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A POSITIVE STATEMENT BY A BIG BUSINESS MAN

"Neglect of Apparently Unimportant
Conditions Wrecks Many a Healthy
Growing Business"



W. S. ELKIN, JR.,
a prominent druggist of Atlanta, Ga.,
is authority for the above positive state-
ment. In explaining this statement he
asked two questions and offered one
suggestion.

If a growing healthy business turns
and begins to run down hill, what is
the condition of the owner's health?
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health? Constipation.
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avoided by taking Rexall's laxative
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TELLS WHEN U. S. CAN FIGHT

No War Except For Mankind,
Says Wilson.

ADDRESS BEFORE WOMEN

America Will Have Forgotten Tradition
If She Fights for Herself, President
Declares.

In an address welcoming the
Daughters of the American Revolu-
tion gathered in Washington
for their annual congress, President
Wilson said that the only excuse
America ever can have for the asser-
tion of her physical force is that she
asserts it in behalf of humanity.

He was speaking of the purpose of
the republic—born to serve the rest
of the world just as much as itself—
and had just said that the nation will
have forgotten her traditions when-
ever she fights merely for herself un-
der such circumstances as will show
that she has forgotten to fight for all
mankind.

The president was enthusiastically
applauded. When he was introduced
by Mrs. William Cunningham Story, pres-
ident general of the organization, the
audience stood and cheered, and many
of the women waved American flags.

"Tradition is a handsome thing in
proportion as we live up to it. If we
fall away from the tradition of the
fathers, we have dishonored them. If
we forget the tradition of the fathers,
we have changed our character and
we have lost an old impulse; we have
become unconscious of the principles
in which the life of the nation itself
is rooted and grounded. Therefore,
this organization undertook to keep
those who fell under its influence con-
stantly reminded of the circumstances
of the birth of this nation and of the
significance of the birth of this na-
tion. The significance was a very
singular significance. No other nation
was ever born into the world with the
purpose of serving the relief of the
world just as much as it served itself.

"The purpose of this nation was in
one sense to afford an asylum to men
of all classes and kinds who desired
to be free and to take part in the ad-
ministration of a self-governed com-
monwealth. It was founded in order
that men of every sort should have
proof given that a commonwealth of
that sort was practicable, not only, but
that it was standing of distinction
and power among the nations of the
world, and America will have forgot-
ten her traditions whenever upon any
occasion, she fights merely for herself
under such circumstances as will show
that she has forgotten to fight for all
mankind. And the only excuse that
America can ever have for the asser-
tion of her physical force is that she
asserts it in behalf of the inter-
est of humanity."

"What a splendid thing it is to have
so singular a tradition—a tradition of
unselfishness! When America ceases
to be unselfish, she will cease to be
America. When she forgets the tradi-
tions of devotion to human rights in
general, she will give spirit and im-
pulse to her founders she will have
lost her title deeds to her own nation-
ality."

"So it is, to my mind, a very happy
circumstance that here in the capital
of the nation, in this home of your
own building, you should meet every
year in order to keep bright the fire
that has always burned upon this
altar of devotion to human rights.
That is the title of this society of dis-
tinction and to immortality."

CROWN PRINCE IN PERIL

Shell From French Gun Burst Near
Him on Verdun Front.

The report has reached Geneva
that the German crown prince had
another escape from death or injury
recently on the Verdun front.
Accompanied by his staff and cor-
respondents, he approached within
range of a heavy French gun, one of
whose shells exploded near the party.
It was said several persons were
wounded slightly and that others, in-
cluding Colonel Mueller, correspondent
of the Berner Bund, were knocked
down.

Gave Ring as Charm.

Washington detectives arrested Le-
na Georgie, a gypsy, on complaint
made by a prominent young woman of
the Capital City. The gypsy persuaded
the woman to give her a diamond
ring, which she was to keep on, and
upon its return to the owner it would
act as a love charm. The gypsy was
traced to Lancaster, Pa., by the wagon
in which she traveled.

To Start Idle Rolling Mill.

L. F. Nagle, of Coatesville, has
leased the large rolling mill at Sey-
fert, near Reading, Pa., which has been
idle a number of years, and soon will
resume operations. It will mean em-
ployment to a large number of men.

Steel Record Broken.

A new world's record in the pro-
duction of merchant bar steel was
established at the Duquesne Steel
Works, at Pittsburgh, P. A. In March,
A No. 6 ten-inch mill produced 20,
000 tons during the month.

Should Not Feel Discouraged.

So many people troubled with
constipation and indigestion have
been benefited by taking Chamber-
lain's Tablets that no one should
feel discouraged who has not given them
a trial. They contain no pep-
sin or other digestive ferments but
strengthen the stomach and enable it
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A GENERAL SURVEY OF THE WAR

TUESDAY.

The German attacks in the Verdun
region are now centered against Dead
Man's Hill, west of the Meuse. Using
liquid fire, the Germans succeeded in
gaining a foothold in some small
trenches there. Otherwise, the at-
tackers were thrown back, with
heavy loss. German attacks south of
Dumont, on the west side of the
river, were repulsed, Paris says.

Germany's reply to the United
States inquiry regarding the Sussex
was delivered to the American am-
bassador, at Berlin.

The Italian steamship *Unione* and
the Spanish steamship *Santander*
have been torpedoed. Four passen-
gers died in the disaster to the Span-
ish vessel. The *Ellington*, which re-
cently took a sugar cargo from Phila-
delphia, is reported sunk, but the
crew is safe.

WEDNESDAY.

Two more British steamships have
been sunk, making an estimated total
of eighty-four allied and neutral ships
lost since Germany started her new
U-boat campaign.

A renewed assault by the Germans,
using flame projectors, on the Verdun
front west of the Meuse, was repulsed,
Paris reports.

The Italian artillery checked an at-
tempted infantry advance on Riga by
von Hindenburg, Petrograd reports.

After a winter in inactivity along
the Greek frontier, heavy fighting is
now under way, although apparently it
is still confined principally to artillery
actions. An unconfirmed report tells
of the capture of a fortified position,
Devo Tepe, by the German allies.

Constantinople declares 3000 British
were killed in fighting near Fehaleh,
on Sunday.

THURSDAY.

Washington's profile reply to the
German note on the Sussex and other
vessels, reported torpedoed, will be in
the form of instructions to Mr. Gerard,
the American ambassador at Berlin,
which will be this country's last word
on the submarine controversy.

A Russian schooner on the way from
Gangotri to Marseilles and a British
steamship are reported torpedoed.

The attack on Verdun has subsided
for the moment, after several days of
severe fighting. There were no en-
gagements of importance in that re-
gion Wednesday night, the official
French statement says.

The Russian attacks have not seri-
ously shaken the German lines and
although spirited fighting is still in
progress at various points the offen-
sive movement apparently is sub-
siding.

FRIDAY.

After a cabinet meeting, it was an-
nounced that the United States would
act on the U-boat situation probably
within forty-eight hours. A note will
be sent to Berlin demanding that Ger-
many may prove good faith in her as-
surances to this government, but no
time limit for an answer will be im-
posed.

An American seaman was imperil-
ed in the reported torpedoing of the
British steamship *Inverlyon*. The
German admiral claims the destruc-
tion by U-boat and mines of eighty
trading vessels of hostile nations dur-
ing March.

London announces that the British
have routed the Turk advance lines
in an engagement Wednesday on the
Tigris.

SATURDAY.

Advices from The Hague say that
the German foreign office is perturbed
by the account of the dissatisfaction ex-
pressed in the United States at the
German note on the Sussex.

Ten members of the crews of the
British steamship *Chic* torpedoed, and
the *Shenandoah*, mined, are reported
missing.

There was no infantry fighting in
the Verdun region Friday night, but
French positions west of the Meuse
were subjected to heavy bombardment.
East of the river an intermittent can-
nonade was carried on.

Increased activity on the Galician
front is indicated by the Austrian war
office. Along the lower Strpa there
were several brisk engagements for
advanced positions. Russian artillery
is bombarding portions of this front
heavily.

SUNDAY.

While the big guns still pour forth
a steady rain of shells on the pos-
itions of the opposing armies long prac-
tically the entire Verdun front, the in-
fantry has been inactive excepting
along the sector between Douaumont
and the Vaux wood. Here the French
launched an infantry attack and after
violent fighting captured portions of
some German trenches. According to
the French official statement the en-
sueuing was made along the right bank
of the Meuse and 200 Germans were
made prisoners.

Reports from Petrograd say there
was no change along the fronts in
Poland, Galicia and the Caucasus.

British aviators attacked Constau-
tinople, dropping bombs on a powder
factory and an aeroplane hangar.

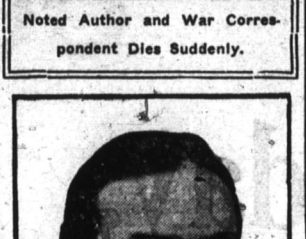
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United States since it was organ-
ized has escaped some sort of war,
but the pacifists never read
American history.

RICHARD HARDING DAVIS

Noted Author and War Corres-
pondent Dies Suddenly.



He Died From Gangrene

Outlaw Chief's Wound Is Kneecap
His Death—Captured Soldier Led
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\$1.65@1.70.

WHEAT firm: No. red, \$1.17½@
1.20; No. 2 yellow, \$1.15@1.17½.

CORN quiet: No. 2 yellow, \$1.15@1.17½;
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