

**WILL YOU BE WEARING YOUR RED CROSS BUTTON WHEN THE BOYS COME HOME?**

- WHEN ALL YOU NEED TO JOIN THE RED CROSS IS "A HEART AND A DOLLAR" AND YOU CAN WEAR THE BUTTON ALONG WITH THE REST OF THE CROWD - OH-H-H BOY! AIN'T IT A GR-R-R-RAND AND GLOR-R-RIOUS FEELIN'?



By courtesy of Clare Briggs, New York Tribune.

**KEEPING HOME FIRES BURNING UNTIL THE SOLDIER RETURNS**

The Red Cross has for years been associated with hospitals, doctors, soldiers, sailors, battles, disasters; but it is only within the last few months that those who do not come under any of these classes have come to realize the importance of the assistance rendered by the Red Cross.

Soldiers and sailors must be encouraged to "carry on." Their morale must be upheld. The sailor or soldier who is worrying about the welfare of his family is not able to put his mind on the business before him. For this reason the Home Service Section of the American Red Cross has been organized, and to the folks at home it means neighborliness, counsel and aid—the nation's assurance that the enlisted man that his family shall suffer for no essential thing that is within its power to give.

In practically every large city of the United States there is already a class for training the workers of the Home Service section, so that they may be able to efficiently deal with the very real problems that are before them. It is not the policy of the section to force upon families the aid of the Red Cross nor to burden them with interference. No family should be approached unless some member of the family or some person capable of speaking for them has asked for the service. Because it is the desire of the Committee on Civilian Relief, under whose direction this work comes, to keep the service of the bureau strictly confidential, the wearing of any uniform by the Home Service workers has been discouraged. They call simply as friends and try to call immediately when requested.

In no instance is a visitor permitted to pry into the secrets of the family. Help is always ready, and the call usually comes from the man in the service himself. Through the workers in the camp or at the front he learns that his family may be assisted, and if he does not hear regularly or encouragingly he is quite apt to talk over with the Red Cross man or woman the affairs of his home when he learns of the friendly interest, and thus send local workers to his family. The school teachers also are often the informants, for they know through the children of the needs at home and are glad to see the family's problems solved.

Living is more difficult for every one in war times, and the mothers are lonely and discouraged, and this brings hardship on the heads of the little children. Sometimes the wife and mother is worrying over financial problems, and here the Home Service bureau is always helpful, for it tactfully assists her in properly managing her affairs, in planning her income and, of course, seeing that she is receiving sufficient allotment, and this regularly, and then if it becomes necessary the Red Cross is always ready to supplement the income. Where medical care or operations for the welfare of the

children are necessary the Home Service is ready to assist, to secure proper care for the children needing it and to ease the mind of the mother.

**Milk for Sick Babies.**

Everywhere in the war zone there are sick babies and babies needing milk. The American Red Cross is establishing milk stations, and the babies of Italian soldiers are beginning to thrive already under the competent care of the nurses, some of whom were infant welfare nurses in our own country before going overseas. At

**Children of the Crusade**

By JEANNE JUDSON.

Frightened and pitiful, they walk apart,  
Through the familiar village street, grown strange,  
Hand clasped in hand, they hear weird echoes start  
From ruined homes. Fear dumbs each small, child heart.

No tears rain down like dew to ease their woe;  
Horror has dried the wells from which they sprang,  
Like wee crusaders of the long ago,  
Their phantom banners in the breezes blow.

If one should call out "Follow!" they would run,  
Grime of the highway on their tiny feet,  
Heedless alike of dust and blazing sun,  
Forget, as dreams, the horrors that were done.

None calls; weary they rest within the shade,  
The ruined church, where once they learned to pray,  
Long years before the war had come, and laid  
Their homes in ruins, made their hearts afraid.

Before the Holy Mother low they bow,  
Perhaps she hears and soon will bring them aid,  
It must be she whose voice is calling now,  
For see the cross is shining on her brow!

The light around her head, a nimbus gleams,  
A Red Cross worker, not from Heaven, they know,  
Yet Mary heard and sent her here it seems,  
To lead them home to shelter and to dreams.

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**Notice.**

The Tillamook County Creamery Association will entertain proposals to supply the various factories with cheese boxes, both Longhorns and Triplets for the coming season. This can be for all or part of the boxes. Anyone having bids to submit or propositions to offer, please leave them with Carl Haberlach, secretary of the association, before December, 31st, 1918. Association reserves the right to reject any or all propositions.

Tillamook County Cry Ass'n.

**Notice.**

To the taxpayers of the Port of Tillamook, Oregon.

At a meeting of the board of commissioners of the Port of Tillamook, Oregon held on the 4th day of December, 1918, the following estimate or budget of the receipts and disbursements of the said Port for the year 1919 was ordered published, as required by law:

**RECEIPTS.**  
Balance on hand, Dec. 4 1918 after paying outstanding liabilities ..... \$2,322.42  
Proceeds of levy of 2 mills on the dollar of estimate assessed value of the Port \$1,182,100 ..... 2,364.20

Total ..... \$4,686.62  
**DISBURSEMENTS.**  
Maintenance and improvement Hoquarton slough. \$4,000.00  
Balance to cover legal and other expenses incidental to proper management of the Port. .... 686.62

Total ..... \$4,686.62  
Please take notice that a meeting of the taxpayers of the said Port of Tillamook is hereby called to meet at the City Hall in Tillamook, Oregon, on the 26th day of December, 1918, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of discussing the said estimate or budget.

By order of the Board of Commissioners:  
Secretary of the Port of Tillamook,  
By C. W. Miller, Sec.

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**Few Escape.**

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