





READING & WRITING

THE age of science has changed the world radically, but none of the changes affect us individually as much as those due to the advance of medicine. "A Hundred Years of Medicine" by Dr. C. D. Hagenston and Dr. Wyndham E. B. Lloyd is an authoritative and very readable account of these changes and the men and women who brought them about.

One hundred years ago great epidemics of diphtheria, typhoid, cholera and yellow fever periodically swept over Europe and America, and threatened the life of everyone. Today all of these and many other infectious diseases can be controlled. One hundred years ago tuberculosis usually ended fatally, and diabetes and pernicious anemia were mortal diseases. Today they are regularly cured. There have been similar phenomenal advancements in surgery.

The Book-of-the-Month Club has a dual selection for January—"The Signpost" by E. Aron Edersson, a novel about Ireland today, and "Heroes and Places: Memories of Childhood and Youth" by George Santayana.

In "Diet With Nicky," a biography of her Russian musician husband, Nicholas Berezowsky, Alice Berezowsky tells how Nicky became an American citizen, the presiding judge advised him, "Young man, you're too nice to have a name like that. I'd like to suggest that you change your name to Berezford."

Miss Zenia Smolenski, Miss Clara Lehnert, Miss Alice Barron, Miss Mabel Shepard, Miss Margaret McKee, Mrs. Leonard, and Miss Olive Weeks.

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The HEADLINES Say:

RIDIN' HIGH—Hollywood, Calif.—Starlet Frances Rafferty looks mighty cute garbed as the "Queen of the Golden West" in the role she plays in a new musical film.

TOUGH DAY—Gals are doing their bit on the home front by providing companionship to the boys in uniform, according to a new cartoon by Elsie Cole.

A MILLION coupons, collected from wrappers of Octagon Soap and other products, purchased this \$100 blood drive unit, which is capable of obtaining 1000 blood donations a week.

IF THE PANTS FIT PUT 'EM ON—Moses Lake, Wash.—Staff Sgt. John M. Thomas (left) will have to do a lot of cutting to fit out the pants given him by a mopey clerk when he entered the army. The sergeant was assured that the pants would shrink to his size after the first washing.

THANKSGIVING BIRDS FOR OVER SEAS—Berlin, N. J.—Here two turkey toms put their wits together, in view of the future. They agree the main thing is to keep their heads.

With The BOYS IN SERVICE

REPORTED MISSING T-Sgt. Edward R. LaPointe, 74 Hemlingway Avenue, East Haven is reported missing in the European Area.

Seaman First Class William Tucker writes from Elizabeth City, N.C. that the Review is a "gift of the Gods."

Pvt. Albert Poulton was home from Hope Valley, R. I. for the week end.

George Tolx, storekeeper first class, is a patient in the Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass.

Pfc. Stanley Bogacki, son of Mrs. Verolac Bogacki, Alps Road, has been home on furlough from Dale Mabry Field, Tallahassee, Fla.

Kenneth Bray, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Stanley Bray, Wilford Avenue, has been home for a few days from the naval training station at Sampson, N. Y.

Relatives here have learned that Arthur J. White, Alps Road, has been promoted to sergeant.

Among the local boys at the flight school is Aviation Cadet Jerome L. Davis of Stony Creek who is at San Antonio, Texas.

Pfc. Walter P. Pohlman of South Street, East Haven is in South Carolina receiving training.

Robert J. Dent of Pine Orchard Road, U. S. Maritime Service, is in Hoffman, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. Page of Stony Creek have learned that their son, Pvt. Raymond F. Page is in Shreveport, La.

Cpl. Norman Estora, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Estora, Stamford Avenue, and his house guest, Cpl. Robert Chadwick of Montpellier, Vt., returned Thursday to Camp Davis, N. C.

The U. S. O. Club at Key West, Florida sends word that Zelman Leasing, 2-2 of 22 Forbes Place, East Haven recently enjoyed the club's recreational facilities.

Mail comes regularly from Sgt. Leo Bernard, stationed at Fayette, Texas.

Edward C. Padzinski, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Padzinski, 71 West Main Street, has been promoted to private first class.

Lt. and Mrs. Ray W. Plant, Jr., are here from Fort Lauderdale, Fla. to stay a fortnight with Lt. Plant's parents.

Pvt. Le Roy Knowlton, Indian Neck is stationed at Camp Woods, N. J.

Lt. Raymond F. Gay, Jr. is at Alog Field, Victoria, Texas.

Pvt. Anthony C. Yasevac, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yasevac of 23 Bradley Street, has been assigned to the Technical School, Army Air Forces Training Command, Sioux Falls, S. D. for training as a radio operator-mechanic.

Upon completion of a 20-week course, he will be fully trained to take his place as a member of a highly skilled bomber crew of the Army Air Forces.

Aviation Cadet Robert O. Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fletcher of Rockland Park, Short Beach, has completed his training at the Basic Flying School at Courtenay, Ala. and has been transferred to an Advanced Pilot School for the final period of his pilot training.

After completing his advanced training, Cadet Fletcher will receive his wings and will be either appointed a flight officer or a second lieutenant, and assigned to active duty.

Frederick P. Maurer, Seaman 2-c, son of Mrs. Fred Maurer, has been granted leave following completion of his basic training at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Sampson, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fitzgerald, has reported at the "nation's number one bombardier school" at Midland Army Air Field, Midland, Texas, for twelve weeks of intensive training.

In the process of winning his silver bombardier wings and a commission as second lieutenant or appointment as flight officer in the Army Air Forces, he will undergo what Army officials have described as "one of the most thorough, all around courses of training ever devised for fighting men."

Pfc. Donald Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mason has returned to Quonico, Va., after a furlough spent with his parents.

Pfc. Robert Poulton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Poulton has received his wings at Tyndal Field, Panama City, Florida where he has been attending the gunners school.

Cpl. Leslie Doerfer has been in Africa for over a year. He is regularly heard from.

Cpl. James Bonalibus is home from Camp Reynolds, Texas for two weeks.

John Lubski has completed his studies at the Sampson Gunners School, New York. He has since been sent to Washington, D.C. to continue the same study.

Word comes from Lt. Frank R. Hayes that he has arrived safely in England.

Cpl. Samuel Meshako, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meshako, Alps Road, arrived home today for two weeks from Blackstone Army Air Base, Blackstone, Va.

Mrs. Silvey was an employee of the New Haven Chapter of the American Red Cross before taking training in Washington. She was immediately assigned to Red Cross overseas duty and eventually went to Oran where she and her brother met.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lipkovich of Ivy Street have received word from their son, Sgt. Francis P. Lipkovich, that he has recovered from wounds and is again with his outfit.

Word is received that Pvt. Tony Adams is in Italy.

Miss Jennette Gertrude Hall, Clark Avenue, Short Beach has been sworn into the Women's Reserve, U. S. Naval Reserve as an apprentice seaman.

John Holman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holman, Averill Place has completed training at Camp Perry, Va., where he is with the Seabees.

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Post, American Legion; Company I, Connecticut State Guard; Sidney Beach Camp, U.S.W.V., Yankee Division, Battery E, 103rd Field Artillery; Red Cross Motor Corps; Girl Scouts; B.H.S. Band; Stony Creek Pipe and Drum Corps; and other organizations. Post Commander Jamis Mellor was marshal of the first division, and Francis V. Reynolds, of the second division.

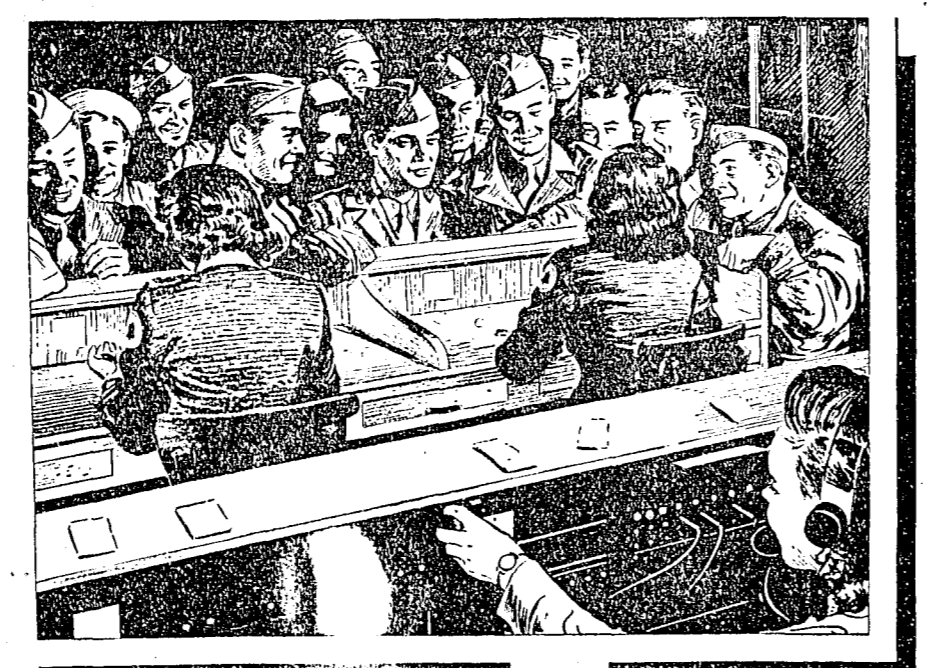
REMEMBER THE SOLDIERS November is Christmas mail month for gift packages: Nov. 22—Far western states. Nov. 24—Southern and western states. Nov. 26—Middle and eastern states. Dec. 6—New England States.



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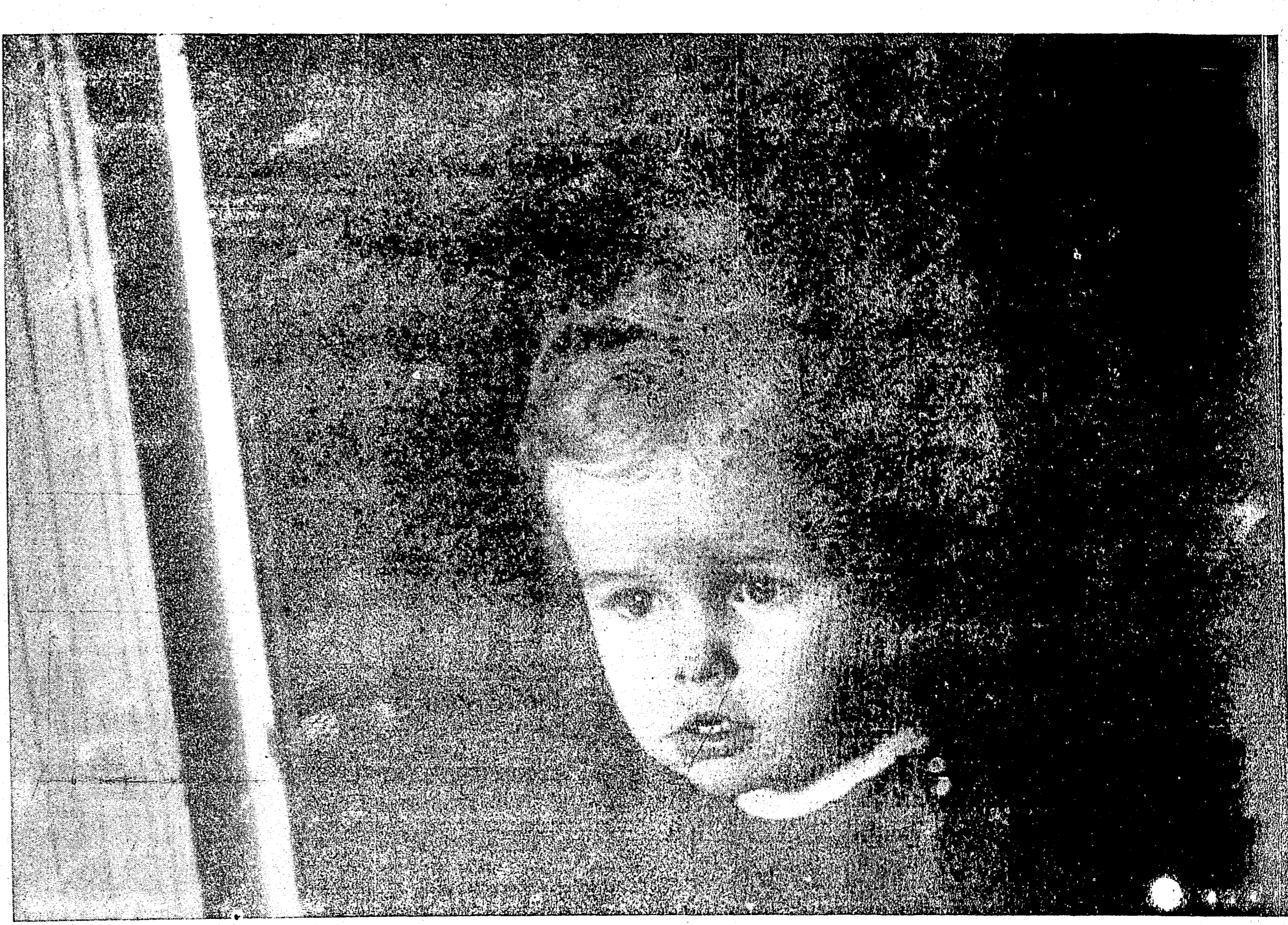


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