

Women Enfranchised Can Create Permanent World's Peace

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EVERY mother can convince her son that in view of the spectacle across the Atlantic there is a greater glory than war, and that is peace.

SHE CAN LEAD HIM TO UNDERSTAND THAT THE RULERS WHO SAVED A NATION FROM WAR ARE GREATER THAN THOSE WHO PLUNGED THEM INTO IT.

IT WILL NOT BE HARD TO MAKE CLEAR TO HIM THAT THE WORK OF SALVATION IS GREATER THAN THE WORK OF DESTRUCTION. SHE, READING WITH HIM EVENTS IN THE LURID LIGHT FROM ACROSS THE SEAS, CAN PERSUADE HIM THAT THERE IS A BETTER WAY TO SETTLE A DISPUTE THAN BY FIGHTING AND THAT THE ONLY HONORABLE WAR IS THE WAR OF BRAINS.

He will be able to learn easily the lesson that all national disputes can be settled by arbitration.

Read the stories of the battles with him. Stamp them deeply upon his brain and say, "And all this need never have been."

IT WILL POINT THE DOUBLE MORAL THAT WAR IS PREVENTABLE AND THAT WOMEN ENFRANCHISED CAN AND WILL PREVENT IT.

Fallacy That Foreign Made Articles Are Superior to American

By HARRY TIPPER, President Advertising Men's League

PERHAPS the most important class of consumers of foreign made articles consists of those who labor under the idea that because imported articles are usually more expensive they must necessarily be superior and more desirable than American made goods.

The American textile industry has suffered perhaps as much as any from the unreasonable demand for "imported" goods.

OVER ONE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF FOREIGN WOOL AND COTTON MANUFACTURES ARE PURCHASED BY AMERICANS EVERY YEAR.

Of this vast amount of merchandise it must be admitted that a fair proportion represents products which are superior in quality or cheaper in price than the domestic equivalent; but, on the other hand, many million dollars are annually paid over to foreigners by AMERICAN CITIZENS FOR FABRICS AND WEARING APPAREL WHICH ARE IN NO RESPECT SUPERIOR TO THE DOMESTIC VARIETY.

Woeful Condition of Educational Affairs in Colleges Due to Prosperity

By ARTHUR G. WEBSTER, Professor of Physics at Clark University

UNPARALLELED PROSPERITY FOR THE PAST FIFTY YEARS HAS BROUGHT ABOUT A WOEFUL CONDITION OF EDUCATIONAL AFFAIRS IN OUR BIG COLLEGES. THE RESULT OF THIS PROSPERITY IS SWOLLEN FORTUNES, THE AUTOMOBILE CLASSES, THE PURSUIT OF PLEASURE, THE EXAGGERATION OF DANCING, THE LACK OF INTEREST IN ALL THINGS THAT CANNOT BE MEASURED BY THE YARDSTICK OF BUSINESS SUCCESS AND THE DETERIORATION OF SKILL IN ARITHMETIC.

About all that people want to know about now are AUTOMOBILES, DANCING, MOVIES AND BASEBALL. Show me a boy who is interested in arithmetic and I will show you a hundred interested in the newest self starting gear. Show me a mother interested in the housing problem and I will show you a dozen who are more interested in the tango and maxixe.

Day of Big Naval Ship Passed; Submarine Its Foe

By Admiral Sir PERCY SCOTT of England

WHEN the question of whether battleships should be large or small was publicly under discussion many people wrote to me for my views on the subject. I replied that, in my opinion, the time had arrived when we should cease building battleships and spend the money in increasing the number of our air craft and submarines.

MANY NAVAL OFFICERS HAVE WRITTEN THAT THEY AGREE WITH ME. ON THE OTHER HAND, MANY CRITICS HAVE EXPRESSED OPINIONS THAT I AM PREMATURE, THAT I HAVE ASSUMED WHAT MAY BE A POSSIBILITY IN THE FUTURE MAY BE A FACT OF TODAY, THAT IN WARFARE THE TORPEDO HAS BEEN DISAPPOINTING, THAT THE SUBMARINE IS BLIND, SLOW AND EASILY DESTROYED.

None of my critics has given a satisfactory explanation of what our battleships would or could do if we should be at war with a nation well equipped with submarines.

Discipline Has Taught Germans to Control Themselves Even When Excited

By Captain K. BOY-ED of German Embassy

THE Germans are a peaceable and not an atrocious people. DISCIPLINE HAS TAUGHT THEM TO KEEP CONTROL OF THEMSELVES, EVEN WHEN EXCITED, and you may rest assured that when all the truth is known justification will be found for all the so called barbarities practiced by our troops.

MY EMPEROR IS MISUNDERSTOOD. IT HAS BEEN SAID THAT SOME GERMAN SOLDIER MAY SHOOT HIM IN ORDER TO STOP THE WAR, BUT I TELL YOU THAT NOTHING OF THE KIND WILL EVER OCCUR. KAISER WILHELM IS NOT A "WAR LORD" AND DOES NOT SEEK MILITARY FAME. IF HE IS PRIMARILY A BATTLE KING, WHY HAS HE GIVEN SO MUCH ENCOURAGEMENT TO HIS SCHOOLS, HIS SHIPPING, HIS MUSIC AND HIS CITIES, WHICH OTHER PEOPLE THE WORLD OVER HAVE COME TO STUDY? HE IS FIGHTING NOT IN SPITE OF THESE THINGS, BUT FOR THEM, TO DEFEND THEM. THIS IS A WAR OF DEFENSE AND NOT OF OFFENSE, AND OUR EMPEROR AND THE TROOPS, WHO LOVE HIM, ARE BOUND TO WIN.

TROOPS TO REPLY TO MEXICAN FIRE

GOVERNMENT TAKES STAND FOLLOWING CABINET MEETING TUESDAY

'AGGRESSION' IS NOT CONTEMPLATED

Determined Policy, Found Success in Previous Trouble, Will be Followed—Distinction is Drawn

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—If the contending Mexican forces opposite Naco, Ariz., do not cease firing into American territory, the three batteries of field artillery sent to the international line by President Wilson and Secretary Garrison will be ordered to return to the fire.

This is the determination of the United States government, it became known tonight, after a full discussion by President Wilson with his cabinet yesterday.

No act of "aggression" is contemplated, as was explained in a statement in the White House today, but officials draw a distinction between aggressive and defensive action.

Brigadier General Hugh Scott, now chief of staff of the army, when in command at El Paso, Tex., a year ago, placed his artillery in a position along the Rio Grande and delivered the same warning, which was heeded.

CHICAGO STIRRED BY NEW POLICE PROBE

NINE DETECTIVES INDICTED AFTER INVESTIGATION IN "CLAIRVOYANT TRUST"

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—C. P. ("Barney") Bertsche, ward politician and for years a leading figure in Chicago's underworld, today followed the lead of Frank Ryan, leader of the clairvoyant ring here, walked into the grand jury room and told what he knew of the relations between certain policemen and criminals. So did James Ryan, active worker in the clairvoyant ring.

Their stories, which substantiated and augmented the confession made yesterday by Frank Ryan, resulted tonight in nine true bills against members of the detective bureau, according to Maclay Hoyle, state's attorney. Hoyle said the indictments would not be returned until Saturday.

Bertsche, who with James Ryan was convicted of having swindled Mrs. Hope L. McEldowney, of La Crosse, Wis., to the extent of \$15,000, has been at odds with the police department since a revolver fight on a busy downtown corner some time ago. Detective James Monaghan and William Egan, Bertsche, Nathan Spira, who had just been convicted of arson, and one or two bystanders all went to hospitals with bullet wounds as a result of the fighting.

After leaving the grand jury room, Bertsche told of an agreement he said he had made with Captain John J. Halpin, until recently in charge of the detective bureau, and Lieutenant John Tobin, by which Frank Ryan and his men were to have a monopoly on the clairvoyant business down town.

The Word "Replica." Perhaps not one writer in ten uses the word "replica" in its correct sense. People seem to think that "replica" means merely a "copy." One finds, for example, about modern artists "replicas" of old masters' work and that "replicas" of Columbus' caravels are to be made. A replica is "a copy of a work done by the same hand that did the original." It is not likely that the hand which designed the caravels of Columbus is now at work making copies of them.—New York World.

Barrie's Critic. J. M. Barrie some years ago was persuaded to take the chair at a Burns celebration in Scotland. He was extremely silent and stole away at the earliest opportunity. Next week appeared in the National Observer a humorous article entitled "Mr. Barrie in the Chair," in which Mr. Barrie's lack of social tact was held up to ridicule. Many people thought the writer had gone too far and protested. But the author of the article was Mr. Barrie himself.

A Difference in Names. One of the tenants in a big business building was leaving his office the other day when he encountered in the hallway two little pookaninies, evidently one of the subject's children. "What's your name?" he demanded of the oldest of them.

"Mah name," replied the little fellow, "is Hubert Gladstone St. Ignatius Brown."

"And your brother's name?" asked Barnes.

"His name am jes' Pieface."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Must Have Had Experience. "Never mind, dear," he said reassuringly as she raised her sweet face from his shoulder and they both saw the white blur on his coat; it will all brush off.

"Oh, Charlie," she burst out, sobbing, hiding her face again upon his whitey shoulder, "how do you know?"—Somerville Journal.

Saved by Matrimony. Mrs. Newjwed—Now, John, only for me you would have tipped the florist's boy, the taxi chauffeur and the waiter. You are a dollar richer than you would have been if you were single.—Chicago News.

PRINCE VON BUELOW MAY TRY TO CHANGE ITALY'S NEUTRALITY



PRINCE BERNHARD VON BUELOW

Prince Bernhard von Buelow, former German imperial chancellor, has been appointed German ambassador to Italy. His selection at this time is of peculiar significance in view of his recent campaign in the press both of Germany and of Italy in favor of active participation in the war by Italy on the side of the triple alliance. The former imperial chancellor married into one of the most aristocratic families of Italy and has lived in Rome almost continuously since his retirement from active public service. Prince von Buelow was the successor of Bismarck when William II. "dropped the pilot." He had spent three years, 1897-1900, as German minister of foreign affairs when he was called to the highest post in the empire, that of imperial chancellor. He retained that post for nine years. It was during his tenure of that office that the clash over Morocco, which almost caused a Franco-German war, occurred.

The Oregon State fair board asks for \$123,638 to erect new buildings in 1915.

Bend has lowered city and school taxes.

INSANITY IS PLEA

ENTERPRISE, Ore., Dec. 9.—J. A. French, ex-county judge appeared in the circuit court before Judge Knowles Tuesday to answer to charges contained in four indictments found against him by the recent grand jury. They charge forgery and obtaining money by false pretenses.

He pleaded "not guilty." The courtroom was filled with men from all over the county to hear the plea. While no intimation of the line of defense was given at the arraignment, counsel for the former county official said afterward that it would be insanity. Attorneys Boyd and Burleigh have been searching into Mr. French's past life and they have gathered a mass of testimony of all kinds to support their point.

Education Noblest Task Nation Can Undertake

By Governor MARTIN H. GLYNN of New York

EDUCATION is the link which binds the hope of one generation to the achievement of the next. It gives to the eager youth of the present the fruits of all that men and women have done since the morning of the first day. It keeps imperishable the contributions of every age to the PLEASURE AND PROFIT OF THE RACE. It makes the revolutions of yesterday the conventions of today. It proclaims CONSIDERATION FOR HUMANITY, and PREACHES LOVE FOR MAN.

It conquers force by persuasion and slays wrong by irony and wit. It fetters prejudice with logic and liberates reason with rhetoric. TO EDUCATE—TO DRAW FORTH ALL THE SPLENDID POSSIBILITIES OF A HUMAN BEING—IS THE NOBLEST TASK THAT ANY INDIVIDUAL OR NATION CAN ATTEMPT. TO EDUCATE—TO PLACE THE HARD WON TRUTHS OF VANISHED YEARS BEFORE THE QUESTIONING AND ASPIRING MIND—IS A RESPONSIBILITY THAT RESTS UPON EVERY STATE AND EVERY NATION.

Central Oregon irrigation projects are planning to get \$450,000 from reclamation funds.

INDUSTRIAL FAIR AT NEWBERG IS SUCCESS

NEWBERG, Dec. 7.—This community is proud of the success of the Industrial fair conducted by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Pacific college, which closed Saturday evening. The number of exhibitors, the attendance and the enthusiasm displayed, far exceeded the anticipations of those in charge, and a large sum will be realized for the benefit of the college. The ladies are especially grateful to the Portland merchants who sent goods for exhibition and sale, the entire receipts to be retained by the auxiliary.

Musical and literary programs were given each afternoon and evening during the three days of the fair. Yesterday afternoon there was a baby show, which included three pairs of twins. Those in charge say that Newberg boasts of still another pair.

RIVERS DOWNED

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 9.—Johnny Dundee, the New York lightweight, gained the decision over Joe Rivers, of Los Angeles, last night in the last 20-round battle to be staged in California before the anti-prizefight law becomes effective. Rivers had a shade over the New York Italian until the eleventh round. After that Dundee took the lead, and had Rivers almost out in the nineteenth and twentieth.

Wilson to Protect Business

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—President Wilson in his annual address to congress today coupled with a defense of the country's military preparedness a word of assurance to business that it would not be embarrassed by further legislation.

He said the trust and currency legislative programs of his administration virtually had been completed, leaving no conjecture as to what was to follow, and that there was a clear and firm road ahead on which honest men might travel with perfect confidence.

JOHNSON NOW A FED.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—That Walter Johnson, of the Washington team, premier pitcher of the American league, has signed a contract with the Chicago Federal league club was the announcement of Charles Weeghman, president of the local club.

Weeghman said he received word Johnson had signed in a long-distance telephone message from Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago club, who had been in conference with Johnson. The contract was reported to be for two years. The amount of salary was not announced.

GIRL 19, TO WED MAN 63

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 4.—Fanny Maxine Meiner, 19 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Meiner, 418 East Forty-ninth street North, whose marriage to Dr. Spero Hargreaves, of Portland, two and a half years ago, and a subsequent divorce two months later, created a social stir, Thursday startling surprise when she became the bride of J. B. Reed, 63 years old, one of the foremost building contractors and capitalists of Portland.

The marriage at the home of her mother really tipped in the bad an elopement planned by the couple, which would have culminated in a marriage at the home of the bride's uncle, Edward Hampton, of West Sound.

OPERATOR DENOUNCES UNION

DENVER, Dec. 4.—"I am theoretically in favor of union labor; practically I have no use for it," Walter A. Curtis, president of the Hanson Coal company, an employer of union labor, testified before the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations today. "Just now I have a controversy with the committee of one of my mines. The union does not stand back of me, disciplining the committee by charging it. I am going to get rid of union labor. I am going to see who is running our mines, the pit committee or the company."

The pit committee, he said, had decreed that certain men who had attended the funeral of a non-union miner at a neighboring non-union mine should be discharged for attending the funeral of a "scab."

MARQUARD NOW A FED

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—"Hub" Marquard, one of the trio of famous pitchers for the New York Giants, cast his lot with the Federal league today. It was announced here, as the third star player the Federal league has won over from the older organization in a week. Robert B. Ward, president of the Brooklyn club of the never hush ball organization, gave out that Marquard had signed a contract to pitch for the Brooklyn team.

Ward said that Marquard had signed the Brooklyn Federal league contract in triplicate, in addition to making an affidavit that he was a free agent in a baseball sense, and had received and accepted for an advance payment under his Federal league contract.

SNAGBOAT ON WILLAMETTE

ALBANY, Ore., Dec. 4.—The government snagboat Mathloma is engaged in clearing the channel in the upper Willamette river. It left Albany yesterday to work between this city and Harrisburg.

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