

Enclosure

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DECOMPRESSION:

RUSHCUTTER. Drama at the rushcutter bay naval establishment. A diver, who developed the "bends" in a hundred feet of water near port Macquaire, has been rushed to the decompression chamber. The "bends" a form of paralysis caused by nitrogen bubbles in the blood... is cured by gradually reducing the pressure in the chamber. A companion ensures that the diver keeps awake so his blood will circulate freely.

OPERATOR: German migrant, Gustaf Cziesche will spend nearly two days inside the chamber.

WIFE: So his wife visits him. she can't go right in.

PHONE: But she can talk to Gustav on the phone. he's feeling better, but says that when he arrived he felt as if he had toothache all over!

NAVY: Navy doctors and officers keep a close watch on the chamber,

MEALS: And Gustav and his friend eat hearty meals. It's all well that ends well for German migrant and his wife!
