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Many a boy will look back to the night school as the real foundation of his prosperity. If you can go to school day-time go nights. No one is too young or too old to be learning.

Now that harvest is over, the farmer will have a little more time to read his newspaper.

A TYPICAL GERMAN-AMERICAN.

Otto H. Kahn is a German-American. We hope everyone has read his article on the Prussians. He is the typical German-American, too, the kind that is loyal and patriotic. Much as we read about German spies and treason in this country, no doubt the German-Americans will have just as high a batting average for loyalty to the Government as any other class of citizens. The Observer has had several Germans in this vicinity stop the paper because The Observer was supporting the President. This is their privilege. But more than nine-tenths of the Germans who have come here to make America their home and have become citizens are loyal to the core; and they are represented in the training camps and will be found fighting Germany with might and soul. That is what the Kaiser cannot understand—the loyalty of the transplanted Germans to their adopted country. He does not know America, he cannot understand how its tendrils of freedom entwine the heart.

LADY NICOTINE.

Some people think tobacco an evil that should be barred from the soldiers' training camps, but they are mistaken. Lady Nicotine is the soldier's friend and protector and the practical men in charge of affairs realize this, though of course excessive use of tobacco is frowned upon. All in all it may be set down that the United States is making good use of experience gained in the Spanish war and it is gratifying to know that while the battlefields of this war may reap a heavier toll the camp casualties seem in line to be light.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

CREDIT TO THE COUNTY.

Union County is one of the main attractions at the State Fair with her livestock and products of field and orchard. The placing of a creditable exhibit at the State Fair is to be commended, and especially is due to the various stockmen

The Business Man



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To be an efficient home manager you must know your job. First, make it your business to know what foods and how much food your family needs to be efficient. Second, learn how to make the most of the foods which you buy. And third, watch your kitchen waste. A large part of the \$700,000,000 estimated food waste in this country is good food which is allowed to get into the garbage pails and kitchen sinks—ask yourself, "Can it be eaten." Throughout this county as well as our state and nation the food administration is working to organize the women into fighting units; armed with intelligence, based on scientific facts.

By Saturday, October 6, a study course will be open to the women of this community under the direction of the extension department of O. A. C. for the study of 1, Foods, (a) showing how food supplies the various body needs. (b) Calling attention to some rules necessary to consider in the selection of foods to supply these needs. (c) Offering some practical suggestions for planning the meals for the family. 2—A plan of household accounting which will meet the requirement of the average home. 3—A study of household textiles, ad-

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GENERAL HAIG. (Continued From Page 1.)

serenity that marks his countenance under all circumstances.

Lord Haldane, former Secretary of War, was first to ascribe to Haig the possession of the "German mind." The officers and men under him at Aldershot, where he was in command from 1912 until the war began, put the same thing in another way. They called him, among themselves, "Von Haig." Haig has been a long time acquiring this mastery of German methods, apparently. Field Marshal Evelyn Wood testified to this in the statement. "Haig knows more about the German army than any officer in England. Twenty years ago he wrote me from Germany where he was spending a long leave, a letter so full of prophetic knowledge that I sent it to his young wife to keep. Some day someone who writes his life will say what he forecasted 20 years before he went to fight the Germans."

The soldier will tell you Haig is a great soldier—the politician or statesman of his remarkable grasp of political affairs. The Rev. Mr. Duncan, of Edinburgh, will relate the commander-in-chief's faithfulness in attending Presbyterian service every Sunday morning. Newspapers will subscribe to the general agreement: "He is more than a soldier, he is a great gentleman."

represented there by their herds. They pay every dollars of the expense of making their exhibits, from which the county receives a lot of good.—Elgin Recorder.

KILL TREASON AT HOME.

The big, patriotic men of America want treason stamped out at once.

Straight from the shoulder, Colonel A. J. Ryan, demanded that the people at home stamp out treason here while America's soldiers are fighting our battles abroad. The commander of the Fort Sheridan camp aroused great enthusiasm in an address before the Chicago Association of Commerce at the Hotel La Salle.

"Traitors should be seized and put where no one will know their address," declared Colonel Ryan. "You should get the heads of the treason propaganda and not pick upon the ignorant rank and file. What right have you to ask your soldiers to fight your battles in France unless you protect their rear from traitors at home?"

Clarence S. Darrow followed Colonel Ryan, saying: "We have heard a mad monarch declare he puts his faith in God and in his submarines—but principally in his submarines. We have heard this same crazy ruler speak so familiarly of God as to give the appearance that he believes God, too, was made in Germany.

"Austria is in the hands of a receiver, and that receiver is the Kaiser. Wilhelm first used Austria as a tool to make war and now he is trying to use Austria as a tool to make peace. In both roles Austria has failed, and let us hope it will continue to fail so long as the Kaiser owns both Austria and Germany.

"The pacifist arguments that I hear today are the same arguments the Germans used before they brought the war to this country. The great body of the pacifists are not pacifists at all, but lovers of Germany. They don't want the United States to win. They want to see Germany win. Our country is not perfect, but it is the best country on the face of the globe and it is certainly well worth preserving. I know something about the enemies of our country, and while some are probably sincere, a whole lot of them are not."

Before Uncle Sam gets through with this war, some of these traitors will be stood up and shot.



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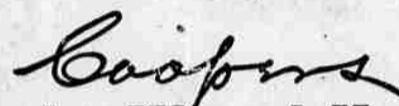
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Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

The Hatred Stunt



I do not hate the German crew as fiercely as I ought to do. I know I ought to yip and roar, and kick some panels from the door, whenever I hear a German name, the symbol of a nation's shame. But it is vain to sit up late indulging in cheap brands of hate; and if I hated, night and day, until a

pair of slats gave way, my hating wouldn't help the right, or put a single foe to flight. I'd rather show up good and strong, to help the Red Cross cause along, to send a bandage to the lad who lost a wing near Petrograd, to buy the surgeons lint and knives, that they may save some heroes' lives—I'd rather do that sort of thing than hate from now until next Spring. I sometimes think I am too meek when friends and neighbors rant and shriek, expressing hatred by the ton for every German and his son. But when I hate for half an hour I feel my stomach turning sour, my form is bathed in clammy sweat, and I must see the village yet.

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