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THOUGHTFULNESS

From now on, and for a long time probably, there will be people all around us who will be suffering because of the war. It is hard for those who have not been touched personally by its shadow to realize what it means to those who have been enveloped therein. But it is not too much to ask that all of us strive in every way to avoid injuring the feelings of those others whose loved ones have enlisted or are even now on the other side near the battle line.

There are mothers whose boys have left to serve the country's need. They do not know when those sons will return or whether they will ever see them again.

There are other mothers whose sons are already fighting in the German trenches. When they crossed over those sons were doing their duty as they saw it, although many of them took their chances on the side of Germany. And we Americans honor them for it. But the hearts of those mothers are breaking as they watch their other boys march away under the Stars and Stripes.

And there are mothers whose sons have already died in the trenches of France and Belgium and Italy.

For these and for their friends we must be thoughtful. They deserve every consideration from the true American. And the thoughtless word can dig deep into their hearts with the thrust of a rapier. Even the joke has no place in connection with the grim horror of war; the play that seeks to make a comedy of battle had best be banished from the stage; and the beating of the drum and the blowing of the bugle should be devoted only to necessary military purposes.

A little thoughtfulness will save many an aching heart and cheer many a darkened way during the months that are to come.

BOYS' WORKING RESERVE

Right now the demand for farm labor is beginning to grow. Farmers from this vicinity and from many other sections are haunting the employment offices in vain for help. Big wages are offered, ranging up to five dollars a day in the wheat belt, but with a real scarcity of labor and the attractiveness of other kinds of work the men who can be induced to work on the farms are fewer than ever before known.

The statements issued from many agricultural communities show that the farmers have planted more than they can reap unless labor from some source is brought to their assistance before harvest time is at hand. And that time is drawing perilously near. This action of the farmers was in response to the nation's plea for an increased production and it showed not only a commendable readiness to contribute on the farmer's part his bit to the to the conduct of the war but also confidence in the ability of the government to supply the labor when it is needed.

That in itself, regardless of the necessity for garnering every crop that is sown, should inspire the government officials to perfect the organization of farm labor and have the available men of the nation enlist as "soldiers of the soil."

Such organization is far from being perfect. It had a brief spurt a few weeks ago, but it now seems to lag behind, although the department of labor undertook the mobilization of an army of farm workers numbering no less than a million of young men. Their ages were to be under that required for the selective conscription and the organization was to be known as the United States Boys' Working Reserve. They were to be enlisted at enrolling stations established in every city and were subsequently to be divided into squads each provided with supervision and equipment, and, under the direction of national and district officers, were to be placed where most needed. But where are they?

A million young workers thus rendered available for the nation's agricultural needs would go far towards solving the problem of shortage of farm labor.

There is need for all the farm

labor available in the United States right now. Last year there was difficulty in obtaining sufficient help to harvest the crops. This year the difficulty will be far greater. Yet no produce should be allowed to go to waste.

Berlin, July 9, 1919.—The habits of der Strasse am Linden, who were the subjects in today's clinic, conducted by the Oregon troops of the army of occupation for the enlightenment of the German people on bone-dry subjects, declare their experience was almost as painful as the news telegraphed from Washington two years ago today. They were supremely gratified to learn that bone dry doesn't kill.

The balking democratic mules in congress will not be able to prevent the president from getting his food control bill pulled through. Happy for him there is some reliable economy stock on the republican side that is going to help him out in the emergency.

Tiring of ever recurring attempts to gouge, the secretary of navy ordered the coal, oil and steel men to make immediate deliveries to the government at a price to be fixed by the President. Good! Now kick the food hog.—Mount Scott Herald.

Hans Sourmalt says it will be some time before American troops will have their feet on German soil, but he is sure in error, as Americans are already within the confines of Cincinnati, St. Louis and Milwaukee.

Some eating houses continue to announce "popular prices," but surely their proprietors must know that the people are eating because they are hungry and not because of any popularity of prices.

Don't be consoled by the fallacy that the high cost of living implies at least a lower cost of dying. Even if you do not have to pay your funeral expenses somebody else will.

Wearing a flag on your collar may be all right but how about the feelings of the laundry folks who have to throw the flag into a tub with a lot of soiled clothing?

More and more of them are coming to see that they made an awful bad guess when they bombastically refused to register under the selective conscription plan.

When the United States gets all those 3000 merchant ships running to Europe it will require a block system to prevent rear-end collisions.

That North Yakima giant recruit whose height is six feet seven inches, ought to make a good prop for the American line in France.

Eggs are now 33 1/2 cents a dozen and promise to go still higher. And we'll bet it is a promise they will keep.

A garbage can, during this kind of weather, to be successful, must have the garbage on the inside and the lid on.

If you don't believe it is possible to live on 25 cents a day all you have to do is to get invited out to dinner.

If the wheat growers can't swat a German they can swat the Hessian fly and reap three-dollar wheat.

Next winter the Oregon potato will be to vegetation what a grand lyric is to literature.

After a while, when eggs go up in cents, they will also go up in cents.

A western bungalow has "folding rooms," which greatly economizes space.

Bids Wanted.
Bids will be received by the Board of Directors of School District No. 4 for furnishing and delivery of 75 cords of wood at the schoolhouse on or before August 15, 1917.

All bids to be in the hands of the clerk by July 10, 1917.
C. J. LUNDQUIST, Clerk.

Bids Wanted.
Bids will be received by the district clerk up to July 16 for painting the schoolhouse at Boring. Also bids wanted for installing water system. Board reserves right to reject any and all bids.
J. E. SIEFER, Chairman.
O. W. BORING, Clerk. 39

Bids Wanted.
Bids will be received by Sam Hult, clerk District 48, Troutdale, Oregon, on the work as follows: Well to be lowered 10 feet; 15-in. Armon Ingot pipe to be inserted; and clean gravel to be filled around said pipe entire depth of well; 6-in. cap of concrete to be placed over well top excepting 12 in. hole which is to be covered by 2 in. plank cap.
SAM HULT, Clerk.

Taking Big Chances.
It is a great risk to travel without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as this preparation cannot be obtained on the trains or steamships. Attacks of bowel complaint are often sudden and very severe, and everyone should go prepared for them. Obtainable everywhere.

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| Fairy Soap.....bar 5c; doz | 55c | | |

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THE VALUE OF KAHR CORN.

A correspondent calls attention of The Post to the fact that in the drouthy regions of the country kafr corn is coming into general use as a food crop. The Post has mentioned kafr along with other substitutes for wheat at other times. The importance of this food crop at this time lies in the fact that many parts of the country have had so little rain that Indian corn is a practical failure therein and there is still time in some of them for the planting of kafr.

Kafr, mto maize, feterita, and other non-saccharine grain sorghums have long been grown in West Texas, and there have been occasional attempts to use them for food. As a commercial proposition this has never been a success because of the cheapness and plentiful supply of other grain. There is, however, little doubt that with wheat selling at \$3 and corn selling around \$1.50 per bushel, the people will find it necessary to turn to substitutes. And these grain bearing sorghums are the best substitutes now obtainable.

In China and India, according to United States government bulletins on these crops, they have long been esteemed most valuable food. Prepared as mush the grain is mixed with condiments such as garlic, ginger root and radishes by the poorer people. The richer classes grind it into meal and make it into bread. As the grains are not very rich in nutriment, large quantities of the product are consumed and it is found to be easily digestible.

Writing to the Kansas council of defense, an Ottawa physician says his family likes kafr mush and he finds it a valuable addition to the dietary. Ground in the family coffee mill and cooked like ordinary mush in a double boiler, he found it nutritious, palatable and cheap. There is little doubt that if the wheat and corn crops are as small as they now promise to be, these grain sorghums are going to come into great demand. They may indeed be the means of saving the country from actual want.—Houston Post.

Tailoring

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Administratrix Notice.

In the County Court for Multnomah County, State of Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Edward Cummings, deceased, by the county court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County and has qualified. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, as by law required to the undersigned at Gresham, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published June 26, 1917.
MARY A. STUBBS, Administratrix.
C. G. SCHNEIDER, Attorney.
Last publication, July 31, 1917.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court for the State of Oregon, County of Multnomah. In the matter of the estate of J. W. Robertson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Guy H. Robertson, administrator of the estate of J. W. Robertson, deceased, has been filed his final account in the county court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county and that Monday, hte 30th day of July, 1917, at the hour of 9:30 a. m., of said day at the Court House at Portland in said county and state has been appointed as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

GUY H. ROBERTSON, Administrator.
C. G. SCHNEIDER, Attorney.
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If Overflow Kills Corn, Replant.

Frequently bottom-lands are flooded, during May and June and much of the corn crop is lost. When floods occur as late as the middle of June, the second planting should be made with an early maturing variety, such as one of the following: Iowa, Silver Mine, Leaming Yellow, Silver King, 100-Day Bristol, 90-Day Dent. If the water does not leave the land until July 1, varieties that will mature in 90 days must be planted. Such a variety will be one of the following: Pride of the North, Minnesota 23, North Dakota White Flint, North-western Dent, Rustlers White Dent. Any of these and possibly even earlier ones may be obtained. The farther north the source of seed the earlier the crop will mature.

The department of farm crops of the Missouri college of Agriculture suggests that farmers who have land subject to serious overflow provide seed of one or more of these early varieties. Although the imported, early-making varieties planted late, will not make as good crops as the home seed, planted early they provide the best means of utilizing overflowed lands.

One of the electric locomotives employed on a western railroad recently made an exceptional run of 339 miles without receiving any special attention en route.

London weddings during 1915 numbered 58,354, compared with 43,373 in 1914 and 41,409 in 1913.

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8 Believe everything you hear. Never investigate.
9 Don't pay your dues.
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BALED HAY for sale. Phone 77x. F. A. Welch. tf

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LOST—A bunch of keys on ring. Probably in Gresham. Finder report to Outlook. Reward.

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