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Bombardments Cannot Drive This Woman Back

She Thinks Coffee for Soldiers More Important Than Safety.

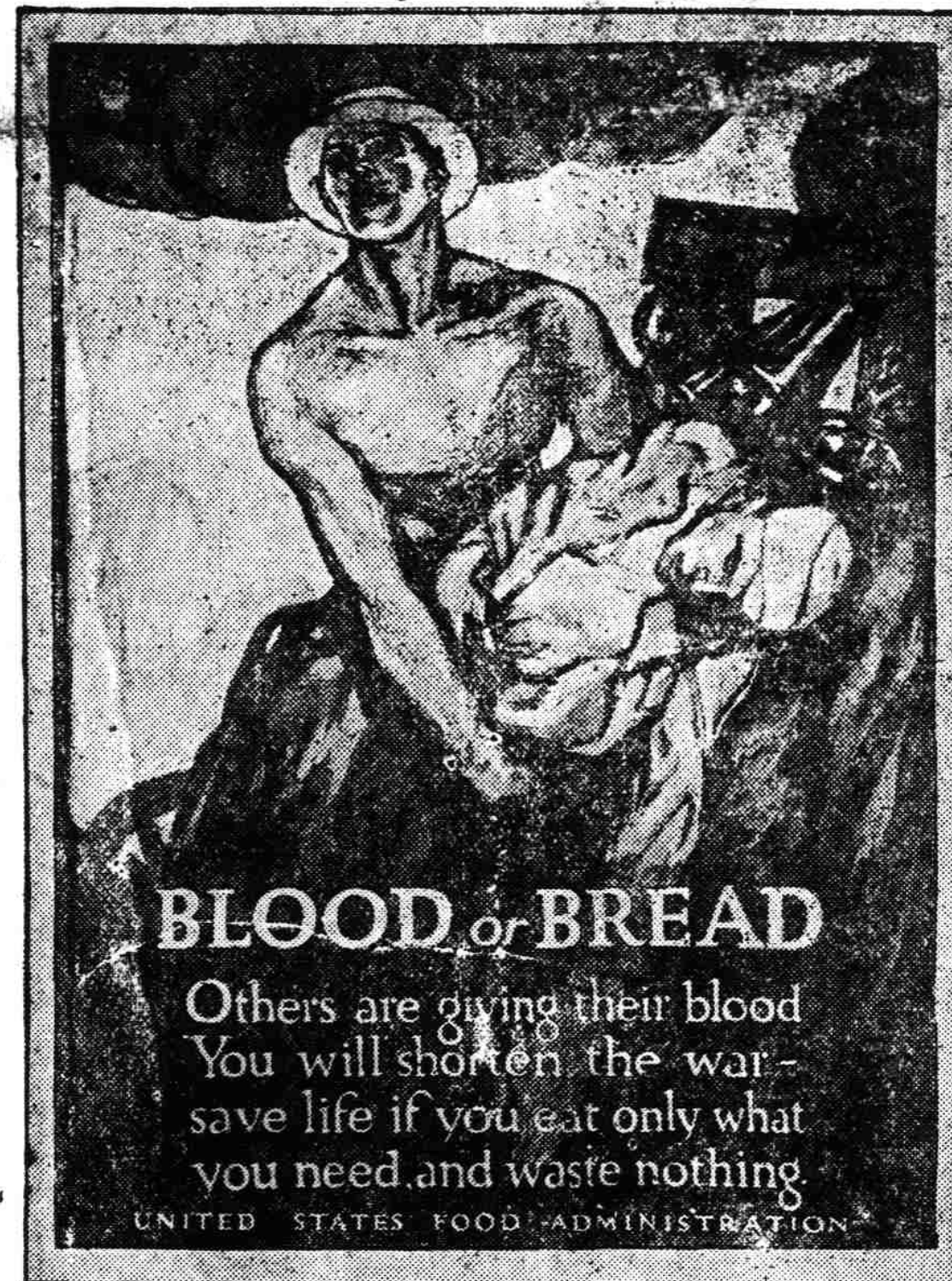
The following extracts are taken from a letter written by a Red Cross Canteen worker, Helen McElhone, an American woman and college graduate now located in a district almost constantly under bombardment:

"Foyer des Allies,
"Bar-le-Duc.

"Things look very black to me. I am discouraged at the big outlook of affairs and also at my small doings, but it may be the blackness that comes before dawn. Let us hope so. Our men certainly need help now as much as the poilus. I am beginning to see those who have been at the front. In fact, I am beginning to see some of the results of this life. They are sick and homesick, and worse things have happened to them. Several have said: 'All we ask is to get to the front and do what we have to do. Anything is better than this life. . . . This morning we had more Americans than I have seen before at one time. One came up to me here as I was

drawing coffee from a big marmite as fast as I could fill cups and, pointing to his pipe, said, 'Tobac, tobac.' I said, 'Do you want some tobacco?' He seemed stunned for a moment and then said: 'Do you know it nearly gave me a fit to hear you speak English. I haven't heard a woman speak English in five months.' He said he had been walking about in the cold since four o'clock last night. He couldn't find a hotel or a bright light because, of course, everything is closed and darkened on account of the bombardments. . . . The Americans are very fond of ham sandwiches. They eat much more than the French soldiers, and when they first came in and ordered six eggs apiece it caused consternation throughout the land. The funniest thing of all is to hear the Samtins grandly urging these wealthy English girls to 'keep the change—oh, keep the change!' . . . We start the day at five and work continuously until nine, when three fresh cantinieres relieve us. At five we go on for the evening shift from five to eight, and it is the most exciting and exhausting of the shifts. There is a certain time when they come down on us like a flood, eight or ten deep around the counter and three or four hundred all together in this little room, as eager and tired as schoolboys."

The foregoing letter indicates that our soldiers look to the Red Cross Canteen as an oasis in a desert. They would not have it if it were not for your Red Cross.



BLOOD or BREAD

Others are giving their blood
You will shorten the war—
save life if you eat only what
you need and waste nothing

UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION

GERMANY'S GUILT ESTABLISHED.

(Extracts from Prince Karl Lichnowsky's "My London Mission, 1912-1914," a copy of which has just reached this country. Prince Lichnowsky, who was German Ambassador to England when the war broke out, says that he wrote the document for his family archives, but it was made public in Germany and created a great stir, the Kaiser's government hastening to repudiate and suppress it.)

"On Aug. 2 (1914), when I saw Asquith in order to make a final attempt, he was completely broken, and, although quite calm, tears ran down his face."

"Of course it would only have needed a hint from Berlin to make Count Berchtold (Austrian Foreign Minister in August, 1914) satisfy himself with a diplomatic success and put up with the Serbian reply."

"The impression became ever stronger that we (Germany) desired war in all circumstances."

"Thus ended my London mission. It was wrecked not by the perfidy of the British, but by the perfidy of our policy."

"I had to support in London a policy which I knew to be fallacious. I was punished for it, for it was a sin against the Holy Ghost."

EVERYONE MUST HELP.

Wars cannot be fought without money, and upon the Treasury centers every financial demand upon the Nation.

The rich of this country cannot alone meet the needs of the Nation; the men of the country cannot do it alone; the women of the country cannot do it alone; but all of us, the people of the United States, disregarding partisanship, forgetting selfish interests, thinking only of the supremacy of right and determining to vindicate the majesty of American ideals and secure the safety of America and civilization, can do the great and splendid work which God has called upon us to do.

W. G. McADOO,
Secretary of the Treasury.

THE RED CROSS CAMPAIGN.

To Raise \$100,000,000 of Which Rowan Will Give \$10,000 and More.

Although many meetings were held throughout the county Sunday, the big Red Cross drive to raise 100,000,000 with which to nourish and nurse our wounded soldiers and sailors back to health and life, of which Rowan is expected to furnish 10,000 really began Monday morning.

The opening feature was that of a parade of the workers, and those interested from the old court house up Main street to Fisher and thence to the tabernacle, where a very interesting meeting was held. At this meeting, W F Snider was appointed chairman of the campaign committee, presided; Rev W A Lambeth offered prayer and Rev W W Way presented the speaker, J T Mangum of Salem, Ala. Mr Mangum's speech was a strong and logical appeal for the generous support of the Red Cross, indicating its benefits, blessings and needs to the men serving our country and the comfort to those who give and have them return as near perfect as possible.

The working force having previously been organized the canvass for funds began at once and as a result of the days' work as reported to a banquet and meeting held in the Washington building Monday night, 2,200 was raised in Salisbury and 2,251 from other parts of the county including Cooleemee. Cooleemee was allotted 1,500 but has already raised 1,598 and will probably go to 2000.

Livingstone Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises at Livingstone College are now in progress. The baccalaureate sermon was preached in the college auditorium Sunday afternoon by Bishop John C Kilgo. The exercises close tomorrow and during the morning a mausoleum erected over the grave of J C Price, the first president of the college, situated on the college on the college grounds, will be dedicated. John C Daney, LL D, secretary church extension department of the A M E Mt Zion church, will deliver the address. Prof Dancy, who made his home in Salisbury some years ago, is now residing in Washington city.

One Sheep Raiser Sells Out.

S S Carter of Franklin township, has just shipped 71 head of sheep to Virginia, he having decided to discontinue sheep raising after giving it fifteen years trial. There are several causes for Mr Carter's action to wit: The price of food makes it unprofitable, he is getting up in years and can't give them the attention necessary, and owing to the lack of proper laws to regulate the prowling dogs. Of course this does not mean that no one else in Rowan has sheep or that the industry is thus put out of business. Mr Carter has the mistaken idea that a tax tag on a dog's collar will keep it from killing sheep.

The thing needed to be effective is legislation forcing people to keep their dogs at home and pay for whatever damage they may do to other people's property just like the stock law.

Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment a great help. The relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost.

THE AMERICAN'S CREED.

All-time Patriotism Is Needed More Than War-time Patriotism.

The city of Baltimore paid William Tyler Page of Friendship Heights, Md., 1,000 for "The American's Creed," in a contest in which many thousand creeds were submitted. Henry S Chapin nearly two years ago suggested the contest, and when it was taken up by the city it became the "National Citizens' Creed Contest." President Wilson, Speaker Clark and other prominent Americans have endorsed the award of Mr Page, who is a descendant of President Tyler and of Carter Braxton, who signed the Declaration of Independence.

"I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect Union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes."

"I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its constitution, to obey its laws, respect its flag and to defend it against all enemies."

The above is a most excellent statement of the true American's position, and while it may include everything, it seems to us it should include something else. For instance, we need patriotism in times of peace as much so as in times of war, and, it should be just as worthy to speak right and vote right as it is to shoot right. "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" and we should "put none but Americans on guard" at any time. War time patriotism is good, but not so good as the all time patriotism for by practicing the latter, the former is practically eliminated. That brand of patriotism that changes like spring styles, is much less enduring and not quite so valuable. It is the slipton and off variety chiefly used by professional politicians and other of our enemies.

Road to Happiness.

Be aimable, cheerful and good natured and you are much more likely to be happy. You will find this difficult, if not impossible, however, when you are constantly troubled with Constipation. Take Chamberlain's Tablets and get rid of that and it will be easy. These Tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

Investigation of Limestones and Marls in North Carolina.

The North Carolina Geological and Economic Survey has under way an investigation which will be embodied in a report which will deal largely with the economic value of these deposits. This is of especial interest at the present time to the farmers and the Portland cement manufacturers. Any one owning a considerable body of limestone or marl should communicate at once with the North Carolina Geological and Economic Survey, Chapel Hill, so that such deposits can be thoroughly investigated.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a general tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

Kannapolis People Bound Over to Court.

Ed and Ernest Lawing, father and son, who interfered with Revenue officers while making a raid at Arch Pethels', all of Kannapolis, on the night of May 4th were given a hearing before United States commissioners Ray and Hobson Saturday. The two Lawings and Pethel were all placed under a \$500 bond each for their appearance at the next term of federal court.

Proper Food For Weak Stomachs.

The proper food for one man may be all wrong for another. Every one should adopt a diet suited to his age and occupation. Those who have weak stomachs need to be especially careful and should eat slowly and masticate their food thoroughly. It is also important that they keep their bowels regular. When they become constipated or when they feel dull and stupid after eating, they should take Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen the stomach and move their bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

All Youths Must Register June 5th.

Washington, May 18—June 5th has been fixed as the date for the registration of all youths who have attained the age of 21 years since the first army draft registration on June 5th of last year.

It is estimated that about 800,000 men available for military service will be found among the new registrants this year.

DON'T TAKE A CHANCE.

Salisbury People Should Act in Time.

If you suffer from back ache; If you have headaches, dizzy spells;

If there are bladder ills, Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick.

Salisbury people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is a Salisbury woman's experience:

Mrs H Frost, 603 N. Main St. says: I had back ache and other kidney disorders. At times my limbs were so weak and lame I could hardly get around. Mornings, the trouble was worse. My kidneys acted irregularly and caused me a lot of annoyance. I had heard of so many who had found Doan's Kidney Pills good that I began taking them. They lived up to the claims made for them, relieving the misery in my back and regulating my kidneys. Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs Frost had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Weather Forecast For May 1918.

From 17 to 25, some changeable, mild, cool, threatening, some heavy hail and locally if wind is west from 2 to 4 p. m. on the 17th.

From 25 to June 1, some changeable, cool, mild, some hot, with slight showers threatening.

May is some wet north west, some general east, with hail locally along heavy storms southwest and north, slight storms to pass general. Except southwest still dry. Some frost threatnings, some warm days.

This April 29th.

HENRY REID, R 3, Salisbury, N. C.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. See



Harley Walker aged 35, died at the sanatorium Friday night from the effects of being crushed on the Spencer yards Thursday night while in the performance of his duties, he being employed as yard brakeman for the Southern. His remains were taken to his home in Winston Salem where the funeral and interment took place. A wife survives.

R L Dickens, aged 20, a citizen of Asheboro who came to Salisbury to be operated upon for appendicitis died Saturday afternoon. He leaves a father and mother and some brothers and sisters. His remains were taken to Asheboro where the funeral and interment took place.

Marshal Anderson, at one time a resident near China Grove, who was working at the plant of the Astra Chemical Co, 12 miles from Pittsburg Pa, when it was destroyed by an explosion Saturday, was one of the 200 killed. Anderson's mother now lives at Kannapolis.

Quincy D Lyerly, aged 24, son of H L Lyerly of Granite Quarry, while returning home on a hand car Friday afternoon, was thrown from the car as it jumped the track and so severely injured as to cause his death Saturday morning. Mr Lyerly with others was on the car at the time and it is thought his head struck a tie. He was in the employ of the railroad and was much liked by a large circle of friends. The funeral was held from Christiana Lutheran church Sunday afternoon, Rev N D Body officiating, and the interment was in the cemetery near the church.

D R Beard, aged 66 years and six months, died Friday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs Geo W Archie who lives on North Caldwell street, from the effects of pneumonia. Mr Beard had suffered with his eyes, being almost blind for some time, was a farmer and a native of Iredell county. His remains were taken to Stateville for interment.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children, 60c.

Nicholas Is to be Sent Into Exile.

Geneva, Switzerland, May 20.—Nicholas Romanoff and family, according to telegraph reports in Vienna, has been given his choice of exile to Rumania or to Switzerland, has decided on the latter place. The occasion is granted by the Soviet government on condition that he refrain from any attempt to return to Russia and regain the throne.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 60c.