

OLE BULL'S COLONY

Norwegian's Dream of Model Home Now Scene of Ruin.

Recalls Misplaced Confidence and Made All the More Tragic Because of Splendid Ideals.

Only the ruin of the villa "Valhalla" remains of the ill-fated Norwegian colony established by Ole Bull in Pennsylvania in the late '50s. The story of the colony, says the Kansas City Times, is one of misplaced confidence, made all the more tragic because of the splendid ideals that led to its establishment.

The great Norwegian violinist, always an admirer of America, wished to obtain a location for a model colony of his countrymen. He bought a thousand acres of a firm of land dealers and soon afterward brought to this country several hundred Norwegians. A clearing was made, the village of Oleanna built and, in an address to the townspeople, Ole Bull set forth the hopes that had inspired his mission.

The address follows: "Brothers of Norway! From the clime where the north wind has its home; where the maelstrom roars, and where the aurora for half the year takes the place of the genial sun, we have come to find a home. When we were among our mountains, and war was bringing want and famine upon us, we heard there was a country in a milder climate where liberty dwelt and plenty reigned. Upon looking over our records, we found that our countrymen, under Thorfin, had discovered that land more than eight hundred years ago, but that they were met by cruel and savage Indians, and had left no record of themselves, except some traces of their sad history engraven in the rocks of Fall river, and one temple which they raised to God on an island at the mouth of Narragansett bay. All other record of them had passed away.

"How different is our reception from that which Thorfin and his followers received. No savage Indian startles us with his war whoop, but kind friends meet us on every side, taking us by the hand and giving us welcome to our new home.

"Brothers of Norway! We must not disappoint this confidence, but by lives of industry and honesty show to our new brothers that they have not misplaced their friendship.

"And now, to these gentlemen of New York and Pennsylvania, who have so kindly assisted by their counsel and advice in this work, I return my most sincere and heartfelt thanks, and casting ourselves upon the goodness of our heavenly Father, resting secure upon his promise, let us go on in the daily performance of every duty, and he will bless us."

There was a pathetic aftermath. Hardly had the pioneers got well under way with their homebuilding when it was discovered that the violinist had been victimized. The company that sold him the land had no valid title to it. The people of Oleanna scattered, some of them penniless and with few friends in the new country. Ole Bull, with splendid loyalty to those he had brought to this pass, gave public concerts to raise money for their relief.

A Pacifist.

The newcomer had hardly seated himself in the railway compartment before he began to talk, relates London Tit-Bits "I am a pacifist," said he in a voice as if he wanted to disarm all interruption. "If we can't beat the enemy in three years it's time we started waving the olive branch instead of the sword."

Just then a severe feminine face inserted itself at the carriage window. "Is there a John Tamson here? Aye, there he is. Cam oot o' that smokin' carriage, ye heathen, before I tak' ye by the lug. Dae ye think your wife's a haddie for the curin'?"

John Tamson left, and the astonished silence which followed was broken by one passenger remarking: "Puir fellow, nae wonder he's a pacifist. It's mair nor three years o' war he's had, I'm thinkin'."

A Handy Utensil.

"The soldiers in the trenches wear gas masks, and near the front the French children go to school with them on," mused a citizen of Paris-winkle, who was of unusual width between the eyes, observes the Kansas City Star. "I believe if I could get hold of a practicable gas mask I would wear it to the town hall tonight, where the handbills announce that Hon. Braggins Blow will talk on the patriotic duties of the hour, but where in reality he will with many words permit us to learn the glad news that at the earnest solicitation of his many friends he has reluctantly consented to become a candidate for re-election to congress."

The Smallest Cartoon.

A certain small boy has drawn a caricature picture of President Wilson upon a single grain of corn. He spent about a half hour in doing the work, for which he used water colors, says Christian Science Monitor. It is said that some time ago he drew a similar picture upon a single grain of corn and, upon sending his work to the president, he received an appreciative acknowledgment from Washington. This is believed to be the smallest cartoon picture in the world, for it measures only about a quarter of an inch in its longest direction. The likeness is a profile.

"PROTECT OUR SOLDIERS WITH LIBERTY BONDS"

Message of United States Senator McNary to People of Oregon

Money is needed to support and protect our soldiery now fighting in a foreign land and the prompt purchase by the American people of Liberty Bonds will supply the funds. Much of the money heretofore obtained by the government through the sale of Liberty Bonds to its citizens has been expended in the preparation of war. Now our resources and our savings must be devoted to a considerable extent in providing for the safety, comfort and assistance of our heroes on European battlefields. Three thousand miles of ocean intervene and this long lane must be made safe for our soldiers. Ships we must have in ever increasing numbers. Without tonnage the full measure of our elaborate and military relief organizations must remain inoperative. Without money we cannot build the ships; without the ships we cannot win the war. With sadness we anticipate the return of thousands of our soldiers wounded and crippled who must be rehabilitated or made capable through vocational education for self support. General hospitals in which physical reconstruction work and vocational training can be undertaken must be constructed. This requires money. A great army is going forward to face the fire of battle and American dollars will be forthcoming for their welfare if we all perform our duty and buy liberally of these Liberty Bonds.

CHAS. L. McNARY,
United States Senator.

THREE SONS ON THE TUSCANIA

San Francisco Woman Gave Country Three Soldiers--One Lost With Torpedoed Transport.

TWO SONS SENT TO FRENCH FRONT

Mrs. Louise Moore of 139 First avenue, San Francisco, knows the meaning of war. In the front window of her home a service flag shows three stars. Three of her sons answered the call to colors.

And when the Tuscania was torpedoed, with the loss of more than one hundred American lives, her eldest son, William Moore, made the great sacrifice for his country. On the rocky coast of Ireland he lies buried in the grave which enfolds others of his comrades in arms.

The other two sons of Mrs. Moore, who were also on the Tuscania, are listed among those saved. The joy over their safety has been tempered only by the grief which followed the word of William's passing.

"I told those boys I was sorry that there was occasion to go to war," said Mrs. Moore, smiling through the anguish that was her portion in the days following the Tuscania disaster. "But I told them also," she added with a triumphant smile, "that if our country was worth living in and enjoying when things were going along smoothly, it was certainly worth fighting for when it was in trouble."

That is the spirit of American motherhood in these days of trial and sacrifice. "Our country has not asked much of its young people in the way of sacrifice," said Mrs. Moore. "Things have been fairly easy for most of the boys and girls of this generation. Now it is their time to show how they have appreciated all that has been given to them."

Mrs. Moore has two other sons, one of draft age, and the other old enough to enlist but not old enough to be drafted.

"Now they're crazy to go," said the brave little mother whose service flag already has one haloed star.

"Do you know the last thing the three boys did before they left?" she asked with motherly pride. "They all bought Liberty Bonds, and said they would leave the rest of that work to us. Now we know what we can do."

Private William Moore and his brothers have left a message for the stay-at-homes in America to heed. "The rest of you buy Liberty Bonds—that can be your work."

Have you planned to buy your next one, now that the Third Liberty Loan is called for?

THREE MEALS COST \$14,000

Feeding 42,500 troops at Camp Lewis, Seattle, three meals a day will cost the Government \$14,000, and in the preparation of the meals 131 tons of food will be used. Money is needed to buy the food. That's why the Government will ask you soon to buy Liberty Bonds of the Third Liberty Loan.

Butterick Patterns.

The new Spring Patterns are now here to help you with the season's dressmaking plans. The new Quarterlies are also on sale at 25c. per copy. Patterns are priced 10c.—15c.—20c.—25c.—30c. By Mail 2c. Extra.

Haltom's

New Gingham Silks

We have just received a number of these popular silks for spring and summer frocks. They are shown in pleasing colorings and are specially priced at \$2.39 per yard.

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Reduced in Price.

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For Actual Values to \$8.00.

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Select Your Replenishing Needs for Spring and Summer



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Hemmed Sheets, \$1.50 Each. Pillow Cases, 29c. Each.

Seamless, bleached sheets, 72 x 90 all hemmed and finished ready for immediate use. Made of splendid quality, soft, easily laundered sheetings. Pillow cases of a splendid washing and wearing quality fabric bleached hemmed and finished all ready for use. Torn size 42 x 36.

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Good generous size bedspreads in good wearing quality hemmed ready for use. Worth \$2.00 today. Some have cut corners for use on iron beds. Actually worth 35c. yard and upwards, but were bought in a manufacturer's clearance which enables us to offer them at this great saving. 45 inches wide, bleached and finished soft.

Blankets, \$2.88 Pair. Feather Pillows, \$4.25 Pair.

Clean cotton blankets—no waste and no shoddy—in grey and tan with fancy stripe borders in blue. A nice weight and size 64 x 76. Very special values. Guaranteed to be made of new material thoroughly cured and sterilized. Weight 3 lbs. Covered with nice quality fancy ticking. Price Each \$2.25. Per pair \$4.25.

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Those who like Fine Quality—
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MUNSING WEAR



Men's Munsingwear

Short and long sleeve, ankle length Union Suits in light medium and heavy weight cotton, flisle, wool and silk and wool. Sizes to fit every figure at prices \$2.00 to \$6.00

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36 inch wide Comfort Challies in pretty floral designs in colors of blue, tan and lavender. The most economical fabric procurable today for making comforts.

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Comfort Batts, \$1.39 Each.

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Full comfort size batts 72 x 90 all in one piece and 3 lbs. in weight. A splendid value at the price. Worth considerably more today.

The "Army" batt, weighs 2 1/2 lbs.—measures 72 x 90 and comes all in one piece. A nice clean cotton batt in a medium weight for spring and summer comforts.

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