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KIPLING ON WAR

"Other wars have been merely wars This is for the life and death of the world's body, soul and spirit." This is what Rudyard Kipling wrote

recently to a personal friend in this "It isn't pleasant," says Kipling, "to

have girls and children, hospital nurses and schoolteachers, blown to bits or mangled in the streets by bombs. But as you say, nothing matters so long as the Hun is finished for good

"If the Hun continues to exist as power the world is lost.

"There need be no more hate or an-ger over finishing him out than there is in dealing with an epidemic of ty-

phoid or smallpox.

"We know that certain microbes cause certain disease and it is the business of mankind to clean out and sterilize the centers where these germs live and the channels by which they reach human beings, as well as to take care that they shall have no further chance of infecting our sys-

"Less than this means trouble and defeat in the future."

"THE FIRST SERIOUS DEFEAT

"Events between the Somme and the Avre constitute the first serious defeat of the war."

Thus the Deutches Zeitung of Ber-

Of course, the Deutches Zeitung never heard of the two battles of the Marne or the three of Ypres, of Verdun or of the Somme. Its editors acthe word of the German high command, and that command has yet to admit that any offensive operation in four years has proved a failure, or that any retreat has been other than "a strategic retirement to previously prepared positions." The Zeitung, indeed, is fairly representative of the German people.
None should complain because the

None should complain because the Germans do not know when they are beaten. The trouble with them is not that they have not realized when they were beaten. Their real difficulty lies in the fact that they do not yet lies in the fact that they do not yet know why all civilization is in league

The testimony of the Deutches Zeitung is proof, however, that there is hope for the race. This great journal knows, now, that the German arms have suffered one serious defeat. should be but a step to the searching for the reason. When the German people really undertake to find out where they stand in the world and in the world's opinion, they will have progressed tremendously.

A few more lessons like those of the second Marne and of Picardy

SAYING THINGS AND DOING THINGS

The best way to measure the strength of political parties in campaigns is by their issues.

Issues should likewise be and as a

rule are the producers of votes. That the vote in future campaigns will be influenced to greater degree by clearcut issus and less by claims or the influence of astute politicians is one of the beneficial consequences of the

In the political skirmishes which have so far preceded the fall campaigns, especially for office in the United States senate and house of representatives, no difficulty was encountered on the part of the Democrats to state their issues in precise,

strictly confined and clear-cut terms. Can as much be said for the re-"Win the war" is a national task-

not a national political issue. It is the most important business in which we as a nation are now engaged. It must and does take precedence before anything else, but as already stated, this is not a political issue.

The manner of performing this ta

however, the conducting and manag- cratic administration which, being in state organ of that party in Indiana, office and power, is managing the well-describes the activities of repub ing of this foremost business of ours is an issue partisan critics seek to susiness and managing it well.

chievement of ultimate victory.

It is not claimed that this is a "dem

Party lines have been obliterated but similar conditions as they exist in for the sake of efficiency wherever other parts of the country. Tremendous though this task is, it an rightfully be claimed that the necessary or advisable. "Politics has present administration has more than been adjourned" in word and fact, not- is to abandon its attitude of unflinchwithstanding claims to the contrary ing and effective prosecution of the ome up to expectations. Innumerable obstacles encountered in the giby republican officials and publica- war to a complete and overwhelming cantic development of this business of tions winning the war" have been overome in the past, are daily being sur-

Ever foremost in mind was "to do ming policy toward the German vote things," not merely "to say them," then it deserves to lose the election mounted and will not block the which tended to produce result. Can as much be said for the repub-

The following from the Indianapolis head in 1918. 'Win the war now

ocratic war"—though it is a "war for The following from the Indianapolis head in 1918. Win the war now democracy." However, it is a demo- Star, a republican newspaper and the should be every man's motto. The

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Soft coal, they say, will do just as well as any, if only you know how to fire the furnace properly. But how do you fire the furnace with no coal?"

lican leaders not only in that state

"If the republican party in Indiana

victory in favor of a timid and trim-

and it probably will. There is no dif-

ference between a democratic copper-

head in 1864 and a republican copper

only criticism that is good for any-

thing is one that will show us how to

win it quicker and make its results

more permanent and sure." The political issue is: Help win the

MONEY POWER

The banks and trust companies in New York state, at the close of the first half of 1918, had \$150,000,000 more resources than they had 12 months before. And this after contributing enormous amounts paid out for Liberty Loans, War Savings stamps, federal taxes, Red Cross and other war purposes.

In the absence of complete reports from the whole country we can probably take this situation as typical. All the billions we have poured into the war pot have not impoverished us, have not weakened us, have not even lessened our resources. We have actually supported our first year of war out of our current savings. As a nation, we are probably a little ahead of the game in spite of the drain.

It is an amazing exhibition of financial power, and of the great earning capacity combined with increased thrift that makes such power possible. We may not be able to make so fine a showing next year, because of the rapidly-mounting war costs. We cannot earn much more. We should be able, however, to save a good deal more, and end the second year with our bank resources only slightly diminished. It all depends on what we spend our money for.

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