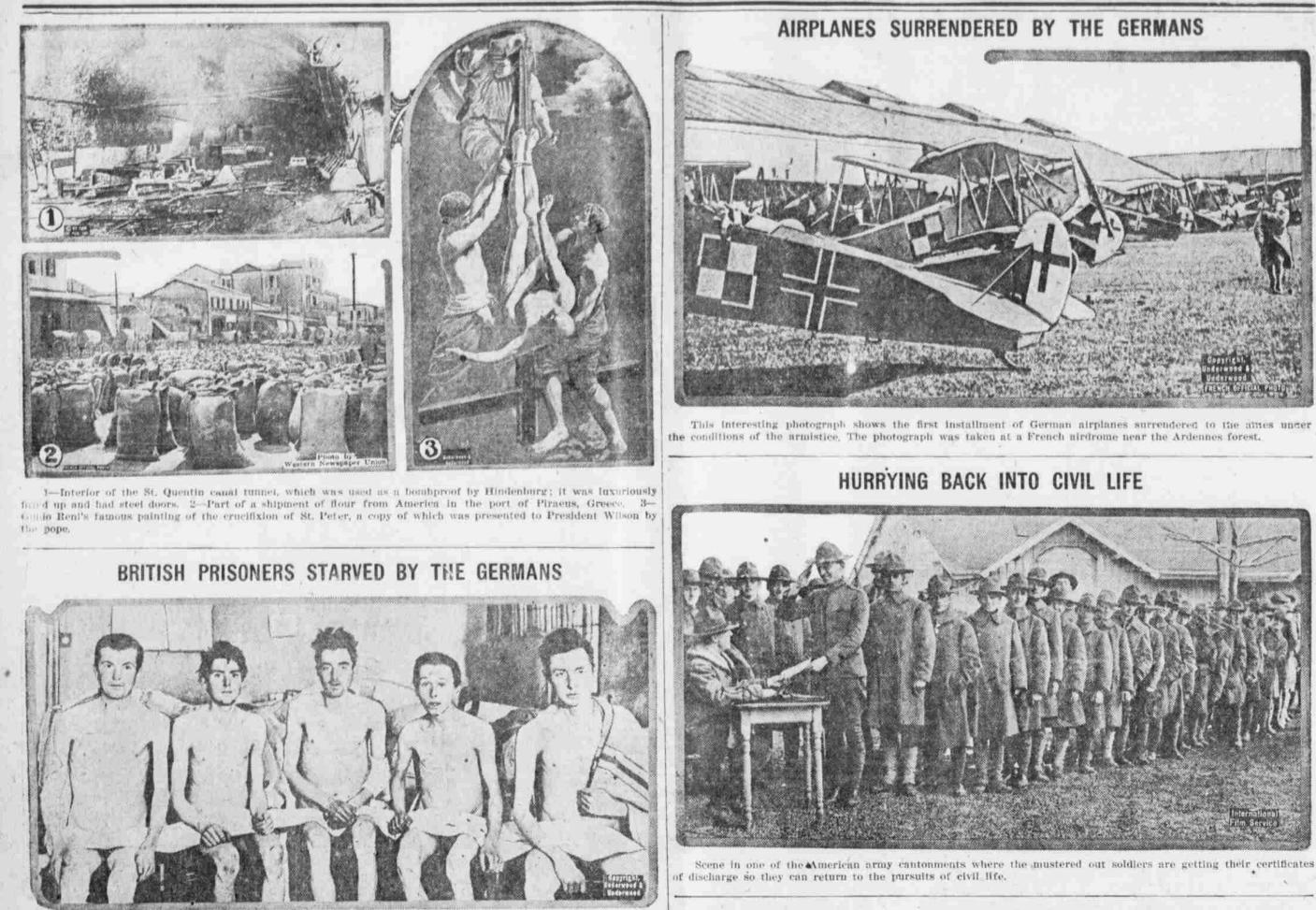
THE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE, NORTH PLATTE. NEBRASKA.

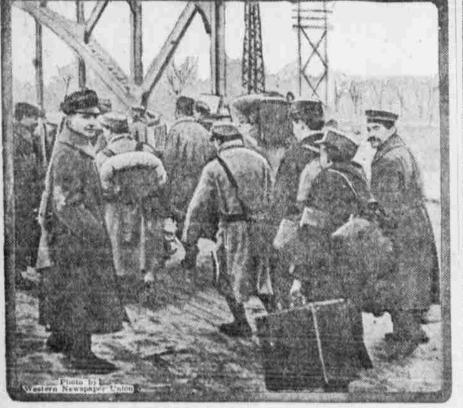


This photograph of a group of British prisoners of war just released by the Germans shows the shameful treatment of the captives by the Huns. Such evidence does not help Germany in getting the food for which she is pleading.

FRENCH PRISONERS OF WAR RETURNING

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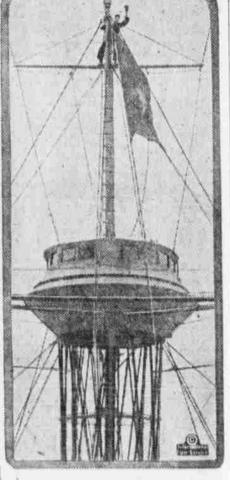
MYSTERIOUS "P. V." USED BY BRITISH



A remarkable photograph showing French prisoners returning home as they pass over a bridge on the Little Rhine at Strassburg. Troops of the Ger man revolutionary party are seen guarding the bridge.



Men of the Second Moroccan division of the French army celebrating the ir occupation of the town of Hunique by dipping their colors in the Rhine. al conversation !"



The efficiency flag proudly floating from the staff of the fighting top on the battleship Texas. The trophy is awarded to the ship with the highest honors for all around work and gives the vessel possessing it the right to fly the flag. One venturesome bluelacket of the superdreadnaught's crew has climbed to the top of the staff to pose for the photographer.

Bored by His Elders.

William Robertson Smith, who later became one of the most learned Bibli- gone far beyond scientific experiment; cal scholars of his day, was a it is now a matter-of-fact business. very precocious child. Talk was a with a constant demand. The first perssion with him, declare his blog-great difficulty is to obtain the raw raphors, but even in his very early material. Even ore containing only years he insisted that it must be good three-thousandths of a grain to the talk. Nothing wearled him more than ton is worth working up. The ore to listen to the conversation of the goes through complicated and delicompany that came to his father's cate processes of reduction and conmanse when it was not of the improv- centration, until finally from half a ing sort, especially if he had to sit ton or more of ore there results a silent himself, according to the rule jump of two or three pounds that then strictly enforced on children. On contains, among other things, the proone of these occasions, when a reverend collegiate had stayed long and of reactions and crystallizations, 6,000 after having prosed mercilessly, had or more in number, and requiring four at length left. Willie is said to have or five weeks, at the end of which time drawn his stool up to his father's knee. the few grains of bromide of radium "And now, papa," he said, looking up have separated from the other saits, with an air of one whose endurance and particularly from the salts of is at an end, "let us have some ration-

Latest photograph of Gen. Leonard Wood, who, since the death of his friend, Colonel Roosevelt, is frequently mentioned for the Republican nomination for the presidency. General Wood has just been assigned to the command of the central department with headquarters in Chicago.

GEN. LEONARD WOOD

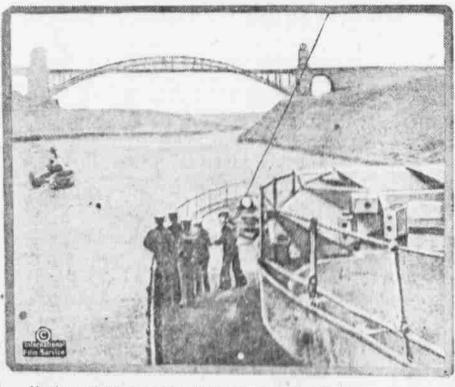
Manufacture of Radium.

The manufacture of radium has clous salts. This undergoes a series barium, which apparently accompany them most persistently,



The paravane, or "P. V.," as the British seamen call it, is the British navy's cunning device to protect war ships from enemy mines. It is a torpedo-shaped construction with flat fins at its head and a peculiar rudder designed to keep it at any desired depth. A wire rope, by which it is connected with the ship, catches up the mooring ropes of mines and causes them to travel to the nose of the paravane, where a sharp saw severs them. The mines, thus set free, rise and are destroyed.

BRITISH VESSELS IN KIEL CANAL



Members of the crew of a light cruiser of the British fleet sent to the Kiel canal, taking their first view of the famous base of the enemy fleet. The British vessels went to Kiel to supervise the work of carrying out the armistice terms regarding the German war vessels,