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HIS OPPORTUNITY VANISHING

There are more than a million Americans in France, doing their bit toward removing the kaiser from power in Germany.

Reports from the western front are to the effect that more Germans are voluntarily surrendering than ever before.

German influence is such in Finland that that country is said to be about ready to declare war on the allies.

The board of school directors of Portland removed Superintendent Alderman by the old political method of creating a new place for him and "promoting" him to it.

Portland was unable to launch the larger part of the ships ready on July 4th on account of the high water in the Columbia.

LADD & BUSH, Bankers

ALL THE THIRD LIBERTY BONDS ARE NOW HERE.

THOSE INTERESTED PLEASE CALL AT THE BANK

Making the run from Portland to Astoria in a little more than four hours is the auto record of a Portland man.

John Purry Mitchell, former mayor of New York City, was killed by the fall of his aeroplane today.

Norway apparently likes bad treatment. Reports for the month of June show the Germans had sunk 20 Norwegian ships with a tonnage of 26,833 tons and the loss of 31 lives.

It is rumored that the death of the Sultan of Turkey was hurried somewhat by the aid of his enemies.

The Pacific Coast International Baseball League will close its 1918 season tomorrow.

The Australians set the pace on the western front Thursday just to show their appreciation of the American anniversary.

A son of Abdul Aziz is heir to the Turkish throne succeeding Mohammed V. "as was."

Rippling Rhymes

by Walt Mason

ONE WAY TO HELP

I pay my bills when they are due, and help to aid the cause; it is the smoothest plan in view--the best that ever was.

NOT LIKELY.

- Will the kaiser get to Paris with his brutal Prussian blight? Will he put the brilliant Frenchman to an ignominious flight? Will he dominate the city from the boulevard and air?

Open Forum

Salem, Oregon, July 6, 1918 An open letter to Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes: Dear Bishop: Four weeks ago a public letter addressed to you...

The Woman Who Changed

By JANE PHELPS

WORKING IN SECRET

CHAPTER CXXIII.

I had one joy no one could take from me. In secret, behind my locked door, I worked several hours each day on the tiny garments I should need for my baby.

I thought of writing mother. Then I knew she would worry about me--that if I wrote her honestly, telling her the conditions--how I felt about things, and the attitude I believed would be my husband's when he knew--it would make her most unhappy.

I danced, I sang, I entertained, and went everywhere. Then, one night, I fainted. It was at a dinner dance at Julia Collins. I felt ill before I went.

They told me afterward that George was dreadfully frightened when I fainted--that he was as white as I was, and that he insisted upon taking me home the moment I recovered.

Helen Is Ill. When we reached home, he at once called Celeste and Annie to take care of me, and wanted to call the doctor.

After the maids left me, I grew steadily worse; once or twice I felt as if I were dying, slipping away, down, down some terrible incline, and that I could not stop myself.

George was soon asleep, but I again commenced to feel ill. I said nothing for a long time, then, fearing I was going to faint again, a bit frightened also, I called him.

Washington, July 6.—Under a ruling on the "work or fight" regulation made today by Colonel Warren, head of the appeals section of the provost marshal general's office, all movie actors, all musicians connected with the production or presentation of performances and all necessary skilled stage workers will be considered in "effective" industries.

FRIENDS ARE ACTIVE IN WAR WORK RELIEF

Mrs. F. A. Elliott, Is Superintendent of State Sewing Department

When Paul J. Furness, field secretary of the American Friends Service committee, gave his recent lecture in Salem telling of the work of the Friends in relation to war relief work, many folk found out for the first time the notable accomplishments of this organization.

Because this is so, the members of the Friends churches in Salem, as well as those in every congregation in the United States, have allied themselves in the effort, and right here in Salem for months past groups of women have been working with unabated interest and enthusiasm in the making of garments for the refugees, and those made destitute by the war in Europe.

Between the Red Cross and the Friends Service committee there exists the warmest feeling, the former assisting it to maintain itself independently, realizing the high standard that can be maintained when workers are performing their tasks prompted by religious motives.

Long before the American commission of the Red Cross was sent overseas, English Friends had become the largest private operators and the pioneers in reconstruction work.

With the exception of the executive and officers, the department of civil affairs of the Red Cross in France is composed almost entirely of members of the Friends unit.

One official said of them: "There was just one group which as a whole stood up to every test, and could always be counted upon and that was the Quakers. They had a certain sobriety of discipline, a capacity for team work which no other group showed."

The following is a list of the women who form the various sewing clubs here: Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. B. C. Miles, Mrs. J. Ray Pemberton, Mrs. J. E. Hockett, Mrs. W. D. Matthews, Mrs. Berta Pemberton, Mrs. Mary Pemberton, Mrs. William Vestal, Mrs. Nancy Pemberton, Mrs. S. Pressall, Mrs. Leo McCracken, Mrs. A. J. Shinn, Mrs. Alice M. Lull, Mrs. T. Rickard, Mrs. G. T. White, Mrs. B. Frazier, Mrs. John Rowan, Mrs. Harry Armstrong, Mrs. Julia Showerman, Mrs. Rosanna Gilbert, Mrs. Charles Pearson, Mrs. Valoda Horie, Mrs. Wesley Thomas, Mrs. Mary E. Wooten, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. William Powell, Mrs. Cecil Cooper, Mrs. Clifton Ross, Mrs. Clifford Armstrong, Mrs. Rollin Armstrong, Mrs. Ellis McMillan, Mrs. John Carpenter, Mrs. Russell Moorhead, Mrs. Sidney Lamb, Mrs. Carl Scott, Misses Edna Commons, Bess Shinn, Laura Commons, Beulah Pressall, Winifred Frazier, Florence Frazier, Edith Frazier, Gladys Scott, Lillian Frazier, Alta White, Isola Smith, Vera Lull, Melva Lull and Gertrude Tucker.

DEATH OF DENNIS DUTTON. Just before going to press this morning we heard the sad news of the death of Dennis Dutton at his home at Parkersville, which occurred Thursday night. Mr. Dutton was taken ill about ten days ago with a spinal disease that seemed to be beyond control from the start.

His wife was Miss Barbara Wattier before their marriage a few years ago and he was about 40 years of age. One hundred eighty six fires on the national forests in Oregon in 1917 started from fires left burning by careless campers. Be sure your campfire is out.

YOUR HEALTH

By ANDREW F. CURRIER, M. D.

Asthma, No. 2.

Besides the form of this disease which is connected with the air passages, there is one connected with disease of the heart, and another with disease of the kidneys which is not infrequently fatal. It also occurs frequently during the period of pregnancy. There is a great variety of wheezing sounds in the chest of one who is suffering from an attack of asthma, and if you put your ear to the chest of such a person, you could easily imagine you were listening to the working of an ancient bellows or a dilapidated hand organ, as air and mucus move up and down in the bronchial tubes.

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