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EM-TEES

TO THE MOTHERS.

BY MARION COUTHOUY SMITH of the Vigilantes.

Mothers of men, do you not know What you gave to the world in your hour of woe?

Born of courage and doomed to stress A man for the tasks of men--no less.

Mothers of women, can you not feel What all the signs of your life reveal? You have brought forth love, with its sword and fire, And love's high crown is the lost desire.

Mothers of men, have you not known That the soul of the child is not your own?

If God has sealed him for pain and cross, To hold him close were your bitter loss.

Mothers, mothers, will you not see All that your gift to the world may be?

These who must fight a wrong abhorred, Are Michael's angels who bear the sword.

Mothers of men, then loose your hold! Love grants more than your arms unfold;

Under the cross you stand apart, With Mary's sword in your daughter's heart.

DAM BREAK DANGER OVER.

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with water. It was not until midnight that it became authoritatively known that the dam had not given way, but that there was a large leak in it.

The leak or break in the dam was first discovered about 9 o'clock last night. It washed out the first top of the dam over a large section to quite a depth and in this section kept cutting away the embankment and letting out a larger rush of water until the solid bed of the dam was reached.

The rush of the released water down Butte creek alarmed the ranchers and others who live along the creek. This alarm continued to be felt Tuesday forenoon, as they feared that the dam would give way and in that case the rushing waters would carry away their homes.

Dam Water Not Needed.

In the absence of Manager Brown and Chief Engineer Cowgill of the canal company at Fish Lake, it could not be learned today just how long it would take the company to complete repairs to the dam. It was stated at the canal company office, however, that it wouldn't make any difference to the company or its water supply, how long it took, as the water in the dam was not needed to supply irrigation needs. Last year it was stated, the water was not drawn upon all season.

Use of city water for irrigation is forbidden until the flood has passed the diverting dam and the water cleared.

Mayor Gates and Dr. Keene, chairman of the city council water committee, left for the city intake early this afternoon with some sacks and to make an inspection of the damage done.

Shock Absorbed for Fords.

The new shock absorber, known as the Duplex cantilever, sold by F. R. Roberts, Riverside garage, is one of the neatest things ever applied to the popular Ford car and at the same time giving comfort and economy in operation. Their principal feature is the underslung effect, which effectively stops that tipping feeling on short turns and sloping roads.

"The unusual guarantee to replace any part broken through accident or otherwise during the life of the car, even though the life of the car is doubled by their use, and the return of your money any time within thirty days if not entirely satisfactory, should appeal to all Ford owners," says Mr. Roberts.

WEEKLY LOSSES OF SHIPPING SHOW U-BOAT FAILURE

LONDON, June 5.—The weekly report of losses of British merchant vessels in the submarine campaign will again show a favorable total when it is issued tomorrow. In some respects the last week has been the best since unrestricted submarine warfare was inaugurated. Last Friday was a blank day on the records; that is, no losses of British merchantmen occurred. It is the first time this has happened for a long period.

British naval people believe the improvement is cumulative and that there is not the slightest chance, with the improved allied organizations, that the Germans ever will repeat their performance of the black week when nearly sixty boats were sunk. The weather continues to favor the boats which are fighting the submarines, and the cooperative organization of the patrols, aircraft and other anti-submarine services is improving constantly.

The arrival of American units has helped in more ways than one. Among other things it has instilled a friendly rivalry in the campaign against the submarines, stimulating the morale and adding to the keenness of the men of both fleets.

Progress of the technique of the anti-submarine campaign includes more careful supervision together with various vigorous offensive measures which it is impossible to detail. In the last week there have occurred numerous encounters, the results of which have been entirely satisfactory to the admiralty. American ships have a share of the credit.

CONFEDERATES AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The United Confederate veterans, for the first time in their history, meet outside the bounds of the states which composed the southern confederacy when they assemble here today for their twenty-seventh annual reunion. Thousands of the veterans were here tonight for preliminary events.

The first formal session with Colonel Hilary A. Herbert, grand marshal and former secretary of the navy presiding, will be devoted to addresses of welcome. President Wilson will speak at noon.

The Confederated Southern Memorial association held its opening meeting today. Ernest G. Baldwin, commander of the Sons of Veterans, in an address of greeting, expressed the hope "that the same living inspira-

DO WE LOVE OUR COUNTRY?

During this war, Great Britain has already created two large loans of five billion dollars each, and, for the last one, subscriptions were received from about 8,000,000 different buyers.

The French people are known as the greatest government bond buyers in the world.

Fifty years ago we raised over \$3,000,000,000 to provide for the expenses of the civil war.

The wealth of this country today is eight times as great as it was then; our banking resources are 20 times as great as then or even as late as 1870.

Soon after the beginning of the Spanish-American war, our government offered for sale \$200,000,000 3 per cent bonds, which were oversubscribed 7 1/2 times. This was equivalent to subscriptions totaling about \$1,400,000,000.

Can it be that we love and appreciate our country to a less degree than England or France? Is it conceivable that we have lost our enthusiasm for our government's ideals since 1864 or even since 1898?

It is estimated by the comptroller of the currency that there are now more than 10,000,000 individuals and corporations in the United States in a position to subscribe from \$100 to \$100,000,000 cash to the new Liberty loan.

YOU ARE ONE OF THESE INDIVIDUALS.

SUBSCRIBE TODAY FOR THE LIBERTY LOAN AT YOUR BANK OR WITH YOUR EMPLOYER.

ALCOHOL WITHOUT MERIT AS MEDICINE

NEW YORK, June 5.—A resolution declaring alcohol entirely without merit from a medicinal viewpoint, was presented to the house of delegates, the governing body of the American Medical association, at its annual meeting here today, by Dr. Frank Billings of Chicago, chairman of the council of health and public instruction of the association. The resolution declared it was the opinion of the council that alcohol has no drug value, either as a tonic or a stimulant or in any other therapeutic way and that its only legitimate use in medicine is as a preservative and in the preparation of pharmaceutical preparations.

Surgeon-General Rupert Blue, of the United States public health service, presided at the meeting of the house of delegates. Referring to the co-operation of the association with the army and navy, he declared that from 800 to 1200 physicians and surgeons will be called to serve in every 10,000 during the war.

On the locomotive committee are Andrew Fletcher, president of the American Locomotive Company; H. P. Ayres of the H. K. Porter Locomotive Company, and Joel Coffin, of the Lima Locomotive Corporation.

Three reasons why you should buy a Liberty bond—it is good business; it is real patriotism; it is above all necessary. Ask any bank for particulars. Don't delay.

WAR COMMITTEE ON RAIL CARS

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Creation of a war committee on railways cars and of another on locomotives to serve with the general transportation company, was announced today by the Council of National Defense. The two committees will advise as to the best means of increasing the output of cars and locomotives and will try to make as efficient as possible existing rolling stock.

The car committee is made up of the following: E. F. Carry, president of Haskell & Barker Company; G. Gawthorpe of the American Car & Foundry Company; Clive Rannels, of the Pullman Company; R. L. Gordon, of the Standard Steel Car Company; A. S. Reeder of the Pressed Steel Car Company, and S. P. Bush, president of the Buckeye Steel Casting Company.

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GERMANS PLAN DISMEMBERMENT RUSSIAN NATION

COPENHAGEN, June 5.—A program for the general dismemberment of Russia was put forward at a meeting at Essen of the newly formed Rheinisch-Westphalian branch of the pan-Germans.

The principal speaker declared it was useless to attempt separate peace negotiations with the Russian provisional government, but suggested that advantage might be taken of the present conditions in Russia to approach the Finns and little Russians with peace proposals. He asserted that Finland could easily be detached from Russia.

The speaker further advocated the seizure by Germany of Lithuania and their colonization by two million German speaking Russians from the interior of the Slavic dominions, thus weakening Russia and establishing a complete bulwark of dependent states east of Germany and Austria-Hungary.

BERLIN, June 5.—The following statement has been issued at eastern headquarters: "The chief commander has approved the formation of a confidential council of Lithuania, composed of the most prominent Lithuanians."

Lemons Beautify! Make Quarter Pint of Lotion Cheap

Here is told how to prepare an inexpensive lemon lotion which can be used to bring back to any skin the sweet freshness, softness, whiteness and beauty.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice thru a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoother and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands, and see for yourself.

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AMERICAN SHIPS GUARDING WATERS OF SOUTH AMERICA

RIO JANEIRO, June 5.—The chamber of deputies voted today on the motion of Deputy Mauricio Lacerda, to authorize the sailing of a message of congratulations to the congress of the United States on the arrival of an American squadron.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The foregoing dispatch from Rio is the first published information of the steps in the plan of relieving British and French cruisers in the waters of the western hemisphere with American warships. For the present the navy department withholds further information or comment upon it.

Two Ranch Sales Are Made. H. F. Henton of Tacoma, Wash., has purchased the Beacon tract of 21 acres two miles south of the city. His brother-in-law, Hal Evans and family are residing on the place. E. N. Earls of Ohio, has purchased the Glasgow 51-acre tract about three miles south of Medford and is residing on the same. The Felt investment company made the deals. All these people are delighted with the valley and city.

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Most Eminent Medical Authorities Endorse It.

Dr. Eberle and Dr. Braithwaite as well as Dr. Simon—all distinguished authors—agree that whatever may be the disease, the urine seldom fails in furnishing us with a clue to the principles upon which it is to be treated, and accurate knowledge concerning the nature of disease can thus be obtained. If backache, scalding urine or frequent urination bother or distress you, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, gout or sciatica or you suspect kidney or bladder trouble just write Dr. Pierce at the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.; send a sample of urine and describe symptoms. You will receive free medical advice after Dr. Pierce's chemist has examined the urine—this will be carefully done without charge, and you will be under no obligation. Dr. Pierce during many years of experimentation has discovered a new remedy which he finds is thirty-seven times more powerful than lithia in removing uric acid from the system. If you are suffering from backache or the pains of rheumatism, go to your best druggist and ask for a 50-cent box of "AMERIC" put up by Dr. Pierce. Dr. Pierce's chemist has prescribed for weak women and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the blood have been favorably known for the past forty years and more. They are standard remedies to-day—as well as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the liver and bowels. You can get a sample of any one of these remedies by writing Dr. Pierce.

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