K. so you little sailor son is now a first-class man. It will increase my pay two and half dollars a month. Every bit helps you know.

I don't think I will get a furlough for many things regarding the rules and regulations of the navy have changed since the war and they can't let all the fellows go home on a month's furlough for they need the

training. The only way we can get to come is in case some one in the family is sick and then we are given a leave of absence for a week or so. If I get transferred to Bremerton though, I might be able to come home for a day or so.

Yes, I would like to go to Honolulu or Corveda in the Philippine Islands. About 25 left from the school last Monday for the Philippine Islands. They get three days liberty in Honolulu. Won't that be great and are 30 days en route.

Well, mother, everything on the island is rather quiet today as this is shore liberty day. I am still at the dispensary and like it pretty good. Lots of interesting work to do.

Tell the Klines that Douglas is well and also passed the first class exami-

nation. Are the fellows still there or have they left? I hope they come down here before I leave so I can run out and see them. Alfred sent me a picture of the bunch. Gee, but it seems good to gaze on their faces again.

How are Ila and Ad and Minnie? Tell them hello for me. I would write them a letter but I have so many to write and nothing to write about so will let this one do for all. Answer soon.

Your loving son,
VINTON.

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"So you were late to school, Bessie?"
"Yes, mamma."
"Why didn't you run, dear?"
"Because you told me never to deceive, mamma."
"But how would that deceive, my child?"
"It might give some one who saw me running an idea that I was anxious to get there, and I wasn't."—Yonkers Statesman.

Time For the Lecture.
"You're not going so early?"
"Yes, indeed! I have had a fine time at your party, but if I am to get any sleep at all tonight I've got to go now to give my wife a chance to tell me all the treats I have made while here."—Detroit Free Press.

The Retort Courteous.
He—This bargain hunting shows your character. You are always looking out for something cheap.
She—Too true. That is how I came to marry you.—Baltimore American.

Sarcastic Pop.
She—I told papa you wanted to see him the next time you called. He—What did he say? She—He said for you to come on; he wasn't afraid of you.—Boston Transcript.

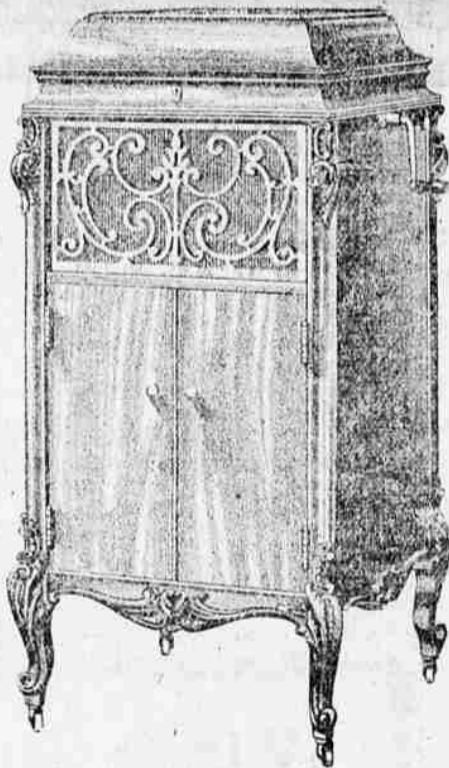
PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Varicose Veins.
Operation is necessary in very severe cases! In simple early cases treatment consists of applying suitable bandages and paying attention to regularity of the bowels and general health. The bandage, which should be of flannel, about two inches wide and a yard or so long, is wrapped spirally round the limb affected, commencing well below the prominent veins and taken well above them. It should be adjusted firmly, but not too tightly, and each layer should slightly overlap the last. It should be put on while lying in bed in the morning and not taken off again till lying down in bed at night. Never massage or rub the parts.

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