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The 400th Anniversary of the Reformation



Dr. Martin Luther (1483-1546).

The nailing of his ninety-five theses on the door of the Old Castle Church at Wittenberg on Oct. 31, 1517 started that world-wide movement which is known as the Reformation. The protestants of the whole world, but especially the Lutherans, celebrate the 400th anniversary of that event with great enthusiasm. As a jubilee offering the Lutheran Church of America raised ten million dollars for educational and charity institutes.

In the United States the Lutheran Church has about 3,000,000 communicants, 10,000 ministers, 16,000 churches, 3,101 parochial schools, 49 academies, 19 young ladies seminaries, 41 colleges, 29 theological seminaries, 61 orphan's homes, 38 homes for aged and 63 asylums and hospitals. She publishes periodicals as follows: English, 123; German, 78; Norwegian, 27; Swedish, 12; Danish, 8; Finnish, 3; Hungarian, 2; French, 1; Icelandic, 3; Slavonic, 3; Lettish, 1; Estonian, 1; total, 262.

The Lutheran Church has over 70,000,000 of baptized members in the world. She sustains 2,600 missionaries in foreign lands. She uses about fifty languages in which to preach the gospel on all continents and in nearly all islands of the world.

The Lutheran Church at Kerrville will celebrate the 400th anniversary of the Reformation next Sunday, October 28th. German services at 10:30 a. m.; English services at 8 p. m.

B. SCHLEIFER, Pastor.

Back From Dallas.

K. G. Baker, Kerr County Farm Demonstrator, and the three Corn Club Boys, Grady Rees, Vinton Lang and Horace Rees, returned Tuesday from Dallas where they attended the Fair and the Boy's Annual Educational Encampment. The boys, four hundred in number, were there from different counties and were divided into companies with their County Demonstrators as their captains made tours of the Fair Grounds visiting the various exhibits and hearing lectures. It was indeed a great educational trip for our boys and they are high in their praise of Mr. Baker.

The "Womanless Wedding"

The wedding will take place at the school auditorium next Tuesday night without fail. Come and have a good laugh and help the Red Cross.

J. V. Hopkins has just returned from Alba where he left his family while Mrs. Hopkins recuperates after a successful operation which she underwent at Dallas a few weeks ago.

R. H. Reynolds.

Mr. R. H. Reynolds, who came here about ten days ago from St. Joseph, Mo., for the benefit of his health, died at the Reynolds Hotel Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. His mother came to nurse him his last days and accompanied the body on the long journey home.

Government Wants Horses

The Government has a plan by which horses can be sold directly from the farmer to the government. Good prices will be paid for acceptable stuff. It will be necessary to assemble a car load of horses in order to get an inspector. Farmers who have horses for sale should communicate with me, giving number and where located. If you have any surplus horses of the quality acceptable to the Government, it will pay you to list them with me. There will not be any commission charges whatsoever for my services.

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True Loyalty of a German Born American

(By Otto Kahn.)

This nation is united in pursuance of a high purpose, a purpose which at this fateful moment is one and the same wherever, throughout the world, the language of free men is spoken and understood.

It is the purpose of a common determination to fight and to bear and to dare everything and never to cease nor rest until the accursed thing which has brought upon the world the unutterable calamity, the devil's visitation of this appalling war, is destroyed beyond all possibility of resurrection.

That accursed thing is not a nation, but an evil spirit, a spirit which has made the Government possessed by it and executing its abhorrent and bloody bidding an abomination in the sight of God and men.

What we are now contending for by the side of our splendidly brave and sorely tried comrades in arms, after infinite intercourse, after weary which many of us found it hard to bear, are the things which are amongst the highest and most cherished that the civilized world has attained through the toil, sacrifices, and suffering of its best in the course of many centuries.

They are the things without which darkness would fall upon hope and life would become meaningless.

They are the things of humanity, mercy, justice, and mercy, for which the best men amongst us are fighting. They are the things which have made the name of Germany great and noble and which have made the name of Germany great and noble and which have made the name of Germany great and noble.

This appalling conflict which has been drenching the world with blood is not a mere fight of one or more peoples against one or more other peoples.

It goes far deeper. It sharply divides the soul and conscience of the world. It transcends vastly the domain of racial allegiance. It is eternally fundamental.

In determining ones attitude toward it, the time has gone by—if it ever was—when race and blood and national animosities were permitted to count.

A century and a half ago Americans of English birth rose to free this country from the oppression of the rulers of England. Today Americans of German birth are called upon to rise, together with their fellow citizens of all races, to free not only this country but the whole world from the oppression of the rulers of Germany, an oppression far less capable of being endured and of far graver portent.

Speaking as one born of German parents, I do not hesitate to state it as my deep conviction that the greatest service which men of German birth or antecedents can render to the country of their origin is to proclaim and to stand up for those great and true ideals and national qualities and traditions which they inherited from their ancestors, and to set their faces like flint against the monstrous doctrines and acts of a rulership which has robbed them of the Germany which they loved and in which they took just pride, the Germany which had the good will, respect and admiration of the entire world.

I do not hesitate to state it as my solemn conviction that the more unmistakably and wholeheartedly Americans of German origin throw themselves into the struggle which this country has entered in order to rescue Germany, no less than America and the rest of the world, from those sinister forces that are, in President Wilson's language, the enemy of all mankind, the better they protect and serve the reputation of the old German name and the true advantage of the German people.

I measure my words. They are borne out all to emphatically by the hideous eloquence of deeds which have appalled the conscience of the civilized world. They are borne out by numberless expressions, written and spoken, of German professors employed by the State to teach its youth.

The burden of that teaching is that might makes right, and that the German nation has been chosen to exercise morality, mentally, and actually the overlordship of the world and must and will accomplish that task and that destiny whatever the cost in bloodshed, misery, and ruin.

The spirit of that teaching lies in its intolerance, its mixture of sanctimoniousness and egotism and its self-righteous assumption of a world-improving mission. It is closely akin to the spirit from which were bred the wars of the past through the long and dark years when feudal factions killed one another and devastated Europe.

I speak in sorrow, for I am speaking of the country of my origin and I have not forgotten what I owe to it.

I speak in bitter disappointment, for I am thinking of the Germany of former days, the Germany which has contributed its full share to the store of the world's imperishable assets and which, in not a few fields of human endeavor and achievement, held the leading place among the nations of the earth.

And I speak in the firm faith that, after its people shall have shaken off and made atonement for the dreadful spell which an evil fate has cast upon them, former Germany is bound to arise again and, in due course of time, will again deserve and attain the good will and the high respect of the world and the affectionate loyalty of all those of German blood in foreign lands.

But I know that neither Germany nor this country nor the rest of the world can return to happiness and peace and fruitful labor until it shall have been made manifest, bitterly and unmistakably manifest to the rulers who bear the blood-guilt for this wanton war and to their misinformed and misguided peoples that the spirit which unchained it can not prevail, that the hateful doctrines and methods in pursuance of which and in compliance with which it is conducted are rejected with abhorrence by the civilized world, and that the overweening ambitions which it was meant to serve can never be achieved.

The fight for civilization which we all fondly believed had been won many years ago must be fought over again. In this sacred struggle it is not our privilege to take no mean part, and our glory to bring sacrifices.

Our one and supreme job, the one purpose to which all others must give way, is to bring this war to a successful conclusion.

To accomplish that, let each one of us feel himself personally responsible, let each one of us work as if our life depended on the result. And, in a very real sense, does not our national life and our individual life depend on the outcome of this war?

Would life be tolerable if the power of Prussianism, run mad and murderous, held the world by the throat, if the primary of the earth belonged to a government steeped in the doctrines of a barbarous past and supported by a ruling caste which preaches the deification of sheer might, which despises liberty, hates democracy, and would destroy both if it could?

To that spirit and to those doctrines we, citizens of America and servants, as such, of humanity, will oppose our solemn and unshakable resolution "to make the world safe for democracy," and we will say, with a clear conscience, in the noble words which more than 500 years ago were uttered by the Parliament of Scotland:

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Following are the appointments of the San Antonio District as made by Bishop Mouzon at the Annual West Texas Conference of the M. E. Church South held at Corpus Christi last week:

San Antonio—Alamo, J. F. Lawlis; Alamo Heights, Geo. F. Harris; Denver Heights, W. M. Sherrill; Government Hill, S. L. Batchelor; Laurel Heights, Felix R. Hill; Los Angeles Heights, J. D. Scott; McKinley Avenue, S. B. Beal; Prospect Hill, H. M. Ratiff; South Side, R. W. Fisher; San Antonio Circuit, W. L. Brandon; Travis Park, C. W. Webber; West End, C. M. Rabe; Bander and Medina, J. W. Childers; Boerne, R. S. Adair; Center Point, J. H. Meredith; Kerrville, S. W. Kemerer; Jourdanton, Robt. Paine; Pearsapton, J. C. Campbell; Potect, A. M. Foster; Conference Evangelists, R. A. Waltrip and Dow B. Keene.

The many friends of Rev. Kemerer and his good wife are glad of the news that they are to be with us again. This will be their third year in Kerrville.

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Shower to Miss Watters

On Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 23, Miss Blanche Self, assisted by her mother and Miss Elizabeth Anderson, entertained in honor of Miss Annie Watters, a bride of the near future. Merry conversation ruled the hour until the guests were ushered into the dining room. "Merrimentation" was the center of attraction at the dining table, where she sat at the cross roads, using her umbrella to keep off the shower of hearts. She was nearer to "Double Happiness" than to "Single Blessedness" as was indicated by the signpost. Small heart-shaped pictures of the bride-to-be, in the centers of hard made white roses were mounted on the corners of the place cards. Blue candles, set in the hearts of white roses lighted the room. Fortunes for the guests fell out as the napkins were unfolded. Refreshments consisting of hot chocolate and cake were served. The bride-to-be's fortune told where she would find her gifts and on leaving the dining room "they" were the next sought. Among the "Ohs" and "Ahs," each gift was shorn of its blue and white wrappings and admired. On departing the guests left many happy wishes to be stored in the bride-to-be's house of memory.

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"The time has come to conquer or submit. For us there is but one choice. We have made it."
—President Wilson.

"Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?"
—Secretary McAdoo.

Nothing would give the Advance more pleasure just now than to be able to buy a Liberty Bond unless it would be to see the war close after giving Germany the brushing that she deserves.

A man is a traitor who by spoken or written word, secret sign or overt act aids the enemy of his country in time of war. We hope Kerr County has none of such, but if we have we ought to make it so hot for them that they can't stay here.

That was a great victory for prohibition and righteousness in McLennan county last Saturday when the county went dry by a majority of 1256. The city of Waco, always wet, went for prohibition by 137 majority. Following so quickly the great victory at Dallas it gives the prohibitionists much courage and the Advance rejoices with them in their success. Let the battle-cry be, On to Austin!

What a lucky thing that Woodrow Wilson didn't embroil us in war with Mexico a year ago when so many criticised him for his "watchful waiting" policy. If we had gone into that war Germany might be today dropping bombs on Texas soil, for no doubt that was her purpose.

Every criticism of our Government just now by a citizen of this country is traitorous in effect if not in intent. If we fall down on the Liberty Loan, the skulkers, growers and slackers will be to blame for it. We would say to such that if they persist in knocking our government and upholding and encouraging the enemy there is no room for them in the U. S. and they ought not to be allowed freedom and citizenship under our glorious Stars and stripes.

Travis county started another local option campaign last week with a rousing meeting which filled to overflowing the county court house and was marked with spirited interest all the way through. Short talks were made by business men of the city and many former antis spoke right out in meeting in favor of a dry Austin. Commenting on the campaign the American, Austin's leading daily paper and formerly strongly anti, has this to say:

"Formerly the great bulk of the prohibition vote was in North Texas but it is moving Southward rapidly. Dallas with its educational institutions broke the ice. Waco, with still greater institutions of learning, was next to follow. Brazos county, in which is located the A. & M. College, is now dry, and Austin, where is located the greatest of all, the University of Texas, will be the next in line."

"Some of the best stuff in America has come out of foreign lands, and some of the best stuff in America is in the men who are naturalized citizens of the United States. I would not be afraid upon the test of 'America First' to take a census of all the foreign-born citizens of the United States, for I know that

the vast majority of them came here because they believed in America; and their belief in America has made them better citizens than some people who were born in America. I am not deceived as to the balance of opinion among the foreign-born citizens of the United States, but I am in a hurry for an opportunity to have a line-up and let the men who are thinking first of other countries stand on one side and all those that are for America first, last, and all the time on the other side."—President Wilson.

If anyone can furnish us any reasonable excuse why saloons ought to remain in Kerrville after they are being driven out as unnecessary evils from almost every other community in Texas, we will let up on them, for a while at least. But we are sure that no one can point to a single good purpose they serve and the harm they do is too evident and too long proven to need any comment. The Advance believes the people are ready to vote them out. What do you say?

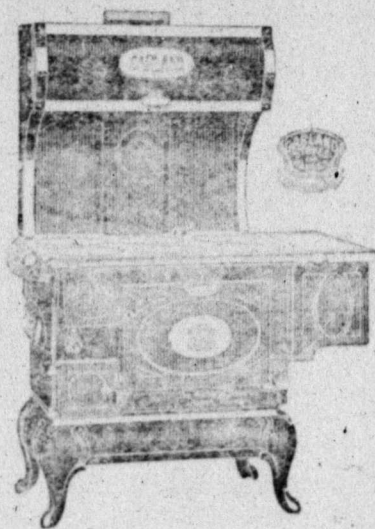
The Kerrville Advance has entered upon its sixth year of age and usefulness. The paper is well patronized by the good, progressive business men of that city, and in return Bro. T. A. Buckner and Mrs. Hattie Buckner are giving them one of the very neatest and best edited papers that comes to our table.—Real County News.

Thanks, Bro. Brown, for this nice compliment. We are doing our best under the circumstances.

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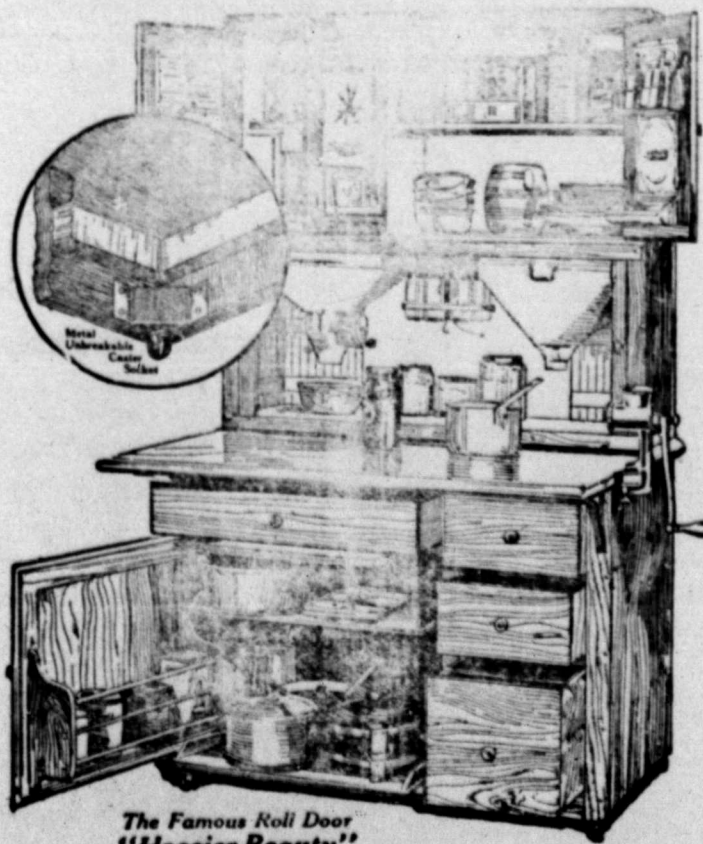
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FOR WOMEN.

How does the war concern you? The mothers who have a boy who has gone to fight for his country, will not ask such a question. But if the war has not touched you yet, you may ask this question.

There are feelings that only mothers know, and only women understand. Think of the mothers who have given their eldest boy to their country. How do they feel today? How would you feel if you were in their place? They have parted with the little fellow that came first and has always been a little ahead of the others in their love, because his was the first little tiny human form that lay against their breast; his were the first little hands that touched at their hair. This other mother—the mother who has sent her boy to fight for YOUR protection, feels just the same way that you would about your boy.

She wants that boy back. Won't you help her bring him back? There are thousands of American mothers feeling badly today. Millions of French and English mothers, longing for their boys.

Husbands too, have gone by the million to fight for their Country and yours, for YOUR protection. Don't you sympathize with these women? Your husband is not perfect, sometimes you get "real mad" with him, but you don't want him killed by German brutes. Think, then, how these other wives feel—they want their husbands back. Won't you help them bring their men back?

Yes, of course you would like to help them, "but how can I help?"

Help end the war by buying a Liberty Bond. Save out of the house-keeping money for it, deny yourself something so you can buy it. Do more than this—see that your husband, your friends, your neighbors, your a Liberty Bond. Show them the little "bit" in the paper, and say, "Let's all buy a Liberty Bond please."

Couldn't Find It.

Howard, who was in the third grade of rural school, was evidently "absorbing" some of the seventh grade literature also, as one evening he said to his brother: "Roy, do you remember where it is in 'Evangeline' that Brutus kills Caesar?"

Clamorous.

A New Jersey man wants the ringing of a church bell near his home enjoined. He says it is so clamorous that it shook him out of bed Sunday morning. But he didn't go to church.

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Posted Notice

Notice is hereby given that my pastures are posted and hunting in same is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.

J. T. S. GAMMON.

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that we have leased the hunting privileges of that part of the Melissa ranch property on head of Johnson creek, now owned by F. S. Ragland, and hunting with dog or gun or otherwise trespassing is strictly prohibited.

W. A. FAWCETT,
J. R. LEAVELL.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

Holy Communion 1st Sunday.
Morning prayer 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays 10:30 a. m.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Morris Ranch 3rd Sunday 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Turtle Creek 4th Sunday 3:30 p. m.

J. S. JOHNSTON, Pastor,
J. W. WOEISSNER, Associate

Trespass Notice.

The undersigned have leased the hunting privileges of Oscar Strobacker's pastures on Bushwhack and hereby give notice that hunting and otherwise trespassing in same is prohibited under penalty of the law.

Ernest Pfeiffer,
Hilmar Pfeiffer,
A. W. Henke.

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Center Point Letter

Regular Correspondence:

Rev. J. H. Meredith and Mr. F. F. Coker have returned from the West Texas Annual Conference, which was held at Corpus Christi. We are glad that Bro. Meredith will not be moved this year.

Miss Annie Bundick, who spent the summer with her sister, Mrs. Railey, has returned to her home in California.

Mrs. John Bates and two children spent the week with Mrs. Bates mother, Mrs. Dora Goß.

Miss Angelina Wharton has returned from a visit with relatives and friends in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burney have sold their store to Misses Cynthia and Fita Pafford. The Misses Pafford will move their millinery to the building occupied by the Economy Store and will continue their work. Mr. and Mrs. Burney will move to San Antonio.

Mr. Campbell a former resident of Center Point but now a student at Camp Stanley, spent Sunday here with friends.

J. C. McElroy spent Tuesday night in Center Point. He now resides in San Antonio.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Missionary meeting.
Subject—Look on the Fields.
Prayer.
Leader—Miss Jessie Riddle.
Song—Oh Zion Haste.
Scripture, Psalm 96.
Introduction by leader.
Africa—Mrs. Osborne.
Japan—Miss Josie B. Newman.
South America—Miss Mabel Mees.
Italy—Mr. Oliver Byas.
China—Miss Graves Dewees.
Russia—Mr. Chas. Butt.
Missionary Methods—Mrs. Butt.

Wanted to buy—Old sacks of all kinds, oat, wheat, bran, etc. Bring to Adkins Barber Shop.
W. C. Word and Homer Ruff.

ONE GERMAN'S VIEWS

Jacob Cratts in Auburn (Neb.) Republican: I have seen several articles about Germans trying to raise strife in this country. I am a German by birth and I am an American, heart and hand. I will tell you why I left Germany. There were ten in our family and we were poor like most of my countrymen who came to the good old United States of America to get away from the oppression, and it was a hard matter to keep the wolf away from the door at times. When I landed in this country I secured work at once, and received more money for one month's work than I got in Germany for one year's work. I sent for my folks and I am proud they are all true American citizens and will answer the President's call to arms against Germany or any other country when needed.

I don't see how my countrymen can go back on Uncle Sam. They came here without a cent and made money here; now they want to fight the country that feeds them. The kaiser never did anything for them or for me. If he had we would be back there yet. All he did was to start this cruel war and starve all his people there and make soldiers out of everybody and force them to work for his dirty twelve cents a day with a fourth pound of meat and loaf of black bread. I hope to see the day when he is kicked out of Germany and a president put in his place. You don't see any Americans going over there for jobs or to any other nation. They are happy here and do not owe any allegiance to any king or kaiser. I hope Uncle Sam will win. Hurrah for President Wilson.

Catholic Church Notes

(By Father Kemper)

The episcopal visitation of the Harper mission was indefinitely postponed on account of Bishop Shaw's sudden attack of illness while at Fredericks. Father Kemper motored to the last-named city on Tuesday, intending to escort his Lordship to Harper, but the altered program caused his immediate return.

Last Sunday Father Kemper filled his monthly engagement at Comfort. He was accompanied there by Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Stevens and their daughter Lionella, who spent the afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Lindeman, a sister of Mrs. Stephens. Dr. F. F. Nye and his son Frederick, were also in Comfort on this occasion.

The Episcopalians have very kindly exchanged their sewing day and in consequence the Catholic ladies will meet at the Red Cross Headquarters on Fridays instead of Thursdays.

Mr. J. C. Carik, a successful merchant of West, Texas, has moved to our mountain village on account of his wife's health. Benny Mosel went to Fredericksburg on Saturday to visit his uncle, Mr. Louis Dietz, with whom he will journey to Blanco. Mr. Frank Nicht of San Antonio was a week-end visitor. His marriage to Miss Ruth Mosel is announced for November seventh.

Feeling Your Pulse.

Here is one of Thoreau's spring thoughts: "Measure your health by your sympathy with morning and spring. If there is no response in you to the awakening of nature, if the prospect of an early morning walk does not banish sleep, if the warble of the first bluebird does not thrill you, know that the morning and spring of your life is past. Thus may you feel your pulse."

No Need for Delay.

Johnny was invited to a party, but could not go, because he had to go with his mother to the depot to meet his uncle. Upon the uncle's arrival he said to Johnny: "If you are a good boy while I am here I will buy you a baseball," whereupon Johnny replied: "You don't need to wait. You can buy it right away. Just think how good I was—I stayed away from a party to meet you."

To Teachers and School Children

I will have Lunches, Sandwiches, and full Dinners for sale on and after October 1st.

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Notice of Hearing to Appropriate Public Waters

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
No. 232.

Notice is hereby given to whom concerned, that R. F. Hunt, whose postoffice address is Kerrville, Texas, did on the 1st day of October, A. D., 1917, file an application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit to appropriate 1 1/2 cubic feet of water per second of time for the purpose of irrigating certain lands hereinafter described, from the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, to be diverted from the Guadalupe river, by means of a pumping plant, located on the Samuel Wallace Survey No. 112, and on the north bank of the Guadalupe river, two miles in a southeasterly direction from the town of Kerrville, in Kerr County, Texas.

You are hereby further notified that the lands proposed to be irrigated consist of a part of the said Samuel Wallace Survey No. 112, described by metes and bounds in the application aggregating 26 acres, and situated in Kerr County, Texas.

A hearing on the said application, of the said R. F. Hunt will be held by the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at its office, in the City of Austin, County of Travis, said State, on Monday, the 29th day of October, A. D. 1917, beginning at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under, and by virtue of, an order of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at the office of said Board, in Austin, Texas, this 1st day of October, A. D., 1917.

John Wilson,
E. B. Gore,
Attest: W. T. Potter, Board.
Secretary.

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QUEER STORIES OF NEW RUSSIA

Elementary Mentality of the Masses Demonstrated by Amusing Examples.

FISH MADE FREE BY TROOPS

How Pretty Woman, With Dogs and Red Ribbon, Turned Hostility to Enthusiasm—Man With Red Umbrella Becomes Personage.

Paris.—Political happenings have succeeded one another so rapidly in Russia that French correspondents there have had little time to do more than occupy themselves with them, and descriptive articles from those journalists have been few regarding the effect of the revolution on the mass of the people and its results in the provinces and among the peasants. One or two articles, however, have appeared which throw some light on the mentality of the Russians, regarded as so different from that of other Europeans.

Robert de Fiers, associate editor of the Figaro and now attached to the headquarters staff of the Roumanian army, has had months of study of the Russian troops serving in conjunction with those of Roumania. Here are some anecdotes from his latest article:

There is a fine lake somewhere in the south of Russia which is connected by a channel with a smaller lake, where huge carp are raised. The channel was barred by nets to prevent the carp from passing into the larger lake, and, as food does not reach the troops in the district too plentifully nor in great variety, the officers were glad to vary their mess with the fish.

One day some hundreds of soldiers were gathered in a meeting—one of those meetings which have become a regular institution in the Russian army this year—plunged in deep discussion. Suddenly there was a rush toward the lakes and, with cries of "Sloboda!" "Sloboda!" ("Liberty!" "Liberty!"), the men began to pull out the barriers and nets and destroy them. The officers wished to prevent the destruction, but the soldiers took little notice of their reprimands beyond crying "Sloboda! Sloboda for the fish!"

A noncommissioned officer explained the matter. "Fish are God's creatures as men are. Like them, they have the right to liberty. But men can talk and so have made the revolution, while fish are dumb and can never make theirs. It is, therefore, our duty to aid them because it is contrary to nature to pen them up in order to capture them and easily kill them."

A Personage and Didn't Know It. A middle class functionary, a man who occupied a modest position in one of the tax-collecting offices and who was imbued with the narrow, bureaucratic, reactionary spirit generally found in that class, chanced to go out one day with a red umbrella under his arm. A group of manifestants going to a meeting begged him to open his umbrella. He willingly complied, and at

MRS. WM. ASTOR CHANLER



One of the American women who have kept green the memory of the Marquis de Lafayette and the great service he rendered this country in its early struggle for life is Mrs. William Astor Chanler, who has devoted much of her time and energy since the war began to aiding the French in their great struggle. Mrs. Chanler has been interested in hospital and relief work in Paris, but her especial charities have been the Lafayette fund, which provides comfort kits to French soldiers, and the French heroes' fund. It was the latter fund, of which Mrs. Chanler was president, that purchased the birthplace of Lafayette in France to be preserved as a museum.

once found that his bright umbrella—red being the revolution's color—made him a personage. Women threw him flowers, children were lifted up for him to kiss, and he was at once made president of the meeting.

When that was over he was conducted in triumph to a banquet, and there, too, he made an eloquent speech, having discovered himself an orator without having ever suspected it. Finally he was conducted to his home at a late hour by several thousands of his free if not enlightened fellow-citizens. From that day, after inscribing his name on the revolutionary committee, he has never gone out without his red umbrella, always open.

For months every material, from silk to the commonest cloth, colored red, has been sought for and made into cockades, flags, streamers, etc. The smallest fragment of red serves as an excuse for a manifestation. Here is a story of a squad of Russian soldiers, a pretty woman, a pet dog, and a bow-knot of red ribbon.

The pretty woman was walking up and down the platform of a little station crowded with soldiers. The men, whose opportunities of seeing a pretty woman had been limited for many a month, gazed in admiration and were prepared to make a manifestation in her honor. But suddenly their feelings showed a change and cries of discontent began to be heard. A group of soldiers went up to the woman and severely upbraided her because a bow of red ribbon was fastened over the ear of her Pomeranian dog. Such a use of the symbol of revolution was shocking, they said, as it showed a wish to ridicule the great movement. The soldiers shouted, shrieked, and jumped about excitedly, to the utter astonishment of the pretty woman and of the Pom.

But the woman extricated herself from an embarrassing position with the guile of a true daughter of Eve. She took the ribbon from her dog's head and placed it in her own hair. Once more the crowd changed its tone, and it was amid enthusiastic cheering that she, and the dog, took the train a little later.

A certain general was suspected by his men of being only lukewarm toward the new movement, so a delegation of soldiers waited on him to ask him his real opinions.

"I'll tell you just what I am," he said to them, "and you can tell it to every one. I look upon my men as my children and so have no reason not to tell them the whole truth. I am a Maximalist anarchist. After that I am sure you won't want any further details."

The men went away delighted. They declared to the regiment that had sent them: "The general is absolutely all right. He is so tremendously revolutionary that we couldn't even remember the name that he said."

Logic of Freedom.

Two soldiers had happened to speak to a general and one had used the term, "your excellency," as was the custom before the revolution. The other soldier afterward rebuked his companion for such a lapse from new principles.

"You said 'excellency'?" "Well, of course I said 'excellency.'"

"But don't you know that now you mustn't say 'excellency'?" "And why mustn't we say 'excellency' and more?"

"What? Why? Because we have made the revolution, and now we are all free."

The first soldier was silent for a minute, and then remarked: "But since we are all free, we are free to say 'excellency' if we like to."

The other soldier, in turn, reflected for a minute, and then declared: "That's true, after all. The moment we are free we can do what we like. It's that, you see that's so difficult to understand. But as that's really so, I am going to say 'excellency' myself."

Then he added: "But, all the same, it won't be the same thing as before."

Ludovic Nadeau has found time to send to the Temps some anecdotes about events in Petrograd after the great revolution. In the early days of the revolution a strange-looking street-soldier made his appearance on the Nevsky Prospect. As he wore a scarlet cap, a crowd soon gathered. He was offering pamphlets at 50 kopecks apiece, and could hardly hand them out quick enough. The natural inference would be that the work treated of the revolution, but, as a matter of fact, it was a "History of Buddhism," bought, doubtless, for a nominal sum as a publisher's remainder. One soldier, as he carried away his bargain, was heard to say: "I can't read, but lots of comrades in the barracks can."

Before the revolution, people bathed naked in the Neva, but outside the town. Now they are bathing, entirely stripped, within the town, and walk about on the bridges and quays between the French and British embassies. The men of 1793 were christened "sans culotte," (without trousers), the men of 1917 are "sans calecon," (without drawers).

The Petrograd soldiers, anxious to instruct themselves and occupy the leisure that the revolution has given them, are great visitors to the museums. Their anxiety to investigate everything leads them to pass their hands over the pictures and caress the statuary, (often marking it with their nails). Notices have been put up be-

giving comrades to touch nothing. The founder and curator of the "Ethnographic" Museum recounts that his staff, (caretakers, cleaners, etc.), has petitioned the government for the suppression of his office, on the ground that a curator is useless in a museum, that he does nothing, costs money, and is of no service, as they who carry the keys, wield the feather brooms, and clean the floors are the real curators.

How to Be a Civil Engineer.

In a manufactory the workmen in a body waited on the civil engineers to tell them that, "the old order having passed away, there must be no more slavery. Everyone must work in turn. So you will kindly come of you go down into the mines, and others fire the engines."

"And who will do our work?" asked the engineers. "Some of us will take turns in your offices."

"But what will you do there?" "The same as you—sit around, sharpen pencils, and smoke cigarettes."

On Sunday, July 8, M. Nadeau saw a crowd moving along the Nevsky Prospect, carrying banners, half blue, half yellow. "That's all right," said a middle-class citizen to him. "Revolutionary red seems to be going out of date." When the column had approached, it proved to be composed almost entirely of soldiers, enough to form two or three regiments. Their banners bore the inscription "Long Live the Government!" which seemed to show that it was a patriotic manifestation, but others had "Long Live the Ukraine!" "Long Live Independent Little Russia!" "Long Live the Independent Ukraine!"

The soldiers belonged to the Petrograd garrison and were natives of Little Russia, manifesting their desire to be enrolled as soon as possible in the purely Ukrainian army that is being formed in the south. No one interfered with their separatist demonstration.

Some soldiers whose bearing was anything but martial, were taking up too much room in a tramway to please the female conductor, who rated them vigorously with all the extraordinary authority which women in Russia always display toward men. "You soldiers! Go on! You only have soldiers' clothes, that's all!"

"It's a shame to treat a poor wounded man like this," murmured one of them. "You wounded?" retorted the conductor. "If you are wounded it must be in the left nostril and by a cork from a bottle!"

These illustrations of Russian temperament are declared to indicate the difficult task Kerensky confronts, to direct such a people and to keep them steadily in the path that he would have them follow.

COW GETS ARMY RECOGNITION

Soldiers Permitted to Own Animal, Paying Upkeep From Ration Savings.

Washington.—Soldiers in the army not only may keep a cow, but they can feed it at government expense, provided they consume the milk, says a ruling of the judge advocate general. The decision was rendered on the question of whether feed for a cow kept by a detachment of soldiers for the production of milk for the detachment mess could legally be purchased from the ration savings, in view of the regulation that "such savings shall be used solely for the purchases of articles of food."

ACTIVE RED CROSS WORKER



Mrs. Funston, widow of the late General Fredrick Funston, is one of the leading workers in Red Cross work. The widow of one of the country's bravest soldiers is doing more than her share in urging practical aid for the soldiers and sailors.

WOOD SUBSTITUTES STEADILY FAVORED

Uncle Sam's Sudden Demand for Lumber Does Not Change Situation.

PRICES ARE NOT LOWERED

Timber Shortage Reported in Many Regions and There is Need for Growing Forests Larger Than Planned.

Twenty-five years ago lumber was regarded as almost as much of a necessity as wheat, while today it is steadily being replaced by various substitutes, says a report by the forest service on "The Substitution of Other Materials for Wood."

Disregarding the temporary effect of the war, with Uncle Sam's sudden demand for lumber and its great enhancement of prices of many substitute materials, the report points out the tendency in the long run. Each year more steel, concrete, brick, or tile is being used in places where lumber was formerly employed. This is particularly true in cities where enactment of building codes and the development of new forms of construction have created a demand for more durable building material. Shingles have given way largely to composition and tile roofings, wooden sidewalks have been almost wholly replaced by cement, while the modern skyscraper with its steel framework, and stone, brick, or tile walls occupies the site of some former frame structure. Railroad crossties and mine props are about the only forms of wood which are not affected.

How hard this substitution has hit the lumber business is shown by the government estimate that the total replacement of lumber in all forms of use is 8,000,000,000 board feet, or 21 per cent of the lumber consumption of the United States in 1915. The rate of substitution seems to be increasing and is now in excess of 500,000,000 board feet a year. Approximately 70 per cent of the lumber cut goes into forms of use whose demands appear to be decreasing. Twenty per cent more goes into strongly competitive fields. In the remaining 10 per cent of wood uses, there seems to be a much better opportunity for a larger consumption.

Prices Steadily Advance.

Increasing substitution has not, however, lowered lumber prices to the consumer, the report points out. On the contrary they have steadily advanced, while the cost of many substitutes has decreased. Exhaustion of the stands of local timber and discovery of new sources for the manufacture of other building materials are given as some of the reasons for these changes. More than 75 per cent of the replacement of wood, however, is made in spite of higher initial cost of the substitute.

The effect of the growing use of other materials has been to accentuate competition and decrease profits in the lumber business. As a result of this and other reasons, alternate periods of curtailment and over-production have made the lumber market unstable. This in turn has resulted in the disadvantage not only of the persons whose money is invested in timber and sawmills, but to the many hundred thousands who are dependent upon the lumber industry for their living.

Lumbermen have felt, it is said, the effect of the replacement of their product by other materials, but have not realized the extent to which it had taken place. They have failed to adopt aggressive selling methods and have been unable to supply the consumer with reliable information regarding lumber, because they did not have it. A complicated system of grades is in use which is not intelligible to the average consumer and is even the subject of considerable dispute among lumbermen.

Lumbermen Must "Brush Up."

Manufacturers of other building material have spent large sums of money to obtain reliable information about their products. They have had to advertise extensively to make a "place in the sun" for themselves. Substitutes for lumber are guaranteed to meet specifications which are easily understood by the consumer.

For lumbermen to hold their markets against competing materials, it will be necessary for them to learn more about the fundamental properties of wood, the author of the report says. They can do this either by scientific research for themselves or by cooperating with agencies already established. Better manufacturing and selling methods, and the development of by-products should enable them to make a profit in spite of the limitations on the prices of lumber which may be imposed by competing substitutes.

Even with the increasing substitution for wood, the report points out, there will be need for all the wood in the United States, and more. The total consumption of the country for many years has been far in excess of the growth. Already in many regions timber shortage and high prices have followed the exhaustion of the local supply. From the public standpoint there is a real need for growing forests vastly larger than are now planned for.

WILL INDEX SOLDIERS

Comprehensive System of Records Planned by Uncle Sam.

Alphabetical List of All Men in Army With Description and Name of Next of Kin is Proposed.

A most comprehensive card index system will be inaugurated by the war department. Plans have been completed for the creation in the department of a "statistical division" with a foreign branch in Paris.

This division will keep a card index record of every soldier of the United States, whether on duty in this country or on the battlefields of Europe. Every man in the army, whether officer or private, will be indexed by name and the records filed in alphabetical order for immediate reference should the names appear either in army orders or casualty lists. With the description of each soldier will be given the name of his next of kin with emergency address.

The once-considered plan of giving each man in the national army a number has virtually been abandoned by the war department. It is now understood the records will not be kept by numbers, nor will the soldiers engaged in foreign service be identified by a numbered tag. The war department may finally decide upon the plan which has been in vogue in the regular army. This identification system is that each soldier shall wear about his neck and underneath his clothing a small aluminum tag giving his name and company.

With the organization of the statistical division, which will employ several hundred clerks in this country and in France, the card index record of the army will be rapidly compiled. This record not only will embrace those men actually in the fighting corps of the United States, but engineers, civilians, war correspondents, and others who are attached in any way to the armed forces.

Major J. J. Jones, of the adjutant general's department will be in charge of the statistical division in Washington and will generally supervise the work.

Both in Washington and abroad the records will be kept up to date. It is planned that there shall be prompt handling of all casualty lists. The foreign branch of the statistical division will have the fighting forces listed by regiments as well as alphabetically. When the names of soldiers figure in official dispatches duplicate sets of records kept at Washington will afford quick reference. The policy will be to announce promptly upon arrival all official news relating to casualties, and relatives of soldiers wounded or killed will be advised by the statistical division.

War Topics for Programs Of Club Women Proposed

The educational department of the woman's committee of the council of national defense, of which Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt is chairman, is requesting the woman's clubs of the country to study the cause of the war. Mrs. Catt asks the women to confine their program this coming year to such topics as:

1. Causes of war.
2. Conditions in Europe preceding the war.
3. Meaning of the war for America and necessity for self-sufficiency.
4. Food conservation, marketing, production, distribution, etc.
5. Emphasize child welfare and other departments in the work of the woman's committee.
6. Study ways and means of better community life, etc.
7. What peace terms should include in order to secure permanent peace.

COMFORT WORK NOT ENDED

Three Hundred Thousand Persons Told How Navy Can Be Helped.

Divisions of the Navy league and the Daughters of the American Revolution under whose auspices about 300,000 men and women have been supplying comfort garments and articles of the navy, have been notified of new channels through which their contributions may be delivered now that all connection between the navy league and the navy has been officially severed as the result of the controversy between the league's headquarters and Secretary Daniels.

The notice was in the form of a letter from Robert M. Thompson, president to the woman's section and comfort committee of the league, the Daughters of the American Revolution and its local organization. "It is absolutely unimportant through what channels the garments reach the sailors, but it is important that they shall receive them," said the letter. "I therefore request and direct that for the present and in default of other instructions by the navy department you send the garments intended for the men of the United States navy to Mrs. James Carroll Frazer, 1316 Sixteenth Street, Washington, D. C., who, acting as an individual, will secure the delivery of the garments to the ships that you may designate."

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If you went in the ordinary way from the Italian city Turin to England, you would change trains three times, cross the channel by boat, force yourself to be patient while locomotives coiled and took on water, passengers embarked or alighted along the railway, and customs' officers went through their fussy examinations. A proper allowance of time, we would say, would be 36 hours.

The other day, Captain Lauriat of the Italian aviation corps made the journey by airplane in 12 hours and two minutes. For him, there was no "hell" thing as frontiers, no delays except those he himself willed, no officials in seedy uniforms to make a mess of his baggage unless he elected to let them.

It is the idea of internationalists that we'll have a world state when everything is so mixed that there is no straightening it out by national command, when borders can be crossed as one would county lines, when transportation is so swift and easy that no peoples can be or will desire to be rooted in the soil. Well, should this come about, the world has the instrument which will compass it. It is the flying machine.—Toledo Blade.

Now Rides in an Auto. Mrs. Russell Sage, who is now past eighty-eight years of age, only recently consented to ride in an automobile.

Gompers Opposes Plan. President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor is opposed to women being used in war work.

Lumber for France. New Orleans is shipping pine lumber to France for reconstruction work.



Boys & Girls THRIVE on the easily digested wheat and barley food, Grape-Nuts. There's a Reason

The Father's Helper

By Osborn Jones

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When Dick Stoner, after a stormy and galling sort of seaside courtship, had actually heard Madeleine return all his vows of devotion he thought his struggles to win her as his wife were practically over. Madeleine was visiting a boarding school when the romance occurred, and for that reason, perhaps, Dick had forgotten that Madeleine probably possessed parents and that those parents might have something to say before permitting their eighteen-year-old beauty to become Mrs. Dick Stoner. But Dick knew that, as parents usually rated sons-in-law to be, he was not undesirable. His record at college and in business since then, though not actually brilliant, was clean and progressive, and any father-in-law or mother-in-law to be would not have much difficulty in discovering that his share of the Stoner fortune was a large one.

So it seemed as if the matter was settled till, after a sudden burst of enthusiasm on the part of Madeleine, as they sauntered in and out around the sand dunes at the seashore, she suddenly changed her tone and her eyes grew round.

"I'd forgotten about father," she said. "He will never let us do anything we want to—we are a great trial to him, you know, and I don't know how in the world I can ever be married if he doesn't consent. I just couldn't elope."

Dick didn't like this intrusion of an objecting father-in-law. It was much nicer hearing Madeleine's glib praise of his own many manly virtues and good features. So he tried to persuade her that the father whom he had never seen was not such a gruff sort after all and that it would be an easy matter to "bring him around."

"You haven't any idea how strict he is," Madeleine protested. "He's a professor of psychology and this year he's trying to write his greatest book—and, well, it is very hard to be the father of five daughters and Arthur and Bennet and write a book on psychology. It's hard to be the father of five daughters anyhow, he says, especially when they are the kind of daughters that we are."

"Why can't he shift responsibilities till the book is done?" suggested Dick. "Couldn't your mother manage to keep you within bounds?"

"Oh, mother's just as busy as she can be mending us and darning us and planning meals and things. She has a 'mother's helper' to help her and still she never seems to have time to breathe. And poor old father, he is going to try to get a 'father's helper'—to make his task of being our father easy, just as mother does with her 'mother's helper.' So far he hasn't found anyone that wants the job."

"What would this 'father's helper' have to do?" asked Dick, rather amazed at the turn of Madeleine's conversation.

"Oh, I suppose he would have to help Bennet with his Greek and spank Arthur, and he'd have to come to meals and see that we were all there and maybe say grace, and sometimes just happen in the drawing room when Minerva's suitors were there. Minerva's the stunner, you know, and she has just oodles of suitors, and mother says that father ought to appear once in a while just to show that there is someone keeping track of how often they come. But father can't stand that sort of thing. And I suppose the 'father's helper' would have to scold me sometimes because I am so reckless when I ride—mother keeps at father to scold me for it, but he hates to; and he would have to scold the servants when mother couldn't manage them, and sometimes, if one of us girls didn't have an escort to a dance, I suppose the 'father's helper' would have to go with us. Father ought to, mother says, but he hates to."

"My Greek is a little rusty," announced Dick, when Madeleine had finished her monologue, "but I think I'll take that position. You say your father hasn't found anyone for it. All right, I'll make tracks for your place tomorrow and by the time you have come home I'll be installed and perhaps one of the first things I can do will be to show father that it is to his interest to let his daughter Madeleine become Mrs. Dick Stoner."

When Madeleine reached home at the end of that week she found the young man whom her father had recently employed to be identical with the man to whom she had recently become engaged, except that he was dressed in dark blue serge and her fiancé had inclined to light tweeds and white flannels. Besides he spoke in a voice that was subdued and the speech was free from slang—not very much like the explosive discourse of the man to whom she had recently engaged herself. And besides, the man she had known at the seashore had been eager to see her alone and often, whereas the new inmate of her father's home, after having been introduced to her, seemed not to notice her. It was not till the following day that they did chance to come upon each other in the library.

"We mustn't try to meet each other on the Q. T. at all," Dick began. "Those brothers of yours are just the sort to find it out, no matter how we try to conceal it. We can stand it this way for a while. Your father has been telling me his troubles this morning. He's especially worried about you—you wretch. He tells me you worry him so he can hardly write, says you ride the wildest horse in the stable, go off in the woods unattended and otherwise render him incapable of the high degree of concentration that he needs to complete his book. He asked me to watch you especially and to suggest a way to tame you. I'd no idea you were such a wild creature—you wonderful, sweetest girl—there, I couldn't help it that time—but I won't steal another till I am no longer playing this role. It would spoil everything if anyone suspected."

The next communication Madeleine had from the new employee was written and slipped into her hand as she passed him one evening on the stairs. It was brief and dictatorial. "In order to accomplish the aim in view you must become even more unruly. Do everything you can except risk your life. Fake a runaway or two and get lost in the mountains if you can do it safely."

Though Madeleine did not exactly understand Dick's motives in this instruction she followed it to the letter, and even the calm-eyed mother, who took the shocks and anxieties incident upon being the parent of five high-spirited daughters and two sons as serenely as anyone could, became overwrought with worry when, for the second time in a week, Madeleine returned home from a wild ride only after the faithful blue-serged "father's helper" had gone out in search of her. The next day the professor tried in vain to write a chapter of his book, for his publishers were beginning to press him for the complete manuscript. After wasting hours in the bootless effort he called for the young man he had recently employed.

"Did you reprove Madeleine severely for her escapade yesterday?" he asked. "You know how it tries me to have to attend to that sort of thing—still, unless you are very severe I shall have to take her in hand."

"I reprove her very severely, sir," replied Dick, "but if you will pardon me for saying so, I think reproofs are of little avail."

"Something must be done, man," said the professor peevishly. "I can't let her go on this way wearing out my nerves. Can you think of any possible remedy—some way of taming the wild creature down a little? Mind you, I am very fond of Madeleine—very fond of her—but I can't let her go on in this way."

"I anticipated such a question," said Dick solemnly. "For that reason I studied the girl's nature. Again, pardon my frankness. I think that, young as Madeleine is, she would overcome her rather boyish ways if you permitted her to—become engaged—possibly to contemplate a rather early marriage."

The professor studied the carpet for several minutes, then without looking at Dick, he said: "Yes, that might be just the thing. But Madeleine is not like Minerva. Minerva has some dozen of suitors—they quite drive me distracted. But Madeleine, poor child, has no such charms and fascination as Minerva. Frankly, I do not think there is anyone who wants to marry her, and I am quite sure that she cares for no one."

It was here that Dick hesitated. He had not planned just what to say when he had led the professor up to this point, so he, too, studied the carpet for a full minute and then looked at the professor with embarrassment that he could not conceal.

"But if there were someone who did care for her devotedly and for whom she cared in return—would you consent then?"

The professor was too much of a psychologist not to guess that the young man was speaking of himself, though perhaps in his present mood he could not conceive how a seemingly sane young man would choose to assume the task of being Madeleine's husband.

"Mr. Stoner, my hand. Forgive me when I tell you that from the time I first saw you I realized that there was something in your nature that would find harmony in Madeleine's. My knowledge of psychology is not all theoretical, you see. And, in spite of what I have just said, I realized as you have just done that what Madeleine really needed was a husband. So you see my little scheme has worked. But Madeleine is a very sweet girl, in spite of her boyish ways, and I know you will be happy."

Motorcycle Knocks Deer Out.
Edward Moscow of Carmel, N. Y., was hurled from his speeding motorcycle in a collision with a large deer in the darkness outside this village. He escaped uninjured, but the deer was knocked out, and it lay stunned on the road for an hour. Moscow believed the rays of his searchlight dazzled the deer, for as it emerged from the brush at the roadside and got in his path, it suddenly turned and charged, head-on, catapulted into the ditch and the motorcycle was wrecked. The deer remained motionless. Moscow took his broken motorcycle to a garage, and when he returned for the carcass of the deer, which he supposed was dead, he found it had recovered and fled.

Too Hard to Damage.
Rastus—Yo' say yo' wife hit yo' on de bald wid a plate? I don't see no marks on yo' bald.
Ephraim—No, but yo' should hab seen

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"The pests ate my whole potato crop in two weeks," said one farmer. "They ate my crop in two days," said a second farmer, "and then they roosted on the trees to see if I'd plant more."

"A drummer for a seed house cleared his throat."

"Guys," he said, "all that's very remarkable. Let me tell you, though, what I saw in our own store. I saw a couple of potato bugs examining the books about a week before planting time to see who had bought seed."

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PRUDENCE

of the PARSONAGE

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PRUDENCE FINDS HERSELF BLUSHING AND BREATHLESS EVERY TIME SHE LOOKS INTO THE EYES OF HER HANDSOME RESCUER

Mr. Starr, widower Methodist minister at Mount Mark, Ia., has five charming daughters. Prudence, the eldest, keeps house for him. Fairy is a college freshman. Carol and Lark, twins, are in high school. Constance is the "baby." The activities of the Starr girls—Prudence's work, Fairy's school affairs, the pranks of the youngsters—and the family perplexities, make the story. It is simply a recital of homely incidents glorified by affection. The preceding installment described the accident suffered by Prudence when she went for an early-morning bicycle ride and her rescue by a strange young man.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued.

"Oh—whatever will Mattie Moore say to me? It's borrowed. Oh, I see now, that it was just foolish pride that made me unwilling to ride during decent hours. What a dunce I was—usual."

He looked at her curiously. This was beyond his comprehension. She explained and then was silent a while. "Fairy'll have to get breakfast, and she always gets father's eggs too hard." Silence again. "Maybe papa'll worry. But then, they know by this time that something always does happen to me, so they'll be prepared."

She turned gravely to the young man beside her. He was looking down at her, too. And as their eyes met, and clung for an instant, a slow, dark color rose in his face. Prudence felt a curious breathlessness—caused by her hurting ankle, undoubtedly.

"My name is Prudence Starr—I am the Methodist minister's oldest daughter."

"And my name is Jerrold Harmer." He was looking away into the hickory grove now. "My home is in Des Moines."

"Oh, Des Moines is quite a city, isn't it? I've heard quite a lot about it. You might tell me about Des Moines. Is it very nice? Are there lots of rich people there? Of course, I do not really care any more about rich people than the others, but it always makes a city seem grand to have a lot of rich citizens, I think. Don't you?"

So he told her about Des Moines, and Prudence saw with her eyes half-closed, listening, and wondering why there was more music in his voice than in most voices. Her ankle did not hurt very badly. She did not mind it at all. In fact, she never gave it a thought. From beneath her lids, she kept her eyes fastened on Jerrold Harmer's long brown hands, clasped loosely about his knees. And whenever she could, she looked up into his face. And always there was that curious catching in her breath, and she looked away again quickly, feeling that to look too long was dangerous.

"I have talked my share now," he was saying, "tell me all about yourself, and the parsonage, and your family. And who is Fairy? And do you attend the college at Mount Mark? You look like a college girl."

"Oh, I am not," said Prudence, reluctant to make the admission for the first time in her life. "I am too stupid to be a college girl. I left high school five years ago and have been keeping house for my father and sisters since then. I am twenty years old. How old are you?"

"I am twenty-seven," and he smiled. "Jerrold Harmer," she said slowly and very musically. "It is such a nice name. Do your friends call you Jerry?"

"The boys at school called me Reddie, and sometimes Hammie. But my mother always called me Jerry. She isn't living now, either. You call me Jerry, will you?"

"Yes, I will, but it won't be proper. But that never makes any difference to me, except when it might shock the members. You want me to call you Jerry, don't you?"

"Yes, I do. And when we are better acquainted, will you let me call you Prudence?"

"Call me that now. I can't be too particular, you see, when I am lying on your coat and pillow with your belongings. You might get cross, and take them away from me. Did you go to college?"

"Yes, to Harvard, but I was not much of a student. Then I knocked around a while, looking at the world, and two years ago I went home to Des Moines. I have been there ever since except for little runs once in a while."

Prudence sighed. "My sister Fairy is going to college now. She's very clever—oh, very. You'll like her, I am sure—much better than you do me, of course." Prudence was strangely downcast.

"I am sure I won't," said Jerrold Harmer, with unnecessary vehemence. "I don't care a thing for college girls. I like home girls." Jerrold flipped over abruptly, and lay on the grass, his face on his arms turned toward her face. They were quiet for a while, but their glances were clinging.

Fairy's very grand looking. I've tried my best to eat lots, and exercise, and make myself bigger, but—I am a fizzle."

"Yes, I played football. But girls do not need to be so tall as men. Don't you remember what Orlando said about Rosalind—'just as tall as my heart'? I imagine you come about to my shoulder. We'll measure as soon as you are on your feet again."

"Are you going to live in Mount Mark now? Are you coming to stay?" Prudence was almost quivering as she asked this. It was of vital importance.

"No, I will only be there a few days, but I shall probably be back every week or so. Is your father very strict? Maybe he would object to your writing to me."

"Oh, he isn't strict at all. And he will be glad for me to write to you, I know. Is Des Moines just full of beautiful girls?"

"I should say not. I never saw a real beautiful girl in Des Moines in my life. Or any place else, for that matter, until I came—You know when you come right down to it, there are mighty few girls that look—just the way you want them to look."

Prudence nodded. "That's the way with men, too. Of all the men I have seen in my life, I never saw one better than that looked just the way I wanted him to."

"Before?" he questioned eagerly.

"Yes," said Prudence frankly. "You look just as I wish you to."

CHAPTER IX.

Father Starr Reads the Signs. And in the meanwhile, at the parsonage, Fairy was patiently getting breakfast. Prudence went out for an early bicycle ride, so the members wouldn't catch her. She explained to the family. "And she isn't back yet. She'll probably stay out until afternoon, and then ride right by the grocery store where the Ladies have their Saturday sale. That's Prudence, all right."



"Do Your Friends Call you Jerry?"

over. Oh, father, I did forget your eggs again. I am afraid they are too hard. Here, twins, you carry in the oatmeal, and we will eat. No use to wait for Prudence, it would be like waiting for the next comet."

Indeed, it was nearly noon when a small, one-horse spring wagon drove into the parsonage yard. Mr. Starr was in his study with a book, but he heard a piercing shriek from Connie, and a shrill "Prudence!" from one of the twins. He was downstairs in three leaps, and rushing wildly out to the little rickety wagon. And there was Prudence!

"Don't be frightened, father. I've just sprained my ankle, and it doesn't hurt hardly any. But the bicycle is broken, and we'll have to pay for it. You can use my own money in the bank. Poor Mr. Davis had to walk all the way to town, because there wasn't any room for him in the wagon with me lying down like this. Will you carry me in?"

Connie's single bed was hastily

brought downstairs, and Prudence deposited upon it. "There's no use to put me upstairs," she assured them. "I won't stay there. I want to be down here where I can boss the girls."

The doctor came in, and bandaged the swollen purple ankle. Then they had dinner—they tried to remember to call it luncheon, but never succeeded! After that, the whole parsonage family grouped about the little single bed in the cheery sitting room.

"Whose coat is this, Prudence?" asked Connie.

"And where in the world did you get these towels and silk shirts?" added Fairy.

Prudence blushed most exquisitely. "They are Mr. Harmer's," she said, and glanced nervously at her father. "Whose?" chorused the family.

"If you will sit down and keep still, I will tell you all about it. But you must not interrupt me. What time is it, Fairy?"

"Two o'clock."

"Oh, two. Then I have plenty of time," and in her own frank way, she told the story.

"Then Mr. Davis came along with his cart," she concluded, "and Jerry—er—Harmer, you know, helped me up, and the cart was so small they both had to walk."

"Where is he now?" "Is he young?" "Is he handsome?" "Did he look rich?" "Don't be silly, girls. He went to the hotel, I suppose. Anyhow, he left us as soon as we reached town. He said he was in a hurry, and had something to look after. His coat was underneath me in the wagon, and he wouldn't take it out for fear of hurting my ankle, so the poor soul is probably wandering around this town in his shirt sleeves."

Already, in the eyes of the girls, this Jerry—er—Harmer, had taken upon himself all the interest of the affair.

"He'll have to come for his coat," said Lark. "We're bound to see him."

"Where does he live? What was he doing in the hickory grove?" inquired Mr. Starr with a strangely sinking heart, for her eyes were alight with new and wonderful radiance.

"He lives in Des Moines. He was just walking into town, and took a short cut through the grove."

"Walking! From Des Moines?" Prudence flushed uncomfortably. "I didn't think of that," she said. "But I do not see why he should not walk if he likes. He's strong and athletic, and fond of exercise. I guess he's plenty able to walk if he wants to. I'm sure he's no tramp, father, if that is what you are thinking."

"I am not thinking anything of the kind, Prudence," he said with dignity. "But I do think it rather strange that a young man should set out to walk from Des Moines to Mount Mark. And why should he be at it so early in the morning? Doesn't he require sleep, as the rest of us do?"

Temperance Notes

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A DRY DIVISION.

Gen. John F. O'Ryan, commander of the New York National Guard, is a major general in the United States army. He is one of only two of the National Guard officers to be thus honored. General O'Ryan, who last year put his 20,000 border troops on the water wagon, takes a bone-dry division of 37,000 men to France. In an address issued to every one of these men on their responsibility for the efficiency of the division, he said this:

"Alcohol, whether you call it beer, wine, whisky, or by any other name, is a breeder of inefficiency. While it affects men differently, the results are the same, in that all affected by it cease for the time to be normal. Some become forgetful, others quarrelsome. Some become noisy, some get sick, some sleepy; others have their passions greatly stimulated. When you stop to consider the thousands in a division, do you not see how vital to efficiency is the elimination of liquor? If one officer or man be permitted to use liquor, then others will claim the right to do so. How can a division of troops be ever ready—over up on the bit to drive ahead or thrust back the enemy's drive—if through the presence of this insidious evil some soldiers forget their orders or become noisy when silence is essential, fall asleep when every faculty should be alert, or are absent from their posts?"

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Learn Every Day. Life is educational. He is indeed a dullard who doesn't learn something every day and become wiser in his methods of doing.

Time and tide wait for no man. Neither does any real man wait for time or tide.

Any one Suffering with Catarrh in Any form I will Advise them To Take Peruna

Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.

Up-to-Date Wedding Gifts. "Well, what sort of wedding presents did you get, girle—the usual assortment of berry spoons and pickle forks?"

"Not on your esteemed life. I got a sack of potatoes, four dozen fresh eggs, a peck of onions, and a Liberty bond."

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

His Plaintive Plea. Philadelphia draws the last number in exemption stories. A colored citizen declared to his board chairman: "Boss, Ah ain't got no wife. Ah's only jest 'nagged. But kin't Ah go to jail for that?"

Keep Yourself Fit You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headaches and disordered kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dizziness, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands, but they help.

A Texas Case W. E. Striding, carpenter, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 1-A, Orchard St., Georgetown, Tex., says: "The secretions from my kidneys were profuse and obliged me to get up often at night. My back was so weak, it was all I could do to tend to my work. Often when I stooped and then tried to get up a knife-like pain pierced me. Doan's Kidney Pills corrected the trouble with my kidneys and made my back strong and well. The cure has lasted."

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Keen Business Man. "Excuse me, sir," said Bilson, a little timidly, "but you appear to be following me. Is there anything you want?"

"Well, I'm just trying to find where you live, and introduce myself, like, I'm McPherson, the undertaker?" said the burly stranger.

"Oh—er—quite so! I'm pleased to meet you, I'm sure! But there's nobody dead at my place!" "Nae, nae!" said the undertaker, smiling sweetly. "But I just heard you cough, an' I hae hopes!"—London Answers.

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Local Notes

Eyes tested, glasses fitted. Self.

Ernest Banta and his mother, Mrs. G. W. Banta were here from Medina Monday trading.

Feed of all kinds, the best we can buy. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Staudt of San Antonio spent Sunday and Monday here visiting their parents.

Halloween Novelties of all kinds. Watters Variety Store.

S. A. Stevens and Sid Hammond from Hicks Creek, near Medina, brought their fall clip of wool here to market Friday.

Hay by the bale, the ton, or the car load, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Mrs. J. J. Bassoli of San Antonio is spending a few days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hendricks.

Canned chocolate pudding. Try it. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Cox from their farm near Medina were in this city last Saturday and made the Advance a pleasant call.

New Fall Serge and Suiting for skirts and suits, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

R. A. Sprout from Mountain Home was among the visitors in town last Saturday.

A beautiful line of dress goods for Winter suits and dresses. West Texas Supply Co.

Mrs. T. O. Stanley of the Wharton ranch is spending a few days in the city visiting relatives.

For Sunday dinner, fresh vegetables, celery, lettuce, and all good things at A. Scoble's.

R. A. Jones of Howland, Texas is a recent arrival in this city. He expects to locate here permanently.

Oh, that was good salad! What made it so good? Premier salad dressing from BERRY'S.

Joe Byas, J. C. Sing and J. V. Baldwin were among the Hunt citizens in town Monday.

Office space for rent in front end of Advance office. Clean, cool and light. Large glass front. Call at this office for price.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hatch were in the city from the divide.

All kinds of fancy box cakes at BERRY'S.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bierschwald and Mr. Wm. Green of Reservation were visitors to Kerrville Monday.

See the announcement of the new flour in the big ad of West Texas Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Watson of Leonard are recent arrivals in Kerrville and expect to make this their home.

Uvalde Honey, strained or comb. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mrs. S. J. Organ and son, F. A. Organ of Bastrop are here prospecting with a view of locating. They are friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jones.

"Oyster Hot," the high class catsup now in stock at BERRY'S.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bullock of Norton, Kansas, are spending a few weeks in this city visiting Mrs. Bullock's sister, Mrs. Maggie Reynolds of the Reynolds hotel.

Use Maxwell House coffee for satisfaction. C. C. Butt Grocery.

W. H. Partin of Paris, Texas was here several days last week. He was highly pleased with the Kerrville country.

Alamo Iron Works pump Jack for Sale. 30-inch stroke. Hy. Noll Jr.

Rooms for light house keeping, furnished or unfurnished. Apply to Mrs. J. B. McLean, phone 93.

After a visit at the Morris Bros. ranch at Big Paint for several weeks Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morris returned home last Friday.

Pure lard that is pure, at BERRY'S.

We have for distribution Number Plates following car owners, on presentation of cards received with seals: Dr. H. E. Williams, Herman Schulze, M. Heikamp, R. L. Jonas, and A. T. Adkins. Lee Mason & Son.

Mrs. El. Morriss and children and son, Carl, went to San Antonio last Saturday to visit her son, Ernest, who is in the selected army at Camp Travis. Carl returned Sunday accompanied by his uncle, Judge Will A. Morriss.

Jim Priour was up from San Antonio visiting friends here for a few days the first of the week.

Check a cold as soon as it starts with our Cold Remedy. Rock Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gibbons and daughter, Miss Eula, visited Miss Adah Gibbons here last Sunday.

Trunks and handbags, a good stock at reasonable prices. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Puzzle solved--the place to trade is A. Scoble's, Phone 289.

John Walker of Reservation was in this city Tuesday on business. He reports it very dry out his way.

New Military Braid in all colors at West Texas Supply Co.

School shoes and men's and women's shoes of latest and best styles, also a few pairs of last years stock at old prices. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bonnell of Camp Verde spent Monday in Kerrville.

Fry our Chicken Tomatoes. Fine! C. C. Butt Grocery.

Prudence of the Parsonage has come back. See the continuation of the story in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sellers of Center point were visitors to this city Monday.

Your choice Dress Gingham 15c. per yard, beautiful patterns, at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mr. D. Swayze and daughter, Miss Mary, Mrs. C. W. Howland and Ellis Bruff of Center Point were Kerrville visitors Tuesday.

Armadillo Baskets Wanted

I will pay 75 to 85 cents for well shaped shells and 40c to 60 cents for green shells. R. H. CHANEY, Kerrville, Texas.

We make a specialty of Toilet preparations and our stock contains an excellent assortment of what is newest and best. If it's worthy, we have it first. Rock Drug Store.

Misses Susan Moore and Maggie Sutton, teachers in the Medina Public School, spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting home folks.

Two-In-One or Eskimo sets are Fashion's latest novelty in this line. It combines the cap and scarf into one piece. West Texas Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Owens of Center Point were visitors to this city yesterday.

Get a Regal Washer, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Wanted--Gentle pony for delivery wagon to use for his feed. Apply to A. Scoble.

Bulk seeded raisins. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Miss Lonnie Benson of Atlanta, Ga., is here on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Dickey.

Seed Rye for fall planting at West Texas Supply Co.

Sam Sutton, who for some time has been working at Camp Funston has returned home and accepted a position at the Beitel Lumber Co.

J. C. McElroy came up from San Antonio Tuesday to have the Kerr county Exemption Board examine him for the selective draft. He was called from El Paso county where he registered. He is now in the employ of Stone & Webster as cashier at Camp Kelley.

WINTER Is Here

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Our House is Full from top to bottom with all kinds of READY-TO-WEAR

Ladies' Sweaters,
Misses' Sweaters,
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MEN'S UNION SUITS
BOYS UNION SUITS

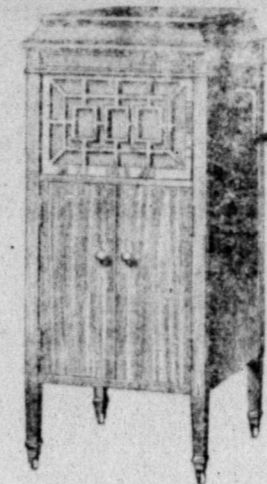
Men's Heavy Over Shirts,
Winter Caps for Men,
Ladies Heavy Hose
Girls Heavy Hose
Boys Heavy Hose

School Dresse,
Ladies House Dresses
Middie Blouses,
Boys School Pants,
Mens Work Pants
Mens Dress Shirts
Boys Dress Shirts
Ladies Waists
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Great Liberty Meeting

The people of Kerrville gathered at Pampell's opera house yesterday afternoon in a great Liberty Meeting in response to the call of the Government to make it a special day to boost the sale of Liberty Bonds. The business men quit their work, closed their places and went in full force. The school closed and teachers and pupils went in mass. The house overflowed and many stood outside.

Four minute speeches were made by L. A. Schreiner, Bishop Johnston, Dr. Thompson, Rev. Schleifer, Rev. Diekey, Senator Reed, Prof. Jones and Judge Wallace. The invocation was led by Rev. Riddle and the closing prayer by Rev. Schleifer. Music by Miss Garrett, Mrs. Fisk and sons, Fisk & Motley, and patriotic songs by the school chorus were all splendid features. It was a great meeting and we are sorry that we cannot give a more full report.

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is offered throughout the twelve grades at Notre Dame Institute to all students whose parents are unable to pay the regular low rate of one dollar a month. The question of religion never enters into consideration. In fact half of the ninety pupils are non-Catholics. Boys and girls may enter any day. For further assistance or information inquire of Father Kemper, office phone 195.

1500 yards Equity brand Gingham. Your choice 12 1-2 cents at H. Noll Stock Co.

The Royal Neighbors will have their next regular meeting next Tuesday night, Oct. 30, at the home of Miss Lizzie Anderson. All members are requested to be present.

We have a nice line of fruit and vegetables. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Goats For Sale

I have for sale four billy goats, unshorn. The four for \$50 or will trade for 10 does same grade. J. T. S. Gammon.

Rev. B. Schleifer went to Harper and filled his appointment Sunday, returning Monday.

Why pay more? Men's underwear heavy fleeced lined or ribbed bleached. Your choice 65c each, really worth 85c, at H. Noll Stock Co.

Rev. J. P. King, the Baptist Missionary, visited Reservation, Harper, Doss Valley, Fredericksburg and Morris Ranch last week, and on Sunday preached at Upper Guadalupe. Bro. King is certainly a hustler.

Rev. J. B. Riddle received word that his son, Robert, had enlisted in the Navy and is now in training at Great Lakes, Ill. Still the Kerrville boys volunteer.

For Sale--Farms, ranches, large or small. Also residences and building lots. It will pay you to see me before you buy. M. S. Osborne, Phone 57.

G. L. Berry who is in the Officers Training Camp at Camp Stanley came up and spent Sunday here with his brother, P. W. Berry. They had not seen each other in seven years.

You can secure many bargains at our busy store. We believe in moving merchandise at a small margin. It holds the confidence and good will of our customers. H. Noll Stock Co.

Elmer J. Edwards of San Antonio representing the Southern Surety Co. of St. Louis was in Kerrville last week and while here appointed T. B. Roebuck local agent for the Company. Mr. Edwards recently delivered a check for \$7500 to Mrs. Storms, covering policy carried by the late G. C. Storms.

DR. WERBLUN IN CENTER POINT

Dr. Werblun, optician, will be in Center Point at Dr. Merritt's office, Nov. 1, 2 and 3. Examination of the eyes free.

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Red Cross Column

This column is given free for use of the Red Cross and is edited by officers of the local Chapter.

GOOD NAME AND REPUTATION OF RED CROSS IS ASSAILED

To All Chapters: We are daily amazed at the disclosures by United States Department of State showing the lengths to which Prussian intrigue, infamy and conspiracy has been conducted in this country to form public opinion favorable to our enemies. That same policy is still being insidiously cultivated throughout the entire country, in large places and small.

When you made application for, and accepted, the direction of Red Cross organization in your community, you undertook a solemn obligation to protect the interests of the Red Cross in every way. You, of course, are quite ready to fulfill that obligation. One way in which you can do so now is to be energetic in ferreting out every kind of a report or rumor which tends to assail the character, integrity or effectiveness of the work of the American Red Cross. If our enemies can shake the confidence of the American people in this, its most representative and democratic organization, they will have accomplished more than they could accomplish in many battles and much bloodshed at the front. I, therefore, commend to you most earnestly the careful study of a telegram received from the General Manager of the American Red Cross, Mr. Harvey D. Gibson, and request that you make every effort to give it publicity, and to have every person in your community understand that whenever there is suspicion or doubt on any subject whatever regarding the Red Cross, its activities, its methods, or its integrity, that such things should be immediately reported to you—the custodian of Red Cross honor in your territory. You should then promptly "kill" any false rumors, at the same time reporting them immediately to this office, whether they seem to you important or not.

It is evident that rumors and innuendoes critical of and calculated to embarrass and injure the Red Cross are being industriously circulated as part of an anti-patriotic propaganda. Red Cross members and the public generally should be urged to proceed on the theory that nothing should be

believed against the Red Cross until thoroughly investigated. **THE RED CROSS IS RUN AS AN OPEN BOOK; IT HAS NO SECRETS.** It is making a sincere effort to serve mankind, and is doing it as carefully and economically as it knows how, and under the direction and advice of the best business and expert experience obtainable throughout the country. Red Cross accounts are audited by the War Department, and utmost effort is being made to give all possible publicity to all of its activities.

Mrs. Doyle, chairman of the Presbyterian Circle, reports three members present at the last meeting: Mesdames W. A. Simmons, A. C. Schreiner Jr. and Doyle.

Received for the general fund, \$5.00 from Mrs. Mason.

Those who worked at the Eastern Star Circle last week were: Mesdames H. Weiss, E. E. Palmer and Miss Clara Herzog.

Mrs. John S. Butler now has charge of one of the classes for making Surgical Dressings. This class was formerly under the direction of Miss Vela Burney. On Friday, October 12th, Mrs. Bunbury, Mrs. Comparette, Mrs. Butler and Miss Lucile Smith were on duty. Last Friday, the 19th, only three members were present: Mesdames Frank Abbott, Bunbury and Butler. Miss Mabel Moos and Mrs. Will Noll were visitors and gladly lent a helping hand. The need for surgical supplies is very great. Of late we have received several communications from Red Cross Headquarters urging the workers to furnish these dressings with all possible speed. All members of the class and all women interested in the work are earnestly urged to meet at the Hall on Friday, October 26th.

The following little verse is very appealing:

RED CROSS WORK.
 "Interminable folds of gauze
 For those whom we shall never see
 Remember, when your fingers pain
 That every drop of blood to stain
 This whiteness, falls for you and me.
 Part of the price that keeps us free
 To serve our own, that keeps us clean
 From shame that other women know.
 Oh, saviors we have never seen.
 Forgive us that we are so slow!
 God—if that blood should ery in vain
 And we have let our moment go!"

The Methodist Ladies report a splendid meeting on Wednesday, the 17th. Thirteen workers were present. This circle is under the able direction of Mrs. Comparette, and much is being accomplished. Those present were: Mesdames King, Grinstead, W. C. Coleman, Hanson, Beard, Green, Surber, W. C. Moore, Wharton, J. H. Davis, Noble, L. A. Mosty, Comparette and Miss Starkey.

Miss Huntington announces that hereafter the Episcopal Circle will meet on Thursday afternoons. Eleven members were present at the last meeting: Mesdames Nimitz, Brandt, Chas. Johnston, Galbraith, Radloff, Whelless, Louthor, Walther and the Misses F. Huntington, S. Huntington and Johnston.

Last Saturday Mrs. Tom Peterson had charge of the Baptist Circle. Next Saturday Mrs. McLean will be in charge. Eight hospital garments were completed last Saturday. The workers were: Mesdames Hodges, Staudt and Peterson and Miss Newton.

The "Womanless Weeding" will be on Tuesday night, October 30th. Be sure to patronize this Red Cross benefit.

Mrs. G. F. Schreiner reports good attendance and much interest in her class. Seven dozen compresses were completed at the last meeting. Those present were: Misses Elsie Johnston, Gussie May Brown, Irene Bulwer, Florence Galbraith, Marguerite Rummel and Mesdames Abbott, Hilgers and G. F. Schreiner.

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