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## WOMEN DEMAND WARS SHALL END

Peace League Means More to Them Than It Can Mean to Men.

DR. SHAW'S STIRRING PLEA.

(By the Late Dr. Anna Howard Shaw.)

Seven million one hundred thousand men who had laid down their lives in the great war. Think of it! Seven million, one hundred thousand young men had died on the field of battle! What does that mean to the women of the world? It means that seven million one hundred thousand women walked day by day with their faces toward an open grave that they might give life to a son. It means that seven million one hundred thousand little children lay in the arms of a mother whose love had made them face even the terrors of death that they might become the mothers of men.

It means that year after year these women had put up their lives into the lives of their sons until they had reared them to be men. For what? In the hope that these sons of theirs could give to the world the things for which women dream, the things for which women hope and pray and long. These were the things that the women had in their hearts when they gave birth to their sons.

But who can estimate the value of seven million one hundred thousand dead sons of the women of the world? Who can estimate the price which the women have paid for this war; what it has cost them, not only in the death of their sons, because that is a phase of our war to which we look.

The Courage of Women.

We hear our orators tell us of the courage of our men. How they went across the sea. Very few of them remember to tell us of the courage of our women, who also went across the sea; of the women who died nursing

the sick and wounded; the women who died in the hospitals, where the terrible bombs came and drove them almost to madness. They tell us nothing of the forty thousand English women who went to work back of the trenches in France.

They tell us nothing of the thousands upon thousands of women who worked and slaved in order that the war might be successful, but we do not hear of the thousands of women, not alone in Armenia, not alone in Montenegro, not alone in Serbia, but in Flanders, in Belgium, in Rumania, in Russia—the thousands of women who lie in graves today, murdered, so horribly murdered that men dare not speak of it.

And yet we women are asked what we know about the League of Nations; asked what we can understand about a League of Nations. Oh men! the horrible deaths; the horrible lives of thousands upon thousands of women today in all these nations, who must live, and who must look in the faces of children unwelcomed, undesired—of little children—and know that these are the result of war.

And then ask women why they should be interested in a league of peace?

Women Suffer Most From War.

If there is any body of citizens in the world who ought to be interested in a league to ultimately bring to the world peace it is the mothers of men, and the women who suffered as only women can suffer in the war and in devastated countries.

And we call upon them, we women of the world call upon the men who have been fighting all these battles of the years, the men who have led armies, and led armies close to their deaths.

We are now calling upon the men of the world to in some way or another find a passage out of the sea of death. We are asking them to form a league which will bring hope to the women of the future. If women are to bear sons only that they may die, if women may not have hope and aspirations for their children, if women may not dream the dreams that have in them the hope of the

highest civilizations, the highest moral and spiritual life of the people—if women may not have these in their hearts as the mothers of men, then women will cease to desire to be the mothers of men. And why should they not? Why should they not?

Paid a War Bet.

War bets are now being paid by the people who were wont to say, "You can't beat Germany." Morgan J. O'Brien, former judge of the Supreme court of New York, recently gave "the best dinner that money could buy" to Gen. Coleman Dupont and 25 of the latter's friends, because of a difference of opinion as to German prowess. The justice thought the allies could not get into Soissons last year by a certain date; the general was sure they could. They did; and the outcome for which Judge O'Brien paid a heavy bill, was called the "Soissons dinner."—The Outlook.

Many Customs and Traditions of the University Are Likely to Seem Tame to Them.

The returning hero, fresh from battle fields, will no longer rush to the cricket fields and the river at Oxford with the zest of young barbarians at their play, observes a writer in the Nation (London). To one who may wear the ribbon of the Military Cross or the D. S. O., the position of his college boat in the eights can no longer seem the one matter of life and death, and even the halo of a goal shines with diminished glory.

So, too, in lesser pursuits. How shall he dwell upon the squabbles of compartments in ancient Greece, when he himself has motored from Saloniki to Athens in a day, and on to Sparta in the next? Or what will he feel when questioned on his fading memories of the irregular verbs? Probably most public school boys are haunted to old age by a dream—a terrible nightmare—of being "put on" by the old headmaster when they have not taken the trouble to prepare a line of the passage. It makes no difference that they are more than 50 and the headmaster has long been dead. The horror of the situation remains appalling, and the dream is far more frequent than any of Freud's imaginary perversions.

## "POLICE PURSES, REFUSE TO BUY," URGES OFFICIAL

Courage of Customers Only Way to Cut H. C. L., Lester Declares

Chicago—A nation wide movement to police our own pocket books and develop courage of the customer in front of the counter to refuse to buy an article which he cannot afford, was advocated today by Orrin C. Lester, vice-director of the savings division of the Treasury Department. Speaking before the annual convention of the International Lyceum and Chautauqua Association, in session here, Mr. Lester said that the development of courage to refuse to buy and to do it with as much grace and praise as the clerk behind the counter names the price, would make economy both fashionable and respectable in America.

"It is estimated," Mr. Lester said, "that for most incomes an average of 20 to 40 per cent may be allotted for food and from 10 to 20 per cent for clothing. Why should not the people of not too small incomes start a concerted effort to refuse to buy an article of food or clothing that costs more than a proper proportion of the above percentages? A dollar is only half as large as it was four and a half years ago. We must either increase the size of the dollar or adjust our wants to the size it now is. Merchant Co-operation

"In a movement of this character, the people would be co-operating with the merchants in a most practical way. They would make it possible for the merchant to render the sort of service that he desires to render to his customer and which he can only render as the customer exercises discretion and intelligence in his buying and buys only those things which his income justifies.

"Goods were made to use, not to see, and when a people will not use them they will not sell. When they will not sell, they come down in price or go out of existence."

In discussing thrift and the need for the wise use of money, Mr. Lester made especial appeal to the women of America. He said:

"The government movement for saving, conducted through the medium of the sale and distribution of Thrift and War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates, is very closely connected with the question of the high living cost. The practical and lasting answer to this question lies more in education than in investigation. The Federal Food Administration found that 90 per cent of products consumed in this country passes through the hands of the women of this country.

People Supreme

"All the profiteers combined and all the combines together cannot defeat the people on this question when they get interested enough and information enough to act together. The thing I want to see in this connection is a 'Refuse to Buy' movement among the people of this country. A prominent produce dealer of San Francisco said the other day, 'If the people should take it into their heads to stop eating any one perishable food for five days, they could ruin the market.'

"A Pacific Coast newspaper, discussing this statement editorially, put its finger on the cost of living remedy when it said: 'It may be that profiteering is at the bottom of present high prices, but a man cannot profiteer if you refuse to buy his goods.'

"Regardless of investigations and criminal prosecutions, we shall have the problem of the high cost of living so long as we have an extravagant and thoughtless consuming public."

Mr. Lester concluded with an appeal for the speeding up of production, the elimination of useless waste, consistent and rigid economy and saving and investment of those savings in government savings securities and Liberty Bonds.

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### INTRODUCES DRUG IN LUNGS

French Physician's Method of Administering Chloroform Said to Be Pronounced Success.

A new method of administering chloroform, brought out in France by Dr. Guisez, is described in the Scientific American. The doctor no longer applies the drug by the usual compress or mask placed over the mouth, but introduces the chloroform vapor directly into the lungs through a tube running into the windpipe. The tube method has already been employed in several hundred cases, and with great success. Besides being very useful for operations to be performed on the head and neck, it is of great interest because it never produces nausea.

The effects of the new method will serve to explain the reasons why chloroform operations always produced nausea when operating by the former method, for it appears evident that the nausea was caused by a part of the chloroform vapors being absorbed by the oesophagus and the stomach.

Good Players.

The boys had been playing ball all the morning on the vacant lot next door. Often there were many arguments but always they were settled and the game progressed. At noon mother reproached Tom for his part in them. "What would you think if mother would quarrel with her friends as you do?" she asked. "But you can't, 'cause you women aren't good players." Tom explained carefully. "When you get mad over something you just resign. A good player quarrels it out and then goes back to the game like we fellows did this morning."

And the mother had no answer.

A Solemn Thought.

"Just think of it, my friend," said the everlasting worrier. "In the arctic regions the nights are sometimes six months long."

"Well, what of it?" asked his friend as he adjusted his fur mask and a smile at the same time.

"Just imagine the consternation of a poor Eskimo wife when her husband calls up to tell her he will be away all night to sit up with a sick friend."

### WROTE MESSAGES WITH DYE

Material for Invisible Writing Used by German Spy Was Obtained From Silk Hosiery.

A cleverly designed method of outwitting the government officials and furnishing information to the enemy was revealed in the early days of the war by the arrest of a man in Paterson, N. J., by naval intelligence officers.

The man, held as an alleged spy in a jail in Brooklyn, is said to have come from Holland and to have been employed in a silk dyeing establishment in Paterson. His unique method of sending messages to Germany called for the use of silk hosiery of a peculiar dye. It is said that he had received a dozen pairs of these socks from German agents in Holland and that his method was to soak them in water and use the coloring matter which they gave forth as a writing fluid. As this dried it became invisible until brought out by a special process, which, however, the federal agents are said to have worked out.

They, in turn, in learning the secret, opened his letters and changed the contents and forwarded the letters. The information thus received by the Germans proved of little use to them.

## A. F. L. BACKS GOVERNMENT IN SAVINGS WORK

American Federation of Labor Will Reach 3,000,000 Wage Earners

Washington, D. C.—Resolutions being distributed by the American Federation of Labor to more than 22,000 local unions and through them to over 3,000,000 wage earners affiliated with the organization, contain hearty approval of the Government's 1919 thrift campaign.

Believing that War Savings Stamps offer a safe, sound and guaranteed method for investment of savings, the annual convention of the Federation, assembled at Atlantic City, declared that it was as essential to stimulate thrift and saving in time of peace as in time of war.

The adoption of the resolution by the central body of organized trade unionism followed similar action by several State Federations of Labor. The text of the resolution, known as No. 171, is as follows: "Whereas, The war so happily ended has required our people to develop thrift and saving which to some degree has stimulated freedom of action and independence on the part of some wage earners; and

"Whereas, It is essential to stimulate thrift and saving in time of peace as in time of war; and

"Whereas, The inauguration of the national system of War Savings and Thrift Stamps has afforded to some of small earnings a safe, sound and guaranteed method of Government investment of their hard earned savings; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That this convention approve of the continuation and extension of the War Savings and Thrift Stamps Institution, or the substitution of a National Savings Institution akin in character and method, which shall prove helpful to safeguard the earnings of the toiling masses of our country."

Thomas E. Burke, general secretary-treasurer of the United States Association of Plumbers and Steam Fitters of the United States and Canada, has promised his assistance in the work of forming War Savings Societies, and has invoked aid from other union officials.

Mr. Burke in assuring the Government of his cooperation, said in part: "The labor organizations and fraternal societies are a very fine medium through which to educate the people of the necessity and usefulness of supporting our government and at the same time helping themselves.

"One of the unique features explained to me was that it is the intention of our government to make War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps a permanent institution. Such action would be a very progressive one, and I believe would be heartily acclaimed by all our citizens, especially the workers, because it would be in keeping with the great cooperative and democratic spirit that now prevails throughout our great country.

"From a psychological standpoint, it would be considered by the mass of the people, especially the wage earners, a great opportunity to participate in such a great function of government. It would bring the people and the Government closer together, which is greatly needed in these unrestful times."

## NATIONAL G.O.P. BACKS BUGBEE IN N. J.



The national Republican organization is backing this man in his race as governor of New Jersey, President Wilson's state. He is Newton A. K. Bugbee, candidate on the Republican ticket. National Chairman Will Hays has asked New York Republicans to "lend a helping hand."