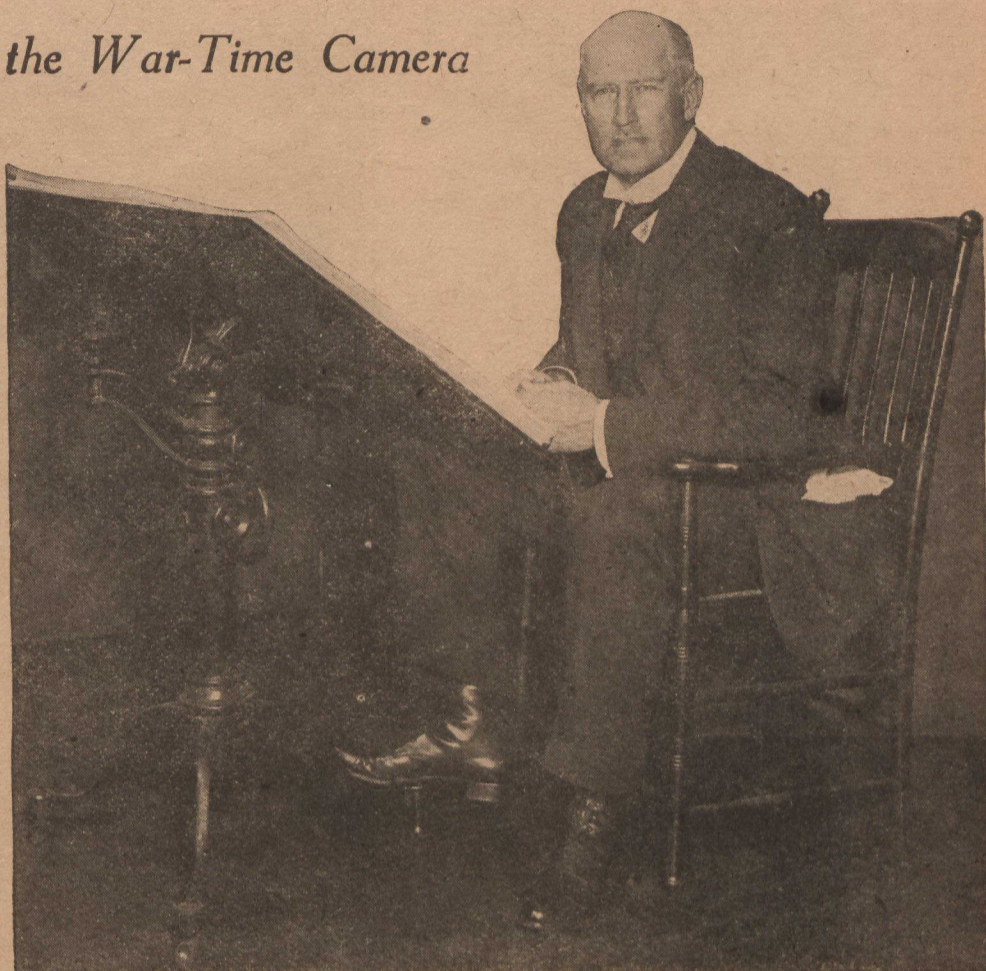


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The Whims of the War-Time Camera



CHARLES DANA GIBSON, photographed above in the act of getting ready to draw an American warposter, has done a lot of interesting faces since he came out with the Gibson girl. He has never made any study more humanly interesting than the little comedy over to the left. Father, with a shrapnel wound in his head, does his best to look like a real nice "comfy" daddy to the little one, who as plainly as words could make it seems to say, "Please go 'way, I want my daddy." The father seems to appreciate the humour of the situation. He will get that youngster to smile yet, even if she is too young to be caught with candy.



HANDSOME young American soldier this. He was just ready to embark for Europe with the first American contingent when some officer, eaves-dropping, overheard him talking. Pte. — was at once placed under arrest.

"You are charged with—being a woman" was the crushing indictment. "I plead guilty," was the reply. Identity was disclosed. Pte. — was Mrs. Hazel Carter, from Arizona, who wanted to stay with her "hubby."

DO you remember the tragedy of Mrs. Steinheil, the Paris woman who was accused of helping to kill her husband? She came within an ace of conviction, but testimony proved that she was tied and gagged in the house by a posse of masked men who did the murder. When the trial was going on Lord Abinger, an Englishman, was present. He fell in love with her before the court pronounced her innocence. A little while ago he married her.

JOE COX, the heavyweight prize-fighter, was determined to go into the ring against Germany. He tried nearly every arm of the service, but was turned down every time as physically unfit, because he was too big in every dimension. At last he decided to go up in the air. But he didn't go. The aviation experts said he was inches too tall and several pounds too heavy. So what does Joe Cox do but say to himself, "By gum, I'll get into it yet." So he enlisted as a first-class fireman in the Naval Coast Defence Reserve. Here he is being examined by the Naval doctor.