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Washington, Dec. 13 .- The first urvivor's story of the sinking of he American destroyer Jacob Jones told by Lieut. J. K. Richards, was made public by the navy depart-ment. It shows that only two small boats and three life rafts floated clear of the wreck. The men on these were picked up after 17 hours of exposure. An official summary of the lieuenant's account follows: "Lieutenant Richards said the destroyer was proceeding towards port, after holding target practice,

DESTROYER'S SINKING

when, at 4:20 p. m., a torpedo was sighted by the lookout. The com-manding officer, stationed on the bridge, ordered the rudder hard right and engines full steam ahead. The orpedo struck the ship on the starboard side, abreast of torpedo tube No. 3. This tube, with torpedoes was blown 200 feet in air. The radio was wrecked and the main mast brought down.

"Guns were manned immediately, but no submarine was sighted and the vessel began to settle by the stern. The captain gave orders to abandon the ship. Whaleboats which were got out capsized. The motor sailer could not be got out. A wherry and motor dory managed to escape safely. Three life rafts floated clear.

"The vessel sank at 4:20 p. m. Depth charges aboard exploded, apparently blowing off the stern of the

"No survivors, except those on the oats and life rafts, were found afer a thorough search. Lieutenant Richards said. After 17 hours in he water, the men on the rafts were icked up by a British ship.

"The submarine, which was seen fter the Jacob Jones sank, appeared o be about 150 feet in length, withh three-inch gun forward and two eriscopes.'

MEETING WINTER'S TROUBLES

How to protect one's self from the ong range of winter troubles that annually affect the majority of people living in the temperate zone where weather conditions so widely fluctuate is told in the latest buletin from the state board of health.

it says: "Winter puts a tremendous strain on a person's vitality. To be able

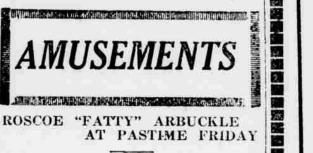
to keep off the epidemic diseases like grippe and pneumonia, and to avoid the long range of affections Ring" featuring your favorite screen from a common cold to acute pneu- at the Pastime Friday December 14: monia, requires more than haphaz- This chapter has more thrilling By the Associated Press. ard daily living habits. While san- fights and one of the most unusual London, Dec. 13 .- No one health stunts ever seen in a motion picture British govitation and other public measures offer some protection a- serial. ernment can take credit for "ingainst these infectious diseases, the ning fight which has punch after venting" the tanks-they came into being as the result of a long way you live at home determines alperiod of study and coordinate ef- most wholly how much you will fort by many men acting under three suffer from colds and other respirseparate departments, the war office, atory diseases this winter. he admiralty, and the ministry of "Personal hygiene and home condimunitions. ions are the two big factors con-In the autumn of 1914 when the trolling winter diseases. Requirbelligerents on the western front ing a resistance to cold is the first had settled down to trench waressential toward protecting one's self fare, it became obvious that some from sickness in winter. This can means of parrying the danger of be done by sleeping in cold fresh well-directed and well-protected maair every night and by taking a chine-gun fire from the German sponge bath or by dashing cold wattrenches must be discovered if the er on the chest, neck and arms and English infantry was to carry out over the body in the morning. Overassaults with success. eating and constipation must be One of the first proposals put forstrictly avoided. Over-work and ward was for a machine 100 feet great mental or physical strain lowlong, 46 feet high and 89 feet er resistance and should be well wide, weighing some 300 tons, pro- guarded against. Caution should be taken againt sudden or local pelled by an 800 horse-power engine, and with driving wheel 40 feet chilling as wet feet, and also against in diameter. Another early sug-gestion, and the one which led most "The homes of the rich and welldirectly to the Tanks, was made by to-do are often more unhygienic, and Colonel Swinton in October, 1914, predisposed to colds than o build armored cars on a tractor simpler homes that are not stormsystem, an American invention. windowed, weather-proofed and ov-Experiments with various tractors erheated. Every home should have were made on behalf of the war an accurate thermometer and it office and by a small expert comshould be some one's duty to watch mittee of the admiralty under Win- the thermometer and never let it ston Churchill, then first lord. rise above 70 degrees. It would be Through the medium of the commit- better if kept between 65 and 68 detee of imperial defense the various grees. But cold air shut in is not efforts for the solution of the prob- fresh air. The windows should be lem were coordinated, and certain opened at intervals to let out stale conditions were laid down which air as well as let in fresh. Dust is the microbe's aeroplane. Sleeping had to be fulfilled by the proposed and dusting should be more than car. From among the numerous types stirring up the dust at regular inof tractors inspected the most sattervals."



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LUTZ'S DRUG STORE "On the Corner"

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Did you see that two reel comedy featuring Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle at the Pastime last Friday? Well, he will be here again Friday De-

cember 14th in "A Reckless Romeo" another two reel comedy that will make you laugh until your sides "A Reckless Romeo" is one surt. of the best two reel comedies everoffered for the entertainment of the screen patrons. If you miss this you will regret it.

PEARL WHITE AT PASTIME FRIDAY IN FATAL RING

The following is a short synopsis of the 19th chapter of the "Fatal of the nose, throat and the lungs- star Pearl White which will be shown

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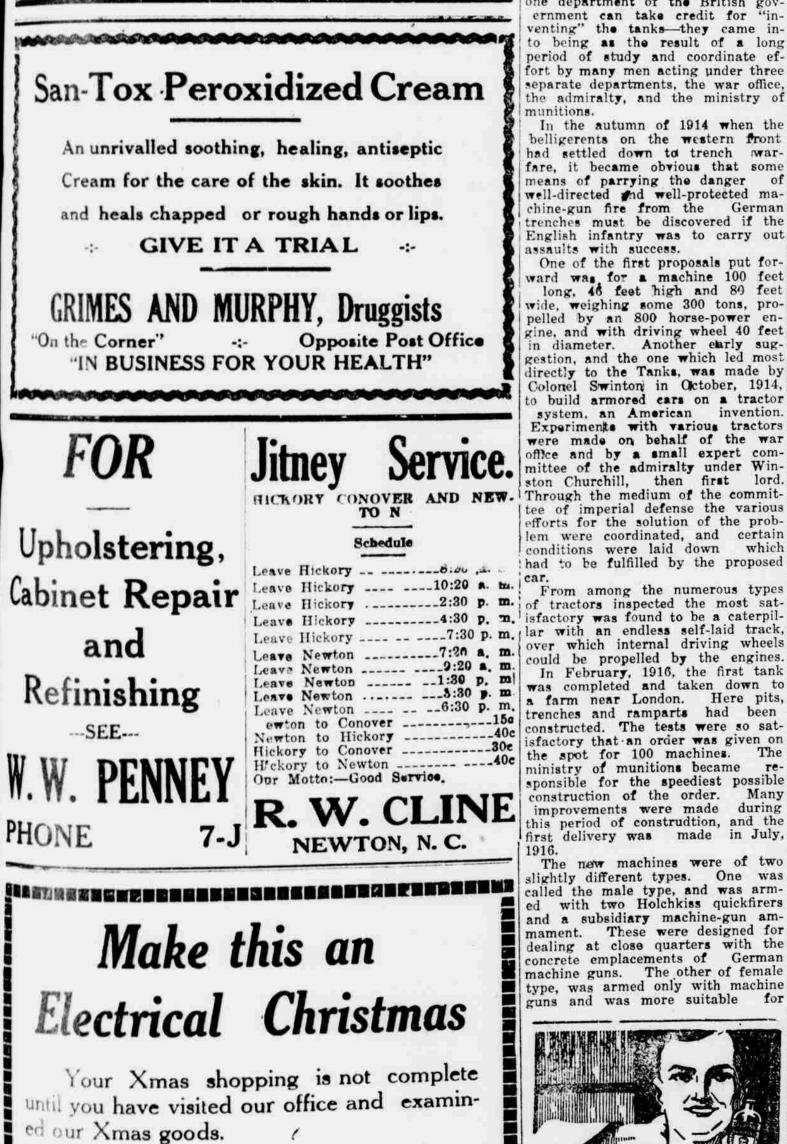
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Our stock is very complete with appropriate gifts including many things suitable for soldiers. We are always glad to help in suggestion appriate gifts.



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Just Received a Shipment of ----

THE MAIN QUESTION

could be propelled by the engines. Savannah News. In February, 1916, the first tank

A lot of quarreling is going on was completed and taken down to a farm near London. Here pits, over the question of whether Latin trenches and ramparts had been and Greek should have a prominent constructed. The tests were so sata place in the schools of the future isfactory that an order was given on as they have now. And a much The bigger quarrel is going on over the re question of whether or not the whole sponsible for the speediest possible world shall speak nothing but Gerconstruction of the order. Many man. improvements were made during this period of construction, and the

dealing with machine gun personnel and riflemen.

The new machines were of two At the end of July, 1916, the tanks slightly different types. One was and their crews had become so procalled the male type, and was arm-ed with two Holchkiss quickfirers ficient that it was possible to hold two exhibitions combats over and a subsidiary machine-gun amprepared trench system reproducing mament. These were designed for a line of German defenses. dealing at close quarters with the

At the end of August, fifty tanks were loaded at night and sent to France. When delivered in France, the tanks only traveled at night, and during the day were covered with a

uge tarpaulin and strictly guarded. The first tanks were all painted in camouflage style for purposes of concealment, and each tank had its own name, like a ship. A whole seies of them were named after various drinks, such as Cafe-au-Lait, Chartreuse, Chablis, Cognac, Champagne, Creme-de-Menthe. Another series bore names of Scotch clans, -Clan Cameron, Clan Ruthven, Clan Gordon Clan McTavish. The tanks first went into action

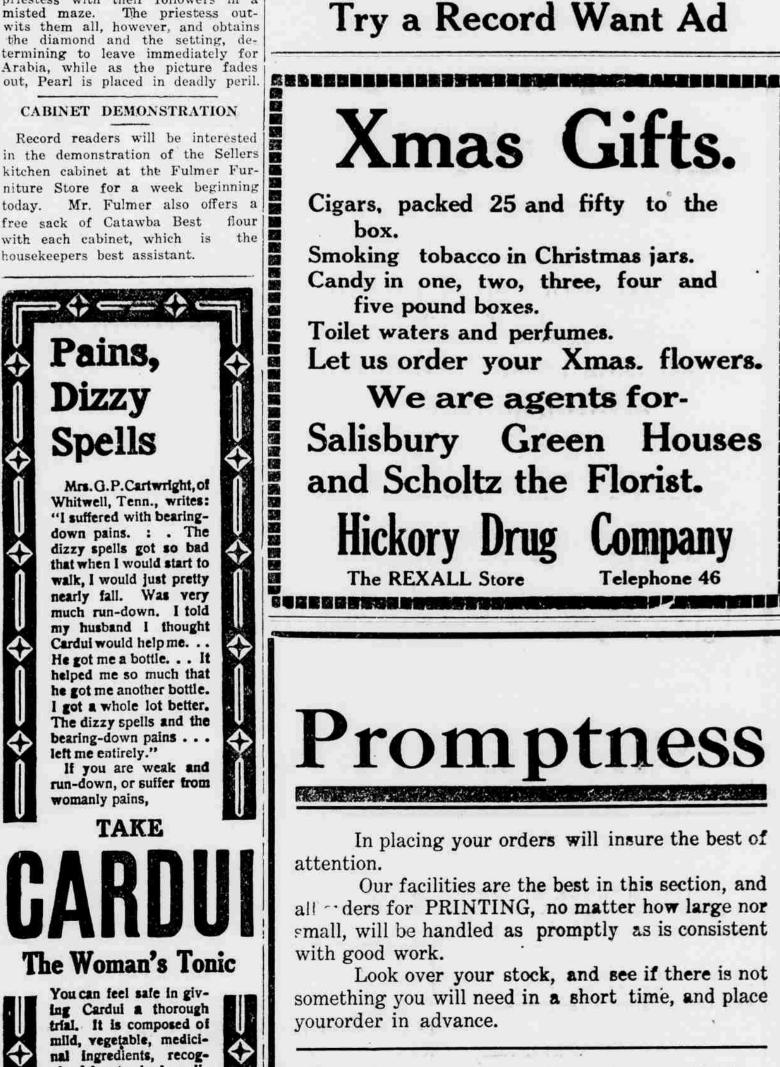
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cal books for many years,

as being of great value in

that portion of the Somme of-

The first reel shows a runpunch. The second shows how the Spider traps Carslake and the priestess with their followers in a misted maze. The priestess outwits them all, however, and obtains the diamond and the setting, determining to leave immediately for Arabia, while as the picture fades out, Pearl is placed in deadly peril.



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the troubles from which only women suffer. The **Relieves Stiff Neck** fensive which began on September \diamond HOOVER SUCTION SWEEPERS IRONS The object was to drive the enthusiastic praise of the When you wake up with a stiff Germans out of some high ground thousands of women who **Place Your Order Today** neck or sore muscles, strains or sprains, use Sloan's Liniment. No need to rub; it quickly penetrates to SEWING MACHINE*MOTORS LAMPS running east and south of Thiepval. have been helped by The effect was an exhlirating on PERCOLATORS HEAD LITE HEATERS Cardui in its past 40 years the British troops as it was dumbthe seat of pain and removes it. of successiul use shuine assure you of its genuine of successful use should CURLING; IRONS TOASTER STOVES foundeing the Germans It is re-Cleaner than mussy plasters or oint-ments. It does not stain the skin or corded that many of the British SAMOVAR TOASTERS SEWING MACHINES infantrymen were so overcome with clog the pores. Always have a bottle Clay Printing Co. handy for rheumatic aches, neuralgia coreness, bruises and lame back. In laughter at their ungainly antics that it would be worth IMMERSION HEATERS that they were scarcely able to keep your while to try this up with the procession. medicine for your trou-bles. All druggists sell it. fact, all external pain. Cenerous sized bottles at your druggist, 25c., 50c., \$1.00. There is no doubt that the ele-PHONE YOUR, WANTS TO ment of surprise had much to do Phone 167 Hickory, N. C. with the extraordinary success of the tanks on their first appearance. Try Cardui oan's Southern Public Utilities Co. But their achievements proved that they had more solid qualities than the gifts of surprise. Later in the PHONE 148 year Tanks were sent to Egypt and were in action at Gaza.