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**THE ITALIAN OFFENSIVE**

Not since the outbreak of the European War has a more determined offensive been staked than that which the Italians are now waging against the Austro-Hungarians in the Isonzo region, which is just across the Adriatic sea from the boot-shaped empire over which King Victor Immanuel reigns. Late press dispatches indicate that the offensive, which is yet not more than a fortnight old, will develop into complete victory for the Italians and utter rout and defeat for the Austrians—probably surrender. The forces of General Cadorna, the Joffre of Italy, have been hurling thousands of tons of powder and steel into the Austrian ranks, in some instances reducing whole regiments and divisions to mere handfuls of exhausted men.

On the Isonzo front the Italians are reported to have a large field gun every thirty-four yards for a distance of thirty-five miles—something like five thousand cannon, belching forth death and destruction.

The entire Italian nation is flushed with the prospects of victory, a long desired accomplishment, and it now looks as if the sun-tanned people of the Mediterranean will be accommodated by the God of War.

At the same time, our Allies on the Franco-German front have been steadily gaining ground, but have had more stubborn resistance. The German is a more experienced fighter than the Austrian, and it might be said that he is more of a veteran, hence the apparently slow progress the Allied offensive is making. But the Teuton will be beaten—and it will not be many months.

**CONCERNING THE CEMETERY**

No town in the state has a more beautiful or a more picturesque cemetery than has the town of Greenville. Situated on a hill that slopes gently down to the ravine below, it makes a picture of quiet, serene, beauty such as the artists love to paint and of which the poets sing. It is indeed a fitting place in which our loved ones sleep their last long sleep. But why is "The City of the Dead" neglected? Why, is it left to the mercy of the weeds and the rank undergrowth?

Just now it presents a lamentable appearance. Weeds are standing so high that all but the tallest of the monuments are obscured from views. Grass grows in such tangled masses that walking is almost impossible. Such conditions should not exist. Is it really true that the life of a man is like un-

to a pebble dropped in the ocean? That while living he makes but a ripple on the ocean of life, and that when gone like the pebble he is gone forever, leaving behind no thought in the hearts of his fellow men.

Is the world moving so rapidly, are our days so filled with the little affairs of our every day life that we have no time or thought to give to those who have gone before?

If so, let us wake up, let the town authorities see that the cemetery has the proper attention from time to time and not wait until it is in such a neglected condition that it is a disgrace to the town.

But the town is not entirely responsible for the cemetery. Individuals are supposed to attend to their own lots and it behooves those who have lots that needs attention to give them the proper care.

Before another week rolls around let us have a neat, clean cemetery, and thus fulfill this sacred duty that is ours to perform.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The undersigned, having qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Nannie Tucker, deceased, before J. D. Cox, Clerk Superior Court Pit County, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement with the undersigned Executor, and all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to file their said claims with the undersigned Executor within

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12 months from the date hereof, or this notice will be plead in bar of any recovery, on said claims.  
 This July 25, 1917.

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