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Monmouth  
Meditations

Death and taxes are said to be the most inevitable of earthly things but an event that may be classed with them is the sure fact that the Germans will sign the peace agreements when the proper time comes. They will protest and roar and put up a hullabaloo for bargain effect but intelligent Germans must be very well aware that the indemnity part of the terms has distinct and definite advantages for them. Twenty five billion dollars is asked of them, a sum ten times as great as it took to fight the civil war, but after all it is only \$500 apiece for the citizens of Germany and that is a long way from selling them into industrial slavery. When it is considered that twenty five billions is the sum they are asked to pay for the good will of the world, it has commercial advantages for the Teuton. Without the indemnity the world would boycott German made goods.

With the indemnity the world's markets will have to be open for otherwise how can the Germans pay the sum asked of them?

There are national advantages also. The common debt will unite the German states for they can not very well separate before it is paid.

President Ebert condemns their "sister republic" America for the imposition of harsh terms but he talks for effect. Freed of the taxes incidental to its military machine and with the expensive trappings of royalty lifted from its shoulders, Germany can pay its indemnity and prosper as it never has before.

They have a real grievance in the lopping off of part of the nation for the establishment of smaller independent powers, but this is a matter of hurt pride rather than a distinct loss. For it will relieve them of the restriction of people within their borders while to the allies will fall the expense and taxes incidental to the maintenance of arbitrary boundaries.

If the League of Nations idea works out as its friends hope, it will minimize the advantage which a nation that has colonies enjoys. For instance, in the United States a small state has distinct advantages over a large one for the individual has a larger proportionate influence.

The terms handed to the Germans are fully as good as they have any right to expect and easier by far that they, themselves would have exacted of an enemy had they been conquerors.

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good time, but was glad when the trainman announced the time of the departure of the Chaumont express. I arrived home very tired for the trip was rather tiresome and there was no friend along to help pass the time. But regardless of this consider myself very fortunate in having had the opportunity for studying the different phases of life in England as compared to France.

I am Company Clerk at the present time, in fact have been for the past five months and have a lot of work to take care of, so I do not have time to write very often.

Our company is still doing guard duty at General Headquarters, Chaumont, France. The boys come back from the city every night with new ideas about going home and I am sure you would laugh if you heard them. Of course this is a part of our lives just at present for all are longing for the day to go home.

I must confess that after about seventeen months sojourn in France a fellow does begin to long for home.

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It is growing late so I must close for this time, expressing my appreciation of what the people of Monmouth are doing in honor of those who offered themselves to crush the Hun; and sending my best wishes to all. I am, Very sincerely,  
Corporal E. Stanley Evans.

### Guardian's Sale

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, sitting in probate, made and entered of record in said Court on the 12th day of April, 1919, in the matter of the Guardianship estate of Joseph W. Suver, Samuel Suver, William L. Suver and Loretta G. Suver, Minors, authorizing and licensing the undersigned as guardian of the estate of said minors, to sell the real property of her said wards hereinafter described, at private sale, for cash, in the manner prescribed by law, the undersigned as such guardian will, from and after Saturday the 17th day of May, 1919, at the residence of said guardian in Monmouth, Oregon, proceed to sell the said real property at private sale for cash in hand on day of sale, in accordance with said license of sale and in the manner prescribed by law and subject to confirmation by the said County Court; said real property being particularly described as follows, to-wit:—

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Edna Grace Suver,  
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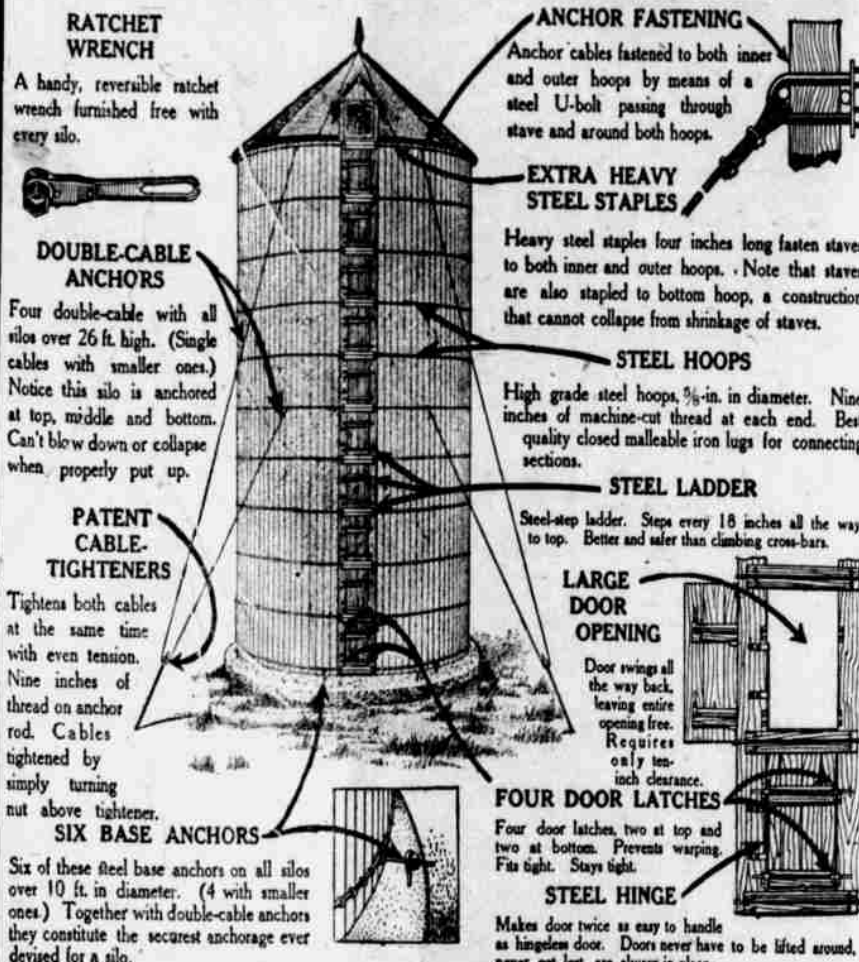
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