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MOVIE SCENE PAINTERS CAN DO IT.

It is said that every motion picture studio in California is represented at the American Lake, Wash., national army cantonment. About fifty-seven of these movie men were scene painters.

They go thru the usual drill and regular training. Then at other hours they attend camouflage classes.

The civilian reading his newspaper and magazine is becoming gradually more impressed with the importance of camouflage on the battlefields of Europe.

THE ALLIED WAR COUNCIL.

The announcement that our leading European allies had determined at last to centralize their military authority was received in this country with satisfaction and relief.

It is merely advisory to the various governments. Those governments retain their power of independent action. They will act with more complete information as to the status of the war on the various fronts and the requirements of their allies, and that is about all.

Military decisions remain in the hands of civilian rulers affected by political considerations. And Germany's war for the conquest of the world remains in the hands of a strong, central military authority.

It is being recalled in this country that the United States never made any real headway in the Civil War until President Lincoln put the entire direction of the northern armies in the hands of Gen. Grant, and let him use his own judgment.

Such extreme concentration and simplicity of plan and action are of course impossible of full realization in this complex war. But the closer we approximate them, the sooner will victory come.

One's Career.

Strictly speaking, every life is a career because it is a course that is run from start to finish, but as generally used the term implies an unusual life record, something exceptional and out of the ordinary.

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You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely.

EVERY DAY BAN ON WHEAT AND PORK IS ASKED BY WHEELER

SURPLUS CROP IS ALREADY EXHAUSTED ILLINOIS FOOD CONTROLLER LEARNS AFTER RETURN FROM CAPITAL.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Daily wheatless and porkless meals will be war rations for Illinois under new orders to be issued immediately by Food Administrator Harry A. Wheeler.

These orders will be issued as the result of a conference of state food administrators in Washington, from which Mr. Wheeler returned yesterday.

The wheatless meal is made necessary, Mr. Wheeler said, by the discovery that the entire surplus wheat crop for export to our allies was exhausted November 1.

All wheat to be sent abroad to serve our own soldiers and those of the allies must be saved in the kitchen between now and July, 1918. This amount is estimated at about 125,000,000 bushels.

War bread became a necessity under the new regulations, and the order to put the nation on a war bread basis is held up only until experiments can determine the best formula.

The orders proclaiming a wheatless meal will be issued today or tomorrow by Mr. Wheeler. The order for the porkless meal will be issued as soon as further instructions are received from Washington.

Mr. Wheeler reported that the food situation is grave in all parts of the country. He gave an account of the meeting, stating that the plan he had put in force in Chicago regarding price regulation of commodities was adopted and will be put into effect by all other states.

"Increasing rigid supervision of the use of wheat is necessary now," he declared, and will become more imperative as time passes.

"The necessity of milling a standard flour cannot be overestimated. Experiments have been conducted with wheat and corn flour mixed, the percentages of corn flour ranging from 10 to 25 per cent. None has been a real economy so far.

"I will prepare an order immediately putting the wheatless meal in effect and ordering that baking be reduced. Wheat must be saved, or the entire country will go on corn bread diet. Even the use of rye bread is not a great saving, as a large percentage of the rye flour is from wheat."

If this is not done, Mr. Wheeler said, the last sixty days before the next crop is available the mills, grinding at 50 per cent above normal capacity, will be without wheat to grind.

On the porkless days no food in which lard is used, bacon, ham, ribs or other pork products can be used. "The hog run is light," he said. "Packing is below normal and the demands must be met."

OTTAWA INDUSTRY PRAISED BY SAND TRADE MAGAZINE

Under the caption "Ottawa's Latest Proposal," the National Glass Budget, a magazine devoted to the glass industry, in its issue of Nov. 17, says:

"Prior to the natural gas boom in Indiana and the west, a quarter of a century ago, Ottawa, Illinois, was something of a glass manufacturing center, a number of factories having been attracted to that place, owing to nearby glass sand deposits, extensive coal beds, and excellent railroad facilities. Glass sand was a strong drawing card. Much of it, nearly 100 per cent pure, is now being shipped regularly to factories throughout the middle west, and the coal deposits afford the Ottawa Chamber of Commerce, in its campaign tending to a revival of the glass industry, an excellent talking point. In this connection we submit as follows, an extract from a circular letter just issued by Secretary James F. Farrell, of the Chamber of Commerce:

"A new company has recently been formed styled the Commonwealth Silica company, and capitalized at \$500,000, whose management will be in the hands of Mr. C. E. Saylor, a man of unquestionable integrity, and who is one of the best industrial men in this part of the country. This company will operate a complete barge line on the Illinois river from its sand banks, which embrace millions of tons. It will also construct a modern

Forty Years' Success.

For a business to be successful for forty years means a great deal. Among other things, it means remarkable excellence in the products it sells. No inferior article can be sold on a large scale for so many years, and it must not only be good at the outset, but so good that the progress of forty years shall not develop any better article to supersede it.

So women can, with confidence, depend upon that old, tried and tested remedy for woman's ailments, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, still as popular as ever, though it was placed on the market before the centennial year, 1876.

ern washing, drying and grinding plant, and a feature that will be particularly interest to the glass men of the country is a plan for the building of factories. The new company will construct factories, provide them with an advantageous sand contract, and its rail and transportation facilities will be a boon in cheapening the cost of production. The Commonwealth company is a firm believer in the thought that Ottawa is bound again to be a glass center, situated as it is, in the midst of the coal fields, with sand at their very door; also two steam railroads, one electric line and one water way, all of these features tending to a lowering of the cost of production. There are no its and aids to the Commonwealth's plans of constructing a factory for well rated firms, or to newcomers who desire to enter the field. It will finance the building of a factory on long-term payments and construct buildings to suit the needs of any particular line of glass manufacture."

Thought far away. The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart.—M. netus.

OTTAWA MARKETS.

Live Stock. Sheep—Per cwt., \$8 to \$10. Hogs, per cwt., \$15.50-\$16. Steers—Stock, per cwt., \$6 to \$8; fat, per cwt., \$10, \$12, \$14. Calves, per cwt., \$10-\$12. Spring lambs, per cwt., \$11. Rabbits, 12 1/2c. Produce and Poultry. Lard, per lb., 22c. Butter, country, per lb., 40c. Cream butter fat, per lb., 44c-45c. Eggs, strictly fresh, per doz., 42c. Hens, per lb., 13c. Turkeys, alive, per lb., 23c. Chickens, springers, per lb., 13c-15c. Geese, per lb., 14c. Old roosters, per lb., 16c. Ducks, per lb., 14c. Hides and Wool. No. 1 hides, per lb., 15c; No. 2, 14c. No. 1 calf skin, per lb., 24c. No. 1 Horse hide, \$5. Illinois wool, per lb., 45c.

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Chiropractic What It Is

CHIROPRACTIC FOR CHILDREN.

Children of all ages usually respond very quickly to Spinal Adjustments, and every child's spine should be examined by a competent chiropractor. Thousands of children are needlessly suffering from some form of spinal trouble, and while they are young is the time to have their spinal defects adjusted.

If your child is sick, weak or puny, or not properly developed in any part of the body, there is a CAUSE, and invariably it is found in the spine. Do not wait to see whether or not the child will outgrow it; have its spine palpated and, if necessary adjusted.

It is an acknowledged fact that if a spinal analysis of all children were made, the percentage of defects and curvature would be in the majority. The spinal column is the most important framework of the body, clinging to this wonderful and flexible chain of 24 irregular bones are many of the vital organs, and it is so strong that it can bear a heavy burden, and yet to flexible that it will respond to nearly any movement of the body, so long as it is normal and has only the curves given it by nature, it is the source of strength and grace, but when it is out of alignment, or curvature exists, it causes disease.

Many times a slight curvature that is unnoticed or neglected in childhood causes no trouble until later in life. It is a proven fact that many cases of spinal curvature originate in early life, and as the child grows older, very often the curvature becomes more pronounced, which means more pressure on nerves supplying some part of the body and it is this pressure that invariably is the cause of disease, shutting off the nerve force and thereby preventing nature from doing the work it once did when not interfered with, is not doing now because of the existing nerve pressure on the region of the spine where the curvature or subluxation exists.

There can be no effect, without a cause. This being true, why not remove the cause and let nature take care of the effect. Chiropractic Spinal adjustments, and many of the defects of the spinal column can be corrected by taking many children now accounted as defectives are victims of a subluxation or curvature of some part of the spinal column that has affected the nerve supply to some tissue or organ of the body.

Fifteen hundred young boys at the Kansas City Y. M. C. A. were examined and over fifty per cent were found to have some form of spinal trouble. You owe it to yourself, your family, your children, to investigate the Science of Chiropractic.

Dr. C. A. Blean Am licensed by Illinois State Board of Health. Consultation and examination free. Appointments at office or home. Am at Moloney Bldg., Room 501, Ottawa, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Other days at 210 Main St., Streator, Illinois. Next issue, Article No. 3: Chiropractic for Children.

T. LUCEY & BROS. OTTAWA AND LASALLE THE BRIGHTEST SPOT IN TOWN THE DAYLIGHT STORE For Thanksgiving Here is the store to get the outfit—tablecloths in many sizes and weights weaves, but all of them surprisingly sound values for the money. Napkins to match, in distinct patterns, among which you can find something pretty close to what you now have. Linens prices are mounting—and we, nor anyone else, can stop them long. But we have halted them for a little while with our present big Thanksgiving stock which is offered you while it lasts, for prices that cannot be secured again for many a month. We were in the linen market early and really gambled on table linens of every description. Our prices to our patrons today are practically less than they can be bought at wholesale. Mercerized Table Linen at 35c, 50c, 60c and 75c per yard. All linen at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and up to \$2.50. Many of these have napkins to match. Splendid showing of china ware, glassware, etc., in our Big Daylight Basement. This is the season the busy housewife finds many gaps to be filled in with new wares. We point with pride to our splendid variety rich in beauty, yet moderate in price. The qualities artistic designs and decorations are certain to meet the approval of all who see them. Table glassware in a great variety which it would be necessary to examine to appreciate their values. In the Ready to Wear Department. You can buy ladies' fine Tailor Made Suits at a saving of One-Third. A Suit that formerly sold for \$20 now \$15. A \$25.00 Suit now \$16.67. A \$30.00 Suit now \$20.00. A \$35.00 Suit for \$23.33. A \$40.00 Suit for \$26.67. A \$50.00 Suit for \$33.33. See our assortment and get our prices on our Enormous Stock of Ladies' and Misses' Coats. Domestic Dinnerware from \$4.98 up to \$35. We are still showing many varieties of fine imported china, Haviland, etc., at a great saving in price.

Are you worried as are many householders about coal supplies? Then you'll be interested in THE THERMOPHORE RADIANT GAS HEATER IT'S A NEW THING AND A GOOD THING, WHICH IN OPERATION REVERSES THE OLD PRACTICE WHEREBY MUCH FORCE WAS EXPENDED IN WARMING THE CEILING OF THE ROOM FIRST AND THE PARTS OCCUPIED LAST. THE THERMOPHORE'S PRODUCT IS A SUCCESSION OF HEAT WAVES IN VIBRATION WHICH LIKE THE WAVES OF THE SUN CONVEY THEIR ENERGY TO THE OBJECT IN THEIR PATH—IN OTHER WORDS IT IS AN AMPLE HEAT QUANTITY TRANSMITTED TO THE LOWER PART OF THE ROOM WHERE IT IS WANTED. YOU DON'T HAVE TO HUDDLE OVER IT TO GET WARM. The elements in the Thermophore—the cylinder like things you see in the picture—whence its energy is distributed, quickly reach an intensity higher than that of a Bunsen burner. No flame is visible—only a most attractive glow. No odor either; all the gas is burned. The machine is a very economical consumer. We sell The Thermophore illustrated on easy payments—\$4 with order and \$2 a month for six months—\$16 in all—necessary hose connections included. Demonstrations at Our Sales Rooms Several sizes including one that fits a grate Public Service Company of Northern Illinois

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