

FOOD EASY TO BUY IF YOU HAVE MONEY

Americans Coming Out of Germany Relate Experiences With Berlin Speculators.

GOOSE COSTS 180 MARKS

Dentist of Kaiser and High Court Officials Tells What It Means to Do Shopping Under System of Speculation in Germany.

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XIII. "In Germany you can buy anything for money," was the flat statement of the woman who had just come from Berlin. We were all sitting around in the music room of the tipsey little Boretsford, somewhere between Norway and New York. This woman and her son were so healthy and prosperous that we couldn't help wondering how they managed it in a country where we were pretty certain many were starving. Then some one ventured to ask. And this was her answer.

"We felt we were really going to get some information about food speculation and graft so common to all warring countries. We began to ply her with questions, but she withdrew into herself and answered so enigmatically that we finally abandoned her in despair. I give parts of our conversation.

"How did you happen to stay in Germany so long after the war, especially after the United States came in?" "Well, my husband died and I did not feel like traveling."

"Did you have any trouble getting out?" "Why should I?" "You might have observed certain things."

"Not interested in politics." "They understand I'm not interested in politics; all my life I have not been interested in politics."

"Yes, they did examine me once—it was very embarrassing; they made me take off my clothes."

"The deck steward came in and passed around declaration blanks to be filled out before we reached New York harbor. 'I really don't know what to do,' complained the lady from Berlin. 'I don't know what is in my trunk.'"

"THE WAR" S BROUGHER'S WORD

Hooverize, Economize, Liberalize, Preacher Exhorts Huge Audience.

ORGANIZATION IS SECRET

Realization That America Is United to See It Through Will Make Germany Halt—White Temple Is Thronged for Lecture.

NOTED LECTURER WHO WILL APPEAR AT THE LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT.



Professor Charles Upson Clark, of the American Academy in Rome, will lecture at the Lincoln High School tonight upon the subject of "Fighting Above the Clouds" and "Italy's Part in the War."

"The games of chance of our childhood symbolize the games of a mature man," said Dr. Brougner. "In our childhood we played a game called 'Simon Says Wig-Wag' and in it we were all supposed to obey Simon. If we didn't there was a penalty. In this country we want to be free of autocrats. No people will be absolutely free to choose for themselves till they have killed autocracy and the militarism of the Kaiser."

"What we need is people in this country with so much backbone and true American spirit that all the word Kaiser Bill can get from here will be, 'We are united and one in thought and purpose and we're going to lick you, Bill.'"

PORTLAND PIONEER BURIED School Children Drop Flowers on Hiram Terwilliger's Casket.

DANIELS DENIES REPORT Secretary of War Declares That He Will Not Visit Astoria.

Mexican Oil to Be Exploited. MEXICO CITY, March 20.—The government announces it will permit exploration and exploitation of oil and coal lands in any part of the republic. This rescinds an order which has been in effect longer than 18 months, limiting such work to prescribed zones, principally along the Gulf Coast.

LOG PRICES HELD FINAL

NATION EMPOWERED TO ENFORCE RULING OF COMMITTEE.

LOGGERS WHO REFUSE TO DELIVER THEIR PRODUCT TO GOVERNMENT SUBJECT TO FINE AND IMPRISONMENT.

BERT TRAVIS IS DRAFTED Official Spicler at Strand Theater to Go April 26.

Assistant United States Attorney Rankin yesterday advised H. B. Vanduser, director of the Fir Production Board for this state, that the Government is empowered to enforce the price for fir logs as fixed by the price-fixing committee of the Board of War Industries on March 19, 1918. At that time the following prices were fixed by that board: \$19 per 1000 for No. 1 logs, \$15.50 for No. 2 and \$10 for No. 3.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Demonstrations of a 16-foot model dirigible of the Zeppelin type swung on wires, a machine said to be superior to the German craft in that it is more mobile and can alight on water, were given today to the Senate military committee by Alfred Herbert, a Montclair, N. J., inventor.

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Constance Talmadge Beginning TODAY



MAJESTIC

—The dainty, beautiful star of "Scandal" gains new fame in the role of a country girl who goes to New York with an artist. A not unusual story, but with surprisingly unusual trimmings.

—"There are at least two miracles in this story," says "The Moving Picture World." "See this delightful picture, and you will have the time of your life watching them come to pass."

—With another high-speed feature comedy, and the usual unequalled Pathe Weekly.

IN "The Studio Girl"

Advertisement for Resinol skin treatment, including a product image and text: "So many skin troubles only need a little Resinol to heal them for good."

Advertisement for Hannaford and Elliott, mentioning a meeting of deacons and a traffic law violation.

Advertisement for the National Empowered to Enforce Ruling of Committee, detailing log prices and government action.

Advertisement for Bert Travis, mentioning his role as official spicler at the Strand Theater.

Advertisement for Pauline Frederick in the play La Tosca, mentioning her role as a crown princess.

Advertisement for Peoples Tomorrow, featuring a portrait of a woman and text about a dirigible exhibition.