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## MERCY MUNITIONS NEEDED IN TRENCHES

Lieut. Coningsby Dawson, Fighting Author, Makes Stirring Appeal for Y. W. C. A.

Lieut. Coningsby Dawson, who wrote "Curry On" says of the war work which the Y. W. C. A. is doing: "You at home cannot fight with your rifles, but you can fight with your mercy. The Y. W. C. A. is offering you just this chance. It garrisons the women's support trenches, which lie behind the men. It asks you to supply them with munitions of mercy that they may be passed on to us. We need such supplies badly. Give generously that we may the sooner defeat the Hun."

What Lieut. Dawson says of the Y. W. C. A. he might have said of all the national organizations which are coming together for the biggest financial campaign that organizations have ever headed. All the \$170,500,000 to be raised by the seven great national organizations the week of November 11 will be used to garrison and supply the support trenches behind the lines. They are the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic War Council, Jewish Welfare Board, American Library Association, War Camps Community Service and Salvation Army.

American girls in various uniforms outglove strangely with picturesque Britanny costumes in France. The American Y. W. C. A. has a hostess house in Britanny where the Signal Corps women live and a hut where the nurses spend their free time. Both these centers are fitted with many of the comforts and conveniences of home.

"At a tea given at the nurses' hut one Saturday afternoon," writes Miss Mabel Warner, of Salina, Kansas, Y. W. C. A. worker there, "there was an odd gathering—one admiral, a bishop, a Presbyterian minister, a Roman Catholic priest, a doctor, an ensign, one civilian and myself."

First Victory Boy's Work.

"Say, I'm wise to you, all right," a Western Union messenger boy whispered in one of the directors of the United War Work Campaign in the New York headquarters. The director's desk had only just been moved in and the work of the big drive had hardly begun.

"I'm onto your stunt," the boy went on as he swung a grimy flat over the desk; "you're going to give us fellows a chance to earn and give to back up a fighter and help win the war. Listen; I'm in on this."

The crumpled \$5 bill he dropped on the desk made him the first of "a million boys behind a million fighters" who are to be lined up as Victory Boys during the week of the drive.

There will be a division of Victory girls, too, and every boy and every girl enrolled will have to earn every dollar he or she gives to the war work fund.

"No American May Refuse," Cardinal Gibbons Says

James Cardinal Gibbons, the leading Catholic churchman in America, has issued a strong appeal in support of the United War Work Campaign.

"It is an American campaign," he said. "Its appeal is one that no American may refuse. America's answer will be another triumphant announcement that we are in this war as one people and as one nation to see it through to victory. Into the splendid work of sustaining the morale of our fighting men the great social organizations of America have thrown themselves. The American people will raise the sum they ask—generously and gladly."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA HER SPECIALTY.

"Has your wife been canning much fruit this season?" "No; she has been canning me!"

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Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tonic acts better than horrible calomel, your money is waiting for you.

## Somebody's Dollars Will Do It— I Wonder if They'll Be Yours

By Bruce Barton

I WILL tell you what will happen some night this winter in France. Some night when its cold and dark. There will be a rustling through the front line trench, where our boys stand guard. And a heavy laden Secretary will make his way along.

In his hands will be great steaming pots: in his pocket chocolate and cigarettes.

From one cup to another he will go, passing a cup full of hot coffee to hands that tremble with the cold; bringing the comfort of a bit of sweet and a smoke.

Men will hail him cheerily, slapping him on the back; and when he has gone things will be a little easier in that trench because he has passed that way.

How much will it cost to make that trip, do you suppose? Counting the pittance that the Secretary is paid, and the cost of the chocolate and the cigarettes and all?

Five dollars? Twenty-five dollars? I do not know.

But whether it is five dollars or twenty-five, I'd like to think that it is my five or twenty-five—wouldn't you? That some night when it's cold and lonesome, my money and yours might send a Secretary out along that front line trench. Let's make up our minds that we are going to pay for a score of those trips. A score of the nights this winter shall be our nights.

—nights when the boys greet joyously the chocolate and cigarettes that our money provided; and are happier because our representative has passed.

United War Work Campaign

For the Boys in the Service

## DRINKING.

The sun has set behind the mist crowned hill, The world has sunk to rest; the winds are still, And now we two, between the gold and gray, Set out to find our magic Yesterday.

Only a little night-breeze brings a faint, Sweet breath of bursting blossoms, and the plaint Of some small drowsy bird. We float away Among the mirrored shallows, where the play Of noiseless ripples, following in our wake, Spreads slow upon the silver-surfaced lake, The slender sickle of the moon hangs high, A fairy promise in the purple sky.

Dim, hly-padded pools that lie before, And coves that curve the shadow-shrouded shore Allure. The rushes nod along the banks Slim-shafted sentinels in rustling ranks.....

Your breath, a little quickened, fans my cheek; Your hand is warm in mine. You do not speak..... We only drift, we two, our frail bark, Drift silently, between the gray and dark.

There may be ugly rocks among the sedge, Or jagged thorns that thrust along the edge Of placid pools, where that soft, fragrant breeze Kisses the water, thrills the drooping trees. There may be unknown dangers everywhere About us; yet we neither know nor care We only want to find along our way New traces of love's magic Yesterday.

—Lillian Bennet Thompson.

## A CLEAR FUTURE.

Forgetting Those Things Which Are Behind.

Few men who had as bad a record as John Brand for dissipation and general worthlessness ever made a more complete recovery to self-respecting manhood and honest, sober living. After the awakening came, Brand resolutely determined to reform, but failed again and again. Happily for him, he was able to fall back upon the teachings and traditions of a Christian home, and he took the bold step of publicly professing Christ and asking God's help in his struggle.

Brand always regarded that as the critical turning point in the upward winding path, but even then he did not win the victory. One expedient that he found especially useful was what he called "keeping a clear future"—not allowing yesterday's failures to intrude dishearteningly into the manly strivings of to-day.

"When I was a youngster in school," Brand used to say, "a single, unsightly blot on my copy book spoiled the whole page for me. No matter how well I might write the other lines, that bad one would make the page look mean, and at first I just scribbled off what was left as fast as I could. Then I took another way. I cut out the offending page with my pocketknife. It was hard on the copy book but it was good for my handwriting. I didn't have that ugly line staring me in the face, and I became more careful of making another like it."

"A man can't get rid of his failures as easily as that, but he can put them behind him with a firm hand, and make every new stand for himself. That was what I tried to do. When I got up in the morning I just thought of the day before me as a clean, white page in my copy book, which I could leave as neat and as trim as if I had never scribbled a thousand blurred and blotted ones. Those others were past help now, but this one was mine, and I determined to put my best into it."

John Brand does not stand alone as a witness to the practical value of keeping the present and future detached from the failures and sins and shortcomings of the past. Failure is always disheartening; if we brood morbidly over it, we find it fatally easy to fall into the unfounded belief that nothing better may be hoped for, do what we may. St. Paul found that "forgetting those things which are behind" left the future clear for achievement, and was on the whole a safer and a wiser course than to remember them—either with regret or with complacency. Easy content with mediocrity bars the way to high enterprise almost as effectively as the incubus of repeated failure.

## HE GOT THE DOG

A minister came upon a crowd of youngsters who were in a heavy debate about a dog which was in their midst.

On inquiring the cause of their commotion, he found that whichever child told the biggest lie was to be the owner of the dog.

When he heard this, the minister rebuked them, saying: "My dear children, you should never tell an untruth. When I was your age I never uttered anything but the truth."

For a time there was strict silence, broken only by the heavy breathing of all present.

Then one little sandy-haired youngster cried out: "Come on, fellows, let's give him the dog."

## UNCERTAINTY.

"Are you engaged in a useless occupation?"

"Sometimes I is," replied Mr. Erastus Pinkley, "an' sometimes I isn't. It all depends on how dis mile I's drivin' happens to be feelin' 'bout de matter."

## Why You Should Give Twice What You Did Before

The government has fixed the sum needed for the cure of the men in the service at \$170,500,000. Unless Americans give twice as much as ever before our soldiers, sailors and marines in 1919 may not enjoy their

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## YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN

Cincinnati authority tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of Frezooce applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or harden callus loosens so it can be lifted off, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of Frezooce cost very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any Frezooce tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house. It is fine stuff and acts like a charm every time.

## GIRLS! WHITEN YOUR SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Make a beauty lotion for a few cents to remove tan, freckles, sallowness.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three-ounces of orchard-salt for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.

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