



"A great net of mercy drawn through
an ocean of unspeakable pain"

"I'm afraid that's all I can spare"

You're a regular, red-blooded, true-blue American. You love your country. You love that flapping, snapping old flag. Your heart thumps hard when the troops tramp by. You're loyal--100%!

You intend to--you *want* to--help win the war in a hurry.

"Sacrifice? Sure," you've been thinking. "Just you wait till they really need it." And you've honestly thought you *meant* that too.

But--look yourself in the eye, now, and search up and down inside of your heart--*did* you mean it? *Did* you really mean "sacrifice"?

Listen: You feel poor. This third Liberty Loan, the high prices, the Income Tax--you've *done* your bit. You feel that you've given all you can spare.

What? Then what *did* you mean? What's that you said about loving your country? What did you think the word "sacrifice" means?

Surely you didn't mean, did you, to give only what you can *spare*?

What about our boys who are giving their lives in the trenches? Are they giving only what they can "spare"?

How about those mothers and little "kiddies" in the shell-wrecked towns of that war-swept hell--hungry--ragged--sobbing--alone? Giving up their homes, their husbands, their fathers.

While *we*--over here with our fun and our comforts--we hold up our heads and feel *patriotic* because we have given--*what*? Some loose bills off the top of our roll. "*We've* given all we can spare!"

Come, come! Let's quit fooling ourselves. Let us learn what "sacrifice" *means*. Let us give *more* than we can spare--let us "give till the heart says stop."



WHAT IS WORSE THAN WAR?

Consumption Four Times More Deadly Than Bombs and Machine Guns.

Pierre Hamp, a French medical authority, estimates that of the 38,000,000 people of all ages still living in France 4,000,000 must die of tuberculosis. The war will have killed about 1,000,000. This means that man with all of his inventiveness is far less efficient than Nature as a man killer. There have been over 400,000 new cases of consumption in France since the war began. This is why, despite the number of new hospitals, there is still not sufficient space available for tuberculosis cases.

The Question of Pensions.
Of course first consideration is accorded to the ever popular wounded men. Therein lies the tragedy of the consumptive soldier. With the new cases coming in daily from the trenches the consumptives are not as helpless as the wounded men. When discharged from the army the severely wounded are allowed a pension by the government. The consumptives, however, receive no allowance unless they can prove that their illness is entirely due to their service in the army. This is not an easy thing to do, and consequently comparatively few consumptives receive governmental assistance.

Until the American Red Cross began to extend its aid the plight of most of these men was often pitiful. When discharged from the hospital they are given certain instructions which would eventually bring them back to health. But conditions are hard. They are usually unable to earn much and so do not get proper or even sufficient nourishment. Very often they are in no condition to look after themselves, still less to safeguard the health of others. To meet this difficulty local committees have been formed to look after the discharged patients and see that they do not pass on their disease to members of their families. The task is well nigh hopeless. Even if proper living quarters are to be had sanitation and hygiene cannot be taught overnight. They sleep in air tight rooms, kiss their babies, drink out of the same cups and use the same towels as the rest of their families.

In spite of these appalling difficulties, however, the rapid spread of the disease must--simply must--be checked. Even to attempt this would be an impossibility without the tremendous facilities and aid of the American Red Cross. No other agency could conceivably face, much less hope to accomplish, such a task.

NOTICE OF SALE OF GOVERNMENT TIMBER

General Land Office, Washington, D. C., May 11, 1918. Notice is hereby given that subject to the conditions and limitations of the Act of June 9, 1916 (39 Stat., 218), and the instructions of the Secretary of the Interior of September 15, 1917, the timber on the following lands will be sold June 26, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., at public auction at the United States land office at Portland, Oregon, to the highest bidder at not less than the appraised value as shown by his notice, sale to be subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior. The purchase price, with an additional sum of one-fifth of one per cent thereof, being commissions allowed, must be deposited at time of sale, money to be returned if sale is not approved, otherwise patent will issue for the timber which must be removed within ten years. Bids will be received from citizens of the United States, associations of such citizens and corporations organized under the laws of the United States or any State, territory or district thereof only. Upon application of a qualified purchaser, the timber or any legal subdivision will be offered separately before being included in any offer of a larger unit. Township 4 S., 2 E., Sec. 21; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, red fir 915 M.; not to be sold at less than \$1.60 per M. T. 4 S., R. 3 E., Sec. 33; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, red fir 1090 M.; NW 1/4 NE 1/4, red fir 1045 M.; cedar 10 M.; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, red fir 400 M.; cedar 25 M.; NW 1/4 NW 1/4, red fir 285 M.; cedar 15 M.; none of the red fir or cedar to be sold for less than \$1.50 per M. T. 10 S., R. 3 E., Sec. 3, SW 1/4 S E 1/4, Douglas fir 848 M.; SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Douglas fir 747 M.; hemlock 144 M.; SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Douglas fir 1315 M.; none of the Douglas fir to be sold for less than \$1.00 per M., and none of the hemlock to be sold for less than \$1.50 per M. Sec. 5; SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Douglas fir 1692 M.; hemlock 168 M.; Lot 4 or NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Douglas fir 1754 M.; SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Douglas fir 1538 M.; SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Douglas fir 1493 M.; NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Douglas fir 1411 M.; SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Douglas fir 1639 M.; Sec. 7; NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Douglas fir 500 M.; Sec. 11; SE 1/4 NE 1/4, yellow fir 960 M.; hemlock 50 M.; NW 1/4 NE 1/4, yellow fir 1185 M.; hemlock 55 M.; NE 1/4 SE 1/4, yellow fir 1550 M.; hemlock 90 M.; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, yellow fir 1150 M.; hemlock 105 M.; none of the Douglas fir or yellow fir to be sold for less than \$1.60 per M., and none of the hemlock to be sold for less than 50 cents per M. (sgd) CLAY TALLMAN, Commissioner General Land Office. dm2024

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS AT THE GLOBE TOMORROW

Douglas Fairbanks, the acrobatic star whose latest Arcturion picture, "A Modern Musketeer" will be shown at the Globe theatre tomorrow, is very fond of animals. "Smiles," the pony who is known to all picture fans, and "Ginger," an Alaskan malamute dog, accompany him wherever possible. While staging "A Modern Musketeer" in the Grand Canyon of Arizona, the dog and horse were members of the company. "Ginger" is very intelligent and has been taught a number of tricks, not the least amusing of which is the way he sits up and begs for a pipe after he has been fed.

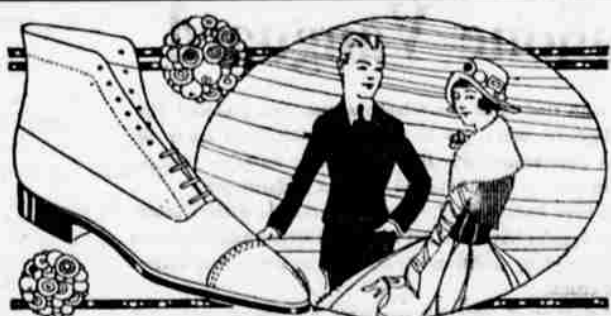
Douglas Fairbanks and his company of 50 people spent two weeks in the Grand Canyon in Arizona, and then went to the Canyon du Chelly, 90 miles by pack mule from Gallup, N. M. Fairbanks did not overlook any of the high cliffs in staging his thrillers, and his admirers will see him in new and sensational stunts. Marjorie Daw, who is very sweet and young, makes her first appearance playing opposite Fairbanks. The balance of the cast includes Frank Campeau, Kathleen Kirkham, Eugene Ormonde and Tully Marshall.

TALKS TO MILLION

Harry Lauder, famous Scotch comedian who toured the country for the Y. M. C. A., spoke to more than 1,000,000 persons in seven months.

Father Has Stroke--
Prof. E. A. Hudson received a telegram last night stating his father had

a stroke of paralysis at his home at Milton, Oregon. Prof. Hudson left this morning for Milton.



A Hit With Young Men

BEAUTY always draws the young man's eye--and in the shoe line there's nothing that makes such a hit as this new model just received with our spring goods. Rich shade of Autumn Brown--smart flat last--medium heavy sole--invisible eyelets.

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The coat is made of navy taffeta with large square collar, which can be buttoned up at the neck; hands with full gathers at back from waistline. Belt is fastened in front with large buckle.

The sleeves are full, and have deep cuffs. The garment is tastefully trimmed with buttons.

\$22.50

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ACTING OF SPIDERS

FEATURE OF PICTURE

In the Metro picture, "Her Boy," starring Effie Shannon, popular favorite of the stage, and Niles Welch, which will be presented at the Rolfe Tuesday, audiences will see glimpses of spiders that were trained to act in several scenes.

The spider scenes were staged in a typical old-fashioned telegraph office in a drowsy little town. The operator is seen asleep and when he awakens and finds a spider climbing over his feet which are propped up on the table, he calls the colored porter to remove the pest.

In order to be sure to have the large black species of spider needed, Director Irving had the property boy bring several large spiders up from Florida, where many of the exterior scenes were staged. The spiders were brought to the New York studio in glass jars.

After several spiders were given try-outs, the director chose one large one to play the needed action. It took considerable patience and training to get the spider to crawl over the telegraph operator's shoe in view of the camera. At last the spider learned what was wanted and an unusual bit of detail was recorded on the film for Metro's "Her Boy."

SPECIAL RED CROSS FILMS AT GLOBE

"Field Service on the Western Front" and "Humanity's Appeal" will be the names of two feature films which will be added attractions at the Globe tomorrow evening. The films are sent out by the Red Cross and are of an educational character, designed to show the public what the Red Cross is doing in the present war.

LIBERTY BREAD

Barley Muffins

1 c milk.
1 t fat.
2 t syrup.
1 egg.
1 t salt.
4 t baking powder.
3 c barley flour.

Procedure--Sift dry materials together. Add to the milk, the melted fat, syrup, and beaten egg. Combine mixtures, stirring lightly. Bake about 30 minutes in moderately hot oven.

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Special for April, regular \$1.40 5-gal. OIL CAN	\$1.30
WHEAT FLAKES, large, 3-1-4 pound packages	30c

Highest Cash Price paid for EGGS, or taken in exchange.

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FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN and BEVERLY BAYNE in "RED, WHITE AND BLUE BLOOD" Playing at The Rolfe Tonight.