

A.E.F. BARDS SEEK FAME AND FRANCES IN SONG CONTEST

First Entries Arrive in Competition to Help Out Army's Voices

DOCTORS BAN HOME AIRS

Hospital Patients Get Racing Pulses, High Fevers Listening to Lyrics About Mother

The first entries are beginning to reach this office in the contest for the two best and most singable lyrics to be written by members of the A.E.F....

Speaking of lyrics, all barnstorming units are being politely requested not to sing any more songs about home and mother than they can possibly help.

It was in a hospital at Tours that the American stock company, which has enlisted such old stand-bys as Mary Boland, Minnie Dupree and Sydney Shields...

D. W. Griffith, the most celebrated movie director extant, has presented to the A.E.F. his three biggest pictures...

The Navy has enjoyed so many shows given by the soldiers at the base ports that it is moved to reciprocate...

One of the most successful acts which ever weathered the riotous series of amateur nights at the Franklin Theater in Bordeaux is the "Mess Line Breakers"...

The S.O.S. has decided that all entertainment developments in the first play that area thoroughly before moving up into the armies.

The "show a night" slogan has been taken so seriously in the 33rd Infantry that regular shows can hardly handle the epidemic of amateur dramatics...

The Sixth Marines have sent in a compact dramatic criticism of the show recently offered them at Honington-am-blein by the members of the 9th Infantry and the 17th Field Artillery...

The grand finale of the show put on by the 33rd Division always brings down the house. The scene shows a boat tied to a dock and the entire chorus exits by way of a gang plank...

The singers and the hoopers of the Third Army have nothing on the 33rd Infantry when it comes to performing in occupied territory. Chaplain Fred O. Kelley has recruited a bunch of Honey Boys...

The Argonne Players, who have made a reputation for themselves by getting by with the doughboys, took a mean advantage recently of a large house of "cette" including President Wilson himself...

The Liberty Bells is the name of a musical comedy produced by the 33rd Division which will arrive at the Theatre Albert Premier in Paris on February 17...

It was the first American show ever staged in the city of Luxembourg, where it had a particularly devastating effect on the local population...

HOSPITAL ATTENDANTS GIVEN HONOR MEDALS

Medals of honor of the French Republic were presented to nine officers, 26 nurses and 37 enlisted men of the A.E.F. at Base Hospital No. 57...

THIS IS LUCY— (But not this time of year)

—and This Is Her Letter: Quartermaster Corps, 26th Division, American E.F. Dear Parrains: I am little Lucy whom you want to take under your protection...

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Chaplain Forward S.C. Donation Chaplain N. McDonald of the 317th Field Signal Battalion wrote from St. Mihiel...

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G.O. 4, H.Q. S.O.S., just published, is in evidence to prove that a battle line and battle are not always necessary to bring forth the hero...

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