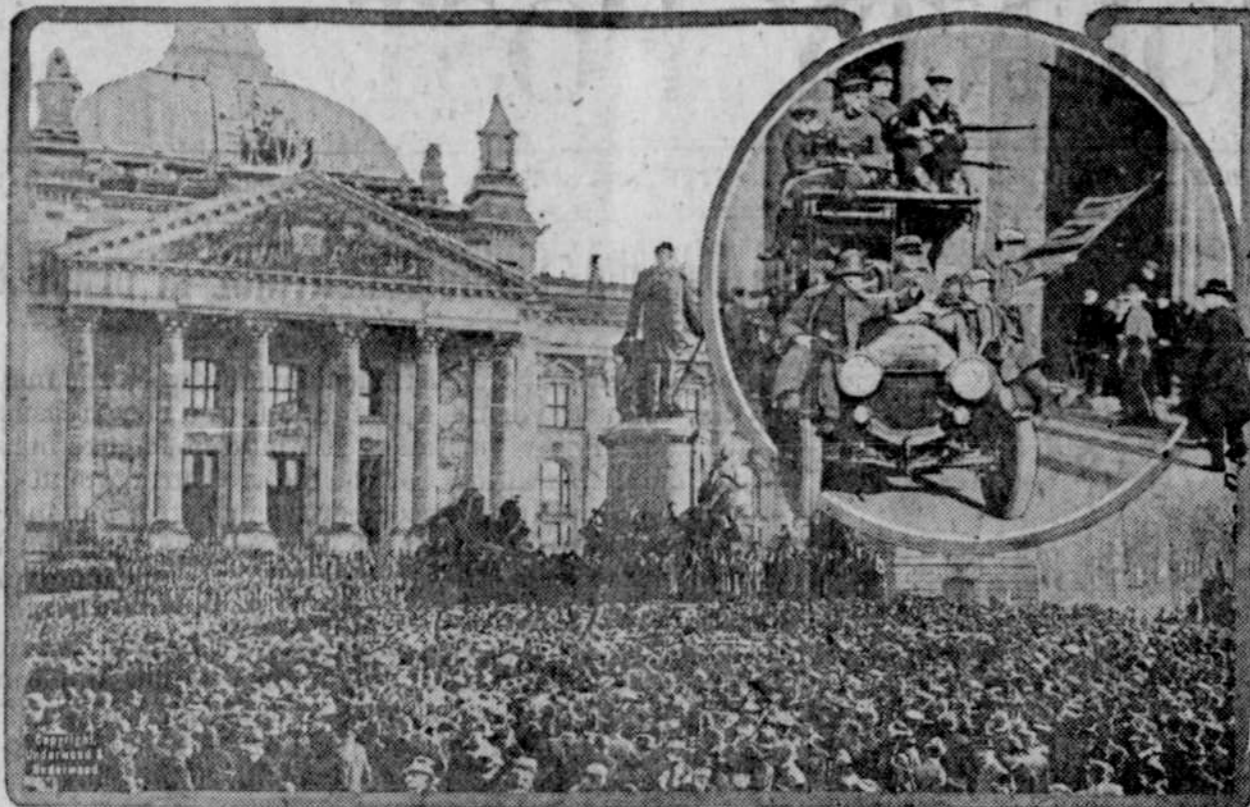
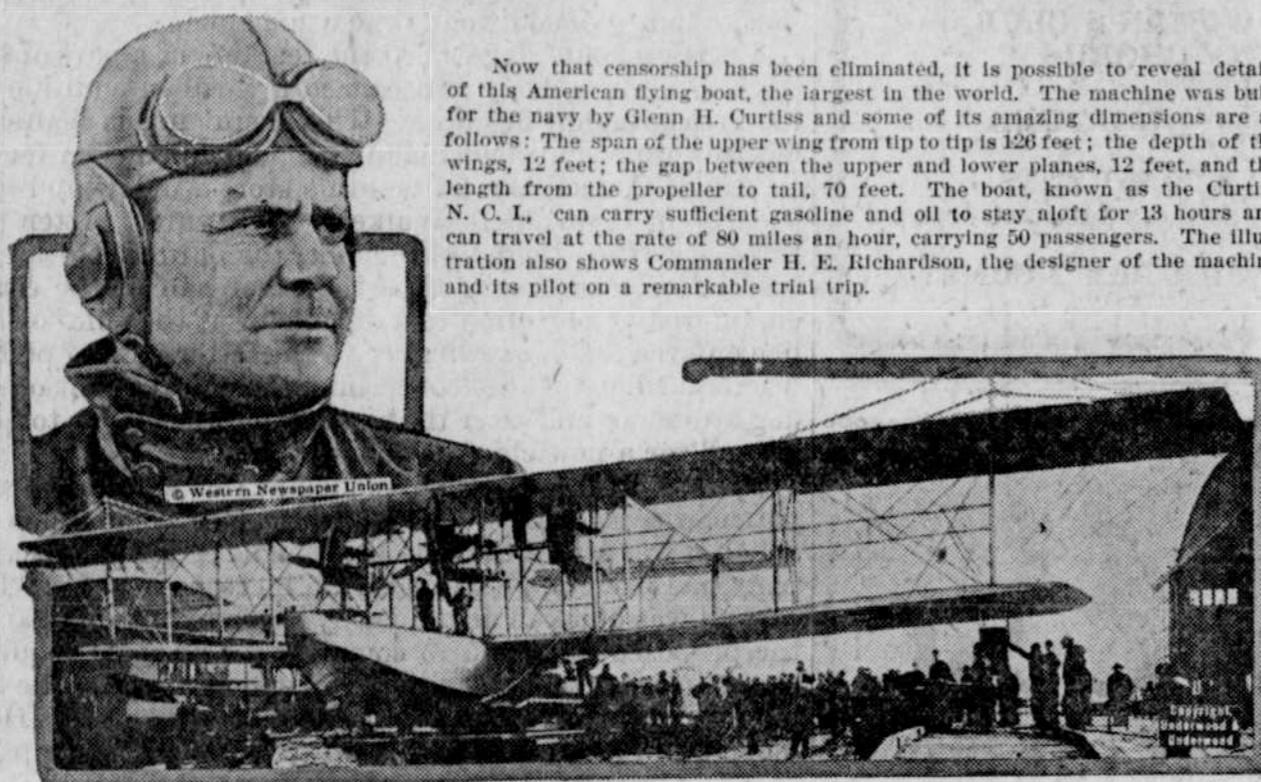


SOLDIERS AND WORKMEN PROCLAIM GERMAN REPUBLIC



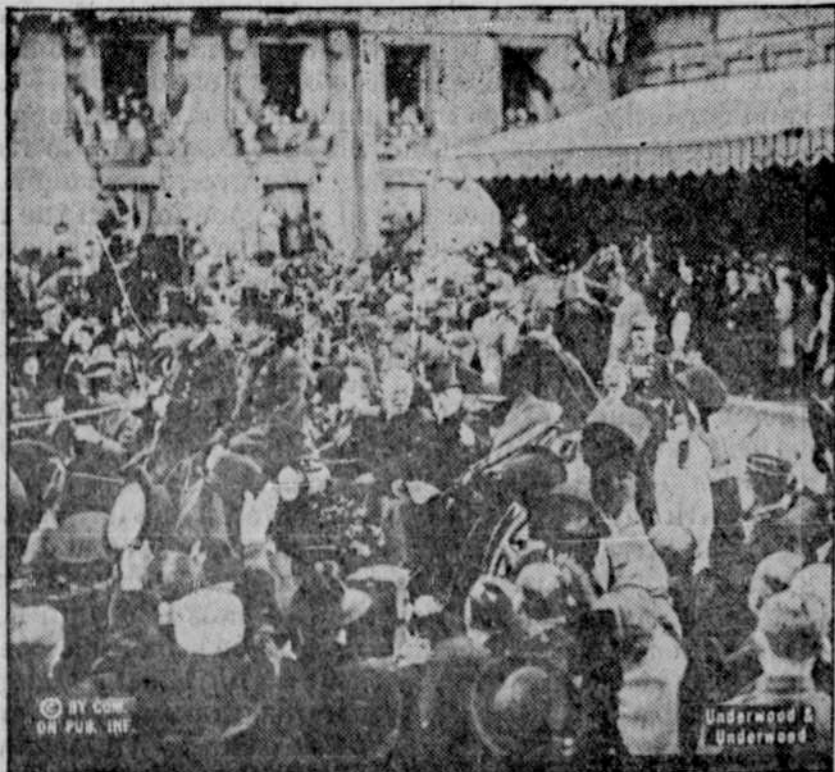
These are the first photographs to arrive from Berlin showing the soldiers and workmen in control of the government. The main picture shows Philipp Scheidemann at the statue of Bismarck proclaiming the German republic. The other photograph shows an auto bearing soldiers and sailors flaunting the red flag and ready with their rifles.

LARGEST FLYING BOAT IN THE WORLD AND ITS DESIGNER



Now that censorship has been eliminated, it is possible to reveal details of this American flying boat, the largest in the world. The machine was built for the navy by Glenn H. Curtiss and some of its amazing dimensions are as follows: The span of the upper wing from tip to tip is 126 feet; the depth of the wings, 12 feet; the gap between the upper and lower planes, 12 feet, and the length from the propeller to tail, 70 feet. The boat, known as the Curtiss N. C. L., can carry sufficient gasoline and oil to stay aloft for 13 hours and can travel at the rate of 80 miles an hour, carrying 50 passengers. The illustration also shows Commander H. E. Richardson, the designer of the machine and its pilot on a remarkable trial trip.

PRESIDENT WILSON IN PARIS



President Wilson and President Poincaré are here seen driving through the thronged streets of Paris to the house of Prince Murat.

GEN. MARCH GETS THE D. S. C.



A photograph of Secretary of War Newton Baker pinning the Distinguished Service Cross on General March, chief of staff, General Pershing recommended this decoration for General March for his valiant service as chief of the artillery in France for the First American Army and then as chief of staff in this country.

COLLECTING THE FLOATING MINES



A recent photograph of the British auxiliary patrol collecting mines that had been washed ashore by gales. The task of collecting all the mines that were laid during the war and clearing the seas of these mines is extremely dangerous, and is but one of the tasks that must be accomplished by the British navy.

Luminous Bacteria.

There is a striking article in Knowledge on luminous bacteria. Mr. Barnard, who writes the article, includes careful directions as to how the light producing bacteria may be obtained and grown. These bacteria emit light that is produced entirely by themselves altogether independently of any extraneous light source; in fact, they grow and produce light better if kept entirely in the dark. Their efficiency as light producers is extremely high and were it possible to carry out on a commercial scale the process of light production as it occurs in bacteria a tremendous step forward would be taken. The natural habitat of these organisms seems to be almost exclusively sea water, or at least water such as is found in estuaries where an appreciable quantity of saline matter is present. The most easily produced organisms of this group is the photobacterium phosphorescens. It may be obtained from a dead herring or mackerel.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody can Tell when you Darken Gray, Faded Hair with Sage Tea.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair. A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

Barrel the Only Rolling Container.

A barrel can be rolled. This is its greatest merit. Every other shape of container which weighs over 100 pounds when filled must be lifted bodily and carried on a hand truck or by hoisting machinery. One man can unload a carload of sugar—200 barrels of it—in less than an hour.

Wanted Two Lids.

Carl was fond of biscuits, especially the upper crusts of them. One morning when his mother picked up a biscuit to prepare a sandwich for him Carl caught his mother's hand affectionately and said: "Please, mamma, give me two lids."

Tools to Make a Rifle.

Nine hundred and ninety-seven cutting tools alone are required in manufacturing a modern rifle. The twist drill is one of the busiest of these. To supply 1,000,000 rifles, 94,000,000 holes must be drilled. Shrapnel, torpedoes, machine guns, biplanes, motor trucks and anti-aircraft guns require from 70 to 5,000 holes each.

Remembered Mother's Answer.

Little Harry one day asked his mother who made the trees and was told that God made them. A few days later an old colored man came to trim the trees and the little fellow, seeing him at work, ran to his mother and exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, God's out in the yard repairing his trees!"

Shedding Light.

There are persons whose very presence spells cheer and inspiration. There may be times when we can do nothing to help our friends, but we can always be something to help them if our own lamp of faith and love burns clear.

Optimistic Thought.

A brave man dies but once; while he that lives in constant fear of death every moment feels its tortures.

Optimistic Thought.

One is filled with riches who knows how to do without them.

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood. Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh. Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, easy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject. Adv.

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These newspaper quotations represent live cattle prices in Chicago on December 30th, 1918.

The list shows price ranges on nine general classified groups with a spread of \$13.85 per cwt.—the lowest at \$6.50 and the highest at \$20.35.

Why this variation in price?

Because the meat from different animals varies greatly in quality and weight.

Although the quotations shown are in nine divisions, Swift & Company grades cattle into 34 general classes, and each class into a variety of weights and qualities.

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A Letter from Bossy

If a cow could speak she would talk about her health as people do—because cows suffer from ailments, little and big, same as human beings.

The most common cow ailments, such as Abortion, Retained Afterbirth, Lost Appetite, Hunches, Scours, etc., result from a diseased condition of the digestive or genital organs. Any of these diseases and many others can be successfully treated or prevented by using Kow-Kure, the great cow medicine.

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