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Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Keel it to harness.

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WHO WILL WISH TO HANG HIMSELF?

Saddest Chapter of History Records Judases Who After The War Went Out and Hanged Themselves.

Some one is going to wish to hang himself after the war is over. How do we know? It is a principle as old and true as life. Shakespeare gave expression to it when he made Henry IV. wish his head to a delinquent soldier after an important battle had been fought, and say "Hark yourself! Crilho. We have fought at Argens and you were not there." Historians say that if all the tragedies of wars could be written, the saddest chapters would be those which recorded the victims of Judases who went out and hanged themselves because their God and their country called and they did not go.

These are four occasions on which a man who did not answer his country's call at a time of need will wish to hang himself when the war is over. The first of these will be when the soldiers and ships were killed and the nation and empire when he will be called upon to face them and answer in his soul what he did to help to bring them back safe and triumphant. As they will march for the grand review before the President, and then before the Governor and later through the streets of his own little town when millions will thrill and shout their thrills of praise and admiration, then will he hate himself. Down in his heart he will wish that he were hanging from a tree over a cliff.

Another occasion on which such a man will be called to face another generation - if it may be his own children - when they have asked every question concerning the war, will hang with great eagerness into his face and ask "What did you do to help win the war? Rather than disappoint one of these little ones, he would rather that a million were about his neck and that he were drowned at the bottom of the sea.

Then there is public opinion that he will long face to face day after day as long as he lives. He may hang down upon deeds of patriotism, but he can never live down the ignominy brought upon himself and his posterity by refusing to lead his country's call. No attempt that he may make as an effort to declare his patriotism, or redress his record of dishonor will be accepted by merciless public opinion. Nothing he can say or little that he can do will atone for the charge that his country called and he was not there.

And yet the greatest of all his enemies will be his conscience. He will seek to hide from this by day and see from it by night, but its ever accusing finger will be present. Forget it, he can not. His spirit will ever din into his ears the condemning voice, saying "The great battle was fought for God and right and you were not there. Go hang yourself."

Who is the Man?

The man who will wish to hang himself after the war will belong to one of three classes, traitor, slacker, profiteer - three words of the most ignominious meaning in the English language today.

If his crime be that of a traitor it does not necessarily mean that he crossed the sea and betwixt the movement of troops, or gave out other information that aided the enemy. On the other hand it may mean, and most likely does mean, that he was one whose fortune it was to remain at home, but who refused to support his Government by complying with its various requests, which hindered its progress, or who refused to support the lives of thousands of Americans soldiers, or who criticized the Government which gave rise to enemy propaganda and furthered its spread so as

GIRL DISPLAYS AMERICA'S WAR SPIRIT

Story of How a Young Girl Sank a U-Boat and Saved Her Soldier Friend.

Her name is Lillie Prill. She sells lace in a large department store in one of North Carolina's middle size towns. Last summer when the draft law went into effect, Jim, her beau, one of the boys in the store, marched away to war. Lillie went for a day or two of course. Any girl would have wept.

But Lillie didn't weep long. A new thought came to her. If Jim was glad to go and fight for his country why should she not be glad to fight too? She had some lace and began to think what she could do. The opportunity came. She organized the clerks in the store into a War Savings Society, and she and they began to sell War Savings Stamps along with laces and the other articles of their departments. They bought these too. Part of their salaries each week was converted into the little green stickers.

Lillie had been told that War Savings Stamps would not only send ships over the seas to France, but that they would furnish money to manufacture depth bombs that would shatter the biggest U-boats in the Atlantic Ocean. She knew that U-boats were lurking for the transport carriers across, and she reasoned that "every American girl would buy and sell War Savings Stamps that all of them could make it possible for the Government to manufacture the depth bombs that would destroy the U-boats and put the whole German submarine business at the bottom of the sea."

"Anyway," said Lillie, "I'm going to destroy one. I can sell enough of War Savings Stamps to enable the Government to manufacture one bomb that will sink a submarine. I can do this much for my country and Jim," she said.

Lillie Prill did it. She's doing it yet. Though she is a little girl, blond and slender and not very pretty, she is not only putting up a good fight herself but she is leading a whole band of fighters. The entire store force through her influence is fighting the German U-boats system every day, and you have already heard how they are winning.

The Little Prills of America who have bought and sold War Savings Stamps for the purpose of destroying German U-boats are to be congratulated on the success of their program. Not only Jim crossed the seas safely, but nearly every one of Uncle Sam's boys have had the same good luck, thanks to the Little Prills of America.

-Adapted from Gay Ship



Adrift with Humor

"Anything new at your boarding house?"

"Not a thing, either in grub or gossip."

"Pa, what's a joint bank account of man and wife?"

"That's an account, my son, where the husband does the depositing and the wife the withdrawing."

"You were engaged to a manicurist, I believe?"

"Yes, and I got trimmed."

"OVER THERE."

BY ABBIE FAREWELL BROWN, OF THE VIGILANTES.

What are you about, while they are over there fighting for us?

Enjoying yourself? Earning your living stolidly - "business as usual"? Making capital as fast as possible out of the safety they are buying with their blood? Taking advantage of the crisis which they meet with their young lives, to demand higher wages, shorter hours, luxuries, privileges which they have renounced in order to fight for you.

That's not patriotism! That's not even fair!

That's hogwash!

In those big days, when one has got to live big, I know which is the smallest, no-account trash - you selfish woman, thinking only of amusement; you selfish capitalist, thinking only of a business chance; you selfish laborer, thinking only of the opportunity to squeeze your employer. You are all squeezing your country. You are all traitors to our boys over there! You are all side-stepping your duty.

You are punk citizens!

If the workers who pioneered this country had been like you - there never would have been any foundation solid as Plymouth Rock to build on.

If the men and women of '76 had been like you, it's a weak Constitution we'd have inherited; far gone in consumption!

If the Unionists of '60 had been slack-kneed like you, where would liberty be now? Knocked higher than a kite! We'd be all ready to kow-tow to the Prussian helmets.

It won't do! You've got to stand stockily behind the boys over there, with every muscle, every enthusiasm, every thought you've got. You've got to make sacrifices, and concessions, and give up comforts and prejudices and present hopes. If you don't, this great national idea of ours may weaken; the army may be handicapped; the allies may be beaten; and we ourselves may be enslaved.

That is about the size of it. It is not exaggeration, believe me?

Who cares? Then show it by your actions.

Be big and generous and patriotic, whether you are employer or employed.

Be strong and helpful to the government, whether you are a man or woman.

Then, when the brave boys come back, you needn't be ashamed to face them, wounds and all.

DIFFERENT EXPERIENCES. JUST BEFORE HE WENT HOME

She - It's terrible to get bars in your head.

He - Well, you know, sometimes they go to your feet.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CALOMEL DYNAMITE

A SLOGGON LIVER

Crashes into sour bile, making you sick and you lose a day's work.

Calomel salutes! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with your bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea. If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knotted up, just go to your drugstore and get a bottle of Dolson's Liver Tonic for a few cents, which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just as look and feel every day.

If you take calomel today you'll be rich and miserable tomorrow; besides, it may sicken you, while if you take Dolson's Liver Tonic you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It is harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children. - King 13-17.



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This drug is called freestone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man.

Ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freestone, which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus.

Put a few drops directly upon any tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This drug freestone doesn't eat out the corns or calluses but shrivels them without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Just think! No pain at all, no soreness or smarting when applying it, or afterwards. If your druggist don't have freestone have him order it for you.

PATENTS

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Cause of Dependency.

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