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PRAYING FOR VICTORY

The Democrat has received thru the mail from the east a circular letter, in which the Democrat is asked to publish an inclosure, addressed to the Kaiser, in response to an article headed "The Kaiser Prays For Victory."

Your prayer is unworthy of you and your traditions. Why do you mock God? As well pray for the world to end tomorrow as to pray for the permanent triumph of Injustice and your false gods of militarism.

Your prayer will never be answered. Those crushed through cruel torture and loss unspeakable—the maiming and the loss of loved ones held dearer than life itself.

Those once strong, now mangled and blinded and crippled and diseased; and those struck dumb to behold the heartless, needless sacrifice of your best manhood;

Those touched with sympathy at the pain and the suffering and the anguish that enthral Europe;

Those overwhelmed with horror even to contemplate the sorrow and the ruin that your war has wrought;

The bleeding heart of all humanity implores you to change your prayer!

Pray rather for vision. Pray for the Soul-Gift that sees beyond transient trade advantage and property rights.

Pray for the Soul-Gift that recognizes the difference between mere temporal accomplishments and achievements imperishable.

Pray for the Soul-Gift that dreams of conquests worth while and enduring, conquests of the mind and heart and character; conquests worth striving for, living for, dying for.

Pray for the Soul-Gift that strives in the world of men there is one thing grander than to succeed, one thing more wonderful than to win, one thing more glorious than to conquer—that is to surrender when you know your course to be wrong.

Pray rather for humility. Not the humility that grovels in the dust, but the humility that can place Truth and Justice above National Honor and False Pride.

Pray for Humility that can place Universal Brotherhood above the Blind Patriotism of artificial boundaries and the damning hates and prejudices of nationalism (for are we not all children of one God?).

Pray for the Humility that can place Peace and Mercy above Ambition and Revenge.

Pray rather for wisdom. Pray for the Wisdom to know that with your mind and heart you can fuse a character that shall influence, that shall mould (which is far nobler than selfishly to direct) the destinies of all nations great and small; while with terrorism and tribute and bondage, combined with the best-trained army and a larger reserve of guns and ammunition than all your enemies are able to procure you cannot really conquer, you cannot successfully reign over the smallest principality, without the consent of the people.

Patronize Home Industry—Smoke Albany Specials and Hand Made Cigars.

SEE SCOTTY—For hot tamales at the O. K. restaurant, 106 East 1st St. Tel. 68R. Will deliver 15c or two for 25c to take home. 411f

FOR SALE—One A. J. C. Jersey Bull six months old. Full brother of the winner of the butter contest at the 1916 Albany show. Price right. Dent F. Stewart. D19-26

INSFITS

What a modern world this is. A Chicago woman travels in a flying machine after votes.

Ten years ago we would not have believed many present day occurrences.

A new story is In Silent Places, by White. It is one of the North. Though not a love story, there is love or something like it in it. It is full of nature, and there is some tragedy. A very readable story, it is said to be attracting a good deal of attention.

Authors scratch their heads viciously to get something different, and White is doing it, telling stories that give one the shivers, but grip nevertheless.

The price of monkeys has increased.

Wall street is getting busy again, catching its breath.

Easy Problem

She—But I can't cook and I hate to wash dishes.

He—Then I'm the man you ought to marry. I can't afford to buy anything to cook, and so we won't need clothes.—Boston Transcript.

A Quarrelsome Home

Among the applicants for employment in the service of a Jersey household there once came a big, husky Irish girl named Rosalie.

"What was your reason for leaving your last place, Rosalie?" asked the mistress during the course of examination.

"I couldn't stand the way the master and mistress used to quarrel all the time."

"Dear! Dear!" exclaimed the lady. "Did they quarrel all the time?"

"All the time, mum," repeated Rosalie, "and, mum, when it wasn't me and him, it was me and her."—The Youth's Companion.

Golf's Bad Influence

"Big business interests," we are told, "are considering the elimination of golfers from managerial positions." Not that big business has any natural prejudice against golf; but the captains of industry are said to have discovered that golf-playing ruins a man's efficiency.—Ex.

FOR SALE—Light roadster automobile. First class condition. Recently overhauled. Address "Roadster" care Democrat.

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NOTICE OF BOND REDEMPTION

Notice is hereby given that the Fiscal Agent for the State of Oregon in New York has funds in hand to, and will on the 2nd day of January, 1917, pay off, redeem and cancel Bonds, Nos. 1 to 12 inc., of the Improvement Bonds of the City of Albany, Oregon, dated Jan. 1, 1914. Interest on said Bonds shall cease on Jan. 2, 1917. H. B. CUSICK, City Treasurer of Albany, Oregon, 16-23-30.

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HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—By widower living on a 30-acre farm. Preferably woman of from 40 to 45. Address H. S., care Democrat. D18-30

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A 10 million timber claim in Douglas county for city property or cash farm land. Home 1143 1161f

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply 808 Calapooia St.; 552-R. D22-29

WANTED—Leghorn hens not more than yearlings. E. E. Clem, Home phone 8315, or call at Hulbert-Oblings. D27J3

BOARD AND ROOM—Tremont Hall offers board and room to young women after Jan. 1. Make arrangements now. D151f

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