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THE BROTHERHOOD BOLSHEVISTS

The events of the last five years have brought about conditions so unlike the normal state of affairs that the people need time and opportunity to cool down. Years of war and of abnormal living have caused fiery agitation, and the proposed disruption of established economic conditions. Every new proposal, however fantastic, is seized upon as the panacea of the hour. It is doubtful if civilization could survive the universal adoption of any of them. The severance of all relations between employer and employe, and the substitution of the soviet idea for the present system might be fatal to our progress and power as a nation. It might (and undoubtedly would) thrust us back into the ranks of fourth rate peoples like Hungary and Turkey. The proposal of the four railway brother-hoods in the "Plumb plan" is the first step toward the nationalization of all industry—whether factory, mine or farm. It is an attempt to impose upon America the wild theories of Lenine and Trotsky. It is an economic revolution by ultimatum. The brotherhoods constitute less than two per cent of the population, yet they want to impose their demands on the remaining 98 per cent. It is not strange that the country is astounded at this latest proposed panacea, for it is Bolshevism of the purest Russian type!

There are more reasons today why we should work and save than ever before. The war taught us how to save, but it brought on an orgy of spending. Every good citizen was willing to pour out the national treasure "to win the war". But when the war had been won, most of us had acquired such a spending jag that we saved only to spend. To shake off this spending intoxication, we must wage a campaign to check the riot of waste that siezed upon the country. Let us take a firmer hold on the savings accumulated during the war. It is quite plain that prices have been forced up more by people who are spending from their savings rather than from their earnings, thus making money plentiful and cheap. Cheap money means dear goods. It is not necessary to stop spending—but to spend wisely from our earnings, not our savings!

Max Houser of the U. S. Grain Corporation at Portland denies that he has warned farmers against hoarding wheat under penalty of being held liable as profiteers. He declares there is no possible basis for this story which has been published in a number of newspapers. He states very emphatically that the whole object of the U.S. Grain Corporation is to see that the guaranteed price on wheat is maintained, and that no farmer shall get less.

Pears, at \$85 a ton, are entering the luxury lists, along with prunes at \$100 a ton, loganberries at \$180 and evergreens at \$160 per ton. While the unprecedented prices for fruits of all kinds may not be permanent, there is every indication that the fruit industry will experience several prosperous seasons, more especially the berry industry. With a market marvelously widening in response to national advertising there is little likelihood of "overdoing" the business.

Mrs. Charles Castner, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, has changed her mind about a special session of the legislature to ratify the woman suffrage amendment to the Federal constitution. She does not now favor it, because so many of the legislators—if they meet—want to consider other matters.

Unless America wants to play the game alone there is no other course open to her than to ratify the treaty of peace and the League covenant—with or without "reservations" or "interpretations" as the Senate may desire.

Market quotations on dry goods in the trade papers for the past three weeks indicate that wholesale prices have reached their highest point. For the past month prices have remained almost stationary.

To the "irate" subscriber who protests that editors never see any good in things German, the Observer calls attention to the modern epigram which declares that if you find an editor who pleases everybody, there will be a glass plate over his face and he will not be standing up!

Some alleged humorist says that the main difference between Senator Johnson's band wagon and any other band wagon is in the length of its tongue!

EDUCATION IN SCHOOL.

A teacher of long experience recently remarked that the most ignorant children she had to deal with came from the two social extremes—from homes in which the mothers had to be away from home working, and from those in which the mothers were so busy with society that they had little time for their children. The point of this remark is that an essential part of the ordinary child's education must be done in the home, says Kansas City Star. With this part missing, the school is under a severe, often fatal, handicap. Many families act on the assumption, although they may not express it, that the school alone is responsible for the children's education. They assume no responsibility in the home. They make no effort to see that the children have a chance to become interested in good books. They do not regard the educational possibilities of intelligent conversation at the dinner table.

Hawker and Greive have received from King George the Air Force Cross, the first to be bestowed for heroism in the air, and establishing an entirely new decoration in British records. It is true their attempt to make the first trans-Atlantic record was a failure, but it was a brilliant failure, far more brilliant than many successes, and it registered a brilliant success in the pluck and courage displayed in the attempt.

J. Austen Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, informs the British house of commons that the British government owes the United States to date \$4,260,000,000 and that the United States government owes the British government \$210,000,000. Which seems to show that we shall continue to be a creditor nation for some time yet.

Peace means justice. There's more forgiveness than spite in this old world—but nations in general, Germany in particular, must know that wanton murder cannot go unpunished if democracy is to endure. The world may cry "Peace! Peace!" but there is no peace without justice.

In the loss of her shipping and other commercial and economic disadvantages Germany is told plainly to blame her submarine warfare, whose destruction she must repair at her own expense.

A copy of Poe's "Tamerlane," published in 1827, brought \$11,600 the other day. How different things might have been if Poe could have obtained \$11,600 for that same book when it was printed!

It is going to be a matter of some difficulty for the birds properly to sing the exploit of the NC-4, that not being much of a name for use in poesy. But then, of course, there are the free versifiers.

Freshmen co-eds at the University of Chicago were discovered calmly smoking cigarettes in the park. Sister has more nerve than brother. When brother started he went out back of the barn.

Buying, curtailed because of the war, is reported brisk again despite high prices. Principally because things got to the point where folk couldn't wait any longer for prices to come down.

The publication of figures showing the casualties to U-boats and their crews indicates that the German submarines were as fatal to their users as they were to the allies.

The director of the mint says he can't imagine what becomes of the millions of pennies he coins. Didn't the director of the mint ever hear about the luxury taxes?

A French aviator has ascended 31,000 feet, establishing a new record for altitude. Wonder if he saw anything of the cost of living up there?

The gardening habit is a good one, but of course those who are pressed for time will find the dogman huckstering at the same old stand.

A dollar used to be worth four German marks; now it's worth twelve. And yet a dollar isn't worth near as much as it used to be.

It is probably human nature for one to underestimate a neighbor's intelligence and to be a trifle overgenerous in estimating one's own.

It takes all kinds of people to make a world, including the man who whips his boy for playing hookey in weather like this.

There is much internal economic disturbance in this country because too many people sleep while others work.

Everybody seems to know that the war is over except the manufacturers of these "war quality" matches.

There used to be considerable talk about dollar wheat. Nowadays we hear rumors of dollar eggs.

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James F. Kinyon,
Administrator said estate.
Napoleon Davis,
Attorney for Administrator.
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