



*"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."

**Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund goes for War Relief.**

The American Red Cross is the largest and most efficient organization for the relief of suffering that the world has ever seen.

It is made up almost entirely of volunteer workers, the higher executives being without exception men accustomed to large affairs, who are in almost all cases giving their services without pay.

It is supported entirely by its membership fees and voluntary contributions.

It is today bringing relief to suffering humanity, both military and civil, in every war-torn allied country.

It plans tomorrow to help in the work of restoration throughout the world.

It feeds and clothes entire populations in times of great calamity.

It is there to help your soldier boy in his time of need.

With its thousands of workers, its tremendous stores and smooth running transportation facilities, it is serving as America's advance guard—and thus helping to win the war.

Congress authorizes it.

President Wilson heads it.

The War Department audits its accounts.

Your Army, your Navy and your Allies enthusiastically endorse it.

Twenty-two million Americans have joined it.

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### Church Notices

Catholic Church Services.

Sunday, May 12.

Pentecost Sunday, May 19.

First Mass, 8 a.m.

Second Mass, 10:30 a.m.

Christian Doctrine, 11:30 a.m.

Devotions, blessing of Service Flag, 3 p.m.

Rev. P. J. O'Rourke

The Federated Church

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Preaching service 11:00 a.m.

Subject, "Christian Citizenship."

Junior Endeavor, 6:30 p.m.

Leader, Sherman Noyes.

Christian Endeavor 7:00 p.m.

Topic, "Education and Service."

Leader, Lorrene Groschen.

Rev. H. F. Pemberton of The Dalles will preach at the evening service.

H. A. Noyes, Pastor.

Christian Science.

Christian Science services are held every Sunday at 11 a.m.

Wednesday at 8:00 p.m., in the Methodist church South, on Chase street.

All interested are invited to attend these services.

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**YOUR** Red Cross is an all-American, largely volunteer organization, authorized by Congress, headed by President Wilson, audited by the War Department, enthusiastically approved by your Army, your Navy, and your Allies.

The work covers both military and civilian relief in every war-torn Allied country and full reports of all expenditures are continually being published, or are available through the Chapters.

It stands beside our boys in training here or "over there."

It watches beside the pillows of battle-broken men, and offers rest and sympathy to war-torn fighters on brief respite from the front.

It carries food and clothing to hungered mothers and little ones in ruined villages.

It helps rebuild the scattered pile of brick and stone they once called "Home."

It brings back to the hopeless mother's arms her long-lost child.

It helps care for the orphans of the men who died that civilization might live.

It helps care for the thousands that have fallen prey to dread tuberculosis.

It nobly represents in deeds of mercy, relief, and restoration the more than twenty million members that have made its great work possible.

### Will You Do Your Share to Keep This "Hand of Mercy" at Its Work?

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund is spent for war relief. All administration costs, relief work for other than war purposes (such as the Halifax and Guatemala disasters) are taken care of out of membership dues, and the interest accruing from the banking of the War Fund has made available for war relief at least \$1.02 for every \$1 contributed.

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#### Soldiers Need Dish Towels and Rags

Mrs. W. H. Herren and Mrs. S. W. Spencer have returned from Seattle, where they attended the Red Cross convention last week. The ladies visited Camp Lewis while on the Sound and report that the soldiers there are in great need of dish towels and rags.

A number of the boys made urgent personal appeals to the Heppner ladies for these necessities, and as representatives of Morrow County Chapter they agreed to collect a shipment at once and send them direct to Camp Lewis instead of through the Red Cross headquarters in Seattle.

Any kind, color or fabric that will serve for dish towels and other purposes for which rags are needed will be welcome if they are clean. Ladies of the county are requested to gather up every scrap they can possibly spare, wash them and bring or send them to Red Cross headquarters at once, as a shipment will be made early next week. This is important.

#### Service Flag to Be Blessed

An interesting service will be held at St. Patrick's church next Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, when the service flag of the parish will be blessed with appropriate ceremonies.

A sermon appropriate to the occasion will be preached by the pastor, the Rev. Father O'Rourke. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present at the blessing of the flag.

Following are the members of St. Patrick's parish now in the service: James Mollaha, James Daly, John Dundas, John B. Calmus, John O'Rourke, Frank C. Cronan, Philip Brody.

W. D. Baxter, J. I. Monks and Wm. Gardner, prominent citizens of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, passed through Heppner during the week enroute to their homes from California, where they have been spending the winter. The gentlemen stopped over a day here to visit with W. P. Mahoney and family, who formerly resided at Bonners Ferry.

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Tom Lowe and David Hynd were in town for a short time Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Lowe reports that a fire in one of C. A. Minor's sheep corrals near Cecil Monday night done considerable damage to fencing, feed racks, etc., and only by hard work were the men able to control the fire and prevent more serious damage.

Miss Charon, teacher in the fifth grade, is off duty this week on account of a severe attack of tonsillitis.

#### HARDMAN HAPPENINGS

Red Cross week begins next Monday. How many of the ladies will be ready to sacrifice that new hat or suit and turn the money in to the Red Cross? How many of the men will be willing to give up a few of those expensive cigars and cigarettes and thereby give more to this worthy cause?

Our Honor Flag has arrived and every Hardman citizen is proud of it. Hardman has sent eight of her boys to the colors in the defense of freedom and democracy.

### Both Incentive and Reward

The interest one draws upon Savings Deposits at the Farmers & Stockgrowers National Bank not only is an incentive to SAVE even more—but is a reward for doing so—as well. We welcome accounts from all classes, ages and sizes of people.

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